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SPECIAL MEETING OF LOYAL DAUGHTERS

Netherwood Circle Hears From Other Circles of The King's Daughters

The Loyal Daughters' Circle of the King's Daughters held a meeting of unusual interest yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. P. Thomas, of Belvidere avenue, which meeting was arranged by the president, Mrs. John A. Peterkin.

Mrs. Frederick Goddard spoke on the National Special Aid Society, describing its work and scope, and slips were distributed among those present to be signed by any who were willing to unite with the society.

Mrs. William Hubbard, of the executive board and of Charity Circle, spoke on the work of the King's Daughters and its spiritual importance. She also told her audience something of the origin and development of the travelers' aid department.

Miss Helen Harman, president of the Observe Workers, emphasized the need of the orthopedic clinic, which is in charge of Dr. H. D. Corbusier. She has been raising a fund of $1,000 for the equipment of the clinic for the little victims of infantile paralysis, and the Loyal Daughters at the close of her address contributed the last $300 of this fund.

Mrs. A. M. Most, president of the Golden Rule Circle, gave some particulars of the financial side of the Union's activities. During the afternoon Mrs. Grace Robinson, of Watchung Circle, sang several solos, accompanied by Mrs. Schuyler. Mrs. Laurens Van Buren announced that a meeting to consider the needs of the Belgian waifs would be held in the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon next.

The King's Daughters were entertained delightfully by Mrs. Thomas in her beautiful home.

FRESHMEN GIRLS SECURE VERDICT

Boroughites Take Grammar School Into Camp by a Small Margin

In a battle that was in doubt up to the last minute the North Plainfield High School Freshmen girls barely gained the verdict over the girls of the Plainfield Grammar School yesterday afternoon on the Essengerbund Hall court. The final count was 11 to 9.

The first half was fast and exciting, with the Freshmen quintet in the lead 7 to 4 at the call of time. In the second period, after five minutes had been played, Miss Edith Shotwell took a place on the floor and put her team in the lead with two pretty shots, besides caging the last three throws from the foul line.

The score:

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Shaw, f	0	2	2
Miss Keller, f	2	0	4
Miss Shotwell, f	2	1	5
Miss Fenton, c	0	0	0
Miss Harper, sc	0	0	0
Miss Dickson, g	0	0	0
Miss McDonough, g ..	0	0	0
Miss Vail, g	0	0	0
	4	3	11

PLAINFIELD G. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Sachar, f	1	0	2
Miss Hazeltine, f	3	1	7
Miss Locke, f	0	0	0
Miss Gulbert, c	0	0	0
Miss Smith, g	0	0	0
Miss McCann, g	0	0	0
Miss Wilmerding, sc..	0	0	0
	4	1	9

Referee, Townley; scorer, Scarbrough.

BIG GAME TO BE PUT ON SATURDAY

North Plainfield and Plainfield schools will play the third game of the interscholastic series next Saturday afternoon in the Plainfield High school gym, as scheduled, Although the city boys have won the championship and the Collier cup for the past year, an interesting tilt is expected.

Two years ago, after losing the first two games and the title, the Canadians came back and won the third game on the Plainfield H. S. court by the close score of 28 to 27, when Spencer Conover eluded his guard, Bill Crook, and found the ring after a long pass by "Hym" Abrams, who is now coaching the N...P. H. S. team. Will history repeat itself?

WILL LECTURE TONIGHT IN "THE SKY LINE"

Rev. James E. Norcross, of Philadelphia, will lecture this evening in the Temple Baptist church on "The Sky Line," under the auspices of the Junior Baraca Class.

MRS. J. C. MOORE HOSTESS AT TEA

Entertains Anti-Suffragists Prior to Annual Meeting Tomorrow

Preliminary to the annual meeting of the Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage to be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt, on East Ninth street, Mrs. John Constable Moore gave a delightful tea for members at her home, 1025 Watchung avenue, yesterday afternoon. Miss Maud Van Boskerck poured and she was assisted by several other women in serving.

There was a discussion of plans for the coming year and business to come before the annual meeting when officers will be elected. Mrs. Sherman B. Joost was obliged to resign the presidency owing to many other duties, but she still retains her interest in the work.

Those present at yesterday's affair expressed their interest in national events and declared their loyalty to President Wilson and the Congress, agreeing to do all that is possible to conserve and preserve those things dear to the heart of every true American.

Mrs. S. Yarde Breese, president of the State association, gave a brief review of the progress of the work throughout New Jersey, showing that much is being accomplished along educational lines. This will be continued the coming year with even greater earnestness, Mrs. Breese declared.

HELD REUNION ON HER BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph Greeted by Relatives at Their Home

Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph yesterday celebrated her seventy-fourth birthday at her home on East Front street with much rejoicing of a happy family gathering, made up of husband, daughters, sons-in-law and grandchildren, including some from far Canada. Mrs. Randolph is in good health and good cheer. Pleasant letters and messages contributed to the pleasure of the occasion.

Today is the birthday of the oldest daughter. Tomorrow will be the birthday of another.

BORO' GIRLS WANTED FOR A SHORE CONTEST

The Long Branch High School girls' team has challenged the North Plainfield High School maidens for a game within the next two weeks, on a Saturday afternoon if possible. March 3 is the tentative date requested by the down-Staters.

The Long Branch team will play without lines, which is, in fact, playing with boys' rules, and recently defeated the "ticklish" New Brunswick High School girls 54 to 8.

CASE AGAINST BOARDER DISMISSED IN COURT

Ralph Winrow, colored, was discharged in the borough court, this afternoon on the charge of entering and breaking into the home of Warren Reeder, Harmony street, last night.

Young Winrow had been a boarder in the Reeder home, and it was claimed that he entered the place last night and took out his own dress suit case, which had been held for back board bill.

As the young man had previously liquidated his board bill before the case was called, Recorder Hand saw no reason for holding him and dismissed the case.

The case against Amedeo Church for disorderly conduct in the borough streets was dismissed at last night's session of the court.

ENDEAVORERS TO ENTERTAIN

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will hold an entertainment this evening, beginning at 8.15. The services of H. A. Price, of New York, an entertainer, have been secured. After his program a social hour with refreshments will follow.

RECOVERING AFTER OPERATION

Lotta Mae, daughter of Mrs. Fred S. Moore, of Hotel Chatham, has returned home from Muhlenberg Hospital, where she underwent an operation of the nose and throat. She is much improved, but will be obliged to keep to her bed for a few days.

—An information cooking class will be held at the Public Service office, 210 Park avenue, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.—Adv.

ANNOUNCE DATES FOR ELKS' SHOW

"The Land of Mystery" to be Given at Plainfield Theatre, April 10-11-12

Announcement was made at the meeting of Plainfield Lodge of Elks last night that April 10, 11 and 12 have been settled upon as the dates for the lodge's annual show, "The Land of Mystery." This new comic opera will be given here by local talent under the direction of the authors, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, whose other opera, "The Mystic Rose," it will be recalled, was presented here last year with so much success.

The first rehearsal will be held at the lodge rooms Monday night at 8 o'clock, and any person who is able to take a part in the chorus or as a soloist is cordially invited to be present at that time and meet Mr. and Mrs. Skilling. While last year's production, "The Mystic Rose," was considered such a success, it is predicted that "The Land of Mystery" surpasses it in many respects. The local committee from the lodge in charge of this year's entertainment comprises William C. Mulvey, chairman; W. R. Causbrook, secretary-treasurer; L. E. Starker, LeRoy B. Woodhull and Albert F. La Rock.

JUNIOR CLUB IS DOING GOOD WORK

Westfield Boys' Organization Accomplishing Much for Lads in Rifle Practice

The boys of the Westfield Junior Rifle Club are rapidly becoming familiar with the regulations, so that there is little time lost between squads and therefore all squads (30 boys) were able to go through the course. Mr. Chase was in charge, while Walter Clark was in command of the firing line. Range officers on duty were Walter Clark, William Saitta, Winfield Thorne, Stewart Cravens and Bradford Simpson.

Seven boys made the sharpshooter score, only four of whom bettered their previous scores. They were Albert Garcia, 165; Richard Lucas, 157; Winfield Thorne, 155, and Benjamin Fox, 153.

Fifteen boys made the marksman score, eight of whom bettered their previous scores. They were William Saitta, 149; Benjamin Cravens, 146; Russell Morgan, 146; Frank Pfeiffer, 146; Craig Simpson, 139; William Harper, 134; Harmon Huyler, 133, and Albert Mandeville, 128.

Four new members were enrolled, making a total of seventy-one, forty-seven of whom are in good standing.

Two lost articles were found at the range. If the owners apply to Mr. Frambach they can have them.

WILLIAM R. LITTELL DIES IN ELIZABETH

William Rolston Littell died yesterday in Elizabeth in the forty-fifth year of his age. The funeral will be held from his late residence on Cleveland avenue, on Saturday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, and the interment will be made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Littell leaves his widow, one son, Hobart L.; two daughters, Arline and Marston W. Littell, and two sisters, Mrs. Harmon G. Tillou, of Newark, and Mrs. John C. Tull, of Elizabeth.

GREATER MEASURE OF HOME RULE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 1.—The municipalities of the State are given the home rule power to initiate ordinance on any question, including liquor regulation, in a bill just passed by the Senate. It is by Senator Kates, of Camden, who is a local optionist. The measure gives to all other municipalities in the State the authority for the initiative already conferred upon all the commission government cities by the Walsh act.

JOHN KIELY DOING WELL

John Kiely, of Summer avenue, who was badly burned yesterday morning while working in a trench for the Plainfield-Union Water Company in West Front street, near the International Motor Company's plant, and who was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital for treatment, is reported to be getting along nicely today. Bernard Brady, of West Front street, who was working with Kiely, was also slightly burned.

TENDERED A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Josephine Dodge, of Berckman street, was entertained last evening at a party given in honor of her birthday by her family and other relatives.

WAR UPSETS PLANS FOR TROLLEY LINE

Spicer Company Defers Building Extension to South Plainfield

The fact that the European war, with all its inconvenience, is responsible for the lack of trolley connection between this city and South Plainfield has just become known. When the Public Service Corporation finally refused to build the much-desired extension of its system after repeated urging on the part of citizens and especially the Spicer Manufacturing Company, whose large plant is located at South Plainfield, the latter concern through President Dana at once took steps which it was believed would bring the rapid transit facilities.

The Spicer Company planned to invest enough capital in a trolley line between the two points, feeling sure that it would be a paying venture and beside afford quick means for hundreds of their employes to get back and forth to work. The company employs about one thousand men, and a large number of them live in Plainfield. At present they are taken back and forth in the company's automobile trucks, which is generally crowded to the limit on each trip.

The company seriously contemplated building a trolley line, but the war has affected general conditions to such an extent that it was thought best to abandon the project indefinitely. President Thomas N. McCarter of the Public Service Corporation at one time stated that the extension to South Plainfield would cost approximately $100,000, but the Spicer Company is sure it can be done for less and hopes possibly at some future time to establish the line. The scarcity of labor as well as the difficulty of getting materials at anything like a reasonable price were chief factors in giving up the plans for the present. It is possible, however, that the company may in the near future establish an up-to-date auto suburban service which will provide quick and cheap travel between this city and South Plainfield.

It is understood that Mr. Dana has been investigating this proposition not only for the reason that he wants to provide a service for the company's employes, but believes it will be a great benefit to many other people who have occasion to travel between the points named, but find it troublesome because of the present inadequate accommodations.

NEWARK'S AUTO SHOW BREAKS ALL RECORDS

Newark, March 1.—Newark's auto show is breaking all records for attendance and sales. The proximity of the Palace hall room, in which it is held, to the centre of the city, has resulted in crowds packing the place nightly, as well as attracting good-sized audiences in the afternoon.

The paid attendance Saturday, Monday and Tuesday nights surpassed all previous show figures. Saturday night at the opening it was 100 per cent. more than for any previous opening.

The same thing applies to sales. There was more business done in the first three days than for the entire week of any previous show. Newark and vicinity are buying motor cars with their surplus money just the same as every other community.

Three big days remain—Tonight, "Business Men's Night"; tomorrow the "good roads" advocates will be present, and Saturday will be the big wind-up.

WOMEN ATTACK WAGON OF LOCAL PRODUCE DEALER

Three women who are presumed to have come from New York in an automobile, climbed upon a wagon belonging to L. C. Whitall, a produce dealer of this city, in Broad street, Westfield, this morning and attempted to destroy a lot of onions. The driver, William Voorheese, had covered the vegetables with burlap and canvas and the women were obliged to alight from the vehicle before they could do any harm.

Voorheese telephoned to his employer about the incident, and the latter notified the local police who have been on the lookout for the women, who are supposed to have headed this way.

It was reported that women poured kerosene oil on vegetables in several stores in Westfield, but this report, however, has been denied.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Christian Endeavor Society of the New Market Baptist Church will be in charge of the service at Rescue Mission Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Last Call and Last Chance

25 highest grade pianos and players at a saving of $50 to $200. Steinway, Schmer, Weber, etc. Act quick. N. J. Piano Co., 211 West Front street. Terms.—Adv.

PLANS FOR ROAD WORK AND BRIDGES

Two New Structures to be Built in East End of City

Freeholder S. P. T. Wilbur, of this city, who is chairman of the county road committee, has put in a request for two new bridges, one to be located on Netherwood avenue over Cedar brook and the other on Norwood avenue, both to take the places of structures now about worn out and entirely too light for traffic. The new bridges will be of the type known as plate girders. Mr. Wilbur will call his committee together in two weeks to take these matters up. It is proposed to erect a new bridge on Eastburn street, Cranford, to cost about $16,000.

The State road department having accepted the east end of Mountain avenue, the road committee now plans to improve that thoroughfare from Mountainside to Springfield, a distance of three miles. The new road will be twenty-two feet wide of concrete with a tar top and cost about $50,000. Details are also being completed for the improvement of Springfield avenue, from North avenue to the borough line of Cranford, at a cost of about $45,000.

WEAVER ARRESTED AT JAMAICA L. I.

Former Local Resident Charged With Theft of Car From Fred Endress

Fred Weaver, a machinist, formerly of this city, is held at Jamaica, L. I., having been arrested on a warrant sworn out by Fred Endress, of this city, charging him with the theft of an automobile. Weaver was taken into custody Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, and at 10 o'clock that night the car was placed in the yard at Mr. Endress' home in West Sixth street.

It is understood that Weaver bought the car, and was to have paid for it in installments. He was not to take the car outside the State without Mr. Endress' consent.

He is alleged to have made only one payment, and then left town with the car. He will be extradited to the jurisdiction of the Union county court.

MRS. WALROD'S WILL OFFERED FOR PROBATE

Charles M. Dolliver, attorney for the estate of Mrs. Clarinda P. Walrod, formerly of this city and borough, who died about three weeks ago at Kennedy, N. Y., today offered her will for probate in the surrogate's court at Somerville. Mrs. Walrod owned a property on Westervelt avenue, the borough, and some personal property, which is left to four brothers and Mrs. James Ruttledge, of the borough. Mrs. Ruttledge is named as executrix of the will.

Mrs. Walrod lived here for a number of years and at one time was superintendent of nurses at Muhlenberg Hospital. She went to Kennedy last summer. Her death was due to complications with which she had suffered for some time.

MRS. MARY HOPLER'S FUNERAL TOMORROW

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ellen Hopler, who died on Tuesday, will be held tomorrow morning, at 11.30 o'clock, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Cortwright, of Naughright Station, where the interment will also be made.

BAGGAGEMASTER SCHWARTZ TO TAKE VACATION

Charles Schwartz, baggagemaster at the North avenue station, has secured a month's vacation, and with his family will spend the time in the South.

Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS MEET TONIGHT

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held this evening.

MORGAN BILL HELD UP

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 1.—For the second time the Assembly has laid over the Morgan bill to establish a Department of Attendance in the State Department of Public Instruction, appropriating $7,500 for its work, of which $4,000 shall go to the State Supervisor of Attendance as yearly salary.

Assemblyman Runyon, of Union, raised the point that no definite term is fixed in the bill for the State Supervisor to serve.

RULE REPORTED TO CONSIDER ARMING MERCHANT VESSELS

By United Press:

Washington, March 1.—The House Rules Committee today reported the rule providing immediate consideration of the administration Flood bill authorizing the President to arm American merchantmen against attacks.

FRUSTRATED GERMAN PLOT WITH MEXICO

By United Press:
(By Robert J. Bender, U. P. Cor.)

Washington, March 1.—Germany's attempt to align Mexico and Japan in a hostile conspiracy against the United States has been frustrated.

At the State Department today it was intimated that so far as known the letters of Germany's foreign Secretary Zimmerman, the authenticity of which was vouched for by President Wilson personally, to the Senate today, never reached Carranza, and as a result was not passed on to Japan. Attention is called to the fact that in his instruction Zimmerman stipulated that Eckhardt should "only broach the matter to Carranza as soon as it is certain that there will be an outbreak of war with the United States." It is shown that this certainty had not developed when Bernstorff left the United States. Doubt as to the authenticity of the Zimmerman letter, voiced in the Senate today, because of its text having first become public through the press, was quickly dispelled through Senator Swanson, who made a formal statement announcing that the President had authorized him to say the published text was substantially correct.

That the Japanese government would not consider any proposition like that advocated by Secretary of Foreign Affairs Zimmerman in his "Mexican-Japanese plot" note, was the belief expressed by Secretary Lansing today. Lansing authorized the following statement:

"The Department does not believe that Japan has had any knowledge of this, or that she would consider any proposition made by an enemy."

Lansing also expressed belief that the Mexican government, too, would ignore any such proposition. He said: "We have confidence that Mexico would not become a party to it in view of the friendly relations between the United States and the de facto government."

While withholding discussion of the sources of the Government's information of the German plot last "some one's life be endangered," the State Department admitted that it had full evidence of the plot; that the Zimmerman note had reached Bernstorff here, and also had reached the German ministers in Mexico. Doubt was expressed that Carranza had ever seen the communication or been informed of its contents.

Owing to the fact that the plot was not actually to take form except in the event of actual hostilities between the United States and Germany, Japanese Ambassador Sato was called to the Department yesterday, and was told of the information which had been received as to the threatened plot. While Lansing would not discuss what Sato said about it, the fact that he used the statement quoted indicates that the Japanese Ambassador must have denied any knowledge of it, and scorned any possibility of his government being in any way interested. This theory is also borne out by Sato's statement through the United Press this morning.

Lansing intimated that the United States has been working four months on the case, but unable until now to secure conclusive evidence of the plot.

WM. ADDIS RETIRES AS HEALTH INSPECTOR

William Addis, of Orange place, yesterday completed twenty years continuous service as inspector for the Board of Health and today he goes on the retired list and will receive a pension of half his former salary. I. L. McVoy, a former member of the Board of Health, succeeds Mr. Addis.

Since Mr. Addis went into office the duties have increased to a large extent and his record, which was an excellent one, was favorably complimented upon by the health board. Mr. Addis came here in 1871 from Elizabeth, at which place he was married on December 31, 1866, by Rev. Stephen Parker. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on January 1 last, the event being largely attended.

EDWARD PRIOR-LEAHY TO WED MISS SCHERZ

Miss Aurelia Scherz, daughter of Mrs. Aurelia Scherz, of this city, and Edward Prior-Leahy, of New York, will be married Saturday, March 10, at the home of the bride-elect's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Adams, 909 West Front street. The Rev. Harold W. Schenck, formerly of this city, but now pastor of the Reformed church at Nutley, will perform the ceremony. Miss Margaret Adams, cousin of Miss Scherz, will be the maid of honor.

BENJAMIN GORDON'S FUNERAL TOMORROW

The funeral of Benjamin Gordon will be held from the home of his father-in-law, Grant G. Taynor, on Clinton avenue, tomorrow morning at 9:15 o'clock and at St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock. Mr. Gordon leaves besides his widow two children.

PARENTS OF A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Grossett, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Greenwich, Conn., are parents of a girl, born to them on Sunday last. Mrs. Grossett before her marriage to Mr. Grossett was Mrs. H. H. Hood, of this city.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Mrs. Joseph Moon, of Grandview avenue, the borough, entertained a few friends at luncheon yesterday. The afternoon was enlivened by a professional entertainer from New York.

—Damrosch Orchestra at High School, March 8th. Tickets, $1.00, $1.50. Miller's Drug Store—Adv.

POLICEMAN SAUNDERS RETIRES ON PENSION

James Saunders, colored, retired as a member of the police force last night after serving twenty-six years. Saunders is now fifty-four years old. He will be paid a pension of $600 a year for the balance of his life. He was appointed a policeman by Mayor Alexander Gilbert and was the first colored man to receive such an appointment in this city. During his term of service he has been a faithful and efficient officer and has always performed his duty in a manner satisfactory to his superior. Saunders is the third policeman to be retired on a pension. The others are, Christian Fredericksen and Nicholas Meyers.

Bernard McCloskey, recently appointed a special officer, tendered his resignation also last night, stating that the job was unsuited to him. McCloskey is a machinist and will go back to his trade in one of the local shops.

PLAINFIELD ELKS TO VISIT NEWARK LODGE

Plainfield Lodge of Elks has accepted an invitation to pay a return fraternal visit to the Newark lodge next Tuesday night, March 20, has been selected as the date. At that time the officers of the local lodge will exemplify the ritualistic work. Several weeks ago the Newark Elks were guests of the Plainfield lodge and were so royally entertained that they have arranged for a return visit.

It is expected that between 200 and 300 Elks will go to Newark and the trip will probably be made in a special train. The committee in charge of the arrangements comprise Past Exalted Ruler John H. Cose, James Coleman, C. M. Titsworth, Harry N. Blimm, H. C. Van Emburgh, Marcus Hoyt and Richard J. Harrigan.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR LITTLE CHILD

A pleasant afternoon was spent yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Breese, Watchung avenue, it being the occasion of the fourth birthday of their daughter, Elizabeth. Twenty of her little playmates and their mothers enjoyed games and music furnished by the pianola.

After a delightful luncheon the children left wishing Miss "Betty" many returns of the day.

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RUNYON OPPOSES FRANCHISE TAX BILL

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 1.—Following their passage in the House of Assembly Tuesday afternoon, the State Highway Tax Bill and the bill increasing the taxes upon the franchises of public utilities, two of the important Republican administration measures, were rushed to the Senate and last evening in that body were reported by the Judiciary Committee and were immediately given second reading. This puts them in position for final action in the Senate and the Republican majority will pass them there next week.

The House passed the road tax bill by a vote of 39 to 12, the negative votes coming from the Democrats present and Assemblyman Robinson, Republican, of Bergen, who stated his county would not derive sufficient benefit under the bill. The vote on the franchise tax bill was 40 to 1 for it. Mr. Runyon, Republican, of Union, being the only member in opposition. He thought the bill unscientific in its provisions.

SOMERSET COUNTY RESIDENT DIES SUDDENLY

William Van Doren Layton, aged 79 years, well known throughout Somerset county, is dead at his home in Bedminster. He had been ill several months. Mr. Layton was a lifelong resident of Somerset county, having been born at Liberty Corner, where he lived until ten years ago, when he moved to Bedminster. He had been at various times a member of the Bedminster Township Board of Education and superintendent of the Mt. Rose Sunday school, and served several terms as both a deacon and elder of the Bedminster Reformed church.

Last September Mr. Layton celebrated his fiftieth wedding anniversary. He is survived by Mrs. Layton, who was formerly Miss Martha V. Kline; two sons, David Layton, of New York, and Joseph Layton, a daughter, Mrs. John McLaughlin, also of Bedminster, and five grandchildren.

CIVIL SERVICE "EXAM" TO BE HELD MARCH 10

There will be a civil service examination at Trenton on Saturday, March 10, to fill the position of director of domestic instruction and to act as matron at the New Jersey School for the Deaf at Trenton. This examination will be open to all female residents of the State who comply with the requirements.

Applicatio should be filed with the Civil Service Commission, State House, Trenton, not later than Monday, March 5. The salary is $600 per annum and maintenance.

LOCAL YOUNG LADY DAISY CHAIN CARRIER

Miss Margaret Miller, of this city, is among the twenty-four members of the Vassar College Sophomore class who will bear the daisy chain in the June commencement exercises. The custom of having the whole sophomore class bear the chain has been discontinued.

Three Jersey students who have won honors this year are the Misses Elizabeth Strycker, Trenton; Helen Silver, East Orange, and Eleanor Lewis, New Brunswick.

NORTH PLAINFIELD BILL IN COMMITTEE'S HANDS

A bill known as No. 57, introduced by Assemblyman Runyon in the State Legislature on January 23, and the allowance to custodian of school moneys of at least $200 annual salaries is now in the hands of the educational committee in the Assembly.

The bill was introduced to benefit North Plainfield where such an officer receives $50.

Deer Injure Park Guard

Trenton, March 1.—With difficulty Edward J. Bailey, a guard at Cadwallader Park, escaped Tuesday from the deer paddock when attacked by two bucks. He was trampled upon, but finally reached a gate.

CAPT JACK CRAWFORD DIED IN WOODHAVEN

Noted Indian Fighter and Scout, Who Will Be Remembered in This City

Captain Jack Crawford, whose real name was John Wallace Crawford, and who is remembered by many Plainfielders, died at his home at Woodhaven, L. I., Tuesday night, of pneumonia, after a month's illness.

He is remembered here for having lectured in the Y. M. C. A. about fifteen years ago on "Pioneers of the West." He showed how he escaped from two bandits on the frontier once, when with one in front of him and one behind him with revolvers aimed at him, he drew his own gun quickly enough to lay out both of them before they could shoot.

Leaving here he spent some time in Alaska, and wrote from there to a representative of the Courier-News some interesting experiences there. He was a noted Indian fighter of early frontier days.

Captain Crawford wrote a number of plays, stories and poems and was known as the "poet scout." He was chief of scouts under General Custer at the time of the Custer massacre, in June 1876, but it is said that he was on his way to Custer's headquarters with dispatches when this event took place. Later he played an active part in the pursuit of Sitting Bull.

Crawford was born in Ireland in 1847. He served in the Civil War and the story is that he learned to read and write while in the hospital recovering from a wound.

Captain Crawford was interested in reclaiming boy offenders, and his "boy heroes of the world" numbered 25,000 men and boys whose signed pledges he held that they would not touch liquor. It was his boast that nearly all of them kept the faith.

Captain Crawford is survived by his widow, who is on her way from New Mexico; two daughters, Miss May Crawford, who lives on a New Mexico ranch, and Mrs. Eva Reckhardt, of El Paso, Tex., and a son, Harry Crawford, a former mayor of Clois N. M.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Hamlet Luckey has been appointed scoutmaster of, Troop No. 16, at Trinity Reformed Church.

The official board of Grace M. E. Church, North Plainfield, at a meeting held this week, planned to hold an every-member canvass this month.

Next Sunday the Trinity Reformed Bible school will observe "Go-to-Bible-School." It is expected that there will be an attendance of 500 members.

EDUCATORS TO CONFER AT NEW BRUNSWICK

This county will be one of several to be represented at an educational conference to be held in New Brunswick March 22 and 23. The conference will be open to superintendents, principals and supervising principals, and will be held for the purpose of discussing problems of supervision and administration.

The last conference of this kind was attended by only Union, Somerset, Burlington and Middlesex county representatives, but it is hoped that this conference will embrace a larger territory.

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DR. BROEK CONCLUDES CHURCH HISTORY

"The Church in the Field" the Subject of Address at Trinity Church

The Rev. J. Y. Broek of Trinity Reformed Church gave his fourth and final talk of the series on the history of the Reformed Church, at the mid-week service last night. Dr. Broek's topic was "The Church in the Field" which we give in part as follows:

"The Reformed Church carries on an extensive and continually expanding missionary and educational work through her various boards. The Board of Education was organized in the Collegiate Church, New York city, in 1828. Colonel Henry Rutgers, after whom Rutgers College was named, was its first president. This board assists young men in studying for the gospel ministry, and supports in part their denominational colleges. Last year the Reformed Church took under its care a Baptist college, located at Pella, Iowa.

"The Board of Domestic Missions was formally organized in 1832, but as early as 1786 plans were made for sending the gospel to destitute places of our land. In 1798, eight churches were established along the St. Lawrence, in Canada. At the present time the Reformed Church is carrying out an extensive home missionary work among the immigrants and especially through church extension. Every classis of New York and New Jersey has recently organized a new church. Two-thirds of the churches of the Synod of Chicago were formerly mission churches. They have developed into strong churches and contribute as much money to missions as does the Synod of New York. The women of the church, through the Women's Board of Domestic Mission, carry on an ever enlarging work among the mountaineers, the Indians and the Japanese in New York city. The church is growing at a splendid rate and every year there is an increase in every department of work.

"The Reformed Church has always been known for her missionary activity. For years the church has given the largest per capita gifts to foreign missions of any church in America. She took a leading part in the organization of the New York Missionary Society in November 1796. This society sent out Rev. Joseph Bullen as the first missionary to the Chickasaw Indians in Georgia. The directors agreed to employ him at the annual salary of three hundred and seventy-five dollars and to defray his traveling expenses.' He left on March 26, 1799, and a month later he had progressed on his journey as far as Lancaster, Pa., and at the end of another month he finally arrived at his destination.

Four fields are represented in the foreign missionary work of the Reformed Church. The Amoy mission in China was founded by Rev. David Abel in 1842. He was followed by Rev. Dr. John Van Nest Talmadge in 1847. Dr. Talmadge received his early religious training in the Reformed Church at Bound Brook. Another missionary to Amoy was the Rev. Daniel Rapalje, living at present in this city, who did service in the field for over 40 years, from 1858-1899, and had an unusual acquaintance with the Chinese language.

The Circot Mission in Southern Indiana was founded in 1853. The names of the Scudder and Chamberlain family are most prominent in their mission. The Scudder family has given over 600 years of service for Christ in India.

The North and South Japan missions with Tokio, Kokohama and Nagaski as centers were founded by Revs. Dr. Samuel R. Brown and Dr. Guido F. Verbeck in 1859. The first Christian Church in Japan was organized by Rev. James H. Ballagh, a missionary of the Reformed Church in Yokohama on March 10, 1872. Many of the Royal House were educated at Rutgers College.

The Reformed Church is practically the only church that has missions in Arabia. The Arabian Mission was conceived in Hertzog Hall, New Brunswick Seminary, in 1889 through the efforts of Rev. Samuel M. Zwemer, James Cantine, Peter J. Zwemer and Prof. Lansing. The Arabian mission was organized in the North Reformed church, Newark. Arabia is one of the hardest of missionary fields, but already five stations have been established in this neglected country."

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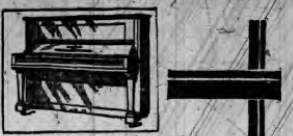
Visiting in Erie

Mrs. Albert McDonald and daughter, Mary McDonald, of this city, are in Erie, Pa., visiting Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hardwick, at 92 West Ninth street.



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SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN WILL BE LIVELY

There promises to be a lively campaign in Somerset county next fall for the Republican nomination for Senator. Besides Mayor William L. Smalley, of North Plainfield, Charles Wheeler, of Watchung, and former Judge Clarence Case, of Somerville, are mentioned as possible candidates for the nomination.

It is also stated that William Delarocie Anderson, once an Assemblyman from Somerset, may also decide to enter the race. Mr. Anderson lives in North Plainfield township. He is a local optionist.

Mayor Smalley is the only one of those thus far mentioned who has actually been appealed to take the nomination, and up to this time he has not said whether or not he will be a candidate.

The Mayor has attracted attention because of his fine administration of the affairs of North Plainfield borough and particularly his outspoken attitude on the liquor question.

The Mayor is an out-and-out local optionist. He believes that the wish of the majority should control the question of licenses, and he would like to see every community empowered to grant or refuse them.

MUST REPORT ON INCOMES TODAY

All single persons having an income of $3,000 and all married persons having an income in excess of $4,000 must make a report to the income tax collector at Newark today. A penalty is provided for failure to do so. Proper blanks can be obtained from Postmaster Hoagland upon application.

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Mushrooms Brussels Sprouts Fresh Tomatoes Oyster Plant Table Celery

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N. P. H. S. NOTES

The Misses Florence Ryder and Clemeutine Bremble, of Plainfield high school, were present at the chapel exercises this morning. Miss Ryder in a short speech urged the North Plainfield high school students to attend the dance on the evening of March 10 in the Plainfield high school auditorium to be given by the Girls' Athletic Association of that school.

Principal Earley gave a short address on the geographies of 125 years ago, after the chapel exercises this morning. Mr. Earley during the course of his talk exhibited a geography book that was used in the schools at that time and read a number of interesting extracts. The book covered about everything imaginable, chapters on religion, astronomy and animal life being included, something unthought of today.

Four students delivered recitations this morning. Miss Mildred Weiss, the first speaker, rendering "The Best Medicine." Miss Gertrude Bornman offering the well known poem, "Days" in a truly delightful manner. Douglas Stewart recited "If You Can Do" while Almon Doty closed the exercises with a funny rendition of the familiar lines of "His Appetite."

Miss Myrtle M. Montague, instructor of commercial subjects, is ill at her home on Craig place.

The debating team will meet the team representing Cranford high school in the Harrison avenue school tomorrow night. The subject for the *debate will be "Compisory Arbitration."* The Misses Laura Martin, Marguerite Barkalew and Andrew V. McDonough will represent N. P. H. S. Dancing will follow the debate.

The third game in the Interscholastic Championship series will be played off as scheduled, Saturday afternoon in the Plainfield high school court. The team will go over there to bring back the bacon if possible and considering the great fight they made Washington's Birthday you should be there to encourage them in this final game. The regular teams of both schools will positively play the whole game, notwithstanding false rumors to the contrary that have been circulated.

Recovering from Illness

Mrs. Garret Van Winkle, of Madison avenue, is able to be about the house after her recent illness.

PLAINFIELD BILL NOW IN SENATE

The bill which Assemblyman Runyon introduced in the Assembly two weeks ago, at the request of Mayor Calkins, and which if enacted into law will give the Common Council the right to submit to the voters at a general election any question upon which public opinion is desired, is now in the Senate awaiting consideration, and will probably be passed at the next session.

A motion was made to reconsider the vote which passed it in the house last week, when its local option *possibilities were discovered*, but Mr. Runyon assured his colleagues that the measure was not intended as a local option bill, and that other matters upon which public opinion was desired had prompted its introduction, the opposition faded away.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., at its meeting last night conferred the third degree on two candidates.

FATAL AIR RAID AT BROADSTAIRS

Special to the Courier-News:

London, March 1.—The War Office announces that a German air raid was made at 9.50 this morning on Broadstairs, the seaside resort on the Kentish coast. One woman was injured by a bomb dropped by the raiders.

REVOLUTIONARY FORCES IN CUBA SURRENDER

Havana, March 1.—Rafael Iturraldo, former Governor of Mantanzas Province, and his brother, who had joined the Revolutionary movement, surrendered today with their followers.

FATAL TRAIN WRECK

Special to the Courier-News:

Laurel, Miss., March 1.—The south-bound New Orleans and Northeastern passenger train that left Laurel at 6 o'clock this morning was wrecked at Reesy Creek, killing David Corbett, the engineer, and probably injuring Otha Parker, a mail clerk.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE OPEN TUESDAY NIGHT

County Clerk William B. Martin announced today that he would keep his office open next Tuesday night especially for residents of Plainfield who wish to make application for naturalization papers. It is understood that there are a number of people here who contemplate becoming American citizens.

COMMITTEE WILL AGITATE LABOR TEMPLE ERECTION

The International Moulders' Local, No. 305, of this city, at a recent meeting, appointed a committee consisting of Ernest Doerfinger, James Williams and Samuel Flatley to agitate the question of erecting a labor temple in this city. The committee has been instructed to be present at the trades' council session tomorrow evening in the interest of the proposed building.

TAKES CHARGE OF ST. BERNARD'S SCHOOL

Peapack-Gladstone, March 1.—The new head master of St. Bernard's School of Gladstone, Rev. D. L. Sanford, formerly rector of the Episcopal church at Morrisville, Pa., has arrived and took charge today. He succeeds Rev. P. C. Bissell, who has accepted a call to be rector of Grace church, East Rutherford. Mr. Bissell has been head master for nearly two years.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Clifford W. McGee, of Willow avenue, who has been seriously ill with peritonitis, is improving slowly.

Mrs. L. B. Mulford, of Watchung, who was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital Monday for treatment, is improving.

ELKS' ANNUAL MEETING

Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, B. P. O. E., will hold its annual meeting Wednesday night, March 7, at which time officers will be elected for the coming year.

A Daughter Born

A daughter was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cox, of West Fourth street.

NAME UNIVERSITY FOR FRELINGHUYSEN

In Remembrance of Late U. S. Senator's Service for Colored People

In remembrance of the public service rendered the cause of the colored people of the country by the late Frederick T. Frelinghuysen while a member of the United States Senate and other New Jersey statesmen, the board of directors of the Interdenominational University of Washington, of which Jesse Lawson, formerly of Plainfield, is president, has voted to rename the institution Frelinghuysen University. This action was taken at a special meeting on Washington's Birthday at New Bethel Baptist church, Washington.

The university is also intended as a memorial to other deceased statesmen of New Jersey who have rendered conspicuous public service to the cause of colored Americans while serving in various capacities at Washington. The plan is to have a group of a dozen or more schools and colleges named in honor of the memory and public service of the late Senators William J. Sewell, John R. McPherson, John Kean, John F. Dryden, Vice-President Garret A. Hobart, Congressmen Marcus L. Ward, Augustus W. Cutler, Amos Clark, James Buchanan, John Hill, Henry C. Loudenslager and Grover Cleveland, former President of the United States. Proper steps are being taken to raise the necessary endowment and a thirty days' campaign will soon be inaugurated.

FUNERAL OF FORMER CENTRAL R. R. ENGINEER

Funeral services for Nathan C. Rhodes, a Civil War veteran, who died Tuesday at his home, 1149 Magnolia avenue, Elizabeth, will be held tomorrow afternoon. Members of Uiric Dahlgren Post, G. A. R., and Tyrian Lodge, F. and A. M., will attend.

Mr. Rhodes participated in the battles of Gettysburg and Bull Run as a member of Company A, First New Jersey Infantry. He was employed as a Central Railroad engineer many years and known by many in this city. He was seventy-two years old. Three daughters survive the deceased.

LATE EDITOR A FRIEND OF L. V. F. RANDOLPH

Hon. Robert P. Porter, one of the editors of the London Times, who died in London on Tuesday as the result of an accident on Monday, was a close friend of former Mayor L. V. F. Randolph, of this city. Mr. Randolph lunched with him on several occasions on recent visits to London, and with Mrs. Randolph visited at Mr. Porter's home in the University town of Oxford. Mr. Randolph owns a fine portrait of Mr. Porter, and within a few weeks past has received several interesting letters from him.

Mr. Porter was born in England sixty-five years ago, but was a naturalized citizen of the United States. Like Mr. Randolph, he traveled widely. He visited Norway, Spain, Japan, Russia and South America, and wrote ably and voluminously about them.

Of his friendships the New York Sun says:

"He had such genius for friendship as had Porter. The range and variety of his friends and acquaintances, particularly in the United States and Japan and in England was extraordinary, and besides all this traveling for the Times he had in other years undertaken many extensive journeys in the United States and Mexico, France, Belgium, Italy, the Balkans, Rumania and Turkey for the purpose of industrial investigations.

"He was completing a short history of Japan for the Oxford University Press at the time of his death."

On one occasion Mr. and Mrs. Randolph had an interesting meeting with Hon. Wm. J. Bryan and Mrs. Bryan at Mr. Porter's Oxford home.

Some years ago Mr. Porter supervised the work of taking our national census.

PURCHASED TROLLEY STAND NEWS STORE

David Robinson, who has for some time conducted a news store on West Front street, has formed partnership with Max Rosenthal, formerly of Tepper's store, and purchased the cigar and stationery business at the trolley stand, corner of Watchung avenue and Fourth street. Mr. Robinson has given up his Front street store and will now be found with his partner at the trolley stand. Mr. Robinson was formerly in business at the latter location.

MARTINE SAYS FAREWELL TO SENATE

The legislative and international problems were laid aside yesterday in the Senate at Washington for a time to listen to a valedictory address by Senator James E. Martine of New Jersey, who retires on March 4 after six years' service. The Senator paid his respects to political opponents and answered criticisms that he did not always vote with his party by asserting that he had always voted according to his convictions.

"It has been said in published statements that I was a sheer accident, a joke, a mountebank, a buffoon, and a disgrace to this body," he shouted, striding up and down the centre aisle. "But no man ever said I was a moral coward, a pretender. That is my answer to those villainous and cowardly attacks."

Senator Martine said that he believed in direct elections of Senators, had sought to establish such procedure, and now bowed to the people's fiat at such an election. He added that he had found the Senate wonderfully human and knew of "no place so well calculated to take out a man's egotism."

Senators Lodge and Kenyon replied, assuring the New Jersey Senator that he would leave with the well wishes and affectionate regard of all members.

ANOTHER APPEAL FOR BELGIAN CHILDREN

The National Campaign that Mr. Hoover's Commission is starting through the United States will be represented here at a lecture by Mrs. Kellogg and Miss Florence Wardwell, both of New York, in the Congregational Parish house Wednesday, March 7, at 3.30 o'clock. Mrs. Kellogg has worked with the Commission in Belgium many months and comes here to tell us that one million Belgian children inside the German lines are dependent upon American funds to keep them alive. The Commission has only four weeks' supply of food ahead.

ACQUITTED OF THE CHARGE

Elizabeth, March 1.—Frederick Williams, colored, of Plainfield, was acquitted by a jury in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday afternoon of a charge preferred by a young colored woman, also of Plainfield.

RAE TANZER TRIAL BEGINS MONDAY NEXT

Judge Van Fleet, of the Federal Court, New York, has set Monday next for the beginning of the second trial of Rae Tanzer, indicted for perjury in having sworn that it was James W. Osborne, the lawyer, who was her companion at the Kensington Hotel, this city. The jury in the first trial disagreed.

In the recent trial of Franklin D. Stafford, former clerk of the Hotel, who was found guilty of perjury, Miss Tanzer testified that she was not mistaken, and that it was Mr. Osborne, and not Charles H. Wass, who called himself "Oliver Osborne," who was her companion.

GLOVEMAKERS' BRANCH A YEAR OLD TODAY

The local branch of the Louis Meyers & Son glove concern is one year old today. The well-known glovemakers came to Plainfield and opened a branch in the Babcock building March 1, 1916, but removed to larger premises at the corner of North and Park avenues November 15. The firm employs fifty girls and has work enough for fifty more. The girls work under most favorable conditions, and the novices are taught their work by the manager, Mrs. F. Costello. The headquarters of the concern is at Gloversville, N. Y.

ADDRESSED NEW BRUNSWICK P.-T. ASSOCIATION

Miss Addie Parker Jackson, physical instructor in the city schools, spoke Tuesday afternoon before the Parent-Teacher Association of the New Brunswick High School. Miss Jackson told what physical training does for pupils and cited many cases in which curvature of the spine was cured in children by physical culture.

"FIRST AID" CLASS TO MEET

The class in "First Aid" which has been organized by the women of the First Methodist church will hold its first meeting in Vincent chapel at 8.15 o'clock tonight. The class will be under the direction of Dr. C. B. Lufburrow. Anyone interested is invited to join. The course will comprise ten lectures.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—Feb. 28.

Germany reported 16,000 captives, 78 cannon and 86 machine guns taken in the Verdun battle zone. Their attack was shifted from the north around to the southeast.

Two Years Ago Today.

French captured a mile of German trenches in the Champagne and 300 yards in the Argonne.

British merchant ship Thordis sank German submarine in the north sea.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1917.

SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM

Tuesday's vigorous assertion of the purpose of the people of Plainfield and North Plainfield to support the President and Congress to whatever extent may be needful in upholding American rights and dignity has not been excelled, perhaps, by any community in the country. They are to be congratulated on having manifested a spirit of patriotism and leadership that may serve as a worthy example for every city and town of the Union. So earnest is this spirit, and so generally shared by our citizens, that there can be no doubt that many among us will welcome an opportunity to do more than merely assert their devotion to the cause of national security and honor. At this time of the imminent possibility that we shall be drawn into the great war in spite of every decent effort to remain at peace, the desire to render substantial aid to the Government is nearly universal. And realizing, as we must, that even if we are to be spared actual hostilities, the international situation for many years to come will call for our utmost vigilance and preparedness to meet possible aggression, practically all of us feel strongly the duty of assisting in so far as we may at the task of strengthening the nation's defense. Perhaps the very best course open to the ordinary citizen to this end is to become a member of the oldest and probably the best of all our preparedness organizations, the Navy League of the United States. Its purpose strikes at the very root of the problem of national security, the upbuilding of our first line of defense and its maintenance at a strength so fully assured that no attack can break through it to imperil our homes. By every practicable means the Navy League seeks to encourage the development of a sea power so efficient that American lives and rights and legitimate undertakings may be adequately protected in every accessible part of the world. By the stimulation of public interest and coordination of public influence it strives to foster the growth of the only form of military establishment that can afford the United States not only safety when attacked, but, what is even better, the highest possible degree of assurance that no attack will be made. The support of this organization offers an opportunity of real patriotic service to every man and woman of our city and borough, a service that our devoted officers and men of the navy will be quick to appreciate and for which every Congressman who is struggling against the insidious propaganda of military *speculation will be grateful.* The publications of the Navy League are profoundly interesting and instructive, and the value of its influence in the expression of competent opinion and the encouragement of wise legislation can hardly be overestimated. We urge all those who aided so generously in the patriotic demonstration of last evening, as well as those who were unable to be present but are equally sincere in their devotion to true American principles, to avail themselves of the membership.

TIME FOR CONCENTRATION

It is about time for men of the stripe of Bryan and LaFollette to be repressed in some way. It is people of their kind who make necessary such meetings as the one held Tuesday night, to determine whether there is or is not a united patriotic *sentiment in the land whose privileges* they enjoy, and who are unwilling to take their part in defense of the rights which belong to a free people, and which others have given their lives to preserve. In the dark days of the Civil War, it will be remembered, there were pacifists who had to be threatened with exile to Dry Tortugas for their utterances which tended to discourage willing patriots from presenting themselves on the altars of their country for service in upholding her honor. Some today are even more dangerous, because their sophistry and unpatriotic utterances find more ready ears among a people whose land has been free of war for more than half a century, and who are so softened by the long period of peace, as not to realize with due promptness their duty to the land of their birth and adoption. People of this class happen to be influential enough in some quarters to do much in tying the hands of the President, who is expected to uphold the honor, dignity and welfare of the nation which furnishes them the opportunity for the enjoyment of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

HOW BUSINESS GROWS

Many merchants complain about poor business, and then they never set aside a dollar in the effort to get more business. In this they act against every recognized principle of success. All the big enterprises set aside a large sum for their sales and advertising departments. It is the work of these departments to make new friends. It is recognized that a firm's regular customers are constantly dropping out, due to death, removal, competition of rivals, etc. Unless a constant effort is made to attract new friends, one's business is likely to fall off instead of increase. No retail business can grow unless it acts on this principle. New friends and patrons must constantly be secured. They are not likely to come haphazard. They go to the people who solicit them. If distant mail order houses and outside cities solicit them by advertising, *while the* home merchant does not, they will go to the place that seeks their trade, as that place seems to them the most wide-awake and enterprising.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

At the present outlook John D. Rockefeller will wish he had gone into the potato-raising business.

England is suffering almost as much from the German submarines as our country is from the food speculators.

The most pitiable suffering is expected from Kentucky, where in case of war the distilling plants would be used by the United States for the munition business.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Call the New Congress

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

Dear Sir—The President in his last message to the Congress stated that it would take "an unusual length of time to assemble and organize" the new Congress. Matters of the most vital import will at some time be presented to this new Congress for intelligent consideration and for quick decision.

Let us for once exercise just a little foresight by urging the calling of the new Congress at the earliest possible moment so that the lengthy procedure of assemblage and organization will not be left to that time when grave decision will be required for the safety of our very lives from a calm deliberative body, and not from a chaotic mob in the turmoil of organization, and of getting into the harness. Let the citizens of our vicinity lead the way, as they showed themselves capable of doing in their wonderful patriotic *meeting of Tuesday night,* and memorialize the President upon this most important question.

WM. DELAROCHE ANDERSON.
Plainfield, N. J., March 1, 1917.

COMPARES PLAINFIELD PRICES

A local reader sends a list cut from a New York paper, showing prices of staple articles of food and asking how it is that Plainfield prices are higher, in order to answer the question the Plainfield merchants were canvassed and they declared that the prices on the list could be and were duplicated here.

CONSOLIDATION OF JOURNALS

Announcement is made of the consolidation of the McGraw Publishing Company with the Hill Publishing Company. The new company, which is known as the McGraw-Hill Publishing Company, has acquired all the properties of the two constituents, which include the Electrical World, Electrical Merchandising, the Electric Railway Journal, the Engineering Record, the Contractor, Metallurgical and Chemical Engineering, the American Machinist, Power and Engineering News, the Engineering and Mining Journal and the Coal Age.

Two of these trade journals, the Engineering News and the Engineering Record, will be consolidated as the Engineering News-Record, with Charles Baker as editor.

The officers of the new company, which will be the largest engineering publishing house in the world, are James H. McGraw, president; Arthur J. Baldwin, vice-president and treasurer, and E. J. Mehren, vice-president and general manager. The Engineering News was formerly owned by George H. Frost, of this city.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Frank Handville, of this city, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fenner, of Gladstone.

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Get a 25-cent bottle Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.—Adv.

ANNOUNCE CAST FOR ANNUAL CLASS PLAY

Those in charge of the plans for the annual play under the auspices of the Probasco Bible class, which this year is to be a two-act comedy entitled "Too Many Husbands," have completed the cast, and rehearsals are held on Monday and Friday evenings of each week. The play will be given at the Plainfield High School, Saturday night, March 17, under the direction of Mrs. G. Stuart Simons, coach. The cast will be as follows.

Col. Thaddeus Crane, N. J. R. Chandler; Dorothy Crane, Ralph Martin; Chauncey Chilton, Charles Leadbitter; Arthur Maitland, Randolph Stelle; Harry Bunn, Burton Isen; Mills Bunn, Albert Newmiller; Rev. Ormsby, Clifford Terry; Mrs. Sheffield, Irving Pratt; Mollie, Duncan Patterson; Jones, Clifford Sullivan; O'Flynn, Alexander Benton; Rudolph Bauer, Earl Pierson.

NEWARK SHUT DOWN ON LIQUOR SALES

Liquor is forbidden to be sold in any saloon, restaurant or dance hall in Newark between the hours of 1 and 5 o'clock in the morning after March 19. The excise board of that city has adopted a resolution making it unlawful for license holders to conduct their business during these hours. Prior to this the board rescinded its former action to grant all-night licenses.

SCHOOL TEAMS WILL DEBATE TOMORROW

The debating team to represent Cranford in the Rutgers Interscholastic Debating League come to the borough tomorrow night to debate the team of the North Plainfield high school on the arbitration law proposition.

JERSEY REPUBLICANS AGAINST MANN

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, Mar. 1.—State Comptroller Newton A. K. Bugbee, as chairman of the Republican State Committee, has received a letter from Hamilton F. Kean, of Elizabeth, the Union County member of the State Committee, protesting against the Republicans in the House of Representatives voting for representative James R. Mann, of the Second District of Illinois, for Speaker. Mr. Kean declares that he does not believe Congressman Mann will be satisfactory to the Republican voters of New Jersey.

"I understand," writes Mr. Kean, who is a brother of the late United States Senator John Kean, "that the Republicans are going to vote for Mr. Mann for Speaker of the House. In my opinion, Mr. Mann would not be satisfactory to the Republican voters of New Jersey.

"As a member of the State Committee, I wish to file with you my protest against the Congressmen of New Jersey voting for Mr. Mann. If the other members of the State Committee feel as I do, I would like to forward such protest to the members from New Jersey."

State Chairman Bugbee said today he would communicate at once with the other members of the committee, and if they agree with Mr. Kean, he will send the protest to the New Jersey Republican Congressmen.

The fight against Representative Mann as a candidate for Speaker is being led by Congressman Gardner, of Massachusetts. Mann represents a strong pro-German district, and it is charged that his sympathies are too much with Germany in the present grave international situation. Another charge made against him is that he is an obstructionist, whereas just now the party needs men of *constructive ability.*

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH

Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

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Blue Label Ketchup, bottle 23c, 12c
H. & M. Fish Flakes, can 13c, 10c
Burnham's Clam Chowder, No. 1 can 12c
Imported Sardines in Tomato Sauce, 2 cans 25c
Fancy American Sardines, in Oil, 4 cans 25c
Pure Codfish, 1 lb bricks 10c
Beardsley's Shredded Codfish, 2 10c pkgs. 15c
Fancy California Prunes, 2 lbs 25c
Lenox Laundry Soap. Special, 7 cakes 25c
Large Rolls Toilet Paper, 5c; 6 for 25c
Safety Matches, pkg. 10c; 3 for 25c
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Cal. Lima Beans, per lb. 15c
Buckwheat Flour, per lb. 8c
Yellow and White Table Meal, per lb. 4½c
Best Rolled Oats, 6 lbs. 28c
Granulated Sugar, per lb. 8½c
Best White Potatoes, per basket $1.75
Gold Medal and Hecker's Flour, bag $1.40
Pride of Flemington Flour, per bag $1.30
Broken Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 lbs. 25c
Federal Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 pkgs. 25c
Fancy Head Rice, 4 lbs. 25c
Hotel Astor Rice, 3 lbs. 25c
High Grade Cocoa, per lb. 18c
Shredded Cocoanut, per lb. 20c
Norway Mackerel, 4 for 25c
Extra Fancy Cape Breton Mackerel, lb. 20c
Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs. 25c
Midland Corn Starch, 4 pkgs. 25c
Extra Fancy Jersey Tomatoes; per can, 15c; per dozen $1.65
Standard Corn and Peas; can, 10c; doz. $1.10
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GORDON—On Wednesday, February 28th, 1917; Benjamin, beloved husband of Mary T. Gordon, in his 54th year.

Funeral from the home of Mr. Grant G. Taynor, 745 Clinton avenue, Friday, March 2d, at 8:15 o'clock; requiem high mass at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery.

STEBBINS—On Wednesday, February 28, 1917, Albert C. Stebbins, in his 72d year.

Services at his late residence, 826 West Seventh street, on Saturday, March 3, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. 3-1-2t

LITTELL—At Elizabeth, N. J., February 28, 1917, William Rolston Littell, age 45.

Funeral services at his home, 62 Cleveland avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 3, at 2:30. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery. 3-1-2t

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TO LET—FLATS

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WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 324 Clinton avenue. 2-28-4t

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WANTED—By a childless married couple, three or four unfurnished rooms. John Hnat, 1219 North avenue, City. 'Phone 1004-W. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Small house or first floor flat, 5 or 6 rooms, improvements; rent not to exceed $25.00. Address "Box 600," care Courier-News. 2-20-12t

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FOR RENT OR SALE—966 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1950. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 1-1-tf-e-tf

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, open fires, floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 961-W. 2-21-1m

YOUNG LADY, English, desires position as governess to young children, French and music included; could take charge if desired. Address "S. B.," care Courier-News.

STENOGRAPHER wishes position; well educated; beginner; salary reasonable. "Position," care Courier-News.

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 21 Somerset street, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS AT HERR'S SCHOOL—Beginning, intermediate and advanced work, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Herr's School, 172 East Front street. 1-26-1m

WANTED—Pipe fitters for street and inside work. Public Service Gas Co., 249 East Fourth street. 2-24-6t

WANTED—Man, experienced, for a Ford delivery; cash security required. Kornfeld's Bakery. 2-28-tf

WANTED—Boy for inspection department. Apply T. J. Healy, Standard Aero Corp., 768 North avenue. 2-28-3t

MECHANICAL drawing class. Herr's School, East Front street. 2-27-1m

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 34-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Young man for grocery business. 266 North avenue, Dunellen.

YOUNG MAN wanted in grocery business. Apply 266 North avenue, Dunellen.

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Line street. 3-1-tf

MAN for outdoor work one day a week. Holt, 949 Kensington avenue. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1131 Park avenue. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 55, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—All round machinists; good wages and short hours. Apply Bell Electric Motor Co. 3-1-3t

BRASS MOLDERS — Experienced on bench and machine. Apply 1 to 3 p. m., Bosch Magneto Co. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Six good experienced all round general machinists. Apply Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-1-5t

WANTED—General all round machine blacksmith. Apply Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Six automatic screw machine operators on Gridley and Acme machines. Apply Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield. 3-1-3t

WANTED — First-class bookkeeper; must have best of references. Apply by letter Box B, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Upholsterer to go out by the day. Address "Upholsterer," care Courier-News. 2-26-7t

WANTED—Bookkeeper; must be good writer and accurate at figures. Address Box 738, City. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 139 North avenue. 12-9-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2346-M. 6-6-1y-*

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

128-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, for sale, $15,000; will rent to responsible party one year for $1,000; good house, barns, silo and fertile land. Apply Owner, 560 Tremont avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2-2-1m

SACRIFICE—Less than assessed value, 2 lots, 50x170, West Eighth street, near Monroe avenue. Inquire M. H. Gaillard, 2299 Broadway, New York City, or Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2-26-3t

FARM FOR SALE—23 acres, mile and half from Plainfield; 8-room house, barn. Inquire Jannuzzi Bros., 38 Coddington avenue. 2-26-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—$00 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf-*

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET

FOR RENT—Furnished house, nine rooms, reception hall, two porches, pleasant grounds, shade and fruit trees, convenient to high school and trolley. "R. S. T.," care Courier-News. 2-27-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

WATCH for auction sale Saturday, March 3d, at 2 p. m., at 128 West Front street, near Grove; household furniture, harness, etc., will be sold; large list of goods will appear in tomorrow's issue of Courier-News. Robt. Murray, auctioneer.

FRESH COWS and springers. Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Furniture of refined home, Chickering upright piano, nearly new. Address "Opportunity," care Courier-News. 2-27-3t

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1246 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Opera glasses (mother, of pearl) in suede case, good as new, $10. Address "Handsome," care Courier-News. 2-26-2t

FOR SALE—Furniture of refined home, including Hardman upright piano, like new, $125 cash, or good terms. Address "South," care Courier-News. 2-26-4t

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business, thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

GRAFLEX CAMERA, 4x5, with developing, printing and enlarging outfits for sale; cost $140, sell $70. 612 West Front street. 2-23-tf

40-50 LOADS of one-year-old manure for sale, the best to be had. Frank Marienschek, 96 Jefferson avenue. 2-27-6t

PARLOR, bed-room furniture, rugs, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order, use for name, $50 cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE — Portable chicken coop, 14x14; bargain. 630 East Second street. 2-1-3t

GREAT SACRIFICE for $75, cash or terms, fine mahogany upright piano, like new, standard make. Call 830 West Sixth street, between Grant and Lee place. 3-1-2t

FOR SALE—Household furniture, in good condition; Yale motorcycle, in good running order, $75.00. Mrs. Kenning, South avenue, Fanwood. 3-1-3t

FOR SALE—White reed baby carriage, in good condition, reasonable. Call 817 Front place. 2-21-6t

A 42-BUST seal coat and muff, new, and a few new counterpanes. Inquire 6 Terrill road, near North avenue. 2-28-3t

FOR SALE — Platform spring wagon, cheap. 29 Maple avenue. 2-28-3t

FOR SALE—Second-hand sash and panel doors, 75c each. 71 Pearl street. 2-28-3t

ALL household goods sacrificed, at your own price; must be sold this week. 823 East Front street. 2-28-2t

PIGS — High grade Berkshire stock, all ages, for breeding purposes or for market. Apply Thomas Whalen, superintendent George P. Mellick farm, Woodland avenue. 2-28; 2-1-3

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 939 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 2-1-1m

HEAVY and light horses for sale, also wagons and harness; price right to quick buyer. L. C. Whitall, 308 Park avenue. 2-26-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 815 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

AUCTION SALE

Auction sale of toys, doll carriages, dolls, ball bearing roller skates, children's writing desk, leather goods, in fact, toys of all kinds, slightly damaged by water, will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday, March 3, at 10 a. m. sharp. Do not miss this chance of a lifetime to get the finest line of toys, slightly damaged. Do not forget the number, 166 East Front street. W. A. Schorb, auctioneer. 3-1-2t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 3. 2-26-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or instalment. Haverford Cycle Co., 946 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE—Two-speed twin Indian, tandem; perfect condition; reasonable. 1327 Myrtle avenue. 2-27-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

J. B. COUGHLIN, Netherwood, general contractor, landscape gardening and grading. Estimates furnished. 2-17-12t

PATZY CHRISTMAS, general contractor, ready for business; concrete sidewalks, paving, curbs and sewers. 754 East Front street. 2-26-6t

EXPERIENCED man wishes position on farm; good references; small family. Address 215 Monroe avenue. 2-27-6t

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good, careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N.," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

MAN with small horse and wagon wishes to get some light delivery in New Market, Dunellen or Plainfield. Address "Business," care Courier-News. 2-27-3t

WANTED—Position, handy man in factory or on estate; experienced at carpenter work, painting, general work of all kinds. Address "A. H.," care Courier-News. 2-28-3t

WANTED—Engagement for the coming season by first-class gardener. "C. C.," care Courier-News. 2-27-3t

FIRST-CLASS PAINTING and paper hanging done at most reasonable prices. Send a postal to O. E. Pearson, 1018 East Front street. 'Phone 1814-J. 2-10-1m

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Brindle bull dog. Hallard, 'phone 2058-R. 2-28-3t

LOST—On train arriving Plainfield Tuesday, evening 5:58, large brown package. Reward. Tel. 547-R. 3-1-2t

LOST—On Tuesday in Plainfield, round gold pin, garnet in center. Reward for return to 507 East Seventh street.

LOST—Tuesday, black, white and tan hound dog, short legs. Reward for return to H. Miller, South avenue, Fanwood.

LOST—Sunday, brown sweater from automobile. Return 106 Depot Park. Reward.

FOUND—On Sunday, hound dog, black on back, white chest and brown ears; white nose. Inquire 327 Plainfield avenue. 1-2-3t

LOST—White setter with black spot, male. Reward for return to W. Tyler, 1332 Evergreen avenue. 2-28-tf

TO LET—HOUSES

FOR RENT—House, 6 rooms, all improvements. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-25-tf

AN UNUSUAL opportunity to rent a six-room bungalow with garden in Dunellen; all modern improvements; no small children. Address P. O. Box 431, M. P. C., Dunellen, N. J. 2-24-6t

FOR RENT—Small house, all improvements, acre ground, orchard, garage, chicken house. 1310 Park avenue. 2-1-3t

FOR RENT—Modern house, East End, all improvements, $25.00 month. John H. Doane, 149 North avenue. 3-1-3t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1422 Myrtle street; 6-room apartment, latest improvements. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Five rooms and bath. Inquire of Callahan & Son, 300 Richmond street. 2-28-tf

THREE land four rooms to let; improvements. Inquire 311 New street. 2-28-tf

FOUR ROOMS, part improvements, to small family; references required. 91 Somerset street.

FOR RENT—Three or four rooms in private house to refined couple; reference. Address "B. W.," care Courier-News. 2-28-3t

FOR SALE—HOUSES

MUST SELL seven-room house, all improvements. 719 Essex street. 2-23-10t

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage; will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$200 cash and $15 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 101," care Courier-News. 2-27-tu.th.s-tf

FOR SALE—House, nine rooms, all improvements, good location, North Plainfield, $3,500. Address "House," care Courier-News. 2-28-3t

$3,500 BUYS a two-family house near International Motor Co. plant. Splendid opportunity. Curiosity seekers, save your stamps. Address "Realty Deal," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, improvements, lot 36x135, 822 Richmond street; cheap to quick buyer. Wallace S. Bell, 630 Morford avenue, Long Branch, N. J. 3-1-6t

FOR SALE—Choicest residential section, 10-room house, large lot, garden, barn; assessed $10,000; sacrifice $8,500. "R. E. B.," care Courier-News. 2-28-4t

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-2tf

WHO WANTS to buy a bungalow, with all improvements, at $45 month? Price $5,000. Address "E. B. B." care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Ten-room house, plot 100x300, $4,500; $2,000 mortgage can remain; centrally located. Address Box 321, Dunellen, N. J. 2-28-3t

FOR SALE — Attractive home, nine rooms, reception hall, two porches, pleasant grounds, fruit and shade trees; exceptional environment, adjacent to trolley and high school. "F. T. P.," care Courier-News. 2-27-3t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

AUCTION SALE on Saturday, March 3, at 2 p. m., at my auction room, 120 Madison avenue. I will sell one Chandler Six 5-passenger auto (to the highest bidder). W. A. Schorb, auctioneer. 3-1-2t

1914 STUTZ COUPE, 1915 Mercer, model 2270, six-passenger; 1916 Mitchell, 7-passenger, with detachable sedan top; all in A-1 condition. Miller Jackson Co., 335 West Front street. 1-27-tf

FOR SALE—5-passenger Chandler 6, in excellent condition; will demonstrate. Address Mrs. W. Denick, 1337 Myrtle avenue. 2-28-5t

CHANDLER, new 1917 7-passenger touring car, sacrifice; will take in trade Maxwell or Ford Sedan. 'Phone 1804-R. 2-28-4t

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 1310 East Front street, or 915 South avenue. 2-16-tf

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers. Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. J. H. Haig, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

ROOMS AND BOARD

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 1-31-1m

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. Miss Kline, 21 Sandford avenue. 2-3-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS with board; hot water heat. 249 East Front street. 2-3-1m

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

TWO LARGE connecting rooms; with private bath; also other rooms. 120 Crescent avenue. 2-5-1m

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-1m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-26-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-6-tf

WANTED—Operator, also floor girls, and few bright learners for sewing machine; steady work; good pay. Schuler Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 1-2-1m

WANTED—Good sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Call afternoons, evenings, 1332 Prospect avenue. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Good plain cook. Apply 615 East Second street. 2-27-3t

AN EXPERIENCED COOK, white, also waitress-chambermaid. 930 Madison avenue. Tel. 1859. 2-23-tf

WANTED—Alto for quartet choir, First Presbyterian Church. Address "C. M. H.," care Courier-News. 2-28-2t

GIRL WANTED for light factory work. B. A. Paroubek, 15 Watchung avenue. 2-28-3t

WANTED — White woman as housekeeper for two; no washing; references. Apply Wagner's Cigar Store, 251 West Front street. 2-28-tf

STENOGRAPHERS' ten-week speed course. Thursday evenings, 7 to 10 p. m. Herr's School, East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED — Maid for general housework. Apply 1204 Martine avenue. 'Phone 728-J. 3-1-2t

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and have first-class reference. Call 1211 Plainfield avenue. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Refined girls to learn glove making on sewer machines; steady work entire year. Apply Lewis Meyers & Son, 102 North avenue, off corner Park. 3-1-3t

WANTED—White waitress-chambermaid, with references. Apply 315 West Seventh street. 3-1-2t

WANTED — A general housework girl; four in family; good wages. "B. N.," care Courier-News. 2-1-2t

WANTED—Woman as cook and laundress. 415 West Seventh street. 3-1-3t

WANTED—White girl as waitress, one accustomed to boarding house preferred. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl for housework by the month; no cooking. Apply 210 East Front street. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Honest, reliable girl, about 17, to do light housework in morning and care for baby in afternoon; will pay good salary and give good home to right party. Address "A. O.," care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Apply 816 West Seventh street. 2-27-3t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. No laundry. 1238 Lenox avenue. Tel. 1693-J. 2-27-3t

WANTED—Experienced pressers on waists; girls worked in laundry taken; week work; good pay; steady; steigman, 218 West Front street, top floor, Plainfield. 2-27-5t

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. 814 Hillside avenue. 2-21-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Leave at H. Sebring, at Walsh & Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People."

NOTICE

G. Goroke, the shoemaker formerly in Kline building, West Third street, has moved across the street to the new brick building, 626 West Third street. 2-28-3t

TAXIDERMIST—T. W. Sisty, Car Barns, Dunellen, N. J. Birds, fish, animal heads, robes, rugs, furs, tanning. 2-7-1m

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

MME. DE CRESCENZO, dressmaker and first-class lady-tailor; prices moderate. 196 Grove street. 2-7-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 220 Park avenue. 'Phone 940. 5-14-tf

FARMS FOR SALE, RENT OR EXCHANGE

60-ACRE FARM, $6,000, for rent, sale or exchange for 1 or 2-family houses; 160-acre farm on macadam road for rent, $600 per year. Address P. O. Box 324, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-1-3t

HELP WANTED—Male or Female

WANTED—Bright, reliable person to help in small bake shop. Address "O. K.," care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Instructor of English, reading, spelling and writing for evenings. "J. L. R.," 44 Somerset street. 2-28-3t

★ B.P.O.E. 885 ★

First Rehearsal for the "LAND OF MYSTERY"

Monday, March 5th, 8 P. M. in Lodge Room.

All singers invited

Bowling Match at the Park Club Tuesday, March 6th Bring the Ladies.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

DINNER TO DISCUSS CHIMNEY ROCK ROAD

An informal dinner will be held in the Hotel Cawley Wednesday evening, March 7, at 6:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Somerville Merchants' Association. The number that can be accommodated is limited and unless arrangements are made with the committee in charge not later than March 3 reservations cannot be made. The committee is composed of Charles W. Hoffman, R. V. N. Veghte and William S. Woodruff.

The dinner will be for the purpose of giving those interested in the proposed construction of the Chimney Rock road an opportunity to express an opinion regarding it. The discussion following the dinner will be devoted entirely to this subject. Notices are being mailed to the members of the various Township Committees, Boards of Commissioners and Borough Councils of the county. The Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders will be present as guests of the Association. Any one interested in the road will be welcome and may make a reservation from members of the committee.

In addition to a good dinner, music and other entertainment will be provided.

Somerville and Bound Brook to Debate

A debate between the Somerville High School and the Bound Brook High School will be held at Bound Brook Friday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock. The subject is, "Resolved, That compulsory arbitration laws should be enacted to settle all disputes between employer and employe on railroads and all other common carriers." Somerville will be represented by a team composed of Paul Rusby, Ruth Becker and Fred Felovitz. This team was selected by competitive tests some time ago. Special trolleys will leave here at an hour to arrive at Bound Brook in time for the beginning of the debate.

Regular Attendance at Kindergarten

The following attended kindergarten every day during February; Edward Glaser, Allan Hussey, Charles Keiderling, Harold Laire, Norman Lane, Harry Halsted, Marian Hoch, Evelyn Kinsley, Ruth Gaston, Katheryn Opie and Leota Vanderveer.

The Board of Engineers of the Somerville fire department has made a thorough inspection of the equipment of the several fire companies and will present their recommendations to the Borough Council Monday night at their regular monthly meeting.

A meeting of the Civic Committee of the Somerville Merchants' Association and the Somerville Fire Department Chiefs will be held Friday night in reference to the proposed firemen's parade.

The Company M basketball team will have as its opponent this Saturday night Company I, of Elizabeth, another National Guard team of the same regiment.

The Women's Auxiliary Board of the Somerset Hospital will hold a regular monthly meeting in the Borough Council rooms March 6.

Mrs. Margaret Dahl has returned to her home in Jersey City after a visit with Miss Lillian Koehler on West End avenue.

WHITEHOUSE

The fourth assistant postmaster general at Washington has asked for bids to be received March 27 for carrying the mail between Whitehouse Station and New Germantown, five miles, twice times a week. Leaving New Germantown every day, except Sunday, at 6:30 a. m. and Whitehouse Station at 3 p. m. The bond required and the present pay is $625 a year.

The annual school meeting of Readington township will be held in the school house at Pleasant Run March 20. The terms of A. B. Seals, of East Whitehouse; A. L. Stillwell, of Dreahook, and George Sheets, of Pleasant Run, as members of the Board of Education expire.

Washington Camp, No. 197, P. O. S. of A., of Lebanon, will give a dance tomorrow night in Odd Fellows' Hall. Music by Leigh, of Clinton. The committee in charge comprises Dr. A. G. Shepherd, George Groff, Carl Shurts, I. S. Yawger, Luther Smith and Hoit A. Farley.

The Mission Band of the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station will meet Saturday afternoon in the lecture room. Mrs. Charles H. Bateman, of Somerville, will give an address on "India."

The Hunterdon County Board of Freeholders had a force of men busy yesterday repairing sinkholes in the macadam road between East White house and the county line.

John Warburton, of Jersey City, is visiting at Whitehouse Station. He has purchased several acres of ground there and expects soon to erect a bungalow on the property.

Miss Amy Miller, of Plainfield, has Jacob Moser, of Whitehouse Station, has taken a position in the creamery at Annandale and started work there yesterday.

William Dalley, of East Whitehouse, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, Tuesday, for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe De Mott, of Stanton, have gone to Princeton where Mr. DeMott has secured a position as manager of the St. Joseph's College Farm.

The congregational prayer meeting of the Reformed Church at Stanton will be held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dilley tomorrow night.

Miss Ethel Burdette will entertain the Wishbone Improvement Society at her home in East Whitehouse, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Dilley, of Newark, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Gulick in East Whitehouse.

Mrs. William C. Rhinehart has been spending a few days wi h Mrs. John A. Welsh at Bissell.

Miss Anna Melick, of Bayonne, is the guest of Miss Margaret Kennedy in East Whitehouse.

Mrs. Edwin Werner returned yesterday to East Whitehouse, after a visit to New York.

Mrs. Mary A. Bailey, of White house Station, is visiting Mrs. T. L. Newell in Allentown, Pa.

been visiting Mrs. Ellis R. Stryker in East Whitehouse.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

R. W. Campbell, formerly associated with the Suburban Transit Company, has taken a position as manager of the Spicer Traffic Company. It is rumored that the latter company will start a passenger line for the public as soon as new busses which have been said to have been ordered, arrive. Nothing definite concerning this can be said at present. Mr. Campbell started his new duties several days ago.

Miss Alice Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Day, who is in White Haven, Pa., undergoing treatment for her health, is reported as much improved. The authorities of the institution in which she is a patient, have stated that she will be able to return home on or about East er Sunday.

An extra run has been added to the schedule of the Suburban Transit Company. The trip which started from Plainfield at four o'clock has been abandoned and a buss will now leave Plainfield at 3:45 o'clock.

Miss Nellie Pickering is enjoying a few days' rest with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pickering on Brookyn avenue. Miss Pickering is a trained nurse and has recently been on a case in Plainfield.

Mrs. George Rolande, who recently returned from Muhlenberg hospital where she was a patient for some time, is reported as daily improving. She is now able to enjoy short walks.

Louis Centralia, who has been spending the last few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Centralia, of New York city, returned yesterday.

Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey, who has been confined to bed at her home on Lehigh avenue with rheumatism, is reported as much improved today.

Jennie Sidok, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sidok, is confined to bed by illness. She is under the care of a Plainfield physician.

Mrs. William Richards, formerly of this place but now of Plainfield, has returned from a visit with her daugater, Mrs. Michael Saverd.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDonough and family have moved into the house recently vacated by Thomas McGranahan.

Mr. and Mrs. La Costa, of Plainfield avenue, are entertaining Mrs. La Costa's mother, from New York.

Mrs. Thomas Duffy and daughter May, spent yesterday as the guest of Mrs. William Riely, of Plainfield.

Miss Alice Sisty, of Dunellen, recently enjoyed a few day stay with her aunt, Miss Emma Fanning.

Mrs. Lyman E. Barr has returned from a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. Dolan, of Jersey City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harlow, of Front street, have been entertaining out of town friends.

Mrs. James Wilson spent yesterday as the guest of her brother, John Caffrey, of Plainfield.

Miss Susie Ryno spent yesterday visiting her cousin, Miss Doris Blair, of New Market.

Miss Margaret Maguire has returned from a visit with relatives in Newark.

Mrs. Louis Lipshits was the guest of out of town friends yesterday.

W. A. Norman visited friends in Plainfield a couple of days ago.

Edward Horn has sold his automobile to a Plainfield party.

BOUND BROOK

PIANO PUPILS TO GIVE RECITAL

Mrs. Edgar Grauert, of Beechwood Heights, and her pupils will give a piano recital in the new Watchung school in the borough of Middlesex tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock with the following program:

Duets, Mazurka, Nevin; Valse, Nevin, the Misses Marian Staples and Beatrice Porter; "The Fountain," L. Schytte, Miss Margaret White; "Humoresque," Dvorak; "Chaconne," Durand, Arthur Bailee; "Waltz," Fabian, Miss Myra Dumas; songs, selected, Miss H. Cressingham; "Fantasia Allegro Con Fuoco," Schubert, Marian Staples; Sonata, violin and piano, Niels Gade, Miss Dorothy Grauert and Mrs. E. Grauert; waltz, A flat, Chopin, Miss Beatrice Porter; waltz, "Emiron," Chopin; "Rondo Capriccoso," Mendelssohn, Mrs. E. Grauert.

Citizens' League Elects Officers

The Citizens' League of South Bound Brook, which was recently formed, has elected the following officers: President, A. Walker Reid; vice-president, M. B. Mann; corresponding secretary, John P. Koechlein; recording secretary, Frank A. Applegate; treasurer, Rev. Harold E. Green.

President Reid has appointed the following committees: Finance, S. T. Karno, William T. Morecraft and August F. Winberg; printing and stationery, Frank A. Applegate, John P. Koechlein and George Koster.

Ella Fitzpatrick, daughter of the late Mary Fitzpatrick, of Bound Brook, died Wednesday in New York. Services at her sister's, Mrs. Annie Shea, South Bound Brook, tomorrow at 8:30 and from St. Joseph's church at 9. Interment at Gatesville.

Rev. H. St. George Burrill, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Plainfield, will be the Lenten preacher at St. Paul's Episcopal church this evening at 8 o'clock.

Henry F. Rugen is spending some time at South Pines, North Carolina.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

A sociable will be held in Hornby's Hall at Glen Gardner Friday evening, March 9, for the benefit of the Methodist church. The committee in charge of the entertainment is composed of Mrs. John T. Force, Mrs. John M. Shannon, Mrs. John D. Hornby, Mrs. Thomas H. Brush, Mrs. Joseph Siegfried and Mrs. Alfred Barber.

A play, entitled "Dot, the Miner's Daughter," will be given by local talent in Rialto Hall, High Bridge, on Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Imperial Band. Music for the occasion will be furnished by a seven-piece orchestra.

Recorder W. Lewis Lance, of New Germantown, was improved yesterday, after a long illness of pneumonia and complications. Two trained nurses are in attendance.

Rev. Ward C. Peabody, who recently resigned as pastor of the Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian church, has accepted a call to a charge in New York State.

Mrs. Daniel Coughlin, of Califon, is caring for her mother, Mrs. J. Charles Alpaugh, who is recovering from an attack of grip at her home at New Germantown.

Mrs. William James and family have returned to German Valley after a visit to Mrs. Perry S. Watson at Maplewood.

Miss Ethel Crater, of Glen Gardner, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Miller H. Potter in Elizabeth.

George E. Naughright, of Bridgeport, Conn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah D. Naugright at German Valley.

Former Freeholder George A. Farley, of Woodglen, is suffering from injuries caused by a fall from a wagon.

Mrs. P. R. George, of Califon, was the recent guest of Mrs. Lottie Bierworth in New York.

Miss Grace Everett, of Hampton, is visiting in Phillipsburg.

Mrs. Julia Talmesse, of Pulaski, N. Y., is visiting at Glen Gardner.

ANNANDALE

Miss Van Billiard Succeeds Howard Biggs

After a service of nearly fifteen years as a clerk in what is now known as Sutton's store here, Howard Biggs made his final appearance there as an employe yesterday. Many patrons regret to see Howard's departure. Notwithstanding the fact that he has been relating reports about town several times this week that he is about to establish another store business here, Howard says he has not fully decided what line of business he will go into next and that he may take a long rest before doing anything in the way of work. Miss Opal Van Billiard, of Bray's Hill, succeeds him at the Sutton store.

Mrs. Howard E. Apgar and daughter, Miss Verna Apgar, spent today as the guests of Mrs. Landon Crater in High Bridge.

Belden Farley, of Cokesbury, is suffering with a serious attack of pneumonia.

WATCHUNG

TWELVE FEET OF ROADWAY CAVES IN

Yesterday afternoon the roadway below the Wilson Stone Crusher Plant suddenly caved in, to a space of about twelve feet. Mrs. George T. Hughes had just driven over the spot, and her horse suddenly stumbled and fell, but quickly regained its feet, Mrs. Hughes thinking that the animal had slipped on the snow. Another vehicle, coming along behind Mrs. Hughes, discovered the hole and immediately notified Major Harry B. McDonald, who hurried to the scene.

Several men with teams were put to work at once hauling stone to fill up the hole. One of the men stepped into the hole, which was about six feet deep, and sunk his crowbar the full length beneath him without touching bottom. It is supposed that the cave-in occurred over one of the old mine shafts, which underlie that part of the road.

It is fortunate that this happened just after the school bus had passed and before the heavy commuters' bus came up to Watchung, on its evening trip. Some years ago a cave-in occurred near the same place. Several pedestrians were walking along at the time when suddenly one of them disappeared to the great consternation of the others. Upon investigating he was discovered, where he had fallen, down in an old mine shaft. Many years ago that section of the "Notch" was honeycombed with old mines of the Somerset Copper Mine Company.

The many friends of John O'Connor, son-in-law of Hippolyte Texier, who has been very ill with pneumonia and complications at his home in New York City, will be pleased to hear that he has shown slight improvement.

A very interesting Christian Endeavor meeting was held last evening in the chapel. The topic was "Home Missions and what they are doing," and was led by Miss Theresa Schmidt.

A special meeting of the Board of Education will be held Saturday evening in the Watchung school.

George Mobus, Jr., was the leader of the Junior Christian Endeavor meeting yesterday afternoon.

LEBANON

A meeting of the farmers of this section was held in Odd Fellows Hall on Tuesday night for the purpose of organizing a permanent Dairymen's League. The farmers were all out, and it looks as though the league will become a useful organization.

Miss Amy Miller, of Plainfield, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ellis R. Stryker, at East Whitehouse recently.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Emmons yesterday.

S. D. Anderson, one of the local merchants, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Ida Apgar, widow of the late John W. Apgar, expects to go to Washington to reside.

Harry Stryker and sister Ruth are both confined to their home with chickenpox.

Miss Helen Davenport is entertaining friends from Dunellen.

CLINTON

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd, of Quakertown, Pa., have been visiting here this week. Mr. Todd is a former proprietor of Clinton Inn. Now he conducts a hotel at Quakertown.

Theodore J. Starnar, a Clinton liveryman, disposed yesterday at public sale of his horses and wagons, and will hereafter conduct an automobile livery.

NORTH BRANCH

A meeting of the Camp Fire Girls will be held in the schoolhouse tomorrow afternoon to arrange for an entertainment to be given early in March in the chapel of the Reformed Church. "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works" will be presented.

Miss Eva and William Rockafellow, of Brooklyn, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Staats at the Riverview Hotel.

Mrs. Charles Horner, of Neshanic, has been visiting Mrs. Edward L. Blaufuss, near North Branch Depot.

Rev. Louis F. Saferbrunn will conduct communion services in the Reformed Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Skillman will entertain the North Branch Pinochle Club tomorrow night.

Miss Flora Buchman is the guest of Mrs. Staats Veghte at Belle Mead.

Miss Flora Bush is visiting Mrs. Alvah F. Rush at Readington.

Mrs. Augustus McCullough is very ill at her home here.

WESTFIELD

TO ENLARGE FORCE OF CITIZEN POLICE

Mayor Evans, Police Commissioner Affleck, Chief of Police Rosecrans and the members of the special reserve citizen police, composed of W. A. Stryker, C. V., Steinhart, P. D. Collins, L. M. Pearsall, Charles W. Sortor, Russell Huff, Otto Seabodde, Captain J. J. Thomas and Charles Lance, held a meeting in the town hall last night for the purpose of discussing the work of the citizen police and to formulate plans for an organization.

Mayor Evans presided and he stated that he thought it would be a good thing to increase the number of the special citizen police from eight to twenty-five. He thought that it would be a good thing for the Chief to have charge of the details of the organization and to tell the special police what to do.

It was decided to make the number of special citizen police twenty-five and with this in view L. M. Pearsall suggested the names of certain men in the town and he was directed by the Mayor to write each one a letter asking them if they would become special police officers and to define their duties to them. Another meeting will be held later in the week at which time all the details will have been arranged and an organization will be effected.

The names suggested by Mr. Pearsall were as follows: William Gould, H. Grieve, C. R. Magill, S. H. Whitney, Edward Wiley, David Coulter, Walter Baird, Guy Jackson, H. Seubach, C. B. Kellogg, G. C. Lucas, J. L. Miller, Robert Mills, Harry Hale, Louis Knittin, H. C. Newell, W. H. Orr, G. H. Parker, W. E. Reeves, W. Rickard, S. H. Slater, Robert Snevily, W. J. Taylor, Ernest Alpers, K. R. Hart, William Stsserson, Harold Wiley, Walter Post, A. P. Chase, Jr., George W. Cravens, Fred Doerrer, J. S. Howe, John Fisher, Henry B. Foster, J. B. Foster, S. D. French, J. O. Gage and Spencer Gales.

Out of this list of names it is proposed to select enough men to make up the twenty-five who will constitute the citizen police reserve. These special officers will have the same authority as the regular police officers. They can make arrests when necessary and be ready in case they are needed by Chief Rosecrans on an emergency call. They will be equipped with a nightstick, blackjack and a revolver which they will purchase themselves. The main object of the citizen police is to have citizens who are interested in the work and who are willing to help in keeping the town clean and rid of all objectionable characters. The men who are already members of the citizen police have already done some good work, especially in keeping tabs on automobiles and seeing that there is no speeding, and that all autos have lights, and in various other ways the police have been a great help to the police department.

Sunday School Elects Officers

The Sunday School Board of the First Methodist church held a meeting this week at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent, Ralph I. Vervoort; first assistant superintendent, Dr. W. W. Gill; second assistant superintendent, Frank Bowers; secretary, Donald Pearsall; assistant secretary, C. Edward Parker; treasurer, Douglas Clark; musical director, Mrs. Samuel French; pianist, Miss Mildred Burhans; assistant pianist, Miss Dorothy Pearsall; President Missionary Society, Miss Mary Corbett; treasurer, Missionary Society, Ralph Woodruff; President Temperance Society, R. J. Johnson.

A feature of the meeting was the expression of warm regard for the retiring superintendent, James F. Johnson, who retired after having been the superintendent of the school for the past eight years.

Before the meeting closed Superintendent Vervoort named the following appointments: Cradle Roll, Mrs. J. S. Fisher; Beginners Department, Miss Ruth Stauffer; Primary Department, Mrs. L. Vervoort; Junior Department, Frank Bowers; Intermediate and Senior, Dr. W. W. Gill.

Resigns From School Board

Owing to press of business Walter A. Dempsey, who has been a member of the Board of Education for the past seven years, the time which time he has been the president of the board, has decided to resign, the resignation to become effective so that a successor can be elected at the annual meeting of the school district on March 20.

The decision of Mr. Dempsey to resign has come as a great surprise to not only the other members of the Board but to the citizens of the town as well. Since Mr. Dempsey has been a member of the Board he has given faithfully of his time and energy in furthering the advancement of education in this town. Mr. Dempsey was instrumental in introducing the free lecture course in the schools. He has visited many schools in the country, examined closely their workings and has from his observations been able to make substantial suggestions for the advancement of the local schools. He will be greatly missed on the board, but a change in his position demands so much of his time that he will be unable to devote the proper time to the work.

Westfield Band Begins Campaign

A plan to secure 1,000 associate members of the Westfield Band has been perfected and a campaign with that end in view has been started. The idea is to get the associate members at $1 each which will insure having band concerts next summer. Last summer on account of the infantile paralysis epidemic there were no concerts and they were greatly missed by the townspeople.

The membership campaign will be in charge of teams captained by the following men; Dr. T. R. Harvey, W. E. Reeve, A. J. Plaia, F. Tenbyke, W. Smith, F. W. Ellsworth, F. Bardwell, J. R. Connoly, W. J. Lee, Harold Welch, O. W. Hall, C. E. Pearsall, Edward Wittke, Thomas Murray, J. E. Grape, Dr. F. A. Kiker, Donald Pearsall, Walter Day and H. C. Cline.

These men will select their own team members and each has been assigned a section of the town which will be thoroughly covered. The teams will be instructed not to solicit for funds, but associate membership with dues at $1 each.

Missing Boy is Found

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, of Pleasant place, caused his mother considerable anxiety for a time yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Brown had gone into one of the stores to do some shopping and told James, Jr., to wait for her as she would only be gone a few minutes.

When she came out of the store the boy was nowhere in sight. She made inquiries but no one had seen him. The visited every store on Broad street and even the Playhouse but no son did she find. She then went to the police station and reported it to Chief Rosecrans and he started out in the police automobile with Mrs. Brown to try and locate the little fellow. Officer Stock, who had been notified by the Chief of the missing boy, found him on North avenue and returned him to his almost frantic mother.

At the annual meeting of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church held at the home of Mrs. George W. Cravens on Tuesday afternoon, the following were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Harriet Williams; vice president, Mrs. A. B. Arnold; secretary, Mrs. F. S. Frambach; treasurer, Mrs. Edward Jarvis; missionary secretary, Mrs. C. G. Harwig.

John Wetjen, of Rahway, was arrested by Officer Darcey on Broad street for not having any lights on his Ford car and for not having his driver's license with him. He was arraigned before Recorder Springstead who fined him $5 which he paid. He had to leave his car at the police station while he went to Railway and got his license.

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Dumas, of St. Paul street, have gone to Pittsfield, Mass., where Mrs. Dumas called on account of the illness of her mother.

The annual missionary dinner of the Presbyterian church will be held in the parish house on March 15th. Rev. J. H. Nocol, of Tripoli, Syria, will be the guest of honor.

At the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Grant school to be held on Monday afternoon Mrs. A. A. Watts, of Elm street, will be the speaker. Her subject will be "The Early Life of Ruskin." Piano and vocal solos will be features of the program.

Mrs. John C. Tobin, of 19 Elm street, with her mother, Mrs. Anthony Bastedo, of New York, left today for Washington where they will spend a week.

The Misses Richards will entertain a number of the friends of their niece, Miss Lucy Williams, at their home on St. Marks avenue tomorrow afternoon.

The Adult Bible Class of the Willow Grove Sunday school held a meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Lawrence, on North avenue, last night.

The Board of Health will hold its monthly meeting in its rooms in the town hall tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lawrence, of North avenue, have returned from a month's stay in Florida.

J. B. Hicks went to Boston yesterday where he will remain for several days.

DUNELLEN

Chinese Student to Speak

For the speaker at the special service next Sunday evening, March 4, in the local Methodist Church, the Men's Forum has secured W. H. Tao, of Columbia University. Mr. Tao is a member of one of the leading families of education and culture in China. His present sojourn in this country is for the purpose of fully acquainting himself with commercial, educational, social, religious and governmental institutions, so that he may be better fitted when he returns home to aid his countrymen in their struggle upward toward national modernism. Therefore Mr. Tao is particularly well fitted to tell about "The New China," which will be the subject of his talk.

A large audience should take advantage of this opportunity to greet Mr. Tao and receive from him much of interest and value.

Were Guests of Honor at Musical

Miss Grace Miller and Mrs. Joseph Harvey and daughter, Miss Blanche, of Oklahoma, and Mrs. Eugene Ireland, and daughter, Miss Kathleen, of Indiana, were the guests of honor at a musical affair given at the home of Archibald La Rue, the local violinist, Saturday evening. Twenty were present.

The Misses Miller, Harvey and Ireland, who are receiving musical instruction in New York city, attended the Bethlehem College of Music at Lindsbury, Kansas, while Mr. La Rue was a student there.

Go To School Week

The week beginning Monday, March 12, will be the "Go to School Week." While visitors and friends are welcome at the school at all times, a special effort is being made by the authorities to encourage visitations during that week. No particular programs of work will be in progress. The work in the schools will be of the regular kind. It is hoped that this plan will afford an opportunity to such as may be interested to see the instruction in progress as well as the general organization of the schools.

Announcement has been made of the marriage on Wednesday, Feb. 21 of Miss Cornelia Wagner and William Scheurman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. R. Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The couple have gone to housekeeping in New Market.

The friends of Mrs. E. S. Jamison will be pleased to learn that she is steadily improving after her recent operation, and has been removed from the hospital to the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. De Hart, 69 Lincoln avenue, Arlington.

Miss Mayola Smalley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goldson W. Smalley, who has been suffering for the past ten days or so with tonsilitis and bronchitis, shows little improvement.

Lewis Vossler, who has been critically ill of pneumonia, is much better. His wife, who was taken ill of pneumonia, two days ago, is quite sick.

Rev. E. R. Brown is able to be up and about his home after having been confined to his bed for three days with the grip.

Miss L. A. Smalley has been quite ill at the home of her brother, Isaac W. Smalley, for the past several weeks.

Paul Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, has taken a position in the garage of Elwood E. Waller.

Edward Daniels has awarded the contract of putting a new front in Mrs. Margentino's building.

Rev. Dr. E. S. Jamison will preach in the M. E. church at Frenchtown next Sunday, March 4.

Mrs. Christine Schemlin, of Prospect avenue, who has been ill for some time, is better.

William Ryan, of Front street, is one of the local sufferers from severe colds.

Borough Engineer L. T. Churchill was a business visitor in Manhattan today.

C. Wesley Blaine, who is suffering with gangrene poisoning, is no better.

Alfred Day has recovered after an attack of German measles.

Mrs. Owen Mohan, of Dunellen avenue, has pneumonia.

H. W. Vogel, of Wayside Park, is quite ill.

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FANWOOD

The wedding of Miss Grace Hall, of Whitehouse, to William Lidgate, of North avenue in the borough took place today at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hall, of Whitehouse. The newly wedded couple are now on their way to Florida and after enjoying a short visit they will return to make their home here.

On Thursday evening, March 8 Lenten services will be observed at All Saints' Church. The Rev. James A. Smith, of St. Paul's Church, Westfield, will officiate. All following Lenten services will be held each Tuesday evening throughout the season of Lent.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of All Saints' Church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Garda, of Russell road. The next meeting of this society will be held Wednesday, March 7, at the home of Mrs. George Kyte, of Maple avenue.

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CHAUNCEY OLCOTT COMES HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Chauncey Olcott comes to the Plainfield Theatre Tuesday night, March 6. Despite his many successes the clever Irish star has never appeared in a role for which he is so admirably suited as that of Dennis O'Malley, the country barrister, whose sympathy and sterling qualities win the hand of a charming Irish lass. In the wit and humor of the Irish people he shows a rare artistry and ripened skill. As the village lawyer, he becomes the foster father of Mona Vairn, a handsome, fair-haired girl many years his junior and falls in love with her.

Mr. Olcott will introduce some of his greatest song successes in the performance, and among them will be "A Little Bit of Heaven;" "A Broth of a Boy," and "Irish Eyes of Love."

be presented by Mr. Olcott and his excellent company at Plainfield Theatre Tuesday night, March 6th.

The Irish romantic actor, Chauncey Olcott, in "The Heart of Paddy Whack" at the Plainfield Theatre Tuesday night, March 6

GOLDEN CROOK MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Next Monday, matinee and night, March 5, the famous "Golden Crook" Extravaganza Company will occupy the stage of the Plainfield Theatre. This admirable organization has for some years been among the foremost of burlesque offerings and comes with many exclusive features.

Among the special features will be a big ballet in which a score or more shapely and graceful girls will appear. Another dancing act will be contributed by Hite and Redow, recently brought to this country from the cabarets of Paris. Frank Dobson, comedian; Eleanor Cockran, a winsome soubrette; Dolly Meeden, prima donna, the Fall Mall Trio, composed of Edward Hennessy, Walter Lafoy and Cary Taylor, in a snappy singing and comedy specialty, are in the cast.

As usual the chorus will be a notable collection of pretty girls who have been so expertly trained in the ensembles that they form a brilliant background for the principals. It is an unusual attraction, presented in an unusual way.

"TRYOUTS" TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Vaudeville of unusual merit will be offered at the Plainfield Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday, with five acts headed by "Dixie," the educated bear. Conrad and Connelly, the juvenile favorites, in a musical vehicle; Hazel Hanson & Co., in a comedy sketch; Margaret McBride, former prima donna with Richard Carle Co., and Martell and Bonhill in a musical, singing and talking success.

Tonight there will be nine acts of "tryouts." Tomorrow the thirteenth episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown

BESSIE LOVE AT PROCTOR'S IN COFFEE DAN'S HEIRESS

Today's program at Proctor's consists of a Triangle production "The Heiress at Coffee Dan's," starring Bessie Love; the latest episode of "Pearl of the Army" starring Pearl White, and a special Keystone Comedy booked for laughing purposes only.

Tomorrow Dustin Farnum appears in "The Parson of Panamint," and Ethel Clayton in "The Bondage of Fear." In "The Parson of Panamint," Dustin Farnum is the young Hon-hearted shepherd of a strange-appearing flock, the friend of the friendless, the broken hearted, the rough miner and the sodden derelict. His tragic life makes a screen drama that is fascinating.

On Saturday Mabel Taliaferro appears in "The Sunbeam," and Mae Murray in "The Big Sister." A special treat for the children is "Jerry on the Job."

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of the coming week Thomas H. Ince's "Civilization" will appear for a farewell engagement at Proctor's.

At Proctor's Friday

All who haven't seen this wonderful spectacle on its previous visits to Plainfield should take advantage of this opportunity on either of the three days mentioned.

GERMANY GUARANTEES RELATIVE SECURITY

Special to the Courier-News:

The Hague, March 1.—The German naval attache has again advised the chief of the Dutch naval staff that the German Government informed the commanders of the Dutch ships that were sunk on February 22, that it could guarantee only relative security to neutrals on and after that date, but guaranteed them absolute security if they would wait until March 17.

NEED ADDITIONAL CAPITAL

London, March 1.—Under the new Government pension scheme, estimates that have just been issued indicate that additional capital to the extent of 130,000,000 pounds will be required to care for liabilities previously incurred.

BRIGHT SPOT IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 1.—This is the one bright spot in this session of the Legislature," facetiously remarked Democratic Leader Geran Tuesday afternoon when the House took up for passage the Senate bill to provide money to send the troops to the inauguration of President Wilson.

Assemblyman Randall, of Passaic, explained that two troops of cavalry, one battery of field artillery, the Governor and his staff would make up New Jersey's quota of representatives at the ceremonies, and the adjutant-general had stated the troops selected would make a fine showing. This bill now goes to the Governor for his signature.

GERMAN NAVY WANTS U. S. WAR

Would Give U-Boats Real Unrestricted Zone.

PEOPLE PREPARED FOR IT.

All Parties in Empire Now United in Demand That All Conquered Territory, Including Belgium, Rich Coal and Iron Fields of France and Russian Provinces Be Held as Compensation.

Berlin, March 1.—Declaration of war on Germany by the United States would be no surprise for the German people. It is no exaggeration to say that they look for it and would be rather surprised if it did not come sooner or later. They are convinced that President Wilson is determined to throw the full weight of the United States into the scales on the side of the allies.

This nation wide sentiment was manifest as the German people "digested" the speech of the chancellor in the reichstag. It was the first time in Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's career that he voiced criticism of America's attitude in this war. For two and a half years he had been constantly under the fire of his opponents, the "Tirpitzites," for "catering to America."

His change of front, caused by President Wilson's action in breaking off diplomatic relations with Germany, is one of the most important occurrences of the war. From his speech the people deduced that he is prepared to hear at any moment that the United States has declared war and that he wished to prepare the nation for that eventuality.

Study of the public mind in Berlin discloses that the chancellor even overrated the importance attached to such an outcome by the nation at large. The *feeling in Berlin appears to be that* America has done "her worst" and could damage Germany no more fully were she allyned actively against her.

Navy Wants War.

Meanwhile the radical anti-American party, with Tirpitz as the invisible leader, and Count Reventlow as open spokesman, is eagerly looking for just that eventuality. This expectation is shared by the personnel of the navy. War with America would mean the removal of the last barriers to the U-boat campaign, these men feel, and the submarine could sweep every part of all oceans, causing havoc unconfined.

Every man, woman and child in Germany swears by the U-boat weapon as by a religion. Political leaders, who only six months ago were unequivocally opposed to any steps that might lead to trouble with America, now speak enthusiastically in favor of unbridled U-boat warfare.

But, hand in hand with this significant turn of mind, there is another significant change that has come over wide circles of the German people and their leaders. This is the change from willingness to consent to moderate peace terms, terms which would virtually call for the status pre ante, to a unanimous insistence upon sweeping enlargement of German territory and a substantial indemnity.

For this change the entente's refusal of Germany's peace proposal of Jan. 12 is held responsible.

In his address the chancellor started the discussion on this point by his reference to the necessity of "reparation." For him to discuss at this time the details of the peace imperative for the future safety of the empire would be folly, he said. But he pointed out very subtly that it was quite natural for the reichstag members and for the public press to discuss the German war aims.

Will Demand Compensation.

What this diplomatic invitation on the part of the chancellor means can be fully understood only by those who have watched developments in Germany since the outbreak of the war.

It means the lifting of a ban that has held heavily upon the German press and public for more than two years. The taboo on editorial discussion of the "Kriegsziele," be it ever so conservative, was enforced by the government with merciless sternness.

Now the lid if off, and already the pan-Germans are taking full advantage of the regained liberty to tell the Germans what they must demand as compensation for the sacrifices of this war and for the future safeguarding of a "greater Germany."

"The peace conditions of Dec. 12," said Dr. Wiemer, member of the Progressive People's party in the reichstag, "are for the present abandoned. New fighting and new sacrifices come and, as a consequence, new conditions."

Dr. Peter Spahn, leader of the Center party, went even further than that. "All damage and loss of property," said he, "must be borne by the originators of the war."

Keep All Conquered Territory.

This gave the Conservatives the long desired opening to come down to brass *tacks. Count Friedrich von Westarp*, their spokesman, promptly arose and demanded the retention by Germany of virtually every foot of ground conquered in the war, Courland and Lithuania, in northwestern Russia; Briey and Longwy, where northern France has her biggest iron and coal mines, and the Flemish coast, so rich in "offensive and defensive value," with Antwerp, "which we cannot do without," must remain in German hands, said he.

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MGR. O'CONNELL'S FUNERAL MONDAY

The funeral of the late Monsignor Bernard T. O'Connell, who died in Phillipsburg Tuesday night, will be held from the church of SS. Philip and James, that city, next Monday morning, where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. The celebrant of the mass will be the late Monsignor's cousin, Rev. Thomas O'Connell, of Philadelphia. Burial will be made in the Catholic cemetery at Phillipsburg.

Monsignor O'Connell was well known in this section of the State. He was sixty years old and retired from St. Mary's church, Perth Amboy, two years ago because of ill health. Since then he has made his home with his brother, Michael O'Connell, at Phillipsburg.

Ordained at Seton Hall in 1882 by the late Bishop O'Farrell, Father O'Connell went to Trenton as assistant to Monsignor Thaddeus Hogan at the Church of the Sacred Heart. A year later he was made rector of St. Joseph's church, Bound Brook, continuing in that charge for fifteen years, in which time a church and parish house were built. From Bound Brook he went to Perth Amboy and in a records of seventeen years built a church and rectory. He was made a monsignor in 1907. He was a member of San Salvador Council, No. 299, Knights of Columbus, of Perth Amboy.

J. HENRY CRANE TAKES OATH AS JUDGE

J. Henry Crane, was sworn in as Judge of the Plainfield District Court by County Clerk Martin, at Elizabeth this morning. He was accompanied by Assemblyman William N. Runyon. Upon his return to Plainfield he announced that new rules governing the Court will be put into effect and he will announce these *rules tomorrow.*

NORWEGIAN SHIP CARRIES BIG CARGO

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 1.—The Norwegian American liner Kristianiafjord sailed from Bergen for New York yesterday with a 1,100-ton cargo, according to a cable received at the offices of the line here. The vessel carries no passengers of mail. Confirmation of the sailing from Bergen last Wednesday of the steamer Bergensfjord was also contained in the message.

SCHOOLEY'S MOUNTAIN HILE TROUBLES AUTOS

Schooley's Mountain, March 1.—The Schooley's Mountain road, known as Spring Hill, being covered with solid ice, automobilists are encountering great difficulty in climbing. The ice is so heavy tire chains make no impression unless the car is heavily loaded.

PERSONAL

A. M. Wilcox, of 1423 Watchung avenue, has gone to Tarpon Springs, Fla., for a brief stay.

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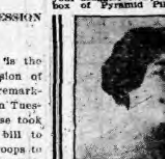

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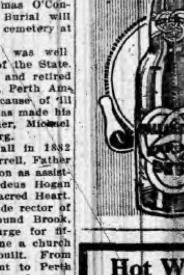

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Wisconsin Senator Who Fights Wilson War Power.

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WILSON TO INSIST ON FULL AUTHORITY

Objects to House Committee Report on Crisis.

Washington, March 1.—Tension in the German crisis is tightening to the breaking point today as President Wilson waits for congress to make clear its attitude on his demand for authority to place the United States on a basis of armed neutrality.

The statement is authorized by the White House that President Wilson will insist on the passage of the senate bill giving him full power to use "other instrumentalities," which was stricken out by the house foreign affairs committee.

It was stated that before many days American ships, bearing American guns and American gunners to defend their rights at sea, will be defying the perils of the German submarine zone.

The administration cites a long line of actions by Germans which one by one have been added to the mass of disputes that has stretched the patience of the country to the breaking point.

These incidents, they declared, considered cumulatively, would form the basis of President Wilson's determination to protect American commerce and American citizens on the high seas. They were:

The violation of American rights by German submarines, culminating in the sinking of the Laconia and the death of two American women. This was accepted in administration circles as the "overt act" that would make the fateful "next step" imperative.

The detention of five American consular officials in Germany as hostages for official assurance that German consuls have been allowed to leave the United States. This detention was communicated to the state department by Germany through the Swiss minister, and it aroused grave concern.

Unofficial advices that the seventy-two American citizens taken to Germany on the steamer Yarrowdale are again detained "because of infectious diseases," despite German assurances that they would be released. The state department, through Spanish channels, has made another inquiry as to the fate of the Yarrowdale prisoners.

The apparent challenge to the United States in the address of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the reichstag, in which he vigorously criticised the course of the United States since the beginning of the European war and reiterated Germany's determination to war on all neutral shipping.

Millville "Drys" Fight "Wets."

Millville, March 1.—A canvass of those who signed the referendum petition which checked the immediate operation of the city commission's anti-liquor ordinance has been started by temperance advocates. Though the "wets" claim this is illegal, the temperance men state they are obtaining withdrawals of names from the petition and will so reduce the list as to make it ineffective.

PRINCETON MEN QUIT THEIR CLUBS

Resign Calling Organizations Undemocratic.

GEORGE W. PERKINS, JR., LEADS

Others Who Quit Are Prominent In University Undergraduate Life—Follow Movement Started by Son of Grover Cleveland—Object to Snobbishness and Expensive Inefficiency in Dining Halls.

Princeton, March 1.—Seven Princeton students have tendered their resignations as members of clubs at the university, following the protest two months ago by prominent sophomores that the upper class clubs are undemocratic and opposed to the best interests of the university. Four of the students were members of the Charter club, two of the Cap and Gown club and one of the Quadrangle club.

George W. Perkins, Jr., chairman of the senior council; Charles C. Highley, Louis M. Lukens, business manager of the Princetonian; Alexander L. McKaid, editor and chairman of the Princetonian; John S. Nicholas, Arthur V. Savage, member of the crew, and Robert C. Schmertz, are the students who resigned.

A letter from the students appeared in the Princetonian, the official Princeton organ, strongly protesting against the methods of the upper classmen and voicing their dissatisfaction with the social system. The students are opposed to the insistency of the clubs as elective self-perpetuating entities, and they also claim that the eating facilities are conducted in an extravagant and inefficient manner and protest against the limited range of friendship and natural intercourse among the undergraduates.

The revolt against the club system was led by Richard F. Cleveland, son of former President Grover Cleveland, and four classmates. They attributed to the clubs' discontent with the social conditions and disturbances to student life.

These protesters and several others, all members of the sophomore class, though eligible for election to the clubs, decided to refuse any invitations to join and started the movement to make the university dining halls the social center of the university.

APPLES UP IN PRICE.

South Jersey Growers Reaping Profits From Stored Fruit.

Glassboro, March 1.—Apples have followed potatoes and other food articles in the skyrocketing of prices, and growers in this district who still have several thousand baskets stored are beginning to reap profits that have been grabbed up by the food speculators on most other high priced farm products.

Shipments from the Repp cold storage plant have averaged two carloads a day. There have also been scattering shipments by small growers who have limited storage facilities.

High prices for apples are expected to give further stimulus to the fruit industry here. Several hundred acres of orchards have come through the winter in fine condition, and the prospects for next season appear promising.

FOR TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

New Bill Represents Views of the Mayor's Commission.

Albany, N. Y., March 1.—A new teachers' pension bill was introduced by Senator Charles C. Lockwood of Kings and Assemblyman Abraham Ellenbogen of New York. It affects only New York city and was presented to the legislature at the request of the mayor's pension commission, which has spent two years in studying the problem.

One notable departure in the new bill is the provision binding the city to appropriate $1,000,000 toward a reserve fund in the first year after the plan becomes operative. In addition the city, as was provided in the earlier bill, assumes full liability for pensions of teachers already retired.

SAYS THAW IS A WRECK.

Dr. Wanamaker Insists He Cannot Be Removed From Hospital.

Philadelphia, March 1.—Harry K. Thaw is a physical and mental wreck, according to a report made to Captain of Detectives Tate by Dr. John Wanamaker, 3d, a police surgeon, who was present when New York alienists examined Thaw at a hospital here.

Dr. Wanamaker said it would be impossible to remove him from the institution at present.

The Thaw family is completing its plans for the lunacy proceedings instituted by Mrs. Thaw last Monday. The first hearing before the sheriff's jury of six men will be held March 12.

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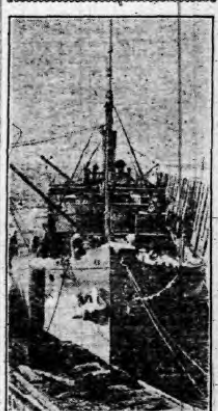

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WICKS BILL FOUGHT HARD AT HEARING

Grangers Join Dillon In Opposition to Measure.

Albany, N. Y., March 1.—George W. Perkins, who is slated to head the proposed department of markets, testified before the agricultural committee of the senate and assembly that the people in New York will be starving soon if steps are not taken immediately to change the haphazard system of food supply.

"People are not starving yet, but that does not signify that they will not be starving in a short time," Mr. Perkins said. "At the end of the year we are going to see things worse. It behooves us to pass the bill recommended by the Wicks committee as the first step in remedying the situation."

About fifty representatives of produce organizations of the state appeared before the committee. Their vigorous criticisms of the bill in the face of Mr. Perkins' remarks were amplified by John F. Farrell, state superintendent of weights and measures, and John J. Dillon, state commissioner of foods.

Judge George W. Ward, counsel for the committee, drew fire from the produce men when he charged that honest dealers would not oppose the Wicks bill.

William Truman, representing the state grange, charged that the entire bill was absurd and was a true object for humor instead of serious consideration. He said that grangers refused to consider it in a serious vein.

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Every Episcopalian Clergyman in United States to Be Provided For.

New York, March 1.—Beginning today every active clergyman of the Episcopal church on reaching the age of sixty-eight will be eligible for retirement on a minimum pension of $900 a year. Bishop William Lawrence of Massachusetts, president of the church pension fund, announced that not only has the $5,000,000 sought been subscribed, but the amount has exceeded that the total will be at least $6,500,000.

The plan, which is the first of its kind based on scientific actuarial calculations and whose solvency is assured, calls for contribution by each parish of 7½ per cent of the annual salary paid to its clergy. The maximum pension will be based on his average salary for the total period of active service, applying to it an annual percentage equal to one and a quarter times the number of years' assessments paid by the parishes he served from March 1. Widows will receive one-half the sum to which their husbands would have been entitled.

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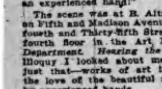
The scene was at R. Altman & Co., on Fifth and Madison Avenues, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Streets, on the fourth floor in the Art Needlework Department. Hearing the above soliloquy I looked about me and saw just that—works of art inspired by the love of the beautiful and guided by experienced hands.

I absolutely gasped in admiration at the Japanese handkerchief hand-painted on silk. Can one imagine a more artistic picture, when framed, to hang upon the wall of a living room as that the lights and shadows will fall in exactly the right place on Mt. Fujiama of the picturesque Japanese bamboo hut?



Of course Altman's have many beautiful specimens of pillows, one prettier than the other. There are innumerable soft cushions in every conceivable size, shape and color. Altman's take orders to make up pillows in any color or combination, embroidered to suit the taste. All one thing is a combination of cretonne and broadcloth trimmed with gold.

From among the mass of wonderful novelties I picked out a few to tell you about. To replace the old shirt-waist box Altman's now have a shirt-waist cabinet to match the hangings of her room, with four or five drawers. Baby also must have a cabinet with the right hand side an open cupboard in which to hang his clothes on daring enamelled baby hangers and the cabinet with five drawers to contain his little outfit. This also can be ordered from Altman's in the tint of the bedroom or nursery. Something new is a sewing stand for the porch, lined in any color, fitted with four or five drawers.

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For those who like sewing, there are many novelties at Altman's. You can get a sewing stand covered with cretonne, or a Chinese bag which can also be used for dressing wear. Another type is in the shape of a Japanese lantern and can be covered in silk of any color. Very pretty are the colored wicker baskets for wool. Large work-bags for the darning or mending are made either of cretonne or velvet.

The writer will have no trouble in being suited at Altman's. One unusual offering is a Japanese desk set of seven pieces with a waste-paper basket to match. Or one might prefer the combination writing desk and table, completely fitted out, which can be made up in any shade to match the color scheme of the room, in either cretonne or figured moire. A unique thing is Altman's folding desk, also in any color, which can be carried from room to room at the owner's will.

To delight the heart of the housekeeper, Altman's are showing a pretty line of colored wicker fruit baskets with futurist designs painted on them. Something entirely new is the black-eyed tin candy or cake box hand-painted and graced by a futurist lady modelled out of tin and also painted. Many might prefer the popular candy boxes covered with cretonne or moire trimmed with gold braid and French flowers. For the kiddies there is Altman's sweetmeat boxes," made of hand-painted wood, for crackers and cake. Wicker sandwich trays with real butterflies and Japanese moss between the glasses of glass, or a similar autumn leaf design, are all almost necessity at a party.

Milady's boudoir is no longer the prosy sort of place it used to be. Her desk and bureau must be filled with all sorts of French novelties. Her boudoir box must be one of Altman's dear dolls with wired skirts. Her wastepaper basket must be a work of art. The telephone must be dressed up in a telephone doll. There must be pretty fancy boxes and cushions. Altman's take orders to fit up a whole room in black and gold, blue and gold or mulberry and gold. These are boxes, desk sets, baskets, picture frames, any article for the dresser, trays, telephone books, writing desks and shirt-waist cabinets, all made of the one material.

Hand-embroidered linen always has been and probably always will be a favorite among the daughters of Eve, and Altman's have all kinds of linen handkerchiefs, embroidered in white and in colors. For anyone who desires to work, the stamped articles can be bought. Laundry and packages are made up ready to embroider, also towels, dresses, gowns, boudoir caps and baby clothes. The baby is lingerie stamped for embroidery, or already embroidered and made up with the lace. Something new is the "needlepoint work." Altman's have every color wool with which to make the different articles—sweaters, afghans and the like.

Not to slight the household pets, Altman's have a pretty array of hand-painted dog or cat sleeping-baskets of wicker.

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YUKIO OZAKI.

Japanese Progressive Starts New Campaign.

Photo by American Press Association.

Undismayed by the recent attempt upon his life, Yukio Ozaki, Japan's foremost progressive, has taken the course of constitutionalism in the pending struggle for a more representative form of government. His wife was stabbed recently by the Conservatives. He says the elder statesmen have too much voice in the government.

WASHINGTON MADE "DRY" BY HOUSE

Prohibition Bill For District Now Up to Wilson.

Washington, March 1.—The doom of the demon rum in the national capital was assured when the house by a vote of 273 to 137 passed the Sheppard bill establishing prohibition in the District of Columbia. The measure is not a "bone dry" affair, but it eliminates the saloon completely without making any prohibition against the "personal use" of intoxicants.

Dry forces in the house voted down all amendments to the measure and passed it in the exact form in which it passed the senate. Only the signature of the president is necessary to make it law, and the "wets" pinned their slender hopes on former "local option" declarations by the president.

The dry forces feared that any amendment if adopted would give opportunity for delay that might defeat the measure, and they voted down all efforts to change the bill, even defeating proposals to strengthen the prohibitory provisions.

GERMANS WIN HEIGHTS.

Resume Fighting In Roumania—British Continue Advance.

London, March 1.—On the northern Roumanian front the Teutonic forces have taken the offensive, the Berlin war office announces, and captured several hill positions from the Russians, taking more than 1,300 prisoners, eleven machine guns and nine mine throwers. Subsequently one of the captured positions was evacuated.

The British are continuing to advance rapidly on the Tigris front. Official announcement is made that the Turks were being engaged on the left bank of the river, more than thirty miles west and northwest of Kut-el-Amara.

On the Ancre British troops have occupied the important village of Gommecourt, the vortex of the German salient south of Arras, and captured the villages of Thilloy and Puisieux-au-Mont as well, advancing their line more than half a mile to the north-east of Gommecourt.

Orders Judson Election Inquiry.

Jersey City, March 1.—Supreme Court Justice Swayze has advised the grand jury to investigate the alleged election fraud cases growing out of the election last fall as a sequel to the Ackerman-Segrlo boulevard commissioner's account, during which a number of ballot boxes from Jersey City, West Hoboken and Hoboken and other municipalities were impounded.

MEXICO-JAPAN TO FIGHT U. S.

German Plot For Alliance Revealed at Capital.

BORDER STATES THE PRIZES.

Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico Were to Be Invaded if Carranza Agreed to Combination, While Proposition Called For Germany to Furnish Money and Japan Men and Ships For Attack.

Washington, March 1.—Startling details of a proposition by Germany for a Japanese-Mexican alliance to war on the United States in the event of the latter declaring war on Germany today are absorbing public interest here almost to the exclusion of the German crisis.

Additional interest is lent to the news by the recent announcement that Japan was sending to Mexico machinery and expert workmen for the manufacture on a large scale of ammunition and other munitions for General Carranza.

Details of the proposed alliance as revealed in an intercepted dispatch to Count von Bernstorff were:

Japan, through Mexican mediation, was to be urged to abandon her allies and join in the attack on the United States.

Mexico, for her reward, was to receive general financial support from Germany, and Texas, New Mexico and Arizona—lost provinces—and share in the victorious peace terms Germany contemplated.

Painted German Victory.

Details were left to German Minister von Eckhardt in Mexico City, who by instructions signed by German Foreign Minister Zimmermann at Berlin, Jan. 19, 1917, was directed to propose the alliance with Mexico to General Carranza and suggest that Mexico seek to bring Japan into the plot.

These instructions were transmitted to Von Eckhardt through Count von Bernstorff.

Germany pictured to Mexico, by broad intimation, England and the entente allies defeated, Germany and her allies triumphant and in world domination by the instrument of unrestricted submarine warfare.

A copy of Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's instructions to Von Eckhardt, sent through Von Bernstorff, is in possession of the United States government. It follows:

Berlin, Jan. 19, 1917.

On the 1st of February we intend to begin submarine warfare unrestricted. In spite of this, it is our intention to endeavor to keep neutral the United States of America.

Take American States.

If this attempt is not successful we propose an alliance on the following basis with Mexico: That we shall make war together and together make peace. We shall give general financial support, and it is understood that Mexico is to reconquer the lost territory in New Mexico, Texas and Arizona. The details are left to you for settlement.

You are instructed to inform the president of Mexico of the above in the greatest confidence as soon as we are certain that there will be an outbreak of war with the United States and suggest that the president of Mexico, on his own initiative, should communicate with Japan suggesting adherence at once to this plan. At the same time point out the desirability of Germany and Japan.

Please call the attention of the president of Mexico that the employment of ruthless submarine warfare now promises to compel England to make peace in a few months.

ZIMMERMANN.

This document has been in the hands of the government since President Wilson broke off diplomatic relations with Germany. It has been kept secret while the president has been asking congress for full authority to deal with Germany and while congress has been hesitating.

It was in the president's hands while Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg was declaring that the United States had placed an interpretation on the submarine declaration "never intended by Germany."

Supplies Missing Link.

Of itself, if there were no other, it is considered a sufficient answer to the German chancellor's plaint that the United States "brusquely" broke off relations without giving "authentic" reasons for its action.

The document supplies the missing link to many separate chains of circumstances which until now have seemed to lead to no definite point. It sheds new light upon the frequently reported but indefinable movements of the Mexican government to couple its situation with the friction between the United States and Japan.

It takes cognizance of a fact long recognized by American army chiefs, that if Japan undertook to invade the United States it probably would be through Mexico, over the border and into the Mississippi valley to split the country in two.

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General Carranza's recent proposal to neutrals that exports of food and munitions to the entente allies be cut off and an intimation that he might stop the supply of oil, so vital to the British navy, which is exported from the Tampico fields.

What congress will do and how members of congress who openly have sympathized with Germany in their opposition to clothing the president with full authority to protect American rights will regard the revelation of Germany's machinations to attack the United States is the subject today of keenest interest.

MARINES NOW 12,661.

Record Showing Due to a Spurt in Recruiting Since September.

Washington, March 1.— Recruiting for the marine corps has taken the same sort of spurt as enlistment for the navy. Last September the enlistment of 5,000 more marines was authorized by congress. Of these 2,714 have been obtained already through recruiting, and the total strength of the marine corps is 12,661, the largest number of men ever enrolled in the corps.

Tuesday was a banner day for enlistment, ninety-one men having been enrolled.

LEGISLATIVE ACTS INTRODUCED TUESDAY

Trenton, March 1.—The following bills have been introduced in the Legislature:

Mr. Dolan—Compelling railroads and canals to pay a tax of 4 per cent. upon their gross receipts.

Mr. Dolan—Permits Boards of Freeholders to increase the amount which may be expended for the rebuilding of improved roads.

Mr. Dolan—Providing that the salary of the members of the Boards of Election in Hudson and Essex counties shall be not less than $1,000.

Mr. Eckar—Validating certain paving improvements and to make clear the power to assess the cost in townships which have no general assessment law.

Mr. Hershfield—Allowing the voters of any township to fix the compensation of its township committeemen at a stated salary instead of a per diem.

Mr. Hershfield—Incorporating the Borough of Haskell, Passaic county.

Mr. Hershfield—Annexes to the Borough of Pompton Lakes, Passaic county, a part of the Township of Pompton in that county.

Mr. Dolan—Supplement to the insurance law, fixing the rate in cases where surety companies receive indemnity of not more than 50 per cent. of that charged.

Mr. Runyon—Changing the name of Fanwood Township, Union county, to Scotch Plains.

Mr. Runyon—Amending the railroad law, so as to limit the right to condemn certain lands by railroad companies for grade crossings.

Mr. Scheibeler—Amending the Walsh Commission Government act so as to make it necessary to have at least 50 per cent. of the vote cast in favor in order to adopt the act.

WANTED TO ADVISE THE PRESIDENT

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 1.—The State Federation of District School Boards in quarterly meeting here on Saturday turned down a resolution offered by George S. Hulbert, of East Orange, which would have asked the President of the United States to appoint experts to fill his next cabinet to handle the positions of Secretary of War and Secretary of the Navy.

Cotton Man's Wife a Suicide.

Anderson, S. C., March 1.—Mrs. Robert F. Irby, wife of a well known cotton man of Oklahoma City, who has offices in several large cities in the cotton belt, committed suicide here by shooting herself.

Ocean Grove Suffragists Organize.

Ocean Grove, March 1.—With Dr. Lucia V. Grieve as president and Mrs. Russell Eddleman as secretary-treasurer a branch of the National Woman's Suffrage association has been founded here.

NEW YORK CITY HATCHES BROOD OF NINE CHICKENS.

New York, March 1.—The city of New York has hatched a clutch of eggs. Nine promising chickens came to life in property room of the coroner's office in the municipal building. Jacob Ankenstein, night clerk, almost threw a fit when he heard their hustled peeping.

Their birthplace was a paper bag of eggs carried by a man who died in the street a few days ago. Somebody pushed the bag over a radiation and Mother Nature did the rest. Ankenstein is feeding the chicks and seeks a home for them. Corporation counsel says he says what shall be done with them.

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THE NEW, At Friday Prices, In Women's Apparel, Etc.

New Suits—Tweeds, covert cloth—various styles, including one-button coats—some belted styles—smaller lines—all sizes for women—in "Piping Rock"—A specialized price..... 17.85

Serge Suits—in navy blue, brown and black—strictly tailored styles—notched collar—all sizes for women and misses to 44—our reg. $19.98..... 14.50

Newest Spring Suits—Serges, bursella cloth, whipcords, gabardines and poplins—showing in black, also navy and black—button notched or of fancy sport silk—coats, belted and various new pleated styles—also few in extra sizes..... 24.98

Serge Dresses in Navy and Black—satin collars in black or white—belted—many with satchel pockets—sizes 8 to 44—our reg. $6.98..... 5.75

Afternoon Frocks—Combination of taffeta and crepe—navy, black, green, French blue and gray—sizes for misses and women—our reg. $16.98..... 11.75

Women's and Misses' Skirts—Poplins and serges in green, brown, navy and black—button trimmings—plain and pleated backs—pockets—our reg. $4.98 & $5.98..... 3.75

Misses' and Juniors' Coats—Plaids, navy and black—variety of new Spring colors—convertible collars—belts—slip pockets—all sizes—our reg. $14.98..... 10.75

Women's Coats—Poplins, serges, best colors—plain or fancy mixtures—detachable silk collars—semi-fitted coat, in green, brown, navy and gray—sizes to 46—our reg. $22.98..... 17.75

Women's Figured Satin Kimonos—large chiffon collars and cuffs—elastic at waist line—our reg. $7.98..... 5.98

THE NEW, At Friday Prices, In Blouses, Millinery, Etc.

Middies—the newest ones—smocking—and fancy collars and cuffs—very different pockets and novelty belts—button in front—all sizes, 34 to 44—our reg. $1.15..... .84

Crepe Georgette Blouses—flesh and white—trimming of satin banding or filet lace—our reg. $6.98..... 5.00

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New models arriving daily in our Specialized Blouse..... 1.85

Girls' Trimmed Hats—plain and hand made effects in large and small models—ribbon, flowers and flower trimmed—our reg. $3.50 2.50

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Women's Batiste Corsets—Embroidery trimmed—medium bust and long hip—sizes 19 to 30—our reg. $2.50..... 1.79

Plain and Changeable Petticoats—Crisp and and chiffon taffeta—plaited, scalloped, ruffled, corded, flounced—all lengths—all colors—tops—our reg. $6.98..... 5.15

THE NEW, At Friday Prices, For the Girl and Baby

Girls' New Spring Tub Dresses—plain gingham, plaids, chambrays—various styles—6 to 14 yrs..... 1.98

Girls' Fine Organdie Dresses—elaborately trimmed with lace and embroidery—ribbon trimmings—6 to 14 yrs—our reg. $2.98..... 2.00

Little Tots' White Dresses—yoke, Empire and belted styles—lace and embroidery—1 to 4 yrs—our reg. $1.29..... .94

Little Tots' Tub Dresses—gingham and chambray—Spring styles—sizes to 6 yrs—our reg. .63..... .50

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Lawn Pillow Shams—with neat embroidery ruffles—good assortment of sizes—special..... .55

THE NEW, At Friday Prices, Silks and Dress Goods.

85-inch Messaline—fine satin face—light and dark colors..... .98

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85-inch Taffetas—fancy stripes—new combinations—dark effects..... 1.25

40-inch Charmeuse—fine satin face—new Spring colorings—light and dark, also black..... 1.85

54-inch Knickerbocker Tweeds—brown and Oxford gray mixtures—small color combinations—were .49..... .48

42-inch All Wool Storm Serges—sponged and shrunk—cream, tan, cadet blue, brown, garnet, navy and black..... .89

54-inch Black Zibelines—high lustre—for coats or skirts—our reg. .98..... .74

48-inch All Wool Gabardines—brown, prune, cadet, myrtle, navy and black..... 1.98

36-inch All Wool French Serges—brown, tan, cadet blue, navy and black..... .69

50 and 54-inch All Wool Plaids and Checks—dark colorings—small and large designs—were $1.98 and $2.19..... 1.49

THE NEEDFULS, At Friday Prices, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear

Women's One-Clasp Cape Gloves—Tan and pearl shades—our reg. $1.25..... 1.00

Women's Two-Clasp Leatherette Gloves—Light and dark colors—our reg. $1.25..... .89

Women's Fibre Silk Hose—Black and white—lisle garter top—our reg. .19..... .15

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Women's Black Silk Hose—Double sole, heel and toe—our reg. $1.19 .94

Men's and Women's Umbrellas—American taffeta—plain or trim'd handles—our reg. $1.98..... 1.19

Women's Fine Lisle Union Suits—Sleeveless—low neck—lace trimmed drawers—our reg. .59..... .44

Men's Muslin Night Shirts—Collar-attached—16 to 18 inch neck—long and roomy—our reg. .98..... .77

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THIS WAS REGULAR BASKET SHOOTING

N. P. H. S. Go Down to Defeat in Something of a Weird Basketball Contest

Inability to cover up its opponents effectively was the main cause for the defeat of the North Plainfield High School basketball team before the fast Rutgers Prep combination on the Saengerbund Hall court yesterday afternoon. The score was 54 to 43.

The borough team used two new players in the places of Andy McDonough and LaPorte.

From the call of time in the first half the game resembled an exhibition of football, which accounted for the high scores, neither five showing any ability to cover up or the guards to follow their forwards. The score of the first half was 29 to 25 in favor of the Prep boys.

North Plainfield started off slowly in the second period and Rutgers rapidly increased its lead. In the middle of the period the Canadians took a brace and drew up to within four points of their opponents' score. At this stage of the fracas Willett was injured and Barry took his place. Shots by Brofft and Kane in the last few minutes of play made victory for Rutgers a certainty.

The score:

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Force, f	2	0	4
Ahern, f	6	9	21
Dunning, c	9	0	18
Seidel, g	0	0	0
Willett, g	0	0	0
Barry, g	0	0	0
	17	9	43

RUTGERS PREP	G.	F.	P.
Kane, f	7	0	14
Loomis, f	0	0	0
Hayes, c	10	0	20
Brofft, g	4	12	20
Zust, g	0	0	0
Berven, g	0	0	0
	21	12	54

Referee, McFarland; scorer, Burner; timer, Lowrie. Time of periods, 20 minutes.

SOME GAME, THIS

The Evergreen Avenue schoolboys certainly put a crimp in the hopes of the Whittier school aggregation when they took the big end of a 45 to 4 score. The Evergreens had everything their own way.

The score:

WHITTIER	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	1	0	2
Kelso, f	1	0	2
Clarke, c	0	0	0
Muldoon, g	0	0	0
Whitford, g	0	0	0
	2	0	4

EVERGREEN	G.	F.	P.
Adams, f	10	1	21
Berse, f	1	1	3
Gerlach, c	9	1	19
Martone, g	1	0	2
Malcolm, g	0	0	0
	21	3	45

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EAGLE SECONDS ARE HEARD FROM

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The Eagle second bowling team made its debut last night on the East Second street alleys, and the "coming out" was rather auspicious, as its triple victory over the Ramblers clearly substantiates. Every member of the first team was on hand, from Bill Smith down to Jim Mahoney, to witness the work of their younger brothers, and when the seconds piled up a total of 912 in their second game the seniors appeared rather perturbed lest the third tally of the Ramblers' opponents would eclipse that of the big leaguers. Nearly one hundred rooters and interested spectators witnessed the match, and the noise was so deafening that no one in the building heard the fire department apparatus pass the place in responding to an alarm.

As to the bowling little credit for good work can be given to the Ramblers, as only three had one score each worthy of mention. Team work played an important part in the Eagles' victory, and while several "poodles" were recorded, some other Eagle would make up the loss. Anchor Jaeger, who would "father bowl with the Ramblers than against them," hit 213 and had the best average. Hook had the next best average, and when Hook's hooking hook hooked the pocket there was nothing for Hook to do but be seated.

After the series conquered and conquerors gathered in the Eagles' clubrooms for a little get-together.

The scores:

RAMBLERS.				Ave
Dunn	151	201	127	159
Koechlein	120	139	161	140
Betzenebrger	125	119	157	133
Taylor	154	191	106	152
Worrall	191	159	158	169
	741	809	709	753

Total pins—2,259.

EAGLE SECONDS				Ave
Rennie	149	161	166	158
DeCamp	169	170	135	158
Hook	166	189	171	175
Morris	169	179	139	155
Jaeger	181	213	147	180
	814	912	758	828

Total pins—2,484.

MULLIN AND FOXES DO A FEW NEW STUNTS

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bulls	12	9	959	.571
Bears	16	8	897	.556
Lions	14	10	918	.583
Leopards	11	10	931	.524
Tigers	7	8	884	.467
Foxes	5	16	926	.238

Not very often has it happened in the house tourney of the St. Mary's T. A. B. Society, but it happened last evening, and Tom Mullin did it. Sure, Mullin copped an average of 205, having cornered a high score of 246 in his middle tilt.

The Foxes incidentally took three straight from the bulls. It is not often that the tail-enders of a league can make a clean sweep in throwing the Bulls at the head of the circuit, but it all happened, boys; it all happened.

The scores:

BULLS				Ave
Schuck	161	140	134	145
Nugent	135	135	132	134
Guinee	145	122	182	149
McDonald	134	121	116	123
Montferent	135	131	168	144
	710	649	733	697

Total pins—2,092.

FOXES				Ave
Monahan	175	161	182	173
Markey	108	114	117	113
Lynch	125	160	112	132
J. McClinton	190	145	207	180
Mullin	169	246	200	205
	767	926	818	837

Total pins—2,511.

INDOOR TRACK MEET

An indoor athletic meet between teams representing the Montclair and local Young Men's Christian Associations will be held Saturday evening on the gym floor of the local association. A number of events have been arranged for the occasion and a hot fight for points is anticipated. The program of the evening will be started at 8 o'clock.

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COMRADE'S CLUB OPENS ITS SEASON

East Enders Make Excellent Showing Against Borough Class Aggregation

The Comrade Club of Netherwood opened its season against girl teams yesterday by defeating the N. P. H. S. seniors in an interesting game. The Comrades' two previous games were played with the Inner-Triangles. Yesterday score was 27 to 15.

The game was marked by clean and fast playing. The first half was a puzzler, each team taking turns at leading, but at the whistle the Comrades were in the lead by two points, 10 to 8. In the second half the Comrades ran away from the borroughites, holding a ten-point lead until the finish.

The score:

COMRADE CLUB	G.	F.	P.
Miss Townley, f	8	2	18
Miss Scruton, f	4	1	9
Miss Fritts, c	0	0	0
Miss Adams, g	0	0	0
Miss Snowden, g	0	0	0
	12	3	27

N. P. H. S. 1918	G.	F.	P.
Miss Cary, f	6	0	12
Miss Barry, f	1	1	3
Miss Weiss, c	0	0	0
Miss Blair, g	0	0	0
Miss Pilser, g	0	0	0
Miss Cornwell, g	0	0	0
Miss Krewson, g	0	0	0
	7	1	15

Referee, Miss Durar; umpire, Miss A. Hughes; timer, H. Patterson; scorer, H. Scruton.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL LOST HARD GAME

The Plainfield Grammar School quintet opposed the Westfield High School Freshmen on the Washington School court at Westfield yesterday afternoon and went down to defeat by a score of 25 to 23.

The Westfield team played one Bauman, a first team substitute and the Grammar School boys used two Freshmen in the second period. Captain Randolph of the local team nearly won the decision for his team in the last three minutes of play when the visitors threatened to forge ahead by some good team work and three baskets by Randolph.

Tomorrow afternoon in the Plainfield High School the Grammar School quintet will line up against the Garwood Grammar School.

Yesterday's score:

PLAINFIELD G. S.	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	5	0	10
Brancati, f	0	0	0
Randolph, c	3	5	11
McMaker, g	0	0	0
Mowen, g	1	0	2
	10	3	23

WESTFIELD FRESHMEN	G.	F.	P.
Townley, f	0	1	1
R. Welch, f	2	0	4
Bauman, c	10	0	20
Meyers, g	0	0	0
I. Welch, g	0	0	0
Snyder, g	0	0	0
Hatfield, g	0	0	0
Light, g	0	0	0
	12	1	25

Referee, Stine, W. H. S.

TRINITY TAKES THREE POSTPONED MATCHES

Westfield, March 1.—Trinity and Congregational teams of the Sunday School and Church League rolled a postponed match on the Playhouse alleys last night, and the Trinitytes had no trouble in defeating the celebrites in the league. It was a cinch for the Trinity five to dispose of the Congregationals. Keppler of the Trinity five was hitting the wood for all it was worth and posted 234 in the sandwich. His was the only double century score registered by either team.

The scores:

TRINITY			
McMahon	155	189	138
Brady	147	154	380
Keppler	174	234	173
G. Ortleb	168	186	173
Tobin	172	176	187
	816	939	855

CONGREGATIONAL			
Kennedy	168	150	187
Squier	109	121	124
Elliott	135	146	146
Kimball	113	107	139
Stoddard	146	123	129
	671	650	725

MORE RED SOX SIGN

Boston, March 1.—Harold Janvrin, an infielder, who has been holding out for an increase in salary, signed his contract yesterday at the offices of the Boston American League Baseball Club. He received a slight increase. The signed contract of Forrest Cady, catcher, was received at the offices of the club Tuesday night. A telegram from Sam Jones, pitcher, said that he had signed and mailed his contract.

CATHOLIC CLUB PLANS A HOUSE TOURNAMENT

Special Correspondence.

Westfield, March 1.—The Catholic Club has organized a tournament on the alleys in the parish house building among members of the club. There will be six teams composed of three players each, and they will bowl Tuesday and Friday nights. Each team will have a name and will be pitted against the other during the six weeks that the tournament is to run.

The names of the teams, captains and members follow:

Woodrow Wilson—Edward Marenghi, captain; George Manning, Rev. J. J. Kenney, George Washington—August Laurent, captain; Harry Willoughby, Charles Brady, Theodore Roosevelt—A. D. Marenghi, captain; Philip Brady and Albert Hann, Sr. Fourth Ward—J. J. O'Connell, captain; Harry Rowland, Frank Tally, Colonial—Harry Wahl, captain; J. E. Niland, Albert Hann, Jr.; Bluebird—George Keppler, captain; L. H. Phelps, Thomas O'Connor.

Callahan Wins

New Orleans, March 1.—Frankie Callahan, of New York, was awarded the decision over Jimmie Haulon, of Denver, last night by the referee, Al Wambsgans, who stopped their scheduled 20-round fight at the opening of the nineteenth round, saying the bout was too one-sided.

Games Wanted

The Recreation Five basketball tossers, this far undefeated, wishes to challenge such teams as the Y. M. C. A. and like calibre. The Recreation Five is made up of local players. For dates write S. Davidson, 657 West Third street.

ELKS AND PARKS TO CLASH AGAIN

Next Tuesday evening is the date set for the second in a series of home-and-home bowling matches between the Elks and the Park Club teams, the tilts to be staged at the borough alleys. As in the case of previous affairs of this type, the wives, daughters, mothers, sweethearts and other lady friends of the members of the organization are invited to attend and witness the frays. A social time will follow the bowling events.

Considerable interest and rivalry have always existed between the two teams in the annual home-and-home series, and there appears to be reason to expect anything else but a continuation of that same spirit next Tuesday evening. Both managers will have their strongest lineups on the alleys.

TRIANGLE TEAMS TO MEET SECOND TIME

The Inner-Triangle basketball team has another special attraction for Saturday night at the Netherwood court. The New Brunswick Triangles, runners-up for the Middlesex county championship, will play their second game this season with the I.-T. C. team. The game will start at 8 o'clock.

The I.-T. C. team is not out of the running for the junior championship by a long shot, and any team claiming the championship must first beat the Triangles on their own court.

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PLAN FOR DEBATE AT SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Tomorrow evening, in the High School auditorium, the P. H. S. debating team will meet a team from the Freshman class at Rutgers. This is the first of the Rutgers interscholastic debates for the Plainfield team. The question for debate is, "Resolved, That a compulsory arbitration law should be enacted to settle all labor disputes on railroads and other common carriers, constitutionality conceded." Those who have made the high school team are Horace Bunker, leader; Caryl Dunavan, Charles Todd, and Fanny Mann, alternate.

Much preparation has been made for the contest and it will be very interesting for all those concerned about the questions of the day. The public is invited and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

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HOLDING REHEARSALS OF "THE HOODOO"

Chi Gamma Chi to Present Side-Splitting Comedy On March 19

Rehearsals for "The Hoodoo," the three-act comedy to be produced by the Chi Gamma Chi Monday evening, March 19, in St. Joseph's Hall, are being held frequently. The cast is being coached under the able direction of Miss Mary O'Connor, of North Plainfield, who has had considerable experience on histrionic lines.

"The Hoodoo" promises to be one of the most humorous of amateur plays produced locally and those participating in the performance are rapidly becoming familiar with the character they are to portray.

The play runs a full evening, and during the two intermissions the committee in charge is arranging a program of songs.

The members of the cast are the following: The Misses Esther Regan, Frances Newman, Theresa McCullough, *Ann Veronica Daly*, Nora Bergen, Elsie Moulton, Anna McGinness, Margaret Barry, Margaret Moran, Marie Murray, Katherine Newell, H. A. Brynlarski and Messrs. W. B. Mead, Jr., Harold P. Mead, Edwin Sullivan, Frederick Greene, Alfred Siedel and Joseph A. B. Gallagher.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

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In planning the Lenten menus, naturally fish and eggs furnish the basis of the majority of dishes, but even these useful commodities are apt to pall on one after a time, and then it is that the housewife should take into consideration the highly nutritive qualities of cheese.

Almost any variety of good cheese, used in connection with home-made, whole wheat bread and a fresh, green salad, furnishes a meal that possesses the right food values for nourishing the human system. In fact, a meal of this character is especially good at this season of the year, when the need of lighter food is being felt.

Cottage cheese is probably the only variety that can be made entirely at home, and this home-made product is so far superior to the best commercial variety, that once the housewife has made it for herself, she will never be satisfied with anything else.

Care, however, must be exercised in its preparation, especially while it is heating. To successfully make cottage cheese at home, turn the clabbered milk into an earthenware receptacle and place it on the back of the range, where it will gradually and slowly heat. Heat it only until the curds separate from the whey. Then remove and cool. Pour into a bag, kept for that purpose (a small, clean, flour sack is excellent), and allow it to drain until dry. When ready to blend the cheese, it should be in a dry, compact mass. Turn into a mixing bow and work with a fork until fine and smooth. Season to taste with salt and white pepper (a very little of the latter) and moisten to the desired consistency with a little thick cream. If the housewife has no cream on hand, a little milk, to which a teaspoonful of softened butter has been added, may be used instead. This gives what is known as plain cottage cheese.

It may be utilized in a great variety of ways, as follows: Cottage cheese forms a most delectable dish when combined with chopped cucumbers, that have been previously soaked in iced vinegar and salt. Spread as a sandwich filling between brown bread and before putting the buttered slices together add one or two heart lettuce leaves.

Another very attractive way to serve it, is to roll the cheese in small balls. Then roll in chopped parsley, lay two or three on crisp lettuce leaves and serve with a mayonnaise dressing, to which has been added a chopped pickle.

Sweet, red peppers (canned), chopped nut meats, bits of drained, pickled beets, chopped olives, dates and minced dill pickles are all toothsome additions to this same cheese and give variety when a quantity is made at one time.

Cottage American cheese also lends itself to a variety of tasty dishes and, as it is inexpensive and moreover nutritious, it should be used frequently in planning the family menus.

Cheese and Celery au Gratin

In a buttered baking dish arrange layers of boiled and drained celery, crushed dried bread crumbs and grated American cheese. Season with a light sprinkling of salt and paprika, pour over a cupful of rich cream sauce and cover the top with crumbs. Dot over with bits of butter and brown in a quick oven. Whole wheat bread and butter, cut in the form of dainty sandwiches, and a few ripe olives, may be served with this dish.

Roquefort Cheese Canapes

These appetizers, although made from imported cheese, need not be an item to burn holes on the menu, as very little of the cheese is used. Select white stalks of crisp celery, having a good hollow in the center. Mash two tablespoonfuls of the cheese to a paste and add sufficient French dressing, so that it will spread easily. Fill into the carefully dried celery and lay each stalk on a buttered toast strip. Serve immediately.

Cheese Savory

Occasionally when a fancy cheese is desired for a late supper party, or as a filling for afternoon tea sandwiches, the following is easily prepared: Put a cake of choice cream cheese into a bowl, that has been rubbed over inside with a cut clove of garlic. To the cheese, add one tablespoonful of softened butter, one teaspoonful of finely chopped chives, and have a teaspoonful of finely minced parsley and one-third of a teaspoonful each of anchovy paste and Worcestershire sauce. Add salt and pepper to taste and mix the whole thoroughly together and then press it firmly into a tall jelly glass. When very cold, turn out on a plate and garnish with parsley. This is delicious with browned or toasted crackers.

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MR. FOX'S FEAST

Mr. Fox had been very busy and very lucky, too, for his pantry was filled with good things to eat. He had chickens and ducks and turkeys and all sorts of cookies and cakes and pies and puddings and jars and jars of preserves and he even had a whole box of tobacco.

You might think he was going to give a party, but he wasn't: he had cooked and stocked up his pantry for a good long feast without working for a week, but what was bothering him was the fact that his neighbors might call if they did not see him going out every day, and if they did he knew they would see all the good things and expect him to share his feast with them.

So one morning he went around calling on his friends and neighbors, saying he was far from well and was going away for a little vacation.

"Why, dear me, Mr. Fox," said old Granny Squirrel, looking over her glasses at him, "it seems to me I never saw you looking better; you are fat as you can be. What seems to be the matter with you?"

"Oh, I am very poorly, Granny Squirrel; very poorly; my back is all cramped with pain and I don't eat a thing. I must have a change of air."

Old Granny Squirrel knew all about Mr. Fox. She had been a neighbor of his for a long time. She did not know what he was up to but that he was up to some trick she felt sure, so she took her knitting and sat down by the window to watch.

Mr. Fox said goodbye to Mrs. Rabbit and her husband and to Mr. and Mrs. Squirrel, who lived farther up the path, and he even went to call on Mr. Bear, who lived some distance away.

"I want them all to think I am away then they won't call," he said. "You never can tell when someone might happen in and I want a good time all by myself without a thought of anyone calling."

Old Granny Squirrel watched Mr. Fox come back and go into his house. "He walks very spry for a sick fellow," she said, peeping out from behind the curtain.

"I don't know what, but I will be bound he is up to something and I mean to find out what it is if I have to sit here all day and all night, too."

All day long she watched, but Mr. Fox did not come out of his house, and when the moon came out Granny Squirrel still sat by her window. "He hasn't come out so he can't be going away. Now, what can he be up to?" she said.

The next morning Granny Squirrel went around to all her neighbors.

"Mr. Fox hasn't gone away yet," she said, "and he told me he was starting at once. I think somebody ought to find out where he is or what has happened; he might be sick."

"That is so," said Mrs. Rabbit. "I'll take a cup of my lettuce tea around to him; it will do him good no matter what has happened."

So Mr. and Mrs. Squirrel, old Granny Squirrel and Mr. and Mrs. Rabbit set out for Mr. Fox's house.

"I think we should get Mr. Bear to come along, too," said old Granny Squirrel, "because if anything has happened to him we could not lift him and he may have had a fit."

So they called for Mr. Bear and asked him to go with them. "I'll take a bottle of my liniment along; he may need it."

"I have a jar of nut broth," said Granny Squirrel, "and there is plenty of pepper in it, too, I always put in a lot when it is for sick folks."

When they arrived at the door of Mr. Fox's house they knocked very loudly, and Mr. Fox, who had just settled himself in a big, easy chair beside a table filled with good things, jumped up so quickly that he upset a pot of hot coffee which went over his foot.

He then put out the window and saw who it was, and then he knew he must play sick, for old Granny Squirrel was just saying: "If he does not come to the door the next time we knock we must break in the door, for I know he did not go away."

So Mr. Fox grabbed a blanket and wrapped it about him and limped to the door, groaning as he opened it. His foot really did pain him, so the groaning was real.

"There, I knew you were sick," said old Granny Squirrel, bustling in and looking over her glasses in every direction. "Now you go right to bed and we will doctor you."

So poor Mr. Fox was bundled into his bed and had to drink lettuce tea and nut tea, which made him groan louder than ever, it was so peppery.

"You must let me rub you with Mr. Liniment," said Mr. Bear. "It will be sure to cure your lameness."

Oh! how Mr. Bear did rub. Mr. Fox said he was sure his bones would come through if he did not stop, but Mr. Bear said the hard rubbing was what Mr. Fox needed, so he had to let him rub.

After they had him dosed and rubbed Granny Squirrel looked at the table. Mercy!" she said, "all these things will spoil before he is well enough to eat them. We might just as well take them home. He is too sick to think to tell us to do so, but I know he would want us to have them."

So they divided up the good things and left Mr. Fox's table bare.

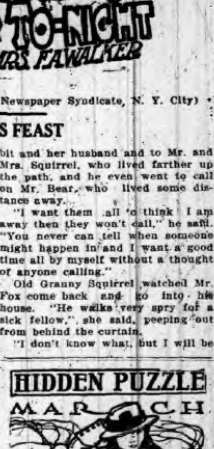
When they were all gone Mr. Fox peeped out from under the bedclothes. "I might have known old Granny Squirrel would find me out; she never misses one thing, the old busybody. It is a good thing I did not put everything I had on the table. She would have grabbed everything."

Mr. Fox emptied the cup of lettuce tea and the jar of nut broth and the bottle of liniment and then he set some more food on the table, but he only tasted one meal, for he knew if he was not out where his neighbors could see him they would come in and doctor him again, so he ate all he had and went out and sat on the steps.

"I don't see why a fellow can't do as he wants to," he sighed, "without the whole neighborhood turning out to find him. The next time I want a feast I'll take my good things with me and go out where they can't find me; but even then I bet old Granny Squirrel would get up a hunting party to find me."

Tomorrow's story — "Benny's Magic Bag"—Part 1.

HIDDEN PUZZLE



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TURKISH CONSUL'S MOTHER-IN-LAW DEAD

New Providence, March 1.—Mrs. Maritza Aglagulan, sixty-six years old, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rustem Bey, River road, Chatham township. She had been ill several days. Her daughter, with whom she lived, is the wife of the former Turkish Consul General in this country. He is now engaged in business in New York.

The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Bey home, and interment will be in Fairmount cemetery, Chatham.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

The Ladies' Nest of Owls has leased Saengerbund Hall for its annual dance on the evening of April 24th.

The Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday evening of next week.

The State Trust Company expects to have a moving day on Saturday when the concern will occupy its well-appointed new bank building at the corner of North and Park avenues.

Private Walter Ellis, of Company K, who has been confined in the Bayonne Hospital through injuries received while at work on the railroad, has left that institution and is now rapidly convalescing.

A carnival and dance under the auspices of the Apollo Social Club recently organized, will take place Wednesday evening, March 14, in Debelets Hall, North Plainfield, which has been engaged for the occasion will be beautifully decorated in neutral colors. Snappy music will be furnished by a seven-piece orchestra.

A humorous scene was enacted during the early hours yesterday morning on Somerset street. A horse attached to a milk wagon was moving slowly down the street driverless, and trailing ahead of a trolley car. The motorman of the trolley was vigorously ringing his gong and at the same time losing his temper. The motorman finally got next to the situation and upon investigation found, the horse without a driver. The outfit was led to one side of the road and the car started off after wasting much valuable time.

RECREATION NOTES

Two Boy Scout Troops meet tonight in the Lincoln school.

The West End Boys' Club meets tonight in the High school gymnasium.

All P. E. G. S. are urged to be present in the high school Friday evening.

There will be a Guild of Play at the Stillman school Friday afternoon.

Athletic games will be held in the Irving school tomorrow afternoon.

The ladies' public swimming class will use the high school pool Friday night.

The night school men's gym class meets tomorrow night in the high school.

The Aero Club is to hold a lecture this evening in the Washington school auditorium.

There will be a Dunbar dance in the Washington school auditorium tomorrow evening.

Dr. Hobson's Choral Club will meet Friday evening in the Washington school kindergarten.

The International Motor Company Band is to rehearse Friday night in the Washington school.

HISTORIC HUNGARY BEING REORGANIZED BY GERMANY

Special to Courier-News:

Copenhagen, March 1.—The "Berliner Tageblatt" prints a report this morning from Vienna, which states that an entirely new organization of Austria-Hungary is being carried out upon the request of Germany. This organization, or rather reorganization, will completely paralyze the National "Czech movement," and the Bohemian state theory will entirely disappear.

TUCKABATCHEES MEET TOMORROW

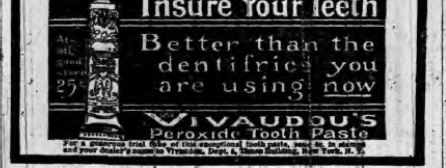
The monthly business meeting of the Tuckabatchee Club will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Eugene Martin, on Park avenue.

All members are requested to attend.

"SAVE THE BABIES"

These are authentic quotations from the pamphlet on babies by Dr. L. Emmett Holt, of Columbia University and Dr. Henry L. K. Shaw, of Union University.

At nine months the average child requires 30 ounces of milk daily, which should be diluted with 10 ounces of water. To this should be added two even tablespoonfuls of sugar and 3 ounces of limewater. This should be given in five feedings. The sugar added may be milk sugar, or if this cannot be obtained cane (granulated), sugar or maltose, (malt sugar).



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Men and women are urged to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of helping to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Just as soap and hot water cleanse and freshen the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the eliminative organs.

Those who wake up with bad breath, coated tongue, nasty taste or have a dull, aching head, sallow complexion, acid stomach; others who are subject to bilious attacks or constipation, should obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little but is sufficient to demonstrate the value of inside bathing. Those who continue it each morning are assured of pronounced results, both in regard to health and appearance.— Adv.

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Prime Rib Roast, lb.	20c-23c	3 qts. Cranberries for	25c
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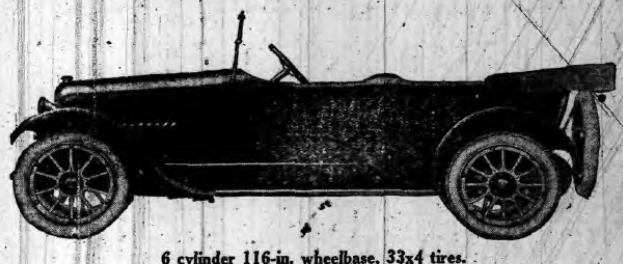

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22d Chapter on Early Settlers in This Vicinity From Date of Land Purchase

FROM 1684 TO 1784

This Article, Written by O. B. Leonard of This City, Is of the Children of John Laing, Jr.

This is the twenty-second chapter on the early settlers in Plainfield, written by Oliver B. Leonard, of this city. The earlier chapters were published on the twenty-one preceding Fridays.

1675-8—John Laing, Jr.—1728

The following brief outline of the four or five sons of John Laing, Jr., is submitted for perusal and approval and information to many—John, 1709; David, 1714; Isaac, 1720; Jacob, 1722; Abram, 1719.

JOHN LAING (the oldest son of John, Jr., and Elizabeth) was born June 28, 1709. He married 1741 Sarah Smith (of Benjamin and Sarah Shotwell Smith).

Very little data and greater uncertainty have troubled the writer of this Smith family. Records state that Sarah Smith, who married 1741 John Laing, was the daughter of Benjamin Smith and Sarah Shotwell.

The Smith pride of ancestry has been shown by the assistance of the Muses:

'Smith, gentlemen, is an illustrious name
And stands ever high on the annals of fame.
Let White, Brown and Jones increase as they will,
Believe me, that Smith will outnumber them still."

DAVID LAING, born 1714 (of John, Jr., and Elizabeth); married 1741 Mary Thorn, born 1724, of Jacob. His descendants have been familiarly known in Plainfield. Their

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UNTIMELY DEATH OF A. B. TITSWORTH

Promising Young Man Succumbs to Pneumonia in Wilmington Hospital

Arthur Bentley Titsworth, aged twenty-seven years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Titsworth, of this city, died yesterday in the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, Delaware, where he had been seriously ill since last Friday with pneumonia. The news of his death which reached here this morning was a shock to the large circle of friends of the young man. His mother died sister, Mrs. A. W. Vars, were with him when he died. The body will be brought here today when arrangements for the funeral will be made.

Mr. Titsworth was born at Dunellen, removing here with his parents when he was a boy. He was graduated from the Plainfield high school in 1908 and was a member of the first class in mechanical engineering to be graduated from Rutgers College in 1912. For a time after leaving college he worked at the local plant of the International Motor Company, later going with American Roller Mills Company, of Middletown, Ohio. Two years ago he left there to take a position in the "open hearth department" of the Bethlehem Steel Company at Bethlehem, Pa., where he had been employed for two years, and three weeks ago went with the Midvale Steel Company, at Wilmington, as a rubeidiary company.

Beside his parents he leaves two brothers, Ralph Titsworth, superintendent of construction work on the Queens Borough bridge, and Ferdinand Titsworth, circulation manager for Charles Scribners' Sons, and one sister, Mrs. A. W. Vars.

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TO MAKE IMPROVEMENTS

Organization Plans to Carry on Educational and Physical Work—Committee Announces Contributions

The Young Men's Hebrew Association of this city has just announced through the chairman of the Building Campaign Committee the purchase of what was formerly the Leal school building on West Front street and the large lot on which it is situated, measuring about eighty-seven feet frontage and about one hundred and seventy-five feet in depth. This building, named after its former owner, John Leal, was for a number of years utilized by him as a private school, and is known as having been the home of the first and leading private academy in this vicinity for the education of young men. It is interesting to many to note that the educational and uplifting work carried on there so well in the past is to be continued along more varied lines of development and uplift of the Jewish young men of Plainfield.

Harvey Rothberg, the chairman of the Building Committee, speaking of the association's plans, said "that for several years there has been a desire among the leading Jewish men in this city to build a home for the Jewish youth, where he might strengthen himself, physically, morally and intellectually, particularly with a view to up-building his character and making himself of real value to the community and an honor to his parents. There is no single building there where the Jewish young men may congregate and study Jewish history, listen to lectures on Jewish subjects and familiarize themselves with the wholesome Jewish traditions handed down to them from their ancestors. The Young Men's He-

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ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. John Constable Moore Chosen President at Annual Meeting Today

Interesting reports of the past year's work together with a discussion of plans for the future, and the election of officers, comprised the principal business at the annual meeting of the local branch of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage held this morning at the home of Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt on East Ninth street. All of the members were present and they were greatly enthused over the activities of the organization.

The discussion brought out the fact that the anti-suffragist is identified with some form of relief work being carried on by the different local organizations in behalf of the Belgians, the Allies and this country as well. It was decided that the branch shall meet the last Monday in each month at the home of Mrs. Hyatt. These officers were chosen for the year:

President, Mrs. John Constable Moore; treasurer, Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt; secretary, Mrs. E. E. Iremonger; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. Yards Breese, Mrs. Rutger Bedafield, Mrs. W. W. Coriell, Mrs. Sherman B. Joost, Miss Florence Tweedy, Miss Laura Osgood, Mrs. Pierre Mali, Mrs. Thomas M. Day, Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, Mrs. N. Persdelle Brown, Mrs. Edgar Schwed, Mrs. Matthew H. Ewart, Mrs. Henry D. Hibbard, Mrs. George H. Goddard, Mrs. Katharine, Dix Lawrence and Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt.

ANOTHER APPEAL FOR BELGIAN CHILDREN

The National Campaign that Mr. Hoover's Commission is starting through the United States will be represented here at a lecture by Mrs. Kellogg and Miss Florence Wardwell, both of New York, in the Congregational Parish house Wednesday, March 7, at 3.30 o'clock. Mrs. Kellogg has worked with the Commission in Belgium many months and comes here to tell us that one million Belgian children inside the German lines are dependent upon American funds to keep them alive. The Commission has only four weeks' supply of food ahead.

MAYOR TO ADDRESS CLUB

The Men's Club of the Church of the Heavenly Rest at its meeting last night appointed Councilman Jan A. Babcock a committee of one to arrange to have Mayor Leighton Calkins address the members at his convenience. Several new members were elected, and the meeting closed with a social hour.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

Miss Clyde Burnett will be in charge of the Rescue Mission service this evening at 8 o'clock. Special vocal and instrumental music will feature the gathering.

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MOSQUITOES AS GERM CARRIERS

Health Officials at Meeting in High School Show How Disease Spreads

The mosquito and fly, as a menace to health and life itself were shown in all the various phases of their troublesome habits in both pictures and words at the Plainfield high school last night, when one of the series of meetings was held under the auspices of the Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission and the local Board of Health. The audience, while not large was an appreciative one.

Dr. Harold B. Corbusier, president of the Board of Health, presided, and made a few introductory remarks, explaining the objects of the meeting and telling briefly of the progress made in the fight for better health conditions. Other speakers of the evening were Arthur Colby, of the State Board of Health; Russell W. Gies, chief inspector for the county extermination commission, and Health Officer N. J. H. Chandler, of this city.

Interspersing the talks there were both lantern slides and motion pictures, showing the progress of milk production over the old and somewhat careless methods of handling this commodity, and how necessary it should be properly safeguarded. The pictures also showed how mosquitoes and flies breed and thrive in filth and unsanitary places, and how they carry disease germs, causing sickness and very often death.

The work accomplished by the mosquito commission as well as that planned for the future was described by Mr. Gies, and his remarks were illustrated with motion pictures showing how swamp lands and marshy places throughout the county have been "ditched" and drained, thus getting rid of the breeding places for mosquitoes. This work, the speaker explained, costs the people of the county about 11 cents per capita, which he did not think was an extravagant expenditure.

Mr. Colby spoke more especially of the production of milk and at the same time exhibited a motion picture showing advancement along that line. He also showed pictures of the fly in its various stages. A brief history of the Board of Health was given by Mr. Chandler, covering its existence of thirty years. He explained that Oliver B. Leonard is the only surviving member of the original board, of which the late Stephen A. Ginna was president.

Dr. Corbusier emphasized the importance of co-operation on the part of the public with health departments in getting rid of these nuisances, adding that the fly is an enemy of the public and almost as dangerous as a bullet. He said that during the Spanish-American war thousands of soldiers lost their lives through disease in which the fly had a large part in producing.

The pictures were shown by Henry Brzozarski, who operated the moving picture machine, under the direction of Frank Putnam, of this city, one of the inspectors for the Union County Extermination Commission.

PROCEEDS OF LECTURE TO GO TO BELGIUM

Plainfield is fortunate in that James W. Erwin is to lecture here next Tuesday evening on the picturesque side of California. Mr. Erwin's pictures are famous and are said to surpass in beauty those of Elmerdorff.

The lectures of Mr. Erwin are noted for their wealth of illustration, the still pictures having the charm of natural colors, while the motion pictures afford a touch of realism. Mr. Erwin has devoted much time of late to securing new material for his lectures in order that they may be perfect from an artistic standpoint.

The lecture will be given at the Y. M. C. A. building and is due to the generosity of a Plainfield man who wants his fellow citizens to see the beautiful photographs of our own land and who also is interested in the Belgian milk fund, towards which the proceeds will be given.

His gift will come at a most opportune time, as Queen Elizabeth has just called Mrs. Wallace to beg that the people of Plainfield will send her some milk for the little children in La Panne and the still unconquered strip of Belgium.

NAMES TO BE PRINTED LATER

On account of lack of space today the list of names sent in as signers to the letter to President Wilson offering support in the present crisis is not printed today but will be printed soon.

NEARLY NEW TOURING CAR

For sale, 1916, six-cylinder, Paige touring car, bought last June, used until November; in winter storage since then; guaranteed mileage 2,400; price $900; can be seen by appointment only. Miller-Jackson Co. 333 West Front street, Plainfield. Phone 957.—Adv.

MAYOR GIVES THANKS FOR ASSISTANCE

As Chairman of Patriotic Meeting He Expresses His Sincere Appreciation

"I should like," said Mayor Calkins this morning, "to make announcement, as chairman of the patriotic meeting last Tuesday, and as chairman of the Citizens' Committee, which arranged for it, of my appreciation of the work of all who contributed to its success.

"I have participated in organizing many meetings and events, never have I encountered such eagerness to help and such efficiency on the part of committees and individuals. The meeting was first suggested and actually held within five days' time and indicates what can be done in the name, and under the spur, of patriotism.

"I wish I could make separate acknowledgement to everyone who helped. As that is impossible, I should like in this way to thank the General Executive Committee, Finance Committee, Publicity Committee, Speakers' Committee; Committee on music, Ushers' Committee, the Police Department having supervision of traffic; Fire Chief having jurisdiction to prevent overcrowding; the usher, the Board of Education and Janitors of the high school, Laggren & Green, making contribution to the cost of decorations, Woolworth's 5&10 cent store, for loaning banners for the collection of name slips; Sohr's Military Band, for special concert for music; the Y. M. C. A. and Drum Corps, for contributing music in the park at the out-of-doors overflow meeting; Miss Elizabeth Phillips for cardindexing the names of signers to the letter to the President; Miss Arnold for offering the auditorium of the Plainfield Seminary for an overflow meeting, the Courier-News for generous and very efficient work in advertising the meeting, Senator Ackerman, for his interest and help in securing Mr. Taft as a speaker; William G. Besler, of the Jersey Central Railroad, in providing special transportation for Mr. Taft; the Reception Committee named to meet Mr. Taft in New York, and others whose services were greatly appreciated.

PRINCETON CLUB RE-UNION TONIGHT

Good Program of Speeches and Songs Will Feature Affair at Y. M. C. A.

Under the auspices of the Princeton Club, of this city, there will be a re-union and jollification of members at the Y. M. C. A., tonight, to which the boys of the Plainfield and North Plainfield high schools have been invited. The boys must, however, secure tickets of admission at their respective schools owing to the limited accommodations.

The committee in charge of the arrangements has arranged for an attractive program, one that will appeal to the boys with college aspirations. "Billy" Moore, the president of the senior class at Princeton University, will discuss athletics at the university; Samuel Shoemaker, executive secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will talk on social service; Dwight Harris, of this city, a student at Princeton, who recently returned from England, where he was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work, will tell of the detention camps there and Richard Cleveland, son of former President Grover Cleveland, will speak on the general activities at Princeton.

Mr. Cleveland, it will be recalled, has taken the initiative in the movement to abolish class clubs at Princeton, in which he has met with great success and a large support on the part of the student body. He favors a more democratic form of college life which he believes is only possible through his plan.

Other features of tonight's meeting will be the singing of college songs, including the familiar "Old Nassau," which will be led by members of the university glee club. Afterward refreshments will be served by the wives of the members of the Princeton Club here.

$1.00 A MONTH—$12.00 A YEAR WILL KEEP ONE BELGIAN CHILD ALIVE

The Hoover Commission for Relief in Belgium has recently made this appeal to the United States. Unless America takes over the task of raising $1,000,000 a month to feed Belgian children inside the German lines, these children (1,300,000 of them) will be subject to slow starvation.

In behalf of this movement, Mrs. Kellogg, recently from the work in Belgium, and Miss Florence Wardwell, of the Campaign Committee in New York, will speak at the Parish House of the Congregational church on Wednesday, March 7th, at 3.30 o'clock. You are all cordially urged to attend.

Committee—Mrs. Richard Boardman, Mrs. Frances W. Ford, Mrs. James Blake, Mrs. Laurens Van Buren, Mrs. Boardman Tyler, Miss Helen Harman, Mrs. Thomas R. Van Boskerck.

GRAND JURY PRESENTMENT

Commissioner H. K. Gaston Reports on Investigation of Union County Affairs

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 2.—The Grand Jury returned a presentment yesterday afternoon in the Court of Over and Terminer on county affairs, as revealed by the probe of Hugh K. Gaston. The presentment condemns the "very loose" methods of the Board of Freeholders for the financial arrangements with County Engineer Jacob L. Bauer. It also finds that several county officials were stockholders in the Portland Lawrence Cement Company, and that the practice of taking prisoners out of the county jails for outside work, while meeting modern ideas, was not legal. County Collector Nathan R. Leavitt is praised for keeping an unexpended balance fund, a practice condemned in the Gaston report. The road work at Elizabeth, Elias Applegate the Grand Jury finds to have been approved by the State authorities.

The jurors were discharged with the thanks of the court.

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UNION COUNTY COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER

January Term, A. D. Nineteen hundred and seventeen.

Union County, To Wit:

The Grand Inquest for the State of New Jersey, in and for the body of the County of Union, upon their oath say,

That pursuing our duty as laid down by the Court in its charge on matters embraced in the report of Honorable Hugh K. Gaston, Special Commissioner appointed to examine into the affairs of this county and certain officers thereof, we consider:

1—The buying of stock by certain county officials in the Lawrence Portland Cement Company, and, whether certain freeholders were interested in the furnishing of material for the county, and whether there is any influence used by county officials to have contractors buy cement from the Lawrence Portland Cement Company in doing the county work.

2—Whether more money is raised by the county taxation than necessary because of the maintenance of an unexpended balance fund last year.

3—Whether the Warden or the Sheriff permitted prisoners to leave the Union County Jail for the purpose of working out jobs.

4—Whether the County Engineer was paid money not lawfully due to him.

And we present:

1—That as to the matter herein finally referred to and that one Freeholder, the County Engineer, County Attorney and the Register of Deeds hold stock in the Lawrence Portland Cement Company of Pennsylvania, which is the company that manufactures the so-called Dragon Cement, the selling agent of which corporation is the Lawrence Cement Company, a corporation of the State of New York, in which latter company none of the above named persons are stockholders, but the County Register of Deeds is a salesmanager of the Lawrence Cement Company, and, we find, after examining many persons who have built roads and bridges for the county and Union, that some of them have used Dragon Cement while others have used no Dragon Cement whatever; that some of them have used Dragon Cement exclusively. Pertinent to our inquiry is the fact that we found that Portland Cement is sold at a uniform price and is of a uniform standard.

We have been unable to find from the testimony that any freeholder or freeholders were interested, directly or indirectly, in furnishing material for the county roads. We considered successful as well as unsuccessful bidders, and found nowhere that any influence was used on the part of any county official to have contractors purchase the cement manufactured by the Lawrence Portland Cement Company. We also find the fact to be that the State and County specifications are open and provide for the use of Portland cement of a uniform standard, of which there are many makes.

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Our inquiry showed that St. George avenue was built from funds arising

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KING'S DAUGHTERS TO HELP NATIONAL AID SOCIETY

At a meeting of the executive board of The King's Daughters' Union, held yesterday afternoon in the Day Nursery, it was decided to help the National Aid Society by working for it every Wednesday.

The report for last month showed that 501 articles received care at the nursery. Twelve circles were represented at the meeting.

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ENGLAND BELIEVES MEXICAN PLOT IS THE LAST STRAW

By United Press:

London, March 2.—England believes the conspiracy seeking to align Japan and Mexico against the United States is "the last straw." America's entrance into the war is now regarded as certain.

"A direct act of war" was the judgment of the newspapers.

SENATE FAVORS ARMING MERCHANT SHIPS

By United Press:

Washington, March 2.—At the opening of Senate today Senator Stone moved immediate consideration of the Senate bill authorizing the President to arm merchant ships to protect American lives on the high seas. The bill empowers the President also to employ "other instrumentalities" and bears his approval.

Senator La Follette, who was about to leave the Senate, hurriedly returned to his seat and demanded the "Ayes" of the vote in the House, on another page.)

Senate proceeded to consideration of the bill. The vote preceded passage of the resolution by a big margin.

Those opposing were Senators Bryan, Florida; Cumming, Iowa; Gronna, North Dakota; Curtis, Kansas; Jones, Washington; Kirby, Arkansas; Myers, Montana; La Follette, Wisconsin; Page, Vermont; Norris, Nebraska; Sherman, Illinois; Townsend, Michigan; Watson, Indiana; Works, California; Clapp, Minnesota. (Particulars

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CONGRESS WILL GRANT PRESIDENT POWER HE ASKS

By United Press:

Washington, March 2.—All the power President Wilson asks in dealing with the present crisis will be granted by Congress within 36 hours, leaders said today.

The President is ready to sign the armed neutrality bill as soon as it is passed and to act at once in arming American ships. The bill is distasteful to the administration in its present form, but when it reaches the Senate that body will substitute changes.

If both houses agree and they doubtless will; under the spur of the German-Mexican-Japan plot the President will be authorized to use "other instrumentalities" than guns, gunners and money to cope with the crisis, and the House provision against Federal war-risk insurance for munition ships will be stripped off.

W. J. LIDGATE WEDS IN NEW GERMANTOWN

Miss Alice W. Hall Becomes Bride of Well-Known Resident of Fanwood

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peter R. Hall at New Germantown yesterday at high noon, when their only daughter, Miss Alice W. Hall, was united in marriage with William J. Lidgate, of Fanwood. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. G. Empie, pastor of the Lutheran church, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the couple. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played by Miss Everetta Specht as the bridal party entered the room. The bride was attired in pale blue crepe de chine and georgette crepe, with beaded trimming, and carried roses. The bridegroom wore the conventional black. Miss Edith M. Lidgate, of Fanwood, sister of the bridegroom, was the bridesmaid. She was dressed in blue taffeta with beaver trimming. Sidney Lidgate, also of Fanwood, was his brother's best man. The guests were from Philadelphia, New Canaan, Conn., Fanwood and New Germantown.

After congratulations a wedding dinner was served. The couple then left for an extended trip through the South, including Palm Beach, Florida. The bride's traveling dress was navy blue with hat to match.

The bride has for a number of years been an employe at the Jersey City office of the New Jersey Central Railroad.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MRS. GROENDYKE

A delightful birthday surprise was rendered Mrs. J. B. Groendyke last evening when thirty-two of the Volunteer Bible Class of the Park Avenue Baptist church, of which she is president, gathered at the home of Mrs. L. A. Lagreve, of Putnam avenue, where she had been lured under pretense of attending a preparedness meeting.

The rooms were artistically decorated with the class colors (which are red and white) and flags arousing at once a spirit of patriotism.

A gift was presented to Mrs. Groendyke, carrying with it the appreciation of the class for her untiring devotion during the five years of her presidency.

Recitations and readings interspersed with patriotic songs were a feature of the evening, and a class song composed by one of the members was sung.

Talent hitherto unsuspected was displayed by many of the "Volunteers," and after a series of old-fashioned games and charades, refreshments were served, including the conventional birthday cake, decorated with candles, which was presented to the guest of honor.

—Don't forget the toy sale Saturday at 166 East Front street.—Adv.

GAVE LECTURE ON FLYING MACHINES

How man has always longed to fly, how, even before the daybreak of science, he made futile but determined attempts, to fly, and how it remained for an American, the late Prof. Samuel Langley, to invent the first successful aeroplane, were among the points emphasized last night by Douglas Wartrop in his illustrated address on aeroplanes at the Washington school on Darrow avenue. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Standard Aero Club of this city.

The speaker, who is a member of the editorial staff of Aero Age, has just returned from Europe. He had many interesting pictures to show and spoke of the use of the air machines in the war. About seventy-five slides were shown by the lecturer.

"The Germans owe a great deal to the dirigibles which gave the signals and otherwise assisted in locating the Allies' fleet in the North Sea battle," said Mr. Wardrop, who continued by displaying pictures of the damages done by the big bombs dropped by the dirigibles in English towns.

A battle between aeroplanes in the air; dirigibles on fire, and what would happen to New York City should there be an attack by aeroplanes were among the subjects discussed. He also by a sketch showed how it was possible for an aeroplane to detect a submarine thirty feet under water. The lecture referred to the Wright Bros. and their successful flights and inventions.

Prof. Langley, the first American who successfully flew through the air, was repeatedly ridiculed for his efforts, and died of a broken heart at Washington, D. C.

"The safety of aviation is now assured," said the speaker, who further predicted that man would yet have as much control of the air as he now has of the sea. "The flying boat is also becoming a popular form of diversion, and is developing the possibilities of transportation."

The Standard Aero Club is planning for more lectures similar to last night's affair to be held this spring.

NAVY RECRUITING MAKES RECORD MARK

By United Press:

Washington, March 2—Navy recruiting is at the highest mark since the Spanish-American war. During the 26 recruiting days in February 2,086 men enlisted. A record for one week was 901.

VERY ILL IN CAMDEN

Mrs. Frank M. Wagner, of West Second street, who was taken ill during a visit to relatives, is in a critical condition, and her husband is arranging to bring her home.

Daughter in Their Home

A baby daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Latsko, of East Sixth street.

DAILY DELIVERY OUT OF TOWN—TWO DAILY IN TOWN

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High class materials in a great variety of styles, in rich Woolens; chic and snappy; handsomely tailored, in all sizes.

Specially Priced for Saturday Only at

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A great selection of 26 and 27 waist bands. Take advantage early. These are samples—only one of a kind.

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Positively only one of a style, but in sizes 16 to 44, in the new gold, apple green, mustard, tan, navy, Copen and black; materials, Poiret Twill, Spring Twill Poplins, Men's Wear Serge, Wool Jersey—all beautifully lined. Specially priced—

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SHOES! SHOES!!

New Spring Shoes for Women—In Dark Gray Kid Lace Boot, leather Louis heel, plain toe. Price $6.50

Women's Shoes in African brown lace, plain toe, leather Louis heel, welted sole. Prices $6.00, $6.50, $7.00

Women's Shoes in patent colt, gun metal calf, lace and button; plain toe and tip, Cuban heel; Prices—$5.00 and $6.00

Women's Shoes in tied kid lace, leather Louis heel, plain toe. Price $4.00

Millinery

New Fashion Showing in Our Millinery Department, consisting of the new, beautiful shades of the season. A great selection of Straw Hats; small and large shapes, from

$1.98 to $7.98

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Special for Saturday: Ladies' Burlow Aprons Made of good Percale, on sale 50c and 59c

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Special for Saturday: Ladies' Envelope Chemise Trimmed with embroidery 34 to 42; Special 59c

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When every woman's thoughts turn to the styles for Spring wear. Our new selection this season in

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Will certainly please you, for they reflect the spirit of Spring and are priced lower than elsewhere. Come in and look them over, without obligation that you must buy.

Ladies' and Misses'

New Spring Suits

Very latest new colorings. Excellent choice of new styles with sash belt effects. Skirts come real full flare with patch pockets; very becoming styles; sizes 16 to 46. Special at

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Children's Smart

WASH DRESSES

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In "Girlish Styles for Stylish Girls;" 6 to 16. Beautiful collection of very becoming smart Dresses in fancy styles, in all the newest novelties for Spring. Priced lower than in New York stores for same, from

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New Spring Millinery

Shown at prices lower than elsewhere. All the new colorings. An assortment that embraces all the newest novelties and hand trimmed Hats now in Vogue—

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Newest Fancy Sport Skirts

In box plaited models, now in vogue. Excellent assortment of newest styles in Fancy Skirts, Velour, Silk Plaid and Novelty Styles—

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CHEVROLET PLANT IS VERY BUSY

Half Million Dollars' Worth of Cars Sold Since Automobile Show

Freight congestion in the West is putting a severe tax upon Eastern automobile dealers. On account of the lack of freight cars and embargoes upon shipments Western manufacturers are finding it increasingly difficult to make deliveries to points in the East.

In many instances cars are being forwarded by express at heavy expense and manufacturers are actually being driven to the expedient of driving cars over the road to distant junction points in order to secure deliveries to Eastern agents.

As the selling season approaches dealers in this territory are showing much concern over the outlook, but the situation is working out to the advantage of manufacturers who are in position to make deliveries in the East, according to Louis Chevrolet, designer of the American Six. As evidence of this fact Mr. Chevrolet states that the company whose plant is located on West Front street, has closed contracts with dealers for more than half a million dollars' worth of cars since the automobile shows. On account of the accessibility of the plant it appears that this company's entire output for the year will be absorbed in the territory east of the Mississippi.

Production of the American Six is now up to a schedule of 100 cars per month, and this month it is expected this output will be more than doubled.

DEFUNCT CONTRACTOR'S PROPERTY UNDER HAMMER

Property involved between the Columbia Building and Loan Association, plaintiff, and Lorenzo Bellucio, et als., defendants, of Elizabeth, was sold by Sheriff Otto Wednesday afternoon to Marie de Rosa for $2,518.35. The property is designated on the "Map of property belonging to Nicola La Corte, situated in Elizabeth, N. J."

Bellucio was a member of the firm of L. Bellucio & Bro., which failed while erecting the Harrison Avenue School, North Plainfield.

FOR COLORED BRANCH OF SPECIAL AID SOCIETY

An opportunity will be given for colored women to enroll in the new branch of the Special Aid Society at Leonard's drug store, corner of Plainfield avenue and West Fourth street, this evening, and also tomorrow afternoon.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

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So if you want a Spring hat that will look well on you and enjoy the satisfaction that comes from possessing a thoroughly good and stylish hat, come in and say "Mallory" to us.

$3.00

Stylish Reliable

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NEW YORK BLUECOATS TO STUDY LAW

New York, Mar. 2.—Members of the New York Police Department have commenced to study law at Columbia University. Commissioner Woods made a special arrangement with the Columbia Law School whereby the entire course will cost each policeman only $16, with $8 additional for books.

The course will last for sixteen weeks, with one two-hour period each week. Some law has heretofore been taught at the police training school, but the idea of a more complete course came from the 60 men themselves.

TIME FOR FILING INCOME TAX CLOSED

The time for filing income tax closed last night. Individuals possessing incomes of $3,000 or more and corporations, regardless of whether they have made money during 1916, are supposed to file their tax returns with the internal revenue collector, Kinney building, Newark. A penalty of fifty per cent. of the tax is imposed on those who fail to file their income tax.

The receipts of this district this year will reach nearly $20,000,000.

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There's a gorgeous assortment of smart styles awaiting your approval. The remarkable and redeeming feature of this Spring's Display is its wide variety of styles that are in perfect taste. In our exclusive showing this variety in complete range and original effects of unusual merit will be featured.

If you haven't seen the attractive modes we are featuring, Madam, you are not ready to choose your Spring outfit.

Editorial

Spring is in the Air

The month of March brings the spirit of Spring to every man, woman and child. It is welcomed by all. We welcome it in our store. We see evidence of it in the delight our clerks find in handling new, Springy things. Newness, variety and novelty appear in every nook and corner of our store.

There's a picture of wondrous beauty with the wealth of new things here so good to look upon. We urge you to come tomorrow, and enjoy it to the fullest extent.

Come for a glimpse of the Fashion's Favorites in the world of Women's and Children's Dress.

The Ad-itor.

Novelty, Quality and Style in SPRING SUITS

There's a smart "touch and go" and a pleasing swing to the distinctive styles of these epic, span, new tailored, dressy and sports suits for early Spring. Around them clings the exclusive air that every well dressed woman seeks. They depict the authoritative mode correctly.

Still more—their excellent quality and workmanship, which are such well known features of all the Tepper apparel will be revealed by their long service. The merchandise is dependable throughout.

All materials that have received favor in Fashiondom are represented in our wide assortment. Serges, Gabardines, Vigeaux, Poiret Twills, Jersey Cloth, and an assortment of Novelty Checks and Mixtures are included, in the wanted shades of gold, chartreuse, apple green, sand, Copen and navy blue, and black. Prices ..... $15.95 to $40.00

NEW COATS *for Spring*

The styles are absolutely correct, and the showing is interesting in both variety and attractive prices.

Wool velours, chamois velours, coverts, bengalines, plaids, etc., in the fashionable shades of green, navy, chartreuse, leather, tan, etc.

Prices ..... $6.50 to $59.00

CHARMING DRESSES *for Spring*

All questions of paramount importance in the world of fashion are answered minutely and authoritatively in our display of Spring Dresses.

Shantung and Pongee Sports Dresses are featured in an interesting variety. Also the season's most popular fancies in fancy stripes and Georgette Crepe. Price $10.98 to $35.00.

Simplicity, the Keynote in the New Millinery

Influences from China and Japan are playing a great part in the Millinery for the new season. This can be readily seen from the varied assortment of these ideas displayed in our Millinery Salon. The "Coolie" Hat is featured, the Mandarin, the small and large Sailor, and various other styles in shades that have won most favor for early Spring.

The workmanship and nicety of finish stand above criticism.

And then there's the price. So moderate that it invites comparison.

Men's Shirts at 79c
They Sell on Appearance and Satisfy with Wear

A New Line of Spring Shirts. Selected from an exceedingly wide choice of patterns and materials, the new stock is one that deserves all the attention it now gets.

They offer color combinations that are in good taste without being too subdued.

How is your Tie Rack Fixed for Ties?

One new Tie, and a score of limp, over-worked strips of neglegent looking neckwear? Stock up, old man! There's no better time than now.

We have a new line of Springy looking Neckwear, as snappy as you've ever seen, at 50c

Come in and give them the "once-over." They are bound to please you.

And While You're Here

Take a glimpse at the other Ties that we sell at 25c, 65c and $1.00.

You'll surely find one to suit your tastes to a "T."

SUPERIOR SUITS *for Little Boys*

The grade of material and finish that is being put into the Juvenile Suits is particularly fine. Every garment is built with the idea of withstanding much wear and tear.

Checks, Serges and assorted mixtures are on display in the Peter Thompson, Norfolk and Billy Boy models. Sizes for little boys from 2½ to 10 years old. Prices $2.95 to $6.50

BOYS' WASH SUITS

Our Spring line is now complete with assortments of Suits in the newest materials and styles. "Mother's Friend" the Suits featured, are of pink, blue and tan chambrays. Devonshire and Kiddie cloth, Linen and Galatea, in the Norfolk, Billy Boy, Middy and Peter Thompson models. Sizes 2½ to 10. Prices 79c to $4.98.

GIRLS' WASH DRESSES

All the leading models for Spring are featured in these new assortments. Empire, long waisted and belted models are included; some are smocked at the side, others are plaited. The materials are chambrays in the leading plain shades, Kiddie Cloth, Poplin and assorted stripes. Sizes 2 to 6 and 8 to 14. Prices ..... $1.25 to $3.98

The New Spring Weaves

Skill and unusual forethought have wrought wonders in the new Spring Dress Goods, which disclose beautiful color combinations and novelties galore in both design and weave.

WOOL VELOURS FOR SPORTS COATS

These are new, correct, and in shades that are most wantable for sports wear.

54 inches wide, at $2.98 yd.

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Spring Blouses

New Models That Conform to Fashion's Latest Decrees

Women most fastidious in the matter of correct style have accorded due favor to these unusually smart Blouses, fashioned of the finest materials and beautified with paint pieces, and embroideries. Here are a few special values offered for tomorrow:

Silk and Crepe de Chine Blouses Special at $3.70

A beautiful assortment of dainty Blouses in the popular shades of flesh, sand and white. The majority are charmingly trimmed with tucks, embroideries, laces, and large square hemstitched collars.

Georgette Crepe Blouses Special at $3.98

Remarkable pretty models, trimmed with plain tucks, laces and embroideries. These Blouses are to be had in flesh and white.

More For Your Money at **Tepper's**

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CONSULT OUR SHOW WINDOWS

Women's Gloves

An odd lot of Women's Lisle Gloves in tan, grey and blue, to close out tomorrow, at the Special Price of

35c

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

(Continued from page 1)

immediate household consisted of six sons, viz. John, 1743; Jacob, 1747; David, 1750; Abram, 1758; Isaac, 1758; Joseph, 1763. Interspersed among the boys were five daughters, viz. Elizabeth, 1745; Susannah, 1748; died young; Mary, 1753; Sarah, 1756, and Susannah, 1765.

JOHN LAING (of David and Mary) was born in 1743; married Susannah Webster 1767; had: (1) Mary Laing, born 1788; married 1787 Isaac Webster, parents of Laing Webster, married Elizabeth Bolce; had Nelson, married Eliza Stella; Caroline, married Alpheus Lalar; Isaac married Sarah Campbell and Israel; (2) Edmund Webster married Susan Jackson; had Leslie, married Mary Ross; Elizabeth, married James Laing. (3) Rebecca Webster, who married William Laing. (5) Susan Webster, unmarried.

ELIZABETH LAING, born 1745 (of David and Mary); married 1763 Benjamin Pound; born 1740 (of Elijah and Ruth) children: (1) Susannah Pound, born 1764; John Pound, born 1766, and David Pound, born 1768.

JACOB LAING, born 1747; married 1780 Rachel Shotwell (second son of David and Mary Laing) and were parents of the following:

1. Mary, born 1781, married Smith Webster.

2. David, born 1783, married Elizabeth Allen and had children: Mary, who married James Wilson; Alpheus, who married Caroline Webster; Rachel; Elizabeth, married King Platt; John; Jacob, married Sarah A. Laing and had Eugene; Alice; Caroline W.; Nathan J.; Ella V.; Lizzie H.

4. Noah, born 1788.

5. Reuben, born 1790, married 1814 John Horned.

6. Jacob, born 1792; married Ann Eliza Drake and had Drake, who married Miss Kelly, and Miss Baker and Abel, who married Cordelia Drake.

7. Rachel, born 1795, died young.

8. Joseph, born 1798, died young.

Susannah Laing, born 1748, died young.

DAVID LAING (of David and Mary) was born in 1750; married 1780 Sarah Shotwell.

Their descendants were as follows:

Eden, born 1787; married Susie Bolce; Mary, born 1789; Lydia, born 1797; married Samuel Pound, and Abel, born 1800, married Emily A. Breed.

MARY LAING (of David and Mary) was born in 1753; married 1773 Joseph Fitz-Randolph, Captain (of Joseph and Esther), and had Edward; married Anna F. Randolph; Joseph; married Mary Manning; Honor; married Sarah Manning; David, married Mary Martin; Mary, married Josiha F. Randolph; Isaac, married Sarah Morris.

SARAH LAING (of David and Mary) was born in 1756 and married 1776 the Rev. Jacob Fitz-Randolph, pastor of the First Baptist church, 1818-28, and had Elizabeth, married Samuel Manning; Mary, married Nathaniel Manning; Sarah Esther, married Martin Runyon; Rachel, married Isaac Davis; Anna, married Edward F. Randolph, and Randolph M. Stelle.

WILL GIVE LECTURE ON "ECUADOR AND PERU"

The Monday Afternoon Club has secured Benjamin L. Miller, of Lehigh University, to give an illustrated lecture on "Ecuador and Peru" Monday afternoon, March 5, at 3:45 o'clock, in the parish house of the Congregational church.

Mr. Miller has been giving a series of lectures on South America in New York and Brooklyn, and his appearance here promises to be of unusual interest.

MARKET GROWERS PLAN A COLLATION

Much interest is being taken in the banquet of the North Jersey Market Growers Association to be held at Hotel Stotter's, Newark, March 10. Roscoe W. Dobaun, of the State Experiment Station, at New Brunswick, is chairman of the arrangements committee.

This banquet will mark the first assembly of this body since its reorganization last month.

Among the speakers will be Dr. J. G. Lipman, director of the experiment station; Professor Alva Agee, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture at Trenton.

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EGGS Flemington fresh, none over 4 days old, dozen 45c
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LEMONS, fancy Cal., 18 for	25c	CAL. PEELED PEACHES, extra fancy, lb.	18c
CAL. PRUNES, 40-50, sweet and meaty, lb.	12c	CAL. APRICOTS, large fruit, lb.	21c
EVAP. APPLES, 1-lb. pkg.	11c	HILDICK'S APPLE JUICE, 15c bottle, for	12c
COOPER'S GELATINE, pkg.	9c	PLUM PUDDING, R. R., 2-lb. can	41c
GULDEN'S MUSTARD, 12c glass	10c	KELLOGG'S BRAN, for Bran Gems, etc., pkg.	14c
BLUE LABEL CATSUP,	14c & 22c	CAL. WALNUTS, large, soft shells, lb.	22c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, can	8c	COMB HONEY, Faulkner's	18c
GOLDEN ROD WASHING POWDER, contains 17 per cent. Dutch Cleanser, 5 pkgs.	21c	RAISINS, Sun-Maid Seeded, pkg	12c
HOTEL ASTOR RICE, the best packed; 1-lb. pkg.	8c	NOT-A-SEED RAISINS, pkg.	14c
FANCY HEAD RICE, 4 lbs.	27c	SKAT HAND SOAP, 10c can	8c
QUAKER PETTIJOHN, the bran cereal, pkg.	12c	SOUR OR DILL PICKLES, dozen	14c
TECO PANCAKE FLOUR, pkg.	9c	WHITE ROSE RIPE OLIVES, 25c can	22c
HECKER'S PREP. FLOUR, 12c pkg.	10c	STEERO BOUILLON CUBES, 30c can	24c

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Strictly Fresh Nearby Eggs, doz.	45c	Loin Pork to Roast, lb.	23c
Dixie Bacon, lb.	19c	Fresh Shoulders, lb.	19c
Hindquarters Mutton, lb.	22c	Pork Sausage, own make, lb.	27c
Legs Mutton, lb.	22c	Sirloin Steak, lb.	24c
Loin Mutton Chops, lb.	28c	Porterhouse Steak, lb.	28c
Legs Lamb, lb.	25c	Prime Rib Roast, best cuts, lb.	25c
Hindquarters Lamb, lb.	25c	Rib Roast, blade cut, lb.	20c
Rib Lamb Chops, lb.	28c	Chuck Roast, lb.	20c
Shoulder Lamb Chops, lb.	23c	Potatoes, large basket	$1.65
Hindquarters Milk Fed Veal, lb.	22c	Baldwin Apples, large basket	$1.25
Legs Milk Fed Veal, lb.	22c	Florida Oranges, dozen	25c
Rumps Milk Fed Veal, lb.	22c	Grape Fruit	5c
Veal Cutlets, lb.	32c		

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Owing to the fact that many people were turned away because of the unusually big crowd on Dollar Day, we wish to announce that we will continue our special offer until Saturday evening.

Our Big Dollar Special

THREE 4x6 SEPIA PHOTOGRAPHS FOR **$1.00**

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The result of this painstaking system of ours is—a line of feminine outer apparel such as a New York specialty shop could be proud of, priced at unbelievably low figures, and everything guaranteed without reserve!

Time to be thinking of Easter—but even if you do not propose purchasing your Spring finery until a little later on, you certainly owe it to yourself to inspect the KRAUTHAMER showing now. Style tendencies have been definitely decided, and are faithfully reproduced in our models.

Every Seasonable Fabric and Shade, at Prices Which Are Low at KRAUTHAMER'S

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Seats—$1.00, $1.50

Auspices Dutch Arms Band

NEW HOME FOR THE Y. M. H. A.

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brew Association aims with the acquisition of this new home to make it a center, where not only the youth may be developed along these lines, but also physically, so that by the use of the bowling alley, the swimming pool, exercise and the general work in calisthenics, all of which are planned for in the addition to be erected to the new quarters just acquired, young men may be able to meet any call which may be made to them for service to their country, and in a measure show their patriotic duty to that country, which has given them what they have today.

It is also planned that all the Jewish organizations of this city will meet there, including the Independent Order B'nai Brith, the Zionist Camp, the Young Women's Hebrew Association, the Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society, and the various other clubs and societies. There will be no intrusion on the work of either of the places of worship, neither of the New street Synagogue nor of the Temple Sholem, both of which perform missions of their own, but it is contemplated, and plans are already being made by the committee, to house the school for the instruction of Hebrew language and Hebrew history, now being conducted in the New street Synagogue in crowded quarters.

Another important feature of the plan of the committee is to fit up the newly acquired building with a comfortable large room, where the men may gather any evening of the week and spend a pleasant hour or two, either by engaging in one of the reading rooms in the perusing of the current magazines and other literature, both Jewish and English, which will be accessible, or in pool, checkers or chess. Cards will be absolutely eliminated from the attractions of the club house, and with the aid of a house committee it is planned to preserve the strictest decorum and order at all times.

As constructed at present, the building consists of a large auditorium, four smaller rooms, and a large basement, which will house the bowling alley and pool table. The smaller rooms will be used for the school and the large room for meetings and other pastimes.

The committee that had charge of the building is as follows: Harvey Rothberg, chairman; Samuel Schwartz, Samuel H. Schwartz, Benjamin J. Kline and William Augenblick. This committee now plans to start its campaign for clearing the building of its present mortgage, so that the young men may take it over without any encumbrance. *A list of the contributors* will be published from time to time, regardless of how large they may be, and the chairman announced today a contribution of $500 from Tepper Brothers, *$100 from Jacob A. Fass and $25* from Irving Kunzman. Further contributions may be sent to any member of the committee, made out to the order of the Y. M. H. A. Building Fund.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Washington, March 2.—A quiet, sturdy, firm-featured man, just past forty, walked quietly into the office of Secretary Daniels this week and offered him enough rolled brass at the Government's own terms to supply shell discs for the entire navy. Daniels had never seen the man before. When he was introduced by a Congressman the Secretary expected him to ask a favor. Instead he offered to the Secretary a veritable bonanza since now to get shells for the big guns has been a question in the navy department.

The man was William A. Morgan, of Buffalo, who controls and directs the largest copper and brass rolling mill in America. He furnishes to Canada ninety per cent. of the rolled brass the Dominion buys outside her own domain and to France seventy-five per cent. of all she buys outside her borders.

As a result of his dealings with foreign governments Morgan has had a chance to make comparison, and he says America will surprise the world when it comes to prompt action.

JERSEY NAVY RECRUITS

A navy recruiting party will be stationed at the post office building in this city from March 1 to 7. Any young American between the ages of 17 and 36 will be accepted if found to be physically fit.

Recruiting officers are urged to increase enlistments of blacksmiths, *boiler-makers, coppersmiths* and musicians competent in all band instruments are desired. A limited number of moulders are also desired, to be enlisted as blacksmiths for moulding.

HON. JAMES E. MARTINE

Plainfield Senator Who Concludes His Six Years' Service in Washington March 4

Photo by American Press Association.

In his valedictory to the United States senate Senator James W. Martine of New Jersey said that while he had been accused of being "a sheer accident, a buffoon, a mountebank, a buffoon and a disgrace to this body, no man ever said I was a moral coward, a pretender. That is my answer to villainous and cowardly attacks."

ASSIGNMENT OF MILITIA

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 2.—Orders were issued yesterday by Adjutant General *Charles W. Barber* for the movement of the two troops of cavalry and the battery of field artillery which will be New Jersey's *military contingent* at the inaugural ceremonies for President Wilson next week at Washington. In addition, Governor Walter E. Edge and his staff will participate and the executive will ride at the head of the State troops in the inaugural parade on March 5.

The following have been assigned for staff duty with the *Governor* for the ceremonies: Brigadier General Barber, Quartermaster General C. Edward Murray, Colonel Myron W. Robinson, personal aid Lieutenant Colonel Mahlon B. Margerum, *Major* James H. Hayes, Jr., Major Arthur H. Mackie and First Lieutenant Edwin C. Feigenspan.

Major Hobart B. Brown, *First Squadron, Cavalry, is designated* to command the detachment of troops from New Jersey. Captain Wilbur Kyle will command the cavalry troops and Captain Samuel G. Farnard *the artillery*. Major C. Walter Shivers, Third Infantry, is detailed to act as aide-de-camp on the staff of Brigadier General William A. Mann, marshal of the second grand division.

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White Cherries, No. 3 can	23c
Egg Plums, No. 3 can	21c
Pears, tender, white table fruit; No. 3 cans, 2 for	25c
Peaches, Cal. Yellow free, No. 3 can	17c
Pineapple, Hawaiian sliced; can	15c
Preserved Figs, skinless; can	10c
Maple Syrup, large bot., reg. 25c	20c
Honey—Finest Clover Comb; reg. 25c	22c
Queen Olives, large Mason jars; extra special	22c
Lamb Tongue, Derby Brand; pt. jars	47c
Qt. jars	65c
Heinz Spaghetti; large can, 15c; small	10c
Peas—Early June Sifted; doz., $1.35; can	12c
Corn, Maine style Sugar Corn; doz., $1.35; can	12c
Green Peas, lb.	12c
Yellow Peas, lb.	12c
Pea Beans, N. Y. State; lb	14c
Marrow Beans, lb.	16c
Blackeye Peas, lb.	10c

CEREALS

Ralston Wheat Food, pkg.	13c
Petticoat's Breakfast Food, pkg.	13c
Uneeda Sam's Food, pkg.	22c
Quaker Puffed Rice, pkg.	13c
Quaker Puffed Wheat, pkg.	13c
Quaker Pearl or Grits Hominy, pkg.	9c
Shaker Salt, box	8c
Marshmallow, large can	15c
Sawtay, for baking or frying; can	27c
Fish Flakes, can	10c
Bouillon Cubes, Chicken or Beef, doz.	20c

LAUNDRY NEEDS

Lenox Soap, 6 cakes for	25c
Lava Soap, cake	4c
Babbitt's Soap, 6 cakes for	25c
Grandma's Powder, pkg.	12c
Pearline, large, 9c; small pkg.	4c
Snaphe, large pkg.	5c
Toilet Paper, 6 rolls for	25c

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Prime Heavy Round Roast; all meat, lb.	24c
Boneless Pot Roast, no fat, no bone, all meat; lb.	18c
Pure Pork Sausages, all Pork; its delicious; lb.	22c
Fresh Liver, Beef or Pork, lb.	10c
Genuine Spring Legs of Lamb, lb.	25c
Small Fresh Loins Pork, whole or half, lb.	22c
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Egg Plant	15c and up
Grape Fruit, 7 for	25c
Lemons, Fancy Messina; doz.	20c
Bananas, doz.	20c and up
Pineapples, each	10c
String Figs, lb.	18c
Hallowen Dates, lb.	14c
Baldwin Apples, 16-qt. basket	$1.25
Spitzenberg Apples, doz.	38c
Cranberries, 3 qts. for	25c
Brussels Sprouts, qt.	23c
Mushrooms, lb.	50c
Cauliflower, head	12c and up
Lettuce, head	10c and up
Carrots, pony basket	45c
Sweet Potatoes, pony basket	75c
Tomatoes, Hothouse, lb.	20c
Kale, fresh and green.	
Turnips, pony basket	45c
Celery, bunch	10c and up

IN OUR DELICATESSEN DEPARTMENT

You will find all kinds of Cold Cuts and Bolognas ready for the luncheon.

Fresh Made Salads Every Day.

Cheese: Finest N. Y. State Full Cream, lb. 31c

Potato Salad, lb. 18c

Bockwurst, lb. 36c

Cream Pot Cheese, lb. 12c

Fancy Bloaters and Smoked White Fish.

GRAND JURY PRESENTMENT

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from the motor vehicle law and the other two roads under an act to provide for the permanent improvement of public roads in the State, and the amendments thereof, in such cases the work is done under a State specification and under the supervision of state engineers and inspectors, and the State and not the county finally accepts the work as having been done according to the specifications.

The testimony of State highway engineers before us showed that these roads were built under the State specifications and accepted by the State in accordance with the law.

3—As to the matter secondly set out relative to the maintenance of an unexpended balance fund for 1916 of $56,-631.36, of which $23,410.54 is to be transferred to the budget for the present year we find that this is lawful in view of the provisions of P. L. 1902, which seems to be the authority under which the County Collector was acting.

Unexpended balances in counties where maintained save the people large sums of money for interest on temporary loans. Money must necessarily be borrowed on temporary loans in anticipation of the collection of taxes.

We have made a comparison of counties and find that Somerset, Monmouth, Ocean and this county are maintaining unexpended balance accounts. We approve the practice of the County Collector in the maintenance of such an account and we feel that he has earned public commendation.

4—The Third Inquiry—The reasonable working of prisoners is in line with modern thought on prison reform and although this may be done in a legal way, we find instances where the *Sheriff permitted prisoners to work* outside county property, which we are advised is not legal, but since the practice has been discontinued we feel sure it will not be again indulged in with the Sheriff's permission. We are of the opinion that the matter may be disposed with a warning to the Sheriff and Warden not to repeat such action again until there is legal warrant *for such practice.*

5—The County Engineer was elected 1912 for five years. At that time, there was an understanding between him and some seven *members constituting a majority* of the Board of Freeholders as to what he should charge for field parties of two and three men in doing county work. Thereafter for the past four years his bills were rendered in accordance with that understanding and paid by each successive Board of Freeholders until lately, and in Nov., 1916, a lengthy report was made by a special committee of the Board of Freeholders *showing the arrangement* under which the County Engineer was working and a comparison was made therein with other counties evidently for the purpose of showing the *advantage of the present arrangement* over that in existence elsewhere, which report was received.

Lately a civil suit has been instituted by the County Engineer against the county to recover similar charges made by him against which suit the county has instructed the County Attorney to file a set-off for some $28,000.7 being approximately the *amount paid by the county* to the engineer since the arrangement was entered into. In this action it will therefore be determined definitely whether or not the County *Engineer has received any money to* which he was not lawfully and justly entitled.

This whole transaction, however, is most severely condemned as be*ing thoroughly unbusinesslike. The* arrangement covering engineering work ought to have been reduced to writing and specific as to allowances, if any, to be made for help, office and equipment necessary for the proper conduct of such work.

It appears to the Grand Jury that the methods of the Board of Freeholders have been very loose and the *situation demands a prompt installa*tion of a business system, which will effectually and immediately stop the continuance of any inefficiency that may now exist in handling the affairs of the county.

It is strongly recommended that each committee be compelled to keep a minute-book of its proceedings so that the records of the work of the committee shall be open to the inspection of the full membership of the board at any time.

It is also recommended that the County Attorney attend the meetings of the board in order to intelligently and immediately direct its membership in all legal propositions that may arise in order to prevent any repetition of the condition lately revealed.

CHARLES F. BROWN,
Foreman of the Grand Jury.
ALFRED A. STEIN,
Prosecutor of the Pleas.

P. H. S. TEAM DEBATES WITH RUTGERS BOYS

The Plainfield High School Debating Team will have its first contest in logic this evening, when it will compete with the Rutgers College Freshmen Debating Team in the Plainfield High auditorium this evening. This debate will be conducted under the auspices of the Rutgers College Interscholastic Debating League and will be the first debate of this season for the local team which is being coached by Harold F. Biddle.

The question will be: "Resolved, That a compulsory arbitration law should be enacted to settle all labor disputes of railroads and other common carriers constitutionality conceded." The local team will take the affirmative side of this question, upon which they have been carefully drilling for the past week or so and have organized such a long arguments for their issues that their conclusions will be irresistible. The Red and Blue team will be led by Horace Bunker and ably supported by Caryl Dunavan and Charles Todd, while Miss Fannie Mann will act as alternate. The Rutgers College team will consist of William H. Hendrickson as leader and Arthur R. Dayton, Kenneth C. Hand and Herbert O. Tilton, who will be their alternate.

A program of entertainment has been made out by a committee from each of the two high school literary societies. The Omega committee consists of S. Wright McAneny, chairman, assisted by Miss Olrene Moy and Harold Leinenweber. The committee representing the Alphas is as follows: Miss Mildred Clark, chairman, and Miss Florence Hall and Miss Ruth Fuller. Several pleasing vocal and piano solos will be rendered during intermissions for the rebuttals and decision.

No admission will be charged and an invitation is cordially extended to the public. The debate will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. LAURA SOUTHARD

The funeral of Mrs. Laura Southard, who died on Monday at her home on Elm place, was held there yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor of Hope chapel, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were: George Staats, Clinton Noe, Charles Kiederling, Edward Simpson, Edward Schield and Elias Southard. The interment was made in Evergreen cemetery.

MANY JOIN THE "FIRST AID" CLASS

Sixty-four members joined the class in "First Aid" at the First M. E. church last night and began the initial lesson under the direction of Dr. C. B. Darborrow. He proved a very interesting season for the members of the class, a number of men also enrolling. The "Anatomy and Shock" were the first studies taken up.

There is still plenty of time for those who failed to enroll to join the class at its session on Friday evening of next week. The class will be held on this evening owing to the concert at the High school on Thursday night.

Those who desire to take the Red Cross examinations at the close of the class must take the whole ten lessons to assure success. Single lessons will also be given on the class meeting nights for a small fee. The men are especially invited to join the class.

DANCING CLASS MEETING WITH MUCH SUCCESS

The dancing class held under the auspices of the Y. M. H. A., is proving a success. Another session was held last night under the direction of A. Goodwin. Excellent music was furnished by Prof. Macks and Paul Pope, followed by the serving of refreshments. This class bids fair to be one of the most popular features in the social life of the younger set of the Y. M. H. A.

All members and their friends are cordially invited to attend the sessions every Thursday night at the Y. M. H. A. rooms. Special features will be presented at each class.

UNIVERSAL TRAINING

In the United States there is no way of maintaining, by voluntary enlistment, a regular army commensurate with our population of the area which it may be our duty to defend against foreign invasion, unless we are to turn the industrial market and bid against manufacturers: a program which would bankrupt any government on earth. That is why some sort of compulsory training of the nation at large, or rather of the youth of it, is our only salvation if we are to go on with the business of being a nation. Ought private interest to rule here, or the general good?—From "Comment on Congress" in March 3rd Collier's.

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STEBBINS—On Wednesday, February 28, 1917, Albert C. Stebbins, in his 72d year.
Services at his late residence, 835 West Seventh street, on Saturday, March 3, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.
3-1-2t

LITTELL—At Elizabeth, N. J., February 28, 1917, William Rolston Littell, age 45.
Funeral services at his home, 62 Cleveland avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 3, at 2:30. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery.
3-1-2t

TITSWORTH—At Wilmington, Delaware, on Thursday, March 1, 1917, Arthur Bentley, son of Lewis T. and Emily Bentley Titsworth, aged 28 years.
Notice of service hereafter.

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NEW RULES FOR DISTRICT COURT

Judge Crane Announces Changes in Effect Today—Fix Clerk's Hours

District Court Judge J. Henry Crane, who was sworn in by County Clerk Martin, at Elizabeth, yesterday, has promulgated the following rules governing the District Court and the Clerk of the Court:

Court Rules

1. The clerk will attend to the issuing of process and to the dispatch of business daily, except Saturdays, from 9 o'clock in the morning to 12 o'clock m., and from 1 o'clock p. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., and on Saturdays, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock m.

2. The court will sit for the trial of causes on Wednesday and Thursday of each week, at 10 a. m. Jury cases only will be heard on Thursdays.

3. Petitions and orders, whether for discovery or any other purpose, shall be filed with the clerk of the court in one day after the signing of the order, and certified copies only may be served upon the defendant or other party named therein. Orders for discovery shall be served two full days before the day of examination named therein, and such service shall be personal.

4. Applications for new trials, or for rules to show cause, shall be made on two days' notice to the opposing parties, stating the grounds of the applications, and if affidavits are to be used, copies thereof must be served with notice, and counter-affidavits may be used at the hearing if served on the appellant before the hearing.

5. The court may upon the return day of the rule, hear witnesses on oral examination.

6. In all cases where surety is required on any bond or recognizance, the surety shall be a freeholder and resident of the County of Union, unless such surety be a corporation.

7. Payment of money into court, under the one hundred and fifty-fifth section of the District Court Act, may be made at any time prior to the trial.

8. The plaintiff shall first open his case to the court or jury, and the defendant shall then state, in a general way, the nature of the defence to be made in the cause.

Instructions to the Clerk—Hours

The clerk's office shall be kept open from 9 a. m. to 12 m. and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. daily, except on Saturdays. On Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

The clerk shall take from 12 m. to 1 p. m. for lunch and no longer, and must not leave his office during hours without the permission of the court.

Accounts

The clerk shall keep true and accurate accounts in the books provided and designated by the court.

All accounts with the city must be settled on or before the tenth day of the succeeding month.

The clerk shall take monthly, from the sergeant-at-arms or the constable acting for the court, a full statement of all papers served by him, giving the names of each case and the fees for each service, and shall check the same up from his records, and if found correct, shall pay the sergeant-at-arms or the constable the amount due him, taking from him the statement duly receipted as his voucher for said payment.

Accounts with the sergeant-at-arms or constable acting for the court must be settled on or before the tenth day of the succeeding month.

Attorneys

The clerk may allow attorneys to run monthly accounts if he so desires, but must insist that all accounts be settled on the first day of each month, and upon failure so to do no further credit shall be extended.

The clerk shall not leave his office to collect any accounts from attorneys or others.

Decisions Filed by the Court

In any case, in which the court shall reserve decision, the clerk shall, upon the court filing its decision in the case, immediately notify the attorneys for the plaintiff and defendant, that a decision has been filed.

Calling the List

The clerk shall start calling the list promptly at 10 a. m. on court days, and shall occupy the desk in front of the Judge's bench, and while calling the list the door between the clerk's office and the court room shall be closed.

WILL GIVE INFORMATION ON NAVAL MILITIA

Robert H. Bellows, of Union street, writes that he will be glad to give information to any man who wishes to serve his country, on the splendid training afforded by the naval militia.

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—Thanks—Hahne's gives real value. The sale is not made up of importers' ends, nor manufacturers' left-overs.

—It is a sale of sparkling silks; the desired, good silks that women will want for Easter. By buying in the March Sale they save thus:

Silks	Colors	Width	Usually	Sale Price
Taffetas	Black and Colors	35 in.	$1.39 and $1.50	$1.19
Messaline	Black and Colors	36 in.	$1.50	$1.19
Shantung	Fancies	32 in.	$1.59	$1.00
Crepe de Chine	Black and Colors	39 in.	$1.50	$1.24
Tub Corduroys	White	36 in.	79c	59c
Tub Satins	White	36 in.	$1.75	$1.49
Tub Silks	White with Colored Stripes	32 in. and 36 in.	$1.25	98c
Striped Satin	Fancies	35 in.	$1.75	$1.48
Paillette de Soie	Black	35 in.	$1.39	$1.19
Faille	Black	40 in.	$2.00	$1.49
Chiffon Taffeta	Black	36 in.	$2.00	$1.69

Numerous other silks in the sale at prices less than you find elsewhere. For example:

Striped Chiffon Taffetas, $1.59
Gros de Londres, black and colors, $1.75
Satin Charmeuse, in colors, $1.95
Colored Pongee for sports wear, $1.15
Sports Corduroy, in colors, at 59c
35-in. Black Taffetas and Messalines, 98c

Misses and small women are invited to share in a most remarkable sale of

Silk Poplin Dresses
$6.00

The material is a heavy silk poplin in all these desired shades:

—Rose —Black —Chartreuse —Turquoise
—Navy —Green —Purple —Emerald
—Copen —Reseda —Mustard —Gold

—Novelty Buttons adorn the front and contrasting silk poplin sets off the collars and cuffs. *Sizes 14, 16, 18.*

Women's Spring Coats

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are their prices and by the four fold test of style, material, fit and workmanship they are outstanding values.

—The coats say so much more for themselves than we can say on paper, that we prefer you to see them.

Materials Include:

—Diagonals —Wool Velours
—Gabardines —London Coatings
—Serges —Novelty Mixtures
—Black, Blue, Spring Shades, Checks and Plaids
—Medium weight; Unlined or Half Lined

Numerous Styles:

—Loose Winged Effects —Double Belts
—Semi-Fitted Models —Odd Pockets
—Sash Belt Coats —Over-Collars
—Rows of the New Silk Floss Stitching
—Buttons, Buttons—Individual or in Rows
—The sketch is merely suggestive of the large assortment. And please note the modest prices of $12.75, $14.75, $19.75.

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Than we thought possible at

$5.85

—Their maker has been angling for our business for some time. He made quite a concession in price—these new suits at $5.85 result. They include:
—**Norfolk Suits with extra knickers**
—**Junior Suits with extra knee pants**

Norfolk Suits—Pinch-back or plaited coats. Cassimeres and tweeds in gray and brown mixtures. Both kinds of pants full lined. Sizes 8 to 18. $5.85.

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Men's Winter Suits Go at

—Last Day
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$12.50

—This clean-sweep sale takes in practically our entire stock of Winter Suits.
—Not one suit was originally less than $15; most of them were $18 and $20, a few were even more.
—If we followed the market instead of our store policy we would mark prices up instead of down. Because we cannot replace any suit in this sale next fall at $12.50.
—But our policy is to clean stocks every season—so out goes every suit at $12.50.

—**All good suits from regular stock.**
—**Materials are serges, worsteds and mixtures.**
—**Sizes to fit every man from 33 to 46.**
—**Suits for youths, young men and men.**
—**Suits for big men.**
—**Styles conservative or daring.**
—**Sack and pinch-back coats.**
—**Form-fitting, English and belted models.**

—Sale ends Saturday night. We don't say this to hurry you in—simply to let you know that the earlier you act Saturday the better your choice. $12.50.

Men's Trousers: A Sale at $2.50

—Just 300 pairs and it's safe to say that it will be a long time before we see their equal at $2.50.

—Neat cassimeres and worsteds in dark striped patterns for shop or business wear. Smart to freshen up one's suit.

—Young men's models with cuff bottoms. Men's models with plain or cuff bottoms. All sizes; 28 to 44 waist measurement.

Men's Good Shirts, $1.15

—Pay 10c more and get a "regular shirt." Fine count percales, fancy oxford weaves, firmly woven madras. All tub proof materials and splendid workmanship.

—Styles—negligees or plaited, soft or stiff cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17; sleeve lengths 33 to 35. Choice, $1.15.

Pajamas, $1.15
—Soft percales that you'll be glad to get next to. Plain blue, pink or pongee; also stripes. Finished with frogs.

Men's Hose, 29c
—English lisle hose that are making us many friends. Reinforced toes, heels and soles, navy, smoke, white, tan and grey.

New Hats for Wise Heads

—Soft hats in all the smart Spring shades and shapes at $2.00.
—$2.00 for new Black Derbies.

Stetson Hats
—Soft and Derbies, $4.00.

Men's Better Shoes at $5.00

Values are as good as in former seasons, though leathers, etc., have advanced from 20 to 30%.

—Before you men part with your $5.00 for shoes you had better look at these. From sole to upper they are made of real leather—not the composition stuff you are all likely get nowadays for $5.00. And the styles are as good as the material and workmanship. See here:

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—Gunmetal Calf, lace or button style
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—Several other styles at $14.75 feature the new collar effects, odd shaped pockets, belts, etc. Lined with fancy or plain color silks.

Suits at $19.75
—One of the models made of an excellent quality all-wool poplin, in black or navy blue. Just 50 small bone buttons trim the coat at sides, back and sleeves. Graceful hanging skirt with belt.
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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 2.

British recaptured 800 yards of German trenches along the Ypres canal, Belgium, which were lost Feb. 14.

After three days of comparative inaction the Germans resumed their assaults on Verdun, gaining ground in the north at Douaumont.

Russians captured fortified city of Bitlis, Armenia, 110 miles south of Erzerum.

British government instructions given armed merchantmen stated that armament is solely for resisting attack by an armed enemy vessel; also stated that fire may be opened in self defense in order to prevent hostile submarines and aircraft from closing in.

Two Years Ago Today.

Germany offered to modify submarine warfare if the allies would allow foodstuff to reach Germany's civil population.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1917.

ARMING MERCHANT VESSELS

It is apparent, by the vote of 402 to 13, in the House of Representatives last night, which passed the bill authorizing the President to arm merchant vessels, that there is a preponderance of sentiment in this country, in favor of protecting our national claim to the peaceful use of the seas for commerce, even if we have to fight for it. The patriotic demonstration on the floor of the House, when the vote was announced left little doubt of the determination of the American people, through their representatives, to stand by their rights, in a condition that is not of our own making, but which has been forced upon us by the quarrels of others. Analyzing the condition by a concrete example more vividly illustrated by a local condition, suppose a fight takes place between two or three scrappers on the sidewalk of a public street, which is often an occurrence in any city. Along comes a citizen who has no interest or part in the scrap, and finds the sidewalk blocked by the belligerents, and his progress to business impeded, just because some others with personal grievances have taken occasion to use the highway to settle their differences. The peaceful citizen is willing to step out in the street, although abating his inalienable right by so doing, but just then he finds that the belligerents have not only blocked the whole street, but warn him not to try to pass. He would still further abate his rights, by going a long way around, a distance of several blocks, but they warn him that he will be annihilated if he does not turn back, and go home and stay there. Then the citizen begins to wonder if he has no rights on the highway, and gets very mad about it, when he realizes that brigands have taken possession of the highway, refusing him the privilege of its use, and leaving him the impression that in their armed condition and he unarmed, he is not safe, even in his home, if the brawl continues. Then it is that he has to take measures for the safety of himself and family, and with every right of a freeman, puts himself in a position to defend himself, and to be one with others, in the efforts to force his way through the armed mob in the actual peaceful pursuits of business, the rights of which are assured him by the Constitution of his country. This is about a parallel picture, drawn from nearer home, the application of which can be easily seen by anyone. It is assumed that the peaceful citizen has pursued every course to avoid quitting in the fray, and has been patient, even when his personal rights and duties to himself have been interfered, but there are limitations to one's patience, and a time when he must put him in a attitude to defend himself.

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Large Bag Fancy Bread Flour, $1.25
Large Package Mother's Oats, with china 25c
Yellow Corn Meal, lb 5c; 6 lbs 25c
Blue Diamond Fancy California Peaches, 2 lbs 25c
Fancy Creamery Butter, per lb 42c
Fresh, Strictly Fresh Eggs. 'Price coming down every day.
Fresh Ground Horse Radish, bottle 10c
Columbia River Salmon, No. ½ cans, 2 for 25c
Fancy White Clover Honey, 1 lb box 25c
Blue Label Ketchup, bottle 22c, 12c
G. & M. Fish Flakes, can 12c, 18c
Burnham's Clam Chowder, No. 1 Can 12c
Imported Sardines in Tomato Sauce, 2 cans 25c
Fancy American Sardines, in Oil, 4 cans 25c
Pure Codfish, 1 lb bricks 18c
Beardsley's Shredded Codfish, 2 10c pkgs. 25c
Fancy California Prunes, 2 lbs 25c
Lenox Laundry Soap. Special, 7 cakes 25c
Large Rolls Toilet Paper, 5c; 6 for 25c
Safety Matches, pkg. 10c; 2 for 25c
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AN UNUSUAL opportunity to rent a six-room bungalow with garden in Dunellen; all modern improvements; no small children. Address T. O. Box 428, M. P. C., Dunellen, N. J. 2-24-6t

FOR RENT—Small house, all improvements, acre ground, orchard, garage, chicken house. 1310 Park avenue. 2-1-3t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willower street; 6-room house, 207 Mason place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

(ADDITIONAL CENT-A-WORDS ON OPPOSITE PAGE)

ROOMS AND BOARD

DESIRABLE BOARD. 222 East Fifth street. 1-31-1m

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. Miss Kline, 21 Sandford avenue. 2-3-1m

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A PRIVATE boarding house has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

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FARMS FOR SALE, RENT OR EXCHANGE

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AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2286-M. 6-6-1y.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE AND LIVING COSTS

The intimate relation between Domestic Science teaching and living costs lies along two lines. First, many familiar points are insisted upon by domestic science schools. Such are the saving made by personal visits to markets, economy of buying in large quantities, utilization of waste portions of meat and other foods, reducing meat costs through selection and cookery of cheaper cuts, preserving fruits and vegetables, etc. Another line of economics brought out by domestic science trainers is less familiar. This deals with losses that ordinary housekeepers sustain through false motions, wrongly placed tools, failure to arrange and classify utensils. *The workman's bench in a* modern factory is a study in reduction of motions. Every tool is so placed that the reach for it is as short as possible. All are so classified that the worker does not spend any time thinking where any particular one is placed. The ordinary kitchen is different. Utensils for getting a meal are mixed with those for clearing away a meal, or for other purposes. Time is spent in hunting for tools. There is much lost motion. Furthermore a great many women fatigue themselves at sinks or tables placed at a wrong height. Women's inability to do housework is commonly merely weariness doing it in an untrained way. The wrong placing of stoves, sinks, store rooms, kitchen and dining room table supplies, kitchen and china closets, multiplies the number of steps, and the worker is tired before the day's work is half done. Experts in these lines have produced elaborate time studies showing the possibilities of reduction of motion.

BACK YARD VEGETABLES

The back yard vegetable garden next summer will be no joke. When potatoes, onions, cabbage, etc., are selling at prices two to five times *above the ordinary figures* it is time for the consumer to do something other than read the papers and curse the middleman. Conditions like these seem bound to continue while the war lasts. Many of our food products are being deposited at the bottom of the ocean by the German submarines. It is time for the man who has money enough to buy a hoe and energy enough to wield it to get busy in the back yard. It is commonly complained that after you pay the expenses of a back yard garden there is no profit. That may be true where the householder hires all the heavy work done. Also, he would better ask a little advice of experienced gardeners at the various stages of the game. But the earth is fruitful. If properly encouraged with good seed and patient care quite a dent can be made in the grocery bill.

WAS THIS PROPHETIC?

At midnight in his guarded tent
The Turk was dreaming of the hour
When Greece, her knee in suppliance bent
Should tremble at his power.
He woke to hear the sentries shriek:
"To arms they come! The Greek! The Greek!"
The Greek!"

Did Fitz-Greene Halleck write more wisely than he knew in prophecy for a later generation?

EDITORIAL NOTES

The neutral powers propose to back up the United States by solemnly resolving that we shall be the goat.

If that leak committee doesn't hurry up the speculators won't know where to get advance information about the next break.

It was finally decided before the literacy law was passed not to require immigrants to pass an examination in algebraic equations and Latin grammar.

There is a considerable number of the present residents of this country who might learn to read and write without any terrible suffering.

Uncle Sam will stand it quite a while with some one's foot on his neck, but when he is called on also to kiss the foot the ou gentleman says it is carrying things a "leetle mite" too far.

Formerly they used to observe *Washington's Birthday by reading* his farewell address, but now they do it by sticking up red paper hatchets around the room.

At another season of the year Lincoln's Birthday would be celebrated by attending the ball game, but in February the only way of doing reverence to his memory is to go to the movies.

In every Congressional district a number of self-sacrificing patriots have appeared who are willing to help their country in case of war by handling the war supply business.

If the war does not leave any other lesson upon Europe it will have taught by the scarcity of food supplies the value of whole wheat or whole wheat flour in the making of bread, and will make the value of stale bread apparent as a health food. It is a strenuous lesson, and war was not needed for anybody's health, but it may leave some little good in its wake if it makes healthier stomachs.

Still great indignation will be felt if the business of handling war supplies should go to engineers, experts, scientists and soldiers instead of to faithful political friends.

It is decided at Washington not to ask permission of any European king before constructing further the Government of the United States.

When the farmers announce a meeting to discuss community uplift it usually means that they are going to talk higher prices for milk and vegetables.

Uncle Sam will know all about plumbers' bills when the leak investigators hand in their expense accounts.

Anyway, if the country can only raise a good hay crop this summer we shall have our favorite breakfast foods.

Among our most progressive daylight savers is Uncle Reuben, who for 75 years has been going to bed at dark and getting up at 5 a. m.

They may laugh at old-fashioned valentines, but in those days of tender sentimental stirrings the divorce courts weren't busy.

Intense indignation is felt by the people against the distribution of pork and intense enthusiasm in behalf of the politicians who spend all their time distributing it.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Suggests Electric Flag for School

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

I read in your issue of the Courier-News, dated February 26 last, an article regarding an electric American flag fought and maintained by the school children of Joliet, Ill., and think that there is not a more substantial way of impressing patriotism on their minds. There have also been several articles in your People's Forum saying that there is not enough patriotism taught in our schools and would say that the flag would create as much patriotism and draw their attention to this fact about as much as anything that could be done.

Everything at the present time seems to be urging preparedness and patriotism, and I think that if the people of Plainfield want their children to be interested in such thoughts we could have buttons made, which would sell for ten cents, and with the co-operation of the principals, teachers and business men of the city it would be an easy matter to raise the required amount of money to erect an electric American flag here.

What would be more patriotic or of greater credit to the city than the erection of such a symbol on one of the public school buildings in Plainfield? Why not "America first" in Plainfield?

J. GARRETSON.

Care of Animals

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

Sir—Having read the letter from Mrs. Van Hoesen in your valuable paper I was greatly interested in it and certainly do agree with her. Her remarks were very true and realistic. I do not wish to accentuate the present labor conditions existing, which probably not any of us can help, but any true lover of animals cannot but note the difference between experienced and inexperienced drivers.

I heard a prominent merchant of this city say that the more ignorant a man is the more brutality he shows to animals.

It is often the fault of the owners, who sometimes expect their men to cover two routes in one morning and get dinner about three o'clock. One cannot expect hungry men to be kind to anything. I used to be careless about ordering goods until too late, but when I forgot now I punish myself by going without.

There must be quite a number of animal lovers in this beautiful city. Why not get together and help Mrs. Van Hoesen by boycotting such firms who allow their drivers to use whips over a few minutes at any long? I should think it would help a business to pay a premium to his employes handling horses on the condition that they keep them in. It would save veterinary expense and facilitate his deliveries; also enlarge his trade.

S. SYKES.

Replies to J. K. Arnold's Letter

Editor Courier-News:

Dear Sir:—Will you kindly give space to the following statement in answer to J. K. Arnold's letter in your issue of the 27th?

As Mr. Arnold puts his case in his communication he is a very much abused and underpaid official, but as a matter of fact, no one would expect the custodian to keep the accounts and render the reports he does for $50. Mr. Arnold, however, presents only a part of the story. By law the collector of taxes is custodian of school funds, and by law the remuneration (not salary) of the custodian of school funds is fixed by the Board of Education.

To the position of tax collector there is attached a salary of $1,500 a year, and an allowance of $480 for clerk hire, making a total of $1,980. While this amount of itself seems to be an ample compensation for his whole time, the Board of Education voted Mr. Arnold $50 a year as compensation. They could have made it $1, which I believe is the honorarium paid the mayor and they have been within their rights, or they could have given him a vote of thanks is done by many school boards in the State.

At one time the Board was asked to fix the remuneration of the custodian at $200 a year, but it very wisely refused to do so; it also refused wisely or otherwise to fix the remuneration at $10, which being in the nature of a tip or expression of good-will would, in my judgment, have been generous to a man who is already receiving the salary that attaches to his other office of collector. A more friendly board might make the remuneration to Mr. Arnold $100 or $200 or $500 and be within the law. Do the taxpayers wish still further burdens laid on them?

JUDD STEWART.
57 Willow avenue.

A TALK to COAL BUYERS

This company, in its advertising, has endeavored to impress upon the coal buying public, that by virtue of its organization and wholesale connections, it is in a position to render service of a particularly efficient kind, a service not possible to every dealer in coal.

This winter, during the coal shortage, this service has been put to the test, and how well our organization has met it can best be vouched for by our customers. We have not only taken care of all our orders, but we have furnished coal to other dealers as well, and we point to our ability to care for our trade under the exceptional conditions that have presented themselves, with considerable pride, for we feel that our claim to be able to serve the public satisfactorily at all times and under all conditions, has been amply demonstrated.

If we are not already serving you, would it not be wise to become one of our regular customers, and thus place your coal burden on responsible shoulders?

Give us the opportunity; we will serve you well.

The BOICE, RUNYON COMPANY
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PARK at NORTH AVENUE
Coal, Lumber and Masons' Materials

Each day of the month suggests a new reason why the phonograph in your home should be

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TWO ROOMS, in good location, private family; references required. Address "Furnished," or phone 1142-J. 2-24-6t

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TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, steam heat. 208 East Front street. 3-1-3t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, very central, in private family. 602 Madison avenue. 3-1-2t

PLEASANT large and small furnished rooms to let. 110 West Second street.

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-2-2t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family. 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 2-20-6t

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 1f-

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

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$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. *Telephone 995.* 12-2-tf

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

125-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, for sale, $15,000; will rent to responsible party one year for $1,500; good house, barns, silo and fertile land. Apply Owner, 560 Tremont avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2-2-1m

FOR SALE—Country home of 30 acres on River road, main auto road, two miles Bound Brook; 800 feet frontage; attractive river view bungalow; 11 rooms, 2 baths, all improvements; in excellent condition and partly furnished; barns, poultry houses, modern machinery; garages; ideal for country club, boarding house or road house; ideal location; price $18,600; terms; closed for winter. Box 49 Third street, Weehawken, N. J. 2-28; 3-2,7,9,14,16,21,23

SACRIFICE—Less than assessed value, 2 lots, 50x170, West Eighth street, near Monroe avenue. Inquire M. H. Gaillard, 2299 Broadway, New York City, or Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 2-28-3t

FARM FOR SALE—22 acres, mile and half from Plainfield; 8-room house, barn. Inquire Jannuzzi Bros., 88 Coddington avenue. 2-26-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Roed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, *five dollars down, five* payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-*

POULTRY

GET DR. HESS BOOK POULTRY CULTURE—It's free. You never saw a book like this on it. It explains the anatomy of the hen, her digestive organs, the egg organs, poultry diseases and how to treat them. Dr. Hess Poultry Pan-a-ce-a will make your hens lay now; when eggs are worth real money; it tones up the dormant egg organs; it brings back the scratch and cackle. If it does not do these things for your hens, your dealer will refund your money. Get your copy of Dr. Hess Book Poultry Culture at once from any of the following dealers: A. Brooks, 204 Watchung avenue; Union Grain Co., 246 East Third street; Joseph Harrigan, 40 Somerset street; Nischwitz & Son, 53 Race street; H. W. Phillips, South Plainfield; E. Marfinz, Watchung; C. S. Day, New Market; O. W. Ellis, Bound Brook; Meyer Bros., Scotch Plains.

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FOR ROUP use Dr. Hess Roup Remedy. Get it from my dealers.

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WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—For April 1st, three or four rooms for light housekeeping, all or part improvements; best references. Address P. O. Box 620, Plainfield. 2-19-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1226 West Front street. 2-23-tf

WANTED TO LEASE farm of about 60 acres, stocked farm preferred; will take over stock; must be in good condition. Address Farm, care Courier-News. 2-26-6t

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F." 224 Clinton avenue. 2-28-4t

MIDDLE-AGED English speaking lady would like one or two unfurnished rooms in or close to center of Dunellen. Address P. O. Box 513, Dunellen. 2-28-3t

LIST your properties with me for April and May rentals at once. John H. Doane, 149 North avenue. 3-2-3t

WANTED—House, six or seven rooms, all improvements, available May first, for small family adults. Address "M. C. R.," care Courier-News. 3-2-3t

WANTED—Year round house, barn, chicken house, garden; acreage preferred; reasonable rent. Address "Full Information" care Courier-News. 3-2-2t

WANTED—By a childless married couple, three or four unfurnished rooms. John Hunt, 1219 North avenue, City. 'Phone 1004-W. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Small house or first floor flat, 5 or 6 rooms, improvements; rent not to exceed $25.00. Address "Box 600," care Courier-News. 2-20-12t

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Upright piano, cheap for cash. P. O. Box 653, Plainfield. 2-1-1m

WANTED — Gentleman's bicycle, high frame, good condition, and cheap. 'Phone 1308-R. 3-1-2t

WANTED — Chicken wire, two portable hovers, also second-hand lumber or barn. Address "Hovers," care Courier-News. 3-1-2t

CADILLAC touring car wanted, 1915-1916, $10 South avenue, Westfield. 'Phone 4709 Broad. 3-1-3t

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WHITE woman wants laundry work for Mondays and Tuesdays. Address "T. D.," care Courier-News.

WOMAN wants washing to do at home. 24 Harmony street.

WOMAN desires place at general housework for small family; no laundry. 620 East Third street.

STENOGRAPHER wishes position; well educated; beginner; salary reasonable. "Position," care Courier-News. 2-28-3t

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 32 Somerset street, Plainfield. 2-16-tf

WANTED—Pipe fitters for street and inside work. Public Service Coal Co., 249 East Fourth street. 2-24-6t

WANTED—Man, experienced, for a Ford delivery; high security required. Kornfield's Bakery. 2-28-tf

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BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. M. Runyon, 34-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

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WANTED for outdoor work one day a week. Holt, 949 Kensington avenue. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—All round machinists; good wages and short hours. Apply Bell Electric Motor Co. 3-1-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

WATCH for auction sale Saturday, March 3d, at 2 p. m. at 218 West Front street, near Grove; household furniture, etc., will be sold, viz.: three lots of storage goods, 6-piece cherry parlor suits, 2 chiffoniers, 2 extension tables, 2 bedroom tables, 3 bureaus, 1 mahogany rocker, 1 sewing machine, 1 settee, 2 leather covered couches, 1 pier mirror, 1 hall rack, settee, barrels and contents, 2 writing desks, 1 clothes chest and contents, 2 mantel clocks, 1 music box with 27 records, 1 Morris chair, 1 Edison phonograph and 4 whatnots, 2 sideboards, ice garden tools, grindstone, 2 lots bric-a-brac, several wall pictures, two lots of wall paper, etc. Goods must be sold. Robert Murray, auctioneer.

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 8-23-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1246 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Furniture of refined home, including Hardman upright piano, like new, $125 cash, or good terms. Address "South," care Courier-News. 2-28-4t

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

GRAFLEX CAMERA, 4x5 with developing, printing and enlarging outfits for sale; cost $140, sell $70. 612 West Front street. 2-23-tf

40-50 LOADS of one-year-old manure for sale, the best to be had. Frank Marienschek, 96 Jefferson avenue. 2-27-5t

PARLOR, bed-room furniture, rugs, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order, no use for same, $50 cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE — Portable chicken coop, 7 4x4; bargain. 630 East Second street. 2-1-3t

GREAT SACRIFICE for $75, cash or barter, fine mahogany upright piano, like new standard make. Call 230 West Sixth street, between Grant and Lee place. 2-1-2t

ALMOST NEW bullet, dining room table, rug, bed room and other furniture, cheap. 421 Plainfield avenue, first flat. 2-26-2t; 3-2

NOTICE—Eight beautiful White Wyandotte hens and cockerel, $25; 8 fine young White Wyandotte pullets and cockerel, $17.50; 8 Rhode Island Red pullets, $11.25, and 9 hens, $1.50 each; Sicilian Buttercup cock and 3 hens (beauties), $5.00; 5 Rose Comb Black Minorca hens, $1.50; 2 Black Javas, $1.50; 1 Silver Laced Wyandotte, $1.25; 12 Barred Rock pullets and one cockerel (March hatch), $21.00; 1 Silver Campine cock and 6 hens, $15.50; 5 baby chicks, 15c each; 1 Buff Orpington cock, 2 cockerels, 2 pullets, 5 hens, reasonable. White Wyandotte hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15. Large flock of Brown Leghorns and mottled Ancona pullets will be in Tuesday, $1.25 each. Marshall, 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE—Household furniture, in good condition; Yale motorcycle, in good running order, $75.00. Mrs. Keuning, South avenue, Fanwood. 3-1-3t

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 924 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 2-1-1m

HEAVY and light horses for sale, also wagons and harness; price right to quick buyer. L. C. Whitall, Fox Park avenue. 2-26-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-13-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Veilnsky, 516 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

AUCTION SALE

Auction sale of toys, doll carriages, dolls, ball bearing roller skates, children's writing desks, leather goods, in fact, toys of all kinds, slightly damaged by water, will be sold to the highest bidder on Saturday, March 3, at 10 a. m. sharp. Do not miss this chance of a lifetime to get the finest line of toys, slightly damaged. Do not forget the number, 258 East Front street. W. A. Schorb, auctioneer. 3-1-2t

FOR SALE—Peerless Hondan setting eggs, from Blue Ribbon Winners, $1.00. 28 Stone street. 3-2-3t

HAVING purchased automobile will sell my horse, rubbertired carriage, glass mounted harness, blanket and sleigh; cost hundred and fifteen dollars; takes outfit. Chas. Seymour, 315 Rosehill place, Elizabeth, N. J. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE—Lumber in very good condition, and lot of crates for shipping poultry; also lady's side saddle, perfect order. 'Phone 1111 Park avenue, 842 East Front street. 3-2-3t

FOR SALE—Barred Rocks of today, have about 15 of the best cockerels ever hatched, bred from prize stock first and second special cock and special on shape. To improve your stock don't miss the chance. Charles Meyer, Scotch Plains. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE—Gas stove and hot water heater, also other household effects. Call 744 Carlton avenue. 'Phone 1161-J. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE CHEAP—Boynton Newpoint range with water back. Stone street. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE—Platform spring wagon cheap. 29 Maple avenue. 3-2-2t

FOR SALE—Second-hand sash and panel doors, 75c each. 71 Pearl street. 2-28-3t

FOR SALE—A Sherapon dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mowes, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 2-8-1m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, R. F. D. No. 2. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Wyandotte hatching eggs, guaranteed heavy winter layers, $1.25 per setting of 15. A. Barling, South Terrill road, near East Seventh St., Fanwood, N. J. 3-2-2t

WINDING, block and grate wood. P. Freeman, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN Our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high grade bicycles cash or installment. Harvford Cycle Co., 845 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

HELP WANTED—Male or Female.

WANTED—Bright, reliable person to help in small bake shop. Address "B. K." care Courier-News. 2-1-3t

WANTED—Instructor of English, reading, spelling and writing for evenings. "I. I. E.," 44 Somerset street. 2-28-3t

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

J. R. COUGHLIN, Netherwood, general contractor, landscape gardening and grading. Estimates furnished. 2-17-12t

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WANTED—Position; handy man in factory or on estate; experienced at carpenter work, painting, general work of all kinds. Address "A. H." care Courier-News. 2-28-3t

YOUNG MAN desires position as caretaker for gentleman's place, used to horses; willing to drive; good recommendations. Address "Caretaker," care Courier-News. 3-2-2t

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GIRL WANTED for light factory work. B. A. Paroubek, 15 Watchung avenue. 2-28-3t

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Apply 1204 Martine avenue, 'Phone 728-J. 3-1-2t

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and have first-class reference. Call 1211 Putnam avenue. 3-1-3t

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WANTED—White waitress-chambermaid, with references. Apply 318 West Seventh street. 3-1-3t

WANTED—A general housework girl; four in family; good wages. "H. N." care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Woman as cook and laundress. 416 West Seventh street. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Competent girl for cooking and to assist with housework and laundry; also waitress and chambermaid, to help with children; none without reference need apply. 672 West Seventh street. 2-2-3t

WANTED—Woman to take charge of housekeeping and common help. Apply Superintendent, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-2-1t

WANTED—Woman for occasional day's work. 60 Summit avenue. 3-2-3t

WANTED—Stenographer in law office. Address Isaac P. Runyon, 152 Park avenue. 3-2-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework (white), one who can wash and iron. Apply Ahern's Restaurant, 119 North avenue.

WANTED—Milliner's apprentice. Mme. Louise, 309 Park avenue. 3-2-2t

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WANTED—White girl as waitress, one accustomed to boarding house preferred. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-1-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl for housework by the month; no cooking. Apply 210 East Front street. 3-1-3t

WANTED—Honest, reliable girl, about 17, to do light housework in morning and care for baby in afternoon; will pay good salary and give good home to right party. Address "A. O." care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Brindle bull dog. Hallard, 'phone 2058-R. 2-21-6t

LOST—On March 1st, coral rosary beads somewhere on Front street or in some store on Front street. Reward for return to Courier-News. 3-2-2t

LOST—On train arriving Plainfield Tuesday evening 5:58, large brown package. Reward. Tel. 547-R. 3-1-2t

LOST—Over $30 in paper money, on Watchung avenue, between Front and Fifth streets. Liberal reward if returned to the Courier-News.

LOST—On street, black patent leather pocketbook, containing strip ticket and money. Reward for return to 826 East Front street, or 'phone 1847. 3-2-2t

LOST—Tuesday, black, white and tan hound dog, short legs. Reward for return to H. Miller, South Avenue, Fanwood. 3-1-3t

LOST—Savings account book No. 5488 on City National Bank. Payment has been stopped. Return to 120 Park avenue. 3-2-2t

FOUND—On Sunday, hound dog, black on back, white chest and brown ears, white nose. Inquire 427 Plainfield avenue. 2-28-3t

LOST—White setter with black spots, male. Reward for return to W. B. Tyler, 1422 Evergreen avenue. 2-28-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Five rooms and bath. Inquire W. Callahan & Son, 200 Richmond street.

TO LET—Four rooms for light housekeeping, city water and gas, part of garden, rent $9.00. 42 Wilson avenue. 3-2-3t

THREE and four rooms to let; improvements. Inquire 211 New street. 2-28-tf

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NOTICE

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TUCKABATCHEE CLASS ISSUES PROSPECTUS

The Tuckabatchee class of the Congregational Sunday School has issued an interesting prospectus, giving a list of the many activities of the class, officers and committees. The outline of studies includes "Problems of a Livelihood," "Problems of Social and Family Relationships," "Physical Temptations" and "Problems of Service."

The regular club meeting night is the second Thursday of each month. Norman D. Laughlin is the class president and James McClymont leader.

LIBRARY STATION IN EMERSON SCHOOL

The east end station of the Public Library heretofore housed in the Netherwood Reformed church has been moved to the Emerson public school building, from which the circulation of books will take place Saturday afternoons.

SOCIETY PLANS CONCERT

The Plainfield Dental Society has made plans to give a concert in the Plainfield High School Easter Monday night, April 9, the proceeds of which will be used to defray expenses of dental treatment for ward patients in Muhlenberg Hospital, who being there for other treatment need dental service also.

The society has been fortunate in securing Evan Williams and the Edith Rubel trio for the occasion, and the program is expected to be a very enjoyable one.

BOROUGH BOARD SENDS RESOLUTIONS

Every School Organization in State to be Notified of Recent Action

Every Board of Education in the State is being furnished this week a copy of the resolution passed on Monday evening by the North Plainfield Borough Board of Education regarding the selection of a custodian of school monies.

The resolution which was authorized to be sent out by the Borough Board reads as follows:

"Whereas, the law of the State provides that the Collector of Taxes shall be the Custodian of School Funds, and

Whereas, the Office of Collector of Taxes is an elective office and salary for which is paid by the Taxpayers, and

Whereas, the law provides that the Collector may refuse to act as Custodian of School Funds at the compensation fixed by the law is to be fixed by the School Board.

Resolved, that the President and Clerk of this Board be instructed to address a letter to the Representatives of this district, in the State Legislature and Senate requesting them to introduce and if possible have an enactment passed by the legislature authorizing and empowering Trust Companies or Banks to perform the work of and be Custodian of School Funds, and

Resolved, that it is the sense of this Board that where an elective officer receives a fair compensation for his services it is unjust and unfair to the taxpayers to be burdened with any additional expense in the way of salary for performing the services as provided by law, even when such services are not directly connected with the office to which he has been elected, and

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be enclosed to our representatives in the legislature and Senate and to all other boards of Education in the State."

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LOCAL YOUNG MAN WITH CURTISS COMPANY

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CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION

Since the resignation of Judd Stewart and R. C. Campbell as members of the borough Board of Education, names of several well-known citizens across the brook have been mentioned as candidates to be placed in nomination at the annual school meeting Tuesday evening, March 13. Both Messrs. Stewart and Campbell, with T. J. Currin, Jr., were three-year members on the board, and their terms of office expire April 1. It is believed that Mr. Currin will be a candidate for re-election at the meeting.

Among those whose names have been mentioned as probable candidates for school trustees include Edgar F. Sheppard, W. O. Taylor, A. C. Wadley and Grover Kipsey. Other candidates will no doubt loom up within the next fortnight.

PERSONAL

Emil Bruhner, of Broad street, Westfield, is a patient at Muhlenberg Hospital.

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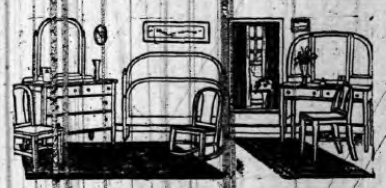

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FORTY CENTS FOR HAIRCUT IN MINNEAPOLIS

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Minn., March 2.—The high cost of living went higher in 18 loop barbershops today when men paid 40 cents for hair cuts and paid 20 cents for shaves.

FUNERAL POSTPONED

The funeral of Benjamin Gordon, of Clinton avenue, which was to have been held this morning, will not take place until tomorrow morning, as his parents, who are coming from Detroit, Mich., have been delayed and could not arrive in time for this morning. The funeral will be held from the house at 8:30 tomorrow morning and in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock.

WOULD HAVE GOOD SPELLING

Dr. H. M. Maxson, of the Public Schools, Tells of New Plan

IT REQUIRES DRILLING

Children Begin With Words of the Child's World and Are Obliged to Concentrate Upon Those They Mis-spell

"Spelling," says Dr. H. M. Maxson, superintendent of schools, "is one of the most criticised of the school subjects. Society has determined that ability to spell shall be one of the "hall marks" of an educated man. Since this is so, the school must give its pupils power to spell correctly, but the carrying out of this purpose involves many questions which are debatable.

"How many words shall we require them to learn? Must all children learn the words that the mason or carpenter or plumber or the business man expects his clerks to spell correctly? Shall we require children to learn scores of words they will never use in their own writing?

"In the past, schools as a whole, have failed to produce good spelling, because they have tried to cover too much ground. Spelling books contain 8,000 or 10,000 or more words. Another cause of failure is the inclusion of so many words that are outside of the child's world.

"In my efforts to increase the *efficiency of our work in spelling*, I have reached the conclusion that we should cut down the list of words to a minimum and strive to make sure that our pupils actually do fix the spelling of those words.

"Following out this plan, I have selected a minimum list of about 250 words for each of the grades. In the first five grades these words are chosen from the vocabulary that the children themselves use.

"In the higher grades I have introduced a number of other words not in the child's vocabulary but which he might need to use in meeting the demands of other people.

"These words have been printed in the form of a check list for each grade. The child is given the list for his own grade and the grade preceding. The teacher, at the beginning of the year, proceeds to test the child on the list of the previous grade, the pupil checking on his list each word that he fails to spell correctly. These checked words form the list which he especially needs to drill upon. After some weeks of drill, the list is again given, and each pupil checks up his error for still further study on the weak spots.

"When the words of the previous year have been perfected, the list of the grade is given in the same way, the aim being to detect the particular words that are difficult for the individual child and then to drill him on these special words until he attains practical perfection in spelling the list of his grade.

"Some years ago, Prof. W. Franklin Jones, of the University of South Dakota, devoted much time to the study of the words often mis-spelled by children in their compositions and letters, and from these he selected a list of 100 words most frequently mis-spelled.

"This list, which he calles the 'One Hundred Demons,' I have also printed in the form of a check list, and each grade is drilled especially on this three times a year. It is my belief that if we can fix the spelling of this one hundred words, we shall remove much of the criticism of poor spelling.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is sign you have been eating too much meat

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and lazy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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GAVE LECTURE AT LOCAL RESIDENCE

W. N. Weston, of Inner Life Society, Speaks at H. V. Colby's Home

Walter Newell Weston, of the Society of the Inner Life of New York, gave a most interesting lecture yesterday afternoon at the residence of Howard A. Colby, 1405 Evergreen avenue, this city. Mr. Weston said in part

"As the chicken breaks the shell and steps out into a new consciousness and expression, so men often break the shell of their old consciousness and find new realms of expression. The spiritually awakened of all ages have found that much experience is like the reality of play to the child. Most men are so deeply saturated with habit, or belief in the power of heredity, tradition, or conventionality, that, so far as doing original thinking is concerned, they are to all intents and purposes hypnotised. Jesus Christ was the only wholly unhypnotised man that ever walked the earth. He knew the nothingness of sin, sickness and even death, and the allness of truth, health and life. The balance of humanity is in the process of awakening from its illusions. Voluntarily or involuntarily, consciously or unconsciously each man draws to himself through his own thought just the experiences that conduce to his individual awakening, some men slowly and gently, others swiftly and even violently. It is only the knowledge of truth that will ever emancipate us from the bondage in which we find ourselves. The courageous man says, truth at any price, and thus stimulates the awakening process within. There is truth and a *solution for every problem, but it is* useless to seek the truth of the real self unless willing to awaken dormant faculties.

"Men would arouse themselves from their state of mental lethargy except for the fear of failure of opinions, of losing individuality or possessions. Thus they become negative at the very point where they should be dominant. Fear is the one great paralyzer of the will. As poverty is the conclusion of prosperity, sickness the conclusion of health, and failure the conclusion of success, so fear is the conclusion of faith. From a pin to a universe nothing is created except through faith. Is it any wonder that sin is defined as "whatsoever is not of faith?"

SAYS LACK OF THRIFT CAUSED PRESENT CONDITIONS

Kansas City, Mo., March 2.—That the United States is facing a serious economic condition as a result of the heavy burdens placed upon it by the war abroad and, by the proverbial unfitness of the rank and file of our population, was voiced recently by B. W. Strauss, president of the American Society for Thrift, in communication presented by him to the committee on *thrift education of the National Education Association*, of which Strauss is a member in session here, he declared that the present abnormal prices for commodities is an indication of serious conditions.

"I believe every member of this committee is willing to admit the seriousness of the economic situation of America," Strauss declared.

"While it is true that we as a nation are prosperous, it is equally incontrovertible that as individuals we are prodigal. In this country the records of the surrogate courts, for example, show that 82 per cent. out of every 100 men who die leave no income producing estates. Only 20 leave estates amounting to $50,000 or more. Out of every 100 women who are left widows only 18 are in good or comfortable circumstances. The others are obliged to go to work, and 82 are left either in absolute want or, to a great extent, objects of charity."

PREACHER PENSION FUND RAISED

By United Press

New York, March 2.—Bishop Lawrence, of Massachusetts, who sat himself right down in the midst of Wall street one year ago, and started to collect a $5,000,000 pension fund from all over the country for superannuated Episcopal preachers, completed his task today. He has the five million.

The pension list will provide not less than $600 annually for old age or disability; and from that up to half of the yearly salary. It will give widows of ministers not less than $300 annually, and orphans $100 annually up to 7 years; $200 from 7 to 14, and $300 from 14 to 21.

JUMPS FROM BRIDGE AND ESCAPES DEATH

John Brown, of Orient street, Bayonne, is a patient in the Elizabeth General Hospital, suffering from slight injuries received in jumping from the Broad street, Central Railroad bridge, that city, on Tuesday night.

Brown, it was stated, was walking across the bridge and as he neared the west end a train approached. Unable to reach the platform before the train arrived, he leaped over the iron railing and landed in Broad street. An ambulance took the fellow to the Elizabeth hospital, where he is convalescing.

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Norfolk Suits—cheviots, worsteds, wool cassimeres and tweeds—in plaids, checks, stripes and fancy mixtures—a great variety of gray, brown and green—majority with extra trousers—for ages 6 to 18 yrs.—our reg. $8.98 ..... 5.98

Boys' Spring Coats—navy serges, cheviots, worsteds, cheviots and tweeds in many colors—Norfolk and plain, pleated or shoulder cape—belt or velvet collar—full or half lined—serge or fancy linings—many with patch emblems on sleeve—4½ to 8 yrs. 3.98

Boys' Trousers—Cheviots, worsted and cassimeres, in variety of good patterns—also excellent quality of corduroy—straight and bricker—newer styles—many have change belt loops—4 to 17 years—best tailoring 1.37

Boys' Wash Suits—checks, mixtures, stripes and novelty patterns, in great variety—sizes or box pleated—in many styles too numerous to mention—majority with separate white piques—4 to 8 yrs. 3.98

Boys' Serge Suits—pure worsted—Norfolk styles and pleated models—various pleated models—also excellent fit-reform models—in dark colors—serviceable linen—trousers lined throughout—4 to 17 yrs.—unusual value 4.98

See Evening Journal or World for Special Sale of Untrimmed Hats

MORNING SPECIALS—Tomorrow, Saturday, Until 1 P. M.

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BOYS' FURNISHINGS—THIRD FLOOR.

98c Girls' Plaid Gingham Dresses .. 68 New Spring models—7 to 14 years—large and small plaid—contrast trimmings.

GIRLS' FURNISHINGS—SECOND FLOOR.

$8.98 Misses' Serge Dresses ..... 6.50 Empire style—very pleated models—with girdles—navy, green, burgundy—White collar and cuffs—14 to 17 yrs.—plenty of fancy models—36 to 38 chest.

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$4.98 Girls' Trimmed Hats ..... 3.45 Fancy straws—ribbons and small medium shapes—many colors—ribbon and flower trim.

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IN MEMORY

One of the most conspicuous and venerable figures in baseball passed when Tim Murnane died recently. The snow-white mustache and hair of the veteran baseball editor of the Boston Globe, his booming voice and his inspiring personality were points at baseball gatherings never to be forgotten. Murnane's death will be mourned generally by baseball players—not only in the majors, but in the smaller circuits. From the days when he left his position on the field to take up the task of writing his views on the national game and heading a baseball league, Murnane valiantly fought for the players' cause. No cause was too deeply involved, nothing too strong for the veteran to undertake. Murnane started as a famous ball player. He was a member of the Athletics who toured Europe in 1874. Later he was a member of the Hartford team and at one time managed and played first base for the Boston Union team. Murnane had the reputation of having discovered more players who made good as stars than any other man in baseball. Among his finds were Chick Stahl, Billy Nash, Ed Crane, Hugh Duffy, Tommy McCarty, Charlie Farrell, Mike Slattery and Martin Sullivan. Murnane left the diamond in 1886 to become baseball editor of the Boston Globe, and he never left his position there until death overtook him in a Boston theatre. He became famous as a writer through many notable "beats" he was able to land for his paper. His stories were conspicuous during the troublesome days of the Brotherhood for their clarity and truthfulness. Murnane organized and became president of the New England League, and through his energetic work in that office became vice president of the National Association of Minor Leagues and was a member of the National Board of Arbitration.

LOCAL GIRLS WIN AT BOWLING GAMES

Take Best Two Out of Three From Bound Brook Social Organization

The Columbian girls' bowling five visited Bound Brook last night and opposed the Bound Brook Social Club on the Presbyterian alleys. The Plainfield girls proved the better team and took two of three games. All three games were exciting and the victors could not be determined until the final frame. The Bound Brook girls won the second game by the narrow margin of three pins.

Mrs. H. B. Arnold captured first honors all around, registering high score and high average.

The Plainfielders were entertained after the match, and it is understood two or three more contests will be arranged.

BOUND BROOK				Ave
Mrs. Zimmerman	113	107	111	110
Mrs. Hagerman	106	110	122	112
Miss Dibble	80	77	97	83
Hodge	103	69	54	75
Mrs. Southard	114	129	104	116
	516	492	488	495

Total pins—1,496.

PLAINFIELD				Ave
Miss Doyle	148	105	94	116
Miss McAfee	114	105	135	118
Miss Schuck	113	95	89	100
Miss Harrington	76	67	99	81
Mrs. Arnold	152	117	155	141
	605	489	572	555

Total pins—1,666.

PINOCHLE CLUB RESULTS

Larry Scheelein, right bower of the Domino Club, proved the Moses last night in the borough pinochle contest, the Domino players stopping the barber shop team by taking two out of three. It was Scheelein's playing that won the series. The firemen also won the contest with the Independents two out of three.

PARISH GIRLS IN A GRAND FINISH

Defeat Hope Chapel Team by Rally in Last Few Moments of Contest

In a game just jammed with thrills of one sort and another the Hope Chapel girls' basketball team went down to defeat before the Scotch Plains Parish House aggregation last evening on the latter's court by a score of 13 to 7. The contest was one of the best to be staged on the Parish House court this season by feminine teams.

At the conclusion of the first half the Hope girls had the advantage in a 5 to 4 score, holding this slight lead until a moment or two prior to the close of the last period. Then Miss Head started a rally of the Plains forces and secured sufficient baskets to overcome the Plainfield lead and sew up the final result.

Monday evening the Hope girls will entertain the St. Mary's Social Club team at the chapel court, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Last evening's score:

HOPE CHAPEL	G.	F.	P.
Miss Overbaugh, f	3	1	7
Miss Snyder, f	0	0	0
Miss MacMillian, g	0	0	0
Miss Peterson, g	0	0	0
Miss Marsh, g	0	0	0
	3	1	7

PLAINS PARISH HOUSE	G.	F.	P.
Miss Bopp, f	2	0	4
Miss Head, f	1	1	3
Miss Hann, c	0	0	0
Miss Sauermilch, g	0	0	0
Miss Clark, g	0	0	0
	3	1	7

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East Enders Defeated by Union Five by Single Point in Hot Battle

SECOND TEAM WINS

The Inner-Triangle Club and Union Five basketball teams hooked up last night, the former quintet losing out by the score of 21 to 20.

In the first half the teams were evenly matched, each team taking turns at leading, and at the whistle were tied at 9-9. In the second half the I. T. C. team played rings around the Unionists and ran up a six-point lead. Just before the whistle, however, Pasch dropped one in and with two clean shots from the centre of the court by Clark, tied the score. In the extra five minutes Muir slipped one through the basket, the play winning the game.

The score:

UNION FIVE	G.	F.	P.
Pasch, f	1	2	4
Muir, f	2	0	4
Keating, c	1	0	2
Clark, g	3	1	7
Polling, g	0	4	4
	7	7	21

INNER TRIANGLES	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	6	6	18
Gullberg, f	1	0	2
Scruton, c	0	0	0
R. Cartwright, g	0	0	0
J. Cartwright, g	0	0	0
	7	6	20

Referee, Kyle; scorer, Hansen; timer, Collins.

In the preliminary game the Inner Triangle seconds won over the Union Five seconds in a close and interesting game.

The score:

TRIANGLE SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Adam, f	3	6	12
Morris, f	4	0	8
Western, c	4	0	8
Leacock, g	0	0	0
Carson, g	0	0	0
Colkins, g	0	0	0
	12	6	30

UNION FIVE SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
J. Newell, f	2	0	4
A. Smith, f	3	0	6
Clarkson, f	0	0	0
E. Smith, c	3	4	10
Connors, g	0	0	0
Schlick, g	2	0	4
	12	4	28

Referee, Davidson; timer, Collins; scorer, Fritts.

CHOIR BOY TEAMS IN SOME HOT CONTEST

Two quintets of the Grace church boys' choir fought it out in the parish house gym yesterday afternoon, the Decani five beating the Cantoris five 15 to 12.

DECANI	G.	F.	P.
Gunn, f	2	2	6
Thiers, f	0	0	0
Higgins, c	1	0	2
Gilbert, g	0	0	0
LeMaire, g	0	0	0
	5	5	15

CANTORIS	G.	F.	P.
McKay, f	1	3	5
Kellog, f	0	0	0
Mosher, c	2	0	5
Blair, g, f	0	1	1
Cottrell, g	0	0	0
	4	4	12

Referee, Johnson; timer, Smith.

B. P. O. E. MAINTAIN CITY LEAGUE LEAD

Make Clean Sweep Against Tabs While Imperials Take Two From Knights

EXTREMES IN SCORES

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE
Standing of the Teams

	W	L	HS	PC
B. P. O. E.	25	11	975	.694
K. of C.	21	15	957	.583
Imperials	20	16	965	.556
T. A. B. S.	6	30	949	.167

The Elks maintained their hold on the lead in the City Bowling League last evening when they took the entire set of games from the Tabs. The Abstainers had what is to be considered an off night, O'Keefe being the only man of that team to hold up under the heavy strain.

O'Keefe topped the high score of the evening at 226 in the first tilt and secured an average of 190.2. Waldorf of the Elks went him one better in the average line, making a mark of 191.1.

The Tabs broke to the extreme in their last game, having two men to drop below the 100 mark in the scoring column.

The scores:

B. P. O. E.				Ave
Vail	189	160	198	182
Causbrook	149	180	190	173
Kiely	155	189	193	179
Nash	175	167	145	162
Waldorf	192	215	167	191
	860	911	893	885

Total pins—2,664.

T. A. B. S.				Ave
Skinner	205	172	168	181
Force	135	150	140	141
Larew	109	130	79	106
Kyle	111	150	94	118
J. O'Keefe	236	152	184	190
	796	754	665	738

Total pins—2,215.

The Knights of Columbus took the first game from the Imperials last evening and then stopped, for the boroughites copped the other two. The splits on this series permitted the Knights to gain a little in the lead while taking three from the Tabs.

Voorhees came in for the honors, securing the high average of 198. He divided high score honors with Gates at the 213 chalk mark. Both teams did some good bowling, the opening and nightcap tilts being fairly tight.

The scores:

K. OF C.				Ave
Duffy	159	176	182	172
Sullivan	186	167	148	167
Wilson	179	149	166	164
Howe	166	190	179	178
Taylor	185	179	201	188
	875	861	877	871

Total pins—2,612.

IMPERIALS				Ave
Voorhees	192	213	189	198
Connolly	184	172	200	185
Conover	163	191	174	176
Menzenbach	159	151		155
McKenzie			188	188
Gates	157	213	160	176
	855	940	911	902

Total pins—2,706.

TRAP SHOOTING

Trapshooting has become very popular with the women who spend the winter season at Lakewood. So popular has the sport become that the Laurel House Gun Club has secured the services of Mrs. B. G. Earle, of New York, to give instruction to the fair Dianas who desire to know the whys and wherefore of the "sport alluring."

BOUND BROOK BEES CHAMPIONS OF THE CENTRAL JERSEY CIRCUIT

Defeat Somerville in Three Straight Contests—Set Up New High Team Score for Season—Westfield Second and Somerville Third

CENTRAL N. J. LEAGUE
Standing of the Teams

	W	L	HS	PC
Bound Brook	19	11	970	.633
Westfield	18	12	952	.600
Somerville	17	13	957	.567
North Plainfield	14	16	968	.467
Crawford	10	17	989	.370
Roselle Park	9	18	940	.333

The Bound Brook Bees, representatives of that burg in the Central New Jersey Bowling League, are today being heralded as the first champions of that circuit. The Bees clinched and nailed the title to the mast last evening when they did all sorts of things to Lou Roller's Somerville aggregation.

Some 400 or more bowling fans and fellowers, anticipating something out of the ordinary, gathered at Eisler's Bound Brook alleys, and they were certainly repaid for their visit. Not only did the Bees make a clean sweep of the entire set of games, but they set up a new high team score of 970, just two pins above the previous high mark of 968 set up in mid-season by the North Plainfield aggregation.

The Bound Brookers were just naturally in trim for such an event as last evening's affair, for they maintained a team average of 945.1, which is going some!

Six scores of the double century type were set up during the course of the evening, five of which went to the Bees. Wall secured a pair of these with 224 as high score and averaged 208.2. "Pete" Koechlin also secured a brace of the double century scores and one each went to Carl, Snyder and Roller.

The scores:

SOMERVILLE				Ave
Roller	167	221	188	192
Stabile	164	165	194	174
McCarig	179	149	146	158
Vliet	146	132	196	158
Mathews	174	143	176	164
	820	809	844	824

Total pins—2,473.

BOUND BROOK				Ave
Koehler	180	180	168	176
Wall	205	197	224	208
Snyder	159	159	206	174
P. Koechlein	215	206	189	203
Carl	159	203	173	178
	918	870	941	846

Total pins—2,839.

PARK CLUB FIVE BACK TOURNEY

The Park Club five-back bowling tourney was continued last evening with seven pinners participating in the affair. H. K. Dumont, J. A. Watson and Lamar Van Syckle were the point winners.

The scores:

		Games			With	Wout	
	H	1	2	3	H	H	H
Hammann	30	39	50	32	151	121	30
R. D. Race	19	41	51	36	153	130	23
Sandford	30	34	38	42	144	114	30
Dr. Herring	30	39	45	32	146	116	30
Dr. Hetman	30	29	42	28	129	99	30
Hassel	30	34	36	35	135	105	30
Weeks	30	57	31	48	166	136	30
Best	23	41	51	27	151	128	27
Russell	21	34	49	46	156	129	29
Watson	25	53	54	43	173	150	23
Sufferns	30	29	42	40	151	121	30
Dumont	14	49	55	50	188	174	10
Stewart	28	37	44	37	146	118	30
Van Syckle	27	44	56	48	175	148	24
Barnett	30	37	48	49	184	154	30
Sharrett	25	40	43	51	159	134	27

EMPLOYED BOYS IN A CLEAN-CUT VICTORY

Last night on the Scotch Plains Parish House court the Employed Boys' Brotherhood of the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Parish House quintet 22 to 11. Burner and Conover, North Plainfield H. S. athletes, were easily the stars. Each finding the hoop a number of times during the session. Clotworthy, a new recruit, played well for the home five. The first half ended 11 to 4 in favor of the association five.

The score:

EMPLOYED BOYS	G.	F.	P.
Burner, f	3	5	11
Conover, f	4	0	8
Compton, c	3	0	6
Wallers, g	0	0	0
Singer, g	1	0	2
Miller, g	0	0	0
Chandler, g	0	0	0
	11	5	27

SCOTCH PLAINS	G.	F.	P.
Hodge, f	1	1	3
Carrona, f	2	0	4
Clotworthy, c	1	1	3
Roy, g	0	0	0
Ward, g	0	0	0
	4	2	10

Referee, S. Day; timer, Bohl; scorer, Eaton.

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IN FIELD OF SPORTS

HERE'S SOMETHING NEW IN TACTICS

N. P. H. S. Girls Break Into Print With Something Novel and Original

New Brunswick, Feb. 27.—"Won by a tickle" is a new basketball phrase. New Brunswick High School girls, who were defeated by the North Plainfield High School girls' quintet here today by a score of 18 to 9, attribute their defeat to the fact that whenever they were about to shoot a basket the Plainfield girls tickled them, and made them drop the ball. Nothing could be found in the rules about tickling, hence their repeated protests were disregarded by the referee.

Here is a new job for the basketball rules committee.—New York Sun.

Now, then, North Plainfield, will you be good! The dispatch as printed above appeared in yesterday morning's New York Sun, and as we have said in many like cases, the truth will out. One never can tell about these boroughites when they get away from home and from the ever watchful eyes of Aungst, Earley & Co.

But, then, we hardly can believe that the borough maidens would stoop to this level in conquering. It really must have been just a joke, this tale of unheard-of doings. Something somewhere, believe us. We can hardly bring ourselves to see just why the Canadians could get into the humor to use any such tactics as this. Impossible!

And then again, you never can tell, for it's a great life if you don't weaken.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL IN ONE-SIDED CONTEST

The local Grammar School recovered from its defeat at Westfield Wednesday by coming back and trouncing the Garwood Grammar School yesterday by the score of 24 to 8.

At the end of the first half Grammar School led by fourteen points, 18 to 4. In the second half the Plainfielders rolled up sixteen more points, while Garwood made only four.

The score:

PLAINFIELD	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	4	0	8
Brancati, f	5	0	10
Randolph, s	4	0	8
Adelman, g	0	0	0
Mowen, g	2	0	4
Spicer, c	0	0	0
McCusker, g	0	0	0
Davis, g	2	0	4
Fuller, f	0	0	0
	17	0	34

GARWOOD	G.	F.	P.
Kjellmark, f	1	0	2
Darroch, f	0	0	0
Wangler, c	1	0	2
Klesmon, g	0	0	0
Garrison, g	2	0	4
	4	0	8

Referee, Starry.

EVERGREENS SWAMPED BY THE ST. MARY'S

The boys of St. Mary's School yesterday came back strong at the Evergreen Avenue School lads, defeating them by a score of 28 to 11. The Evergreens never appeared to have very much of a look-in for the final verdict. Deady and Connolly divided equally the scoring for the Saints.

The score:

ST. MARY'S	G.	F.	P.
Sullivan, f	0	0	0
Connolly, f	7	0	14
Deady, c	7	0	14
Storey, g	0	0	0
McCarthy, g	0	0	0
	14	0	28

EVERGREEN SCHOOL	G.	F.	P.
Berse, f	0	0	0
Adams, f	0	0	0
Gerlach, c	5	1	11
Malcolm, g	0	0	0
Martone, g	0	0	0
	5	1	11

Referee, Kyle.

FIGHTING PRIEST GETS PARISH HE CAN'T LOSE

By United Press:

New York, March 2.—Father James B. Curry, for sixteen years militant pastor of St. James' Catholic church in downtown New York, today assumed his duties as irremovable pastor of the church of the Holy Name, conferred on him by Cardinal Farley. Father Curry first came to the public notice in his fight to keep children from "rushing the growler" in saloons for their parents. Later he personally conducted many sensational raids on disorderly houses in his neighborhood and organized downtown boys' clubs to keep the lads out of mischief.

SPORT BRIEFS

Chicago—After eight years in the "big show" Jack Lapp, former catcher of the Athletics and more recently with the White Sox, will drop to the minors. President Comiskey announced yesterday that Lapp had been released to the Columbus Club of the American Association. Lapp was "found" by Connie Mack in the Atlantic League and shared in three world's series matches with the Athletics.

New York—The annual indoor track and field championships of the A. A. U. will be held at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory on the evening of Saturday, March 17. All the stars of the Middle West and the East will be on hand, and a few are expected from the South. Chicago will send on an extra large number and they are confident that one of their clubs, the Chicago A. C. or the Illinois A. C., will be crowned champion.

New York—Madison Square Garden officials were confident yesterday that the bout scheduled Monday night between Jack Dillon and Les Darcy will be staged without a hitch. A decision handed down by Deputy Attorney General Obermier upholds the substitution of Dillon for Al McCoy, who has been trying to hold Promoter George Hugh Browne to his contract. Fred Wenck, the chairman of the boxing commission, said, today that he had received word from Albany regarding the bout, and in the absence of instructions from the Governor will not interfere.

New York—President Ebbetts of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club announced yesterday that *the liberal contracts sent to Infielder O'Mara and Pitcher Smith,* the big southpaw, who has been holding out, has signed a contract and will report at Hot Springs.

THE ATHLETICS, THE ENIGMA OF BASEBALL

The enigma of the baseball world is Connie Mack's team of Athletics. Whether it will begin to show something of the form predicted for it by 1917 by Mack when he began his historic dismemberment of the famous old Athletics is a puzzle that many baseball followers are trying to fathom today.

Mack has the basis for a good baseball club. Unless he deliberately wrecks what he has accomplished since Eddie Collins and his colleagues departed from Philadelphia he undoubtedly will have a better chance to finish out of eighth place this year than was the case in 1916.

Mack has pieced together a very fair team of college baseball players. He has tinkered here and there, adding some minor leaguers and retaining some cogs in the old machine until he has a club that cannot be counted the easy victim of every other club by any means.

The feat of the Athletics in twice humbling the Yankees in a single day last summer was considered a huge joke by a great many, but there is more than one critic of the game who saw in that a foreboding of things to come, a return to power that once rested in the silent brain of Mack.

Mack has an infield that lacks a great deal of being a mirror. Almost any manager in the American League would be willing to part with many dollars to have Stuffy McInnis holding down first base. At second base a youngster, Grover, is destined to perform, and he has built up something of a reputation. In young Lawton Witt, the 20-year-old youth picked up more than a year ago by Mack, the elongated leader has one of the most promising infielders who has broken into the American League in years. He is aggressive, can hit and field like a fiend, and use his head. On third Mack promises to place a minor league recruit named Bates. Advance notices speak very highly of him.

The outfield will be composed of Bodie, Thrasher, and Strunk, who have been hold outs, and while Mack has promised the veteran Strunk a raise he has promised Bodie a long vacation unless he signs. Thrasher is a recruit, but is said to be a powerful hitter and a clean, fast fielder. It is a hard-hitting trio with experience in two of the gardens.

The pitching staff undoubtedly will see no new faces. Joe Bush and Elmer Myers undoubtedly will bear the brunt of the burden, with several promising colts to fall back upon. Two more pitchers who could perform consistently would make the Athletics a greatly-feared club. Johnson and Nabors are the most promising other members of the staff.

Wally Schang, Meyers, Picinich and Haley will fight for catching berths.

The Athletics present one of the strongest hitting combinations in baseball. They'll score plenty of runs against almost any kind of a baseball club if they can get reasonable pitching it is fair to assume they will not finish in last place.

TRINITY TEAM IS HOLDER OF TITLE

Clinches Championship in Westfield League by Taking Three Straight

Special Correspondence:

Westfield, March 2.—Last night the Trinity team of the Sunday School and Church League clinched the championship for this season when it took three games from the Congregational team. The Trinity-ites, as on Wednesday night, had no trouble in defeating the Congregationals, as this team has been bowling in hard luck all season and has won only seven games. The Trinity bowlers did not exert themselves in the winning of this match, for it was not necessary, and as a result the bowling was not sensational.

TRINITY			
Montross	159	198	
McMahon	180	140	137
Tobin	167		154
Callahan	170	184	162
Keppler	182	168	178
Brady		121	183
	978	791	815
CONGREGATIONAL			
Kennedy	162	157	168
Squier	128	114	150
Elliott	143	155	168
Weston	146	129	159
Stoddard	142	126	133
	721	681	778

DOUBLE HEADER ON OF GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Yesterday afternoon the girls' class basketball teams of the Plainfield High School clashed on the school court and displayed exceptionally good qualities. The Sophomores defeated the Seniors by a score of 19 to 16 and the Freshies showed the upper hand over the Juniors 22 to 12.

The scores:

P. H. S. SENIORS	G.	F.	P.
Miss Alpaugh, f	1	1	3
Miss Butler, f	1	0	2
Miss Palmer, f	3	1	7
Miss Handelman, f	1	0	2
Miss Ball, f	1	0	2
Miss Moy, c	0	0	0
Miss Manley, c	0	0	0
Miss Mann, sc	0	0	0
Miss White, g	0	0	0
Miss Smith, g	0	0	0
Miss Haight, g	0	0	0
	7	2	16

P. H. S. SOPHOMORES	G.	F.	P.
Miss Harris, f	7	0	14
Miss E. Ball, f	2	1	5
Miss Roberts, c	0	0	0
Miss Dix, sc	0	0	0
Miss Lyle, g	0	0	0
Miss Hadley, g	0	0	0
	9	1	19

Referee, Miss Ruth Wean; timer, Miss Clementine Bremble; scorer, Timothy Loizeaux.

P. H. S. JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Miss Rice, f	1	2	4
Miss Griffiths, f	3	0	6
Miss Simons, f	1	0	2
Miss Cottrell, c	0	0	0
Miss Sweeney, sc	0	0	0
Miss Major, g	0	0	0
Miss Grannett, g	0	0	0
	5	2	12

P. H. S. FRESHMEN	G.	F.	P.
Miss Gillahan, f	7	0	14
Miss Rice, f	3	0	6
Miss Loizeaux, f	1	0	2
Miss Endress, c	0	0	0
Miss Searing, sc	0	0	0
Miss Nash, g	0	0	0
Miss Fitzpatrick, g	0	0	0
Miss Mutnick, g	0	0	0
	11	0	22

Referee, Miss Wean; timer, Miss Bremble; scorer, T. Loizeaux.

ANSON NAMED 'EM

Did you ever wonder how the Pittsburg club came by the name of Pirates? Well, here is the information as imparted by a Smoky City baseball writer:

"Ol' Cap" Anson gave to the Pittsburg club the nickname of Pirates. And he was a furious and peeved person the day he did it. Until 1890 the Pittsburg club was known as the "Alleghenies." That was the year that it had one of the worst teams in its history—and Chicago, captained and managed by Anson, one of the best. The season was nearly at its close when the Colts swung into the stretch with Brooklyn. The Colts had a five-game series scheduled with the Alleghenies, who were playing .150 baseball at that time.

"Here's where we clinch the hunting," exclaimed "Cap," jubilantly. The series began, whereupon the Pirates, to the astonishment of the baseball world, won every one of those five games and beat the Colts out of the pennant, causing Anson to roar:

"They're pirates—that's what they are—a d pirates!"

The newspapers printed the yowl of "Cap," and from that day on the Alleghenies became known as the Pirates.

TIGERS STILL TRYING

In the last five years Hugh Jennings of the Detroit Tigers has tried out more pitchers than any other major league manager, and he is still hunting high and low for suitable box material. Here are the pitchers who have been found wanting by the Tiger leader: topped leader: Acten, Bailey, Bach, Betsill, Beehler, Burns, Clauss, Comstock, Covington, Crawford, Cavet, Erickson, Elder, Fagan, Grover, Hall, Harding, House, Hamilton, Haines, Jansen, Karr, Klawitter, Lafitte, Ledbetter, Landel, Loreen, Laudermilk, Main, McCorry, Moran, McGeehan, Marshall, McTigue, North, Oldham, Peasley, Pernoll, Renfer, Remneas, Reynolds, Smithson, Schultz, Shepard, Steen, Smith, Skeels, Swarts, Travers, Troy, John Williams, Claude Williams, Wheatley, Works and Zamlick.

The Detroit club paid at least $40,000 for the right to experiment with these unsuccessful slabmen.

ONE ON TOD

Tod Sloan, the great American jockey, was very fond of flashy clothes during the heyday of his turf career. Consequently many *stories* have been told about this passion. There is one an old racing enthusiast tells about the little fellow:

"Tod, seeking a bit of seclusion, went to a small English inn ten years or so ago, with three or four trunks. He got a hurry call to London, answered it—and didn't go back to the little hotel for a month or so.

"Meanwhile the inn-keeper got anxious over Tod's failure to show up and pay his bill.

"'Oh, you shouldn't worry,' consoled a friend. 'You've got two or three trunkfuls of his clothes as a security.'

"'But, my dear man,' wailed the proprietor, 'they're no good to me, because I haven't got a monkey to put 'em on.'"

DR. NORCROSS LECTURES IN TEMPLE BAPTIST

The Rev. James E. Norcross, of New York, delivered a lecture last evening in the Temple Baptist church, under the auspices of the Junior Baraca Class, for the benefit of the church, on "The Sky Line." The lecture was full of interest and described in a graphic manner the scenery of spring flowers, the arrangement in the dining room being especially pleasing. Mrs. David Scott and Mrs. Marsom Buttfield poured, and they were assisted by several other guests in serving. Mrs. Eoff, prior to her marriage two years ago, was Miss Gertrude Bowlby, of Park avenue. She was the recipient of a large collection of useful articles at yesterday's affair.

MRS. BROOKS' ESTATE GOES TO RELATIVES

According to the will of Mrs. Marion L. Brooks, who died February 15, at her late residence in North Plainfield, the Brooks estate is to be divided between relatives. To Mabel B. Hood and Marion P. Ely, daughters, $10,000 has been willed. Mrs. Mary J. Brooks, a daughter-in-law of Port Richmond, S. I., is to receive $5,000. The residue of the estate is bequeathed to Ethel Lydia Brooks, a daughter living in North Plainfield.

The late Mrs. Brooks inherited the entire estate of the late Thomas Breitnall Brooks, who died September 1.

SHOE MACHINERY CO. DECLARED ILLEGAL

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 2.—The Government's brief in the United Shoe Machinery Co. appealing from a decision of the Federal Court for the District of Massachusetts was filed in the United States Supreme Court today. It was declared by the Government that the companies comprising the United Shoe Machinery Co. was a combination in violation of the Federal anti-trust law. It was further contended that restraint of trade by a combination of previously competitive units is illegal, no matter what form it assumes.

MISSION SOCIETIES MEET FOR PRAYER

A meeting of the federation of home mission societies of this city was held in the Park Avenue Baptist Church yesterday afternoon, when prayers were offered, particularly for this country in her hour of perplexity. Mrs. Edgar Williams presided. Similar meetings were held throughout the United States.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—Arrived this morning:

S. S. City of Montgomery, from Savannah.

S. S. Manta, from San Juan.

S. S. Millinocket, from San Juan.

S. S. Shirley, from Baltimore.

S. S. Mundale, from Cuban Ports.

S. S. Sabine, from Galveston.

LEHIGH ORDERS LOCOMOTIVES

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 3.—The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has placed an order with the Baldwin Locomotive Works for 56 locomotives. Twenty of the engines will be the most powerful of the Pacific type ever built, and will measure 76 feet, ten inches.

COLLECTOR LEAVETT REPORTS ON ARMORY

Freeholders Informed as to Approval of Site by Military Board

Elizabeth, March 2.—County Collector Nathan R. Leavitt informed the Board of Freeholders yesterday afternoon of the communication he received from the State Military Board on the matter of acquiring an armory site in East Front street, Plainfield, for $20,000. The matter was referred to the armory committee, of which Charles A. Smith is chairman.

The Board adopted Freeholder Meisels's resolution asking the Legislature to enable the county to appropriate $65,000 for county hospitals. The sum now appropriated is $40,000, and the hospitals have asked for more.

County Engineer Jacob L. Bauer informed the Board that if the Egan road act was held to be constitutional *the county would receive more than* $70,000, a sum it had used in repairing State aid roads.

Improvements at Bonnie Burn Sanatorium were authorized. These will include an additional refrigerator plant, a pasturization plant and a coal storage house.

Charles M. Affleck, of Westfield, and John G. Hatfield, of Fanwood, new freeholders, attended and were appointed to committees.

The Republican members raucussed after the meeting on the matter of a successor to William R. Codington, whose illness, it is understood, made his continuance of the duties of his office impossible. No names were mentioned for the place and no decision was reached.

SURPRISE SHOWER FOR MRS. CHARLES M. EOFF

Mrs. Dudley Strong and her sister, Miss Mary Barlow, gave a surprise kitchen shower and tea yesterday afternoon at Miss Barlow's home on Prospect place, North Plainfield, in honor of Mrs. Charles Eoff, who is soon going to housekeeping. There were about thirty guests comprising the intimate friends of Mrs. Eoff.

The decorations consisted chiefly of spring flowers, the arrangement in the dining room being especially pleasing. Mrs. David Scott and Mrs. Marsom Buttfield poured, and they were assisted by several other guests in serving. Mrs. Eoff, prior to her marriage two years ago, was Miss Gertrude Bowlby, of Park avenue. She was the recipient of a large collection of useful articles at yesterday's affair.

TWO SHIPS TORPEDOED AMERICANS ON BOARD

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 2.—Two more vessels, each with Americans aboard, were torpedoed without warning by German submarines in British waters, according to advices received today by the State Department from Consul Frost at Queenstown, Ireland. Two Americans are missing and are believed to have perished. Three others were rescued.

ALL SHIPS TO BE SUNK WITHOUT NOTICE

Special to Courier-News:

Amsterdam, March 2.—An official notice has been issued in Berlin that the period has expired during which Germany was to notify sailing ships in the danger zone before sinking them. Hereafter, the notice says, no notice of any kind will be given to vessels sighted by submarines.

MITCHELL APPEALS FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING

Princeton, N. J., March 2.—Mayor John Mitchel, of New York, in an appeal for universal military service, last night told the students and members of the faculty of Princeton University that unless American profits by the experience of Europe "she will not be able to protect the rights of her people at sea or her nationals on land and sea."

"And unless," he continued, "she learns how to express her national strength through well-organized and efficient government, America will not have a voice in the restoration of civilization in the world when the time for that restoration comes."

PRIVATE FUNERAL OF JOHN JEFFERS

The funeral of John Jeffers, who died on Tuesday at his home on Sherman avenue, was held yesterday afternoon and was private. The Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, pastor of the Monroe Avenue Methodist Church, officiated, and the interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

WANT WOOL ARTICLES

The Naval Reserve has sent out a request for wool articles, and the National Special Society has interested itself in the cause. Any one wishing to donate wool or money to purchase wool will please communicate with Mrs. C. R. Banks, telephone 747-W.

ROOSEVELT SAYS STRIKE HARD, IF WE STRIKE

By United Press:

Hartford, Conn., March 2.—"If we go into war with Germany we must strike hard with the largest expeditionary force that can be raised," said Col. Roosevelt in an interview here today, endorsing the Connecticut plan of taking a military census.

"No fight was ever won by parrying alone," he continued. "A fight must be won by hitting. It would be ruinous to go to war a little, and not much. It would be ruinous to prepare only a little."

Commenting on the disclosures of an attempt to stir Mexico and Japan against the United States Roosevelt said: "What Germany attempts to do now, even should it fail, she will try to do some time in the future."

MAYOR REPLIES TO BOY SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of Plainfield have written to Mayor Calkins of their willingness to perform any service for which they may be considered available in the present national crisis. Mayor Calkins has sent a letter to John B. Duffy, Scout Executive, thanking him for this generous offer. The letter reads:

John B. Duffy, Scout Executive,
Plainfield Council Boy Scouts of America, Plainfield, N. J.

My dear Sir:—I acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 1st, enclosing resolution of the Executive Committee of the Plainfield Council Boy Scouts of America, reciting the present critical period in the affairs of the Nation and pledging to me, as Mayor of the city, the services of all the Boy Scouts of Plainfield for public service in the community in whatever capacity in my judgment they may be best fitted.

I thank you for your letter and the Plainfield Council for its timely and patriotic action. Coming at this time it is one more open and public expression of the willingness and eagerness of the people of this community to serve the country.

I have the honor to remain,
Yours very truly,
LEIGHTON CALKINS.
March 2, 1917. Mayor.

RUSSIANS REPULSED BY GERMANS

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 2.—Charging three times, the Russians attempted to recapture heights taken by the Germans north of the Valputna road on the northern Roumanian front but were repulsed with considerable losses, the war office announced today. The official report also noted a Teutonic success on the eastern bank of the Marayovka where one Russian officer and 170 men were captured.

BRITISH EMBASSY DID NOT KNOW OF PLOT

By United Press:

Washington, March 2.—The British Embassy announced today that no officials connected there knew anything of the Zimmerman-Mexico Japan plot letter, until it was made public yesterday.

BRITISH PURSUE TURKS

Special to Courier-News:

London, March 2.—The British troops in Mesopotamia are still pushing hard on the rear of the retreating Turks. The British official statement says today "they were in disorder when they passed through Azizych on Tuesday with our forces only a few hours behind them."

PERSONAL

Howard and Walter Dybele, of the Borough, were visitors at the Newark automobile show last night.

AMERICA HAS SUFFICIENT GUNS TO ARM ALL SHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 2.—Sufficient guns are at the navy yards of Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk to arm all liners going from American ports through the danger zone. No official announcement was made today by the navy department but it was allowed to become known that the moment any executive order was issued sufficient guns and men to man them will be sent to piers of the liners.

PURIM

Purim, which this year will be celebrated Thursday, March 8th, beginning, however, on Wednesday evening the 7th, is one of the minor holidays of the Jewish calendar. It commemorates the deliverance of the Jews of Persia from the power of Haman, the vizier of King Ahasuerus, who cast lots, or cast lots, the name "Purim" which means "lots"), to determine which month was to be set for the massacre of all the Jews in Persia. Mordecai and his niece Esther becoming aware of the plot succeeded in deposing Haman and in obtaining royal permission for the Jews to attack and master their enemies on the 13th and 14th of Adar. The deliverance of the Jews from the threat of annihilation and their victory over their enemies have ever after been celebrated as the Feast of Purim.

The Feast of Purim never attained as high a degree of spiritual influence as did some of the other festivals. The usual Psalms of praise read on other holidays are omitted on Purim. The one characteristic of the Purim ritual is the reading of the Book of Esther on the evening of the thirteenth day of Adar.

As a folk celebration Purim made up for whatever influence it may have lacked as a religious festival. It was celebrated as a carnivals masks were worn by old and young. Purim plays were given re-enacting the drama of Esther and Haman. In addition to this merry celebration of Purim there arose the custom of giving gifts to the poor. Every Jew, no matter how poor, would give something to someone more needy than himself. And so the day of popular rejoicing was touched with the elevating spirit of benevolence.

Cigarette Manufacturing Grows

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—That there will be more than 52,000,000,000 cigarettes manufactured in this country during 1917, an increase of over 8,000,000,000 last year was the statement made today by one of the most prominent men in the tobacco business. Last year, according to federal statistics, 35,853,456,501 cigarettes were manufactured in the United States, a gain of 8,000,000,000 over 1915.

HOG PRICES BREAK RECORD

Special to Courier-News:

Chicago, March 2.—Top hogs sold at $13.65 today, a new high record.

Life Is Thus

By WALT MASON, The Poet-Philosopher

The parents rear a winsome maid, whose name, perhaps, is Rose, and feed her pies and marmalade, and buy her furbelows. They educate her year by year, with knowledge store her mind, although the learning graft is dear, and money hard to find. They hope that when they're old and gray, the damsel will be near, to shoo their dotard griefs away, and dry the misty tear. "She'll surely be our rod and staff," they say, "when we old wights are ready for the epitaph, and other last sad rites." But when the maid is seventeen, there comes along a guy, whose car burns up more gasoline than any man should buy. Oh, parents, cut but little grass, when that young man arrives, whose wagon, burning up the gas, puts joy in maidens' lives. Fair Rose is scorching up the road, and hitting hills on high, and in their silent, sad abode, the old folks sit and sigh. All broken are the hopes and plans which in the years have grown; they know that they are also-rans, for youth must have its own. It is the saddest thing I know—the saddest man can find—when children from the homestead go, and never look behind.

They Say

They say that Smithman spends his life in dodging bills he ought to pay. They say that Biffkin beats his wife, and feeds his children bran and hay. They say that Jinx, the dry goods prince, *burned down his store, with fell intent.* They say that Jasper Julius Quince held up an orphan for a cent. Thus Rumor, with its evil tongue, goes drifting through the busy mart, and baseless, vicious tales are sprung, which wreck your fame and break your heart. The busy scandal-monger cries, "Of course, the yarn may not be true, but still they say that Reuben Wise steals chickens every night or two." Then Reuben, in his native town, becomes a shunned and lonely man; "They Say" has ruined his renown, and made him outcast from his clan. The scandal-monger drifts along, and makes his old acquainted noise: "They say Jane Juice is going wrong—she's much too friendly with the boys." Then Jane from social scenes is missed, in every glance she finds a freeze; "They Say" has barred her from bridge whist, and banned her from the Purple Teas. Old Booze has scattered woe and sin, and broken hearts, along his way; but he plays second violin, I often think, beside "They Say."

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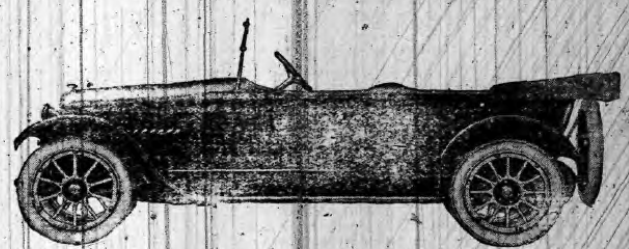

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DATES SET FOR VISITING SCHOOLS

Trenton, March 2.—Urging closer co-operation between parents and the schools, Commissioner Calvin N. Kendall has recommended that the period from Monday, March 12, to Friday, March 16, be observed throughout the State as "Visit-the-Schools Week."

"Co-operation between homes and schools is necessary," said Mr. Kendall. "It is well for parents to know the teachers of their children and for the teachers to know the parents of their pupils, so far as the latter may be practicable. If parents visit schools and become acquainted even casually with teachers more cordial relations are likely to exist.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

The building committee of the Board of Education has appointed Charles Wilson, an assistant janitor, to have charge of the large heating plant in the Somerset School.

The Civic League of the Harrison Avenue School is arranging to hold an entertainment some time during this month. A special program of dances will be the feature of the affair.

Supervising Principal D. F. Angust of the schools is nursing a sore finger caused by coming in contact with a circular saw while busy in the manual training department. The injury caused a deep wound that was very painful.

The pioneer of janitors, Richard McDonald, of the borough schools, has just passed his thirty-fifth anniversary on the job. Mr. McDonald became janitor when the first school, a frame structure, was located on Harmony street.

JERSEY RESERVES AT FLYING SCHOOL

An officer and four men of the First Battalion, New Jersey Naval Reserves (home station, U. S. S. Adams, Passaic River, Newark), arrived at the navy aviation school, Pensacola, Fla., this week, where they will be qualified as aviators and returned with a flying machine of the latest type. These men will form the nucleus of the First Battalion Naval Militia Flying Corps, which has a hangar and flying field near Keyport.

OUSTING PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR IS ILLEGAL

Collingswood, March 2.—It has just been discovered that the special commission of the West Jersey Presbytery which recommended the resignation of the Rev. J. N. McDowell, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, several weeks ago, exceeded its authority. As a result the resignation presented by Mr. McDowell at the time was illegal under church laws and cannot be acted upon.

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FREEHOLDER APPLEGATE CANDIATE FOR SHERIFF

Freeholder Elias Applegate, of Elizabeth, has announced that he is a candidate next fall for the Republican nomination for sheriff. Mr. Applegate's intentions had been known previously, but this was the first formal statement by him. He was largely instrumental in putting through the county investigation, which was recently concluded, and this, his friends believe, will win him support from independent Republicans, although admittedly he has alienated the support of the organization.

RECREATION NOTES

The night school men's gym class meets tonight in the High school.

The P. E. G. S. are to hold a meeting in the High school gym tonight.

The Dunbars are to have their regular dance tonight in the Washington school.

The Washington school game room will be open both Friday and Saturday evenings.

There will be a public swimming class for ladies tonight in the High school pool.

Dr. Hobson will meet with the Choral Club in the Washington school this evening.

The International Motor Company Band is to rehearse this evening in the Washington school.

There will be a municipal dance in the Washington school auditorium tomorrow evening.

HAS PRIEST RETAINED

Jamesburg, March 2.—Unknown to Rev. Edward Cahill, rector of St. James' Catholic church, who preached last Sunday what he believed would be his farewell sermon here, a committee of his parishioners succeeded in having Bishop McFaul of the Trenton diocese rescind an order for his transfer to Florence, near Bordentown. The committee informed Father Cahill Wednesday night of the success of its effort.

AMERICAN SHIP ASHORE

Special to Courier-News:

Norfolk, Va., March 2.—The American steamer Raven went ashore yesterday south of Bodie Island. Thick weather and high seas made it impossible for life savers to reach the vessel.

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UNFORTUNATE PLIGHT OF MAN AND FAMILY

One of the unfortunate incidents of the war in Europe is the separation of families of men who have come to this country to better their conditions, leaving wife and children behind until a place could be made for them here.

A Russian in one of the Plainfield shops has been here three years, leaving his wife in Odessa. A daughter was born after he came here, whom he has never seen. He has sent money to his wife at frequent intervals, but for some months it has not reached her. He has been surprised to get letters from her asking why he discontinued sending money, when he has been sending it with the usual regularity.

The wife and family are in straitened circumstances, with no one to look to for aid but the husband, and his remittances seem to have been lost.

SUNDAY THE 25TH IS "BOY DAY"

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 2.—Governor Walter E. Edge has issued his first proclamation since assuming the executive chair, calling upon the people of New Jersey to observe Sunday, March 25, as "Boy Day" in the churches of the State.

The proclamation is pursuant to the agitation for the encouragement of the "Big Brother" movement, which urges, particularly fathers, to take more interest in the affairs of their sons.

RED MEN PLEDGE 500,000 MEMBERS

The Great Council of Red Men of the State has been notified that its national leader, T. H. Jeffries, great incohonee, has pledged the 500,000 members to the service of the country in the event of war. In a letter to President Wilson the leader of the Red Men recalled that the order originated with the Boston tea party in Revolutionary days. Its members, he said, are with the President to a finish.

AN OLD RECIPE TO DARKEN HAIR

Sage Tea and Sulphur Turns Gray, Faded Hair Dark and Glossy

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is mussy and troublesome.

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ENOUGH FOOD HERE FOR WARTIME NEED

Washington, D. C., March 2.—While it is undeniable that the prices of food stuffs to the consumer are at this time high, it has been determined that there is an ample food supply in this country. The Department of Agriculture in Washington, through Assistant Secretary Carl Vrooman, has conducted an independent investigation, the results of which show that there is enough food stuffs produced within the United States to meet wartime need. Mr. Vrooman finds that with the exception of tea, coffee and possibly rice, all the food needed by the people of the United States is produced in more than sufficient quantities in this country. This is true of all necessaries and tea and coffee are classed as luxuries.

The experts of the Agricultural Department have compiled figures showing that more than 11,000,000 tons of meat are produced here annually and about 20,000 tons imported. The imports come chiefly from Argentina, Canada and Australia. The production of corn, wheat and rice averages annually about 4,000,000,000 bushels; the imports being about 5,000,000 bushels of corn, 6,000,000 bushels of wheat and 2,500,000,000 pounds of rice. Wheat and white potatoes total 450,000,000 bushels, while only 200,000 bushels are imported. Mr. Vrooman says that this country produces slightly over two billion pounds of sugar and imports five and a half billion pounds—cost entirely from Cuba; seven and a half billion gallons of milk and imports only a small quantity in condensed form, most of it from Canada. American fish are put on the market to an aggregate of one billion pounds annually; butter, two billion pounds; eggs, two billion dozen. It would take a very successful invasion on the part of any foreign power, or to give the Government cause for worry so far as the food supply of the United States is concerned.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

How A Condition Of War May Be Begun.

What constitutes an "Overt Act" within the expressed determination of our Government to take the necessary and appropriate measures called for by the exigencies of the situation is strictly a matter of interpretation on the part of the President.

The essential point is that the country is not committed absolutely to a final declaration of war in such event.

There are acts of hostility generally termed "measures short of war," and technically designated as "reprisal" and "retaliation," which are sometimes resorted to preliminarily as a last attempt to avert war. Among such measures might be mentioned the following:

1. Meeting the detention of American citizens, or American sailors not engaged in the military service of the Allies, by imprisoning German sailors within our borders and interning German citizens residing here.

2. Cancelling all treaties between the two countries, with the consequent disastrous effects upon German interests which depend upon our patent, copyright and other statutes for protection.

3. Meeting the illegal destruction of American vessels by destroying German owned vessels located in this country.

Should this government construe some act of the Germans as warranting the entrance of this country into the war, it is not certain that a formal declaration of war will be made. The responsibility for this might be thrown upon Germany by adopting certain measures which in themselves amount to acts of war, or which will constitute such if resisted and enforced against the Germans. Among these may be mentioned:

1. The arming of merchant vessels under governmental authority.

2. Convoying merchant vessels through the "barred area."

3. Condemning as prize German merchant vessels, raiders, or war vessels which touch at our ports for proper purposes under the rules of International Law.

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in place of this unsanitary wall paper. It is an oil paint that gives to walls a beautiful, soft, water-color effect. If it becomes soiled, you can wash it with soap and water.

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House, Stirred by Plot Expose, Votes Armed Ships.

SENATE WILL ACT TODAY.

Measure Not Fully Satisfactory to President and Stronger Move Likely. Mexico and Japan Exonerated by Lansing in German Alliance Plot After President Assures Senate Zimmermann Note Is Authentic—More Intrigues Likely to Be Bared.

Washington, March 2.—Gradually the full scope of the German effort to involve the United States with Japan, Mexico and all Central America is becoming apparent, and an amazing tangle of international intrigue is stirring Washington to its official depths.

Authority to arm American ships and protect American rights at sea is vested in President Wilson in a bill passed by the house by a vote of 403 to 13. It was passed after an all day debate, in which the house aired its patriotism.

The measure is far from satisfactory to the president, and administration leaders will endeavor to have it amended before it is finally enacted into law to confer upon the president all the powers to meet the international situation which he requested. The house voted down all efforts to alter the bill, defeating proposals to prevent the injection of ships carrying munitions to European belligerents.

Formal affirmation by Secretary of State Lansing and President Wilson of the authenticity of the German communication proposing a German-Mexican-Japanese alliance to make war on the United States was followed by developments which demonstrated that the German efforts extended to practically all of the Central American nations. While the president and his advisers said the revelation of the plot had defeated it, it was clear that vigorous steps to meet the situation in Mexico and other American nations had been taken.

A resolution calling on President Wilson for all information as to the German-Japanese-Mexican alliance proposed in a note from German Foreign Minister Zimmerman to German Ambassador von Eckhardt at Mexico City was passed by the senate.

The resolution, a compromise measure introduced after an all day bitter debate, would ask the president for all information as to the intrigue "not incompatible with the public interest."

U. S. Has Full Evidence.

That evidence is in the possession of the United States establishing the identities of the Germans who are proposing a German-Japanese-Mexican alliance against the United States was the statement forwarded to the senate by President Wilson. The president, in response to the senate resolution, transmitted to the senate a report by Secretary of State Lansing verifying the published text of the note and saying that the note itself was in the possession of the government.

The secretary of state said that to furnish any further information as to the matter "at the present time" would be incompatible with the public interest.

The president and his advisers took the position that the unearthing of the German intrigue had resulted in concentrating the support of the entire country behind the president in the present international crisis. They like-wise believed that it would result in drawing closer together the United States and Mexico and the United States and Japan following the repudiation of the plot by both of these countries.

It has become known that the administration has taken steps to meet possible effect of German intrigue in Cuba. Despite refusal of the state department to discuss the Cuban situation, it was known that the present revolt against the Cuban government has been the source of grave anxiety. The navy department has at the instance of the state department landed American sailors in several Cuban ports, largely at Santiago, the center of the revolutionary activities. While it was stated that the disturbance in Cuba was quieting it was known that plans are working out that will place a large force of American marines and sailors at the points of a possible renewal of the outbreak.

Carranza Exonerated.

As to Mexico, the state department promptly forwarded to the Carranza government a full account of the plot revelations. The account of the intrigue went to the Japanese government. The department exonerated both of these governments of any complicity in the plot, and it was made clear that the alliance proposal was never presented to Carranza as the head of the Mexican government.

On the contrary, the steps taken by German Minister von Eckhardt at Mexico City, it became known, were directed toward enlisting the support of influential men inimical to the Carranza regime. It was stated that the plot contemplated the overthrow of the present de facto government in Mexico in the event of war between the United States and Germany.

Japanese Ambassador Sato, declaring he spoke "authoritatively" for his government, indignantly repudiated the plot and said "Germany was much mistaken" if she thought she could enroll Japan and the United States Mexican Charge d'Affaires De Negri also issued a denial, declaring he would have an official repudiation from the Carranza government later.

Administration officials at both White House and state department said the revelation of the German intrigue had in no way changed the plans of the president for dealing with the international situation. It was stated the president will await the action of congress on his request for full and complete authority to protect American ships and that when the action has been taken he will proceed to arm American vessels. The navy department has made all arrangements for putting the guns aboard vessels starting for the war zone.

Kept Sources Secret.

How far the administration would go in making clear further details of the German intrigues officials would not say. Secretary Lansing said that, to divulge the source of the information or to make it public in all details could not be done "for fear of endangering the lives of our informants."

It was understood that the secretary also took up with the president the question of what action should be taken as to the Mexican situation. The secretary expressed confidence that Mexico would not "be a party to such a plot." It was understood that clear and definite action had been taken and that a communication was on its way to Mexico City, outlining the plot charges and requesting information as to the attitude of the Carranza government.

The president also conferred with Secretary of War Baker, and, while the subject of the talk was kept secret, it was believed that they went over Mexican border conditions and that they discussed the disposition of the regular army and the arrangements for coast defense.

The statement that the plot note from Berlin to Minister von Eckhardt was transmitted through former Ambassador von Bernstorff in Washington led to the belief that the administration has available a mass of information as to German activities not only in neighboring countries, but in the United States itself.

Through a fervid torrent of patriotic oratory Democratic house leaders drove the bill designed to authorize President Wilson to protect American lives at sea through its first stage toward the statute books. Scores of members in declamatory speeches announced their support of the president with fervent hope that he would be able to preserve peace.

With the armed neutrality bill sidetracked in the senate by debate over the German Japanese-Mexican plot revelations the house leaders took the initiative. They brought forward the bill prepared by the foreign affairs committee, and the house unanimously adopted a special ruling limiting debate on the measure to three hours.

URGES MOSQUITO WAR.

Pests Can Be Exterminated in Six Years, Entomologist Says.

Ocean City, March 2.—State Entomologist Headlee at a meeting of the Cape May county Chamber of Commerce urged the members to get behind the movement to exterminate mosquitoes. It will require $600,000 to dig ditches in the remaining marsh land of the state. The work could be done within five or six years by making convicts do the labor, and the seashore resorts could advertise a mosquitoless pleasure ground.

Samuel P. Leeds, president of the Atlantic City Chamber of Commerce, urged the co-operation of the seashore cities in Cape May county. City Clerk Joseph A. McNames of Atlantic City advocated the boosting of the cottage industry at seashore resorts.

WILDWOOD YOUTH MISSING.

Gone Since Jan. 8, When He Left For Philadelphia.

Wildwood, March 2.—Fears are entertained for the safety of George Noble Pickering, nineteen years old, son of David B. Pickering, a resident of this resort.

Young Pickering has been missing since Jan. 8. He was working for the Quaker Lace company at Twenty-second street and Lehigh avenue, Philadelphia, and left his home at 2039 Silver street for work as usual on that day. This was the last seen of him.

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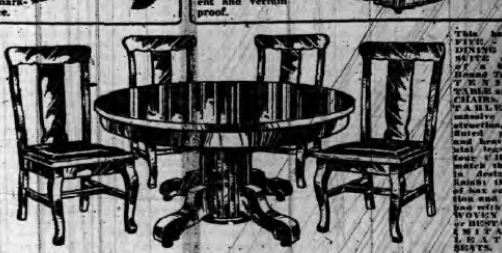

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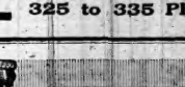

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EDGE SOUNDS 'AFTER WAR' CALL

Jersey Governor Urges Co-operation With New York.

ADVOCATES A TRAFFIC TUBE.

Tells Chamber of Commerce Both States Should Work Together to Develop Harbor For Huge Export Trade That Will Follow Re-establishment of Peace—Calls Port National Institution.

New York, March 2.—Governor Walter E. Edge of New Jersey, at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, sounded a call for closer co-operation between New York and New Jersey in developing the port of New York.

The appointment of a commission like that in charge of the Interstate park would co-ordinate efforts to prepare the port for its "export age" coming after the war, he said, and would do away with "inefficient rivalry."

With closer relations established, Governor Edge foresaw the speedy completion of a traffic tunnel under the Hudson and the obliteration of state and county lines when the welfare of the port of New York was in question. New York harbor, he said, was a national institution.

Quit Swaddling Clothes.

"We cannot grow," he said, "while tightly bandaged in the swaddling clothes of provincialism."

"I believe that a joint commission should be appointed by the two states to prepare a plan for lightening the burdens in New York harbor, outlining the benefits to as well as the duties of the two states.

"The railroads are under tremendous expense largely by reason of their individual terminal operations at New York. I believe that such a joint commission, composed of representatives of the carriers, both land and water, and of the states, would serve a most valuable national purpose."

Comptroller Prendergast, responding for New York, said there was no doubt of the cooperation of the present administration in any plan that would benefit the port.

"Great public improvements are always hampered by the inertia of the public," he declared, "and it is necessary to overcome this lack of interest before definite steps can be undertaken. Such co-operation as that advocated by Governor Edge is necessary, if for no other reason to bring about a proper distribution of industries and labor and to help in solving the immigration problem."

Resolutions calling for a federal investigation to discover what steps should be taken to conserve raw materials in preparation for the after war trade brought a vigorous protest from J. Howard Cowperthwait. What was more necessary, he said, was to facilitate the manufacture of war materials.

Embargo Is Feared.

"If a congressional committee should reach a conclusion," he said, "it is most likely it would be one recommending an embargo on the shipment of war materials. Such a step would be to the interest of Germany and against the interest of England and France.

"If you are a German sympathizer vote for the resolution, and if you want the interests of America protected and the interests of our allies safeguarded vote against the resolution," he said.

Notwithstanding Mr. Cowperthwait's argument the resolutions were adopted. Another set, however, calling for "a flexible bargaining tariff" to protect the United States against foreign discrimination was tabled. It was thought that the interjection of tariff discussions into congress at such a critical juncture in national affairs would not be wise.

Another resolution adopted favored the establishment of a state constabulary force. Resolutions also were adopted opposing the mandatory features of the bill providing for public forums in schoolhouses and advocating the removal of the exemption from jury service that now attaches to members of the sheriff's panel.

Many New Jersey officials and heads of commercial organizations were present.

CIVIL SERVICE GUARDED.

Bill Says No Single Commissioner May Discharge Employes.

Atlantic City, March 2.—Reports telling of the passage in the house of a bill by Assemblyman Parsons at Atlantic taking from any one commissioner in a commission governed city the power to discharge an employee protected by civil service, surprised city commissioners.

Officials expressed the belief that the Police Benefit association is back of the bill, which nullifies an act passed last year giving the director of public safety dismissal authority.

SIX MORE SHIPS PREY OF GERMAN SEA WARFARE.

New York, March 2.—Six vessels, three of them British, one French, one Norwegian and the sixth Belgian, were reported to have fallen prey to unrestricted U-boat warfare. Their aggregate tonnage was 8,863.

This brings the grand total for twenty-nine days of unlimited submarine warfare up to 195 ships, with 466,863 tons.

Details of the U-boat havoc since Feb. 8 are:

REPORTED THURSDAY.

Ships.	Tons.
Clan Farquhar, British	5,863
Galgorm Castle, British	1,598
Marie Joseph, French	192
Sjostad, Norwegian	1,155
Harriet Williams, British	357
P-198 (fishing boat), British	4
Total, 6 ships	6,963
Previously reported, 189 ships	471,910
Grand total, 195 ships	466,863

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

CIVIC COMMITTEE COLLECTS $400

Reports by members of the Civic Committee of the Merchants' Association at a meeting held last night in the Engine Co. house showed that about $400 had been donated towards the fund for the family of the late Julius Sauter, who was killed *while making an arrest several* weeks ago. The members of the committee declared their appreciation of the good will of the public for this most worthy cause.

There was an informal discussion, too, last night, as to the proposed Firemen's parade to be held during the fall and also the mummers' parade for Hallowe'en.

Confess to Theft of Metal

With the arrest of Eugene Titus, colored, and James Rooney and Thomas Winsor, Jr., the borough police believe the theft of about 125 pounds of linotype metal has been definitely solved. According to the police, the young men have confessed, and with the *greater part* of the metal recovered, the authorities feel that the affair is closed except as to the criminal proceedings against the three men now held for the grand jury. The stolen property was a part of the Unionist-Gazette Association and was taken, it is alleged, from an iron-bound box which had been deposited in the upper hallway of the Somerset Hall building.

Officer Robert Holmes was commended by Chief Bellis for his good work in the case. Policeman Holmes took into custody both Rooney and Winsor. The former, it is said, had expected to leave for Baltimore Wednesday afternoon about five minutes after the marshal arrived at his home.

Eagles to Have Social

A social session will be held after the regular business meeting of Raritan Valley Aerie, No. 2043, Fraternal Order of Eagles, on Wednesday evening, March 7, and an enjoyable time is anticipated. Refreshments and smokes will be served during the evening and a musical program has been arranged. A class *initiation will be held on this night* and several new members will be admitted to the order. Eagles from other aeries residing in this section are invited to attend.

K. of C. Have Degree Work

Officers of Warren Council, Knights of Columbus, of Phillipsburg, exercised the degree initiations at the services held by Somerset Council, No. 1432, in Columbus Hall last night. There was a large attendance and many important business matters were taken up.

Fire which did some slight damage in the Somerville Stove Works *was discovered at about 8.15 o'clock* last night. The entire fire department responded. W. J. Kirby this morning declared that he believed there had been little or no damage.

Friends of Mrs. George E. Ianson *will be pleased to learn* that her condition is improving. Mrs. Ianson suffered great shock as a result of the recent fire in the association building.

Elvin Marsh and Clarence Van Aulen are among the visitors at the county jail, both being held for ten days in default of bail and because of disorderly conduct.

Mrs. Burroughs Van Fleet entertained the members of the Philomathic Society at her home on Main street Wednesday afternoon.

The W. C. T. U. met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Brokaw, Grove street.

A rehearsal of "The Runaways" chorus was held last night in Foresters' Hall.

WHITEHOUSE

Josiah Layton, *of Morris, Conn.*, is spending a few days at Whitehouse and Bedminster. For over fifty years Mr. Layton was engaged in farming on the Ridge, near East Whitehouse.

The Mission Band of the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station realized $75 as a result of its recent entertainment. There is some talk of repeating the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon E. Williamson have moved *from near* Whitehouse Station to Newark. They recently traded their farm for city property.

The Readington Township Committee has granted an increase of *five cents an hour for work of hand* and team on the roads.

Raymond McCollum, of Pottersville, has gone to Detroit, where he will take a position with the Maxwell Motor Company.

Mrs. Edwin Wheat and son of Dunellen, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Dilts, near Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Annie Sharp will move from Round Valley to the house of her brother, Henry McCloughan, at Lebanon.

Mrs. Harriet D. La Tourette, of Whitehouse Station, is spending a few days in Flemington.

Charles Huff has just purchased a new auto from Burdette Bros. of the Whitehouse Garage.

Miss Helen Reynolds, of Readington, is visiting Mrs. George S. Van Arsdale at Peapack.

Miss Verona Hill, of Somerville, is visiting Mrs. Clarence Boyle, near Pottersville.

Forman Sickles, Sr., of East Whitehouse, is very ill of grip.

DUNELLEN

Miss Mayola Smalley, of Fairview avenue, submitted to an operation on her throat yesterday afternoon. The operation was very successful. It was *performed by a New York* specialist, who was assisted by Dr. Cooley.

John Hill, Jr., underwent an operation on his throat yesterday. The operation was performed by a New York specialist assisted by Dr. Cooley.

LeRoy Scandell, formerly connected with the New Market Supply Company, has taken a position with the Harrigan coal concern in Plainfield.

The Farther Lights Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Mahlon R. Dayton, of Center street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Margaret Crawford, one of the Whittier school teachers, has resumed her duties after a short illness.

Mrs. Ernest Weston, of New York City, has returned home following a visit here with Mrs. Charles S. Dey.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie P. Curtis, of Leonardsville, N. Y., were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Meyer, of Plainfield, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smalley.

Oscar Runyon has been confined to his home on Dunellen avenue with a severe cold.

Mrs. Alfred Osmun will entertain the members of the G. E. Club next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Edward Ayers is convalescing nicely from her illness with pneumonia.

The residence of William T. Pidgington has been repapered *throughout.*

Thurman Ayers and sons have returned from a visit at Holmdel.

Willard Tomlinson, who has been ill of pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Willard N. Apker, who has been ill, is better.

B. K. Burke will spend the week-end at Hopewell.

John Doty has the grip.

CLINTON

There has been a large advance sale of tickets for a play, "All On Account of Polly," to be given in Music Hall *this evening by the Senior class of the* Clinton high school. A dance will be held in the Hoffman building immediately after the play.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Van Syckle, of Brookline, Mass., left Wednesday for their home, after spending a week at the home of Mr. Van Syckle's brother, William C. Van Syckle, of Clinton.

There will be a union service next Thursday night in the Baptist Church, taking the form of a missionary service. Dr. Allee Smith Paker, of Swatow, China, will speak.

Mrs. Isaac Trout underwent Wednesday an operation for appendicitis in the private hospital of Dr. Paul G. Correll, Easton, Pa., where she was taken Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Hoyt returned this week after a two months' absence, having visited in New York city and Buffalo.

Mrs. Emma Smith and her daughter, Mrs. John C. Dalrymple, are visiting *relatives in Newark.*

Mrs. William Frey, of Crissona, Pa., is spending a few days in Clinton with Mrs. Harry Berger.

Former Senator and Mrs. William C. Gebhardt, left yesterday for a sojourn *in Florida.*

Mrs. William Wilson is ill at her home on Clinton Heights.

Miss Blanche Hulsizer, is in New York city.

Miss Helen Leigh is ill.

WATCHUNG

Roscoe De Baum, agricultural specialist, will give a lecture on "Home Vegetable Gardening" in the Watchung School auditorium tonight at 8.15 o'clock. The lecture is free to all and is held under the auspices of the W. V. S. Club.

The Watchung Club will hold a meeting Monday evening in Improvement Hall. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Liebanau and daughter have leased the apartments next to Edward Marfine's home.

John Gunn, of Mountain Boulevard, has moved to Plainfield.

BOUND BROOK

FIREMEN WILL DINE MARCH 13

Final plans were made *last night* for the monster banquet to be held by the Bound Brook Firemen's Bowling League in the Berkeley Hotel on the evening of Tuesday, March 13.

At that time Chief George O. Smalley will present loving cups to the teams which finished first, second and third, as follows: South Bound Brook Hose Co., No. 1, and Ivy H. & L. Co., Harry Wolferz will be awarded a token for *bowling the highest individual score* 258. Leonard Hodge and Sanford Snyder, the former with South Bound Brook and the latter with Watchung Co., are tie for high average with a mark of 183. They will decide the honors within the next few days. South Bound Brook won the high team score, 974, as well as first place in the league.

Debate at Washington School

A debate will be held in the auditorium of the Washington school this evening between teams representing the Somerville High School and the Bound Brook High School on the question, "Resolved, That compulsory arbitration laws should be enacted to settle all labor disputes between employer and employe on railroad and other common carriers constitutionality conceded." The Bound Brook team will take the negative side of the question and the visiting team the affirmative.

The local team will be Isadore Eiseman, Maurice Hageman and James C. Crawford. The Somerville team will be Paul Rusby, Ruth Becker and Fred Pelowitz. It is *expected* that about 200 rooters will be present from Somerville and also a large number of local rooters will be present to cheer for their respective teams.

These debates have been arranged by students of Rutgers College, New *Brunswick*, and the various high schools of the State have been placed in groups of four each. The Bound Brook High School has been placed in the group with Somerville, North Plainfield and Cranford.

The annual banquet of the Bible Brotherhood of the Presbyterian church will be held in the chapel on Wednesday evening, March 28. The speaker of the evening will be James A. Whittemore, the religious work secretary of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association. The next regular business meeting of the Brotherhood will be held in the chapel on Tuesday evening, March 13th, at which the *annual election of officers will be* held. This will also be a ladies' night.

The following list of unclaimed letters remain in the local post office for the week ending March 1st: R. *Fitzsimmons, Mrs. L. E.* Jackson, J. A. Kenney, Miss Mary Oscar, Mr. William, R. D. Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised."

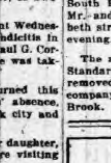
The South Bound Brook Needlework Guild members will meet with Mrs. A. C. Crater on Cedar street, South Bound Brook, next Tuesday afternoon. All ladies who are interested in the work for war relief are invited to be present.

Charles Byer, of East Union avenue, was removed to Somerset Hospital at Somerville on Wednesday, where he underwent a surgical operation performed by Dr. Meeker and Dr. Kavcher.

Mrs. Benjamin Blystone, of New Alexandria, Pa., and Mrs. James Kinsey, of Newark, N. J., are visiting with Mrs. Anna Hoagland on Church street.

The Friday Night Social Club of South Bound Brook will meet with Mrs. and Mrs. Jacob Byer on Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook, this evening.

The advertising department of the Standard Paint Company has been removed from New York City to the company's plant in South Bound Brook.



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SCOTCH PLAINS

BID FAREWELL TO MR. AND MRS. WALKER

The members of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library tendered Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Walker a farewell reception at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Madison Hare last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Walker and family will remove next week to their new home in Mercerville, N. J., and as they have both long been members of the board and have always taken an active interest in the library as well as the other public institutions of the Plains, it was from a feeling of appreciation that last night's farewell was arranged.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Hare was artistically decorated with potted plants and fine flowers, the arrangement in the dining room where the refreshments were served being *especially beautiful.*

During the course of the evening Dr. Hare on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Library presented Mr. and Mrs. Walker with a complete set of Washington Irving's works, which were inscribed on the title page, "Presented to Mr. and Mrs. Ira G. Walker by the Trustees of the Public Library, Scotch Plains, N. J."

A book entitled, "The Vatican, Its History and Treasures," was also presented to Mr. and Mrs. Walker, the inscription on this being: "In recognition of and appreciation for the long and faithful service rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gage Walker, Trustee of the Public Library, Scotch Plains, N. J., of their associates on the Board of Trustees inscribe our names in this volume as an expression of the high esteem in which they are held by us and the community they have so faithfully served."

Frank H. Anson, Miss Elizabeth Babcock, J. Ackerman Coles, J. Madison Hare, John Z. Hatfield, Thirza G. Hatfield, Lydia K. Hayes, Samuel Hollingsworth, Elizabeth R. Hollingsworth, Philip Jahn, Nellie M. Jahn, Anne L. Littell, Thomas J. Michol, Ella Gere Pratt, Mrs. Robert L. Thomas, William F. Ward, Florence E. Ward, F. W. Westcott.

"Old books, old wine, old nankin blue,
All things, in short, to which belong
The charm, the *agee*, that Time makes strong,
All these I prize, but entre nous,
Old Friends are best."

The speakers at the Parish House Forum Sunday afternoon will be J. Boyd Potter, a graduate of the Naval Academy. Mr. Potter will speak on "Preparedness."

Immediately following the prayer meeting in the Methodist church tonight there will be a rehearsal of *the choir.*

ANNANDALE

John D. Cregar, eighty years old, *having recently sold his large farm near* Annandale on which he has lived all of his life, will sell his stock, farming implements and part of his household goods at public sale on the premises Tuesday, Mar. 20. Geo. Van Billiard will be the auctioneer. Mr. Cregar will move about April 1 to Plainfield, where he will live retired. He, with a number of others in this section, recently sold his farm to the State as a site for a new insane asylum.

Mrs. Myron Schermerhoen returned Wednesday to her home in New York city, after spending several days with Mrs. Jacob Cullen, of Center street, Annandale. Mrs. Schermerhoen is the wife of Capt. M.P. Schermerhoen, who is employed by the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, and is the young*est captain who ever sailed out of the* port of New York.

A party was given by Mrs. Clarence Miers Tuesday evening to a number of her young lady friends. Games and refreshments were features.

Two children of Roscoe Reynolds, residing near Annandale, are confined to their homes with chicken pox.

At Sunday night's local Christian Endeavor service Mrs. Edward J. Dowd will officiate as leader.

Mrs. F. A. Schmidt, a former resident of New York city, died at her home near Sunnyside Monday.

Among those who obtained auto drivers' licenses at Trenton, Wednesday, was Mrs. Howard E. Apgar.

A son was born on Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Voorheest.

NORTH BRANCH

Miss Rilla Van Syckle will give an entertainment in the chapel of the South Branch Reformed church next Friday night, under the auspices of the Mission Band.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Reformed church will give an entertainment in the chapel next Thursday and Friday evenings.

Twenty road overseers will be named at the meeting of the Branchburg Township Committee in Staats' Hall here Tuesday morning.

Mrs. E. Wade Clark, of North Branch Depot, returned yesterday, after a visit to Mrs. Louise Cramer in Somerville.

Miss Grace Hamilton, of Neshanic, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Hamilton, near North Branch Depot.

Mrs. Warren Cummings is spending a few days with Mrs. Eli Dow, Jr., near Green Knoll.

Miss Ruth Ericson, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ericson near here.

WESTFIELD

FOOD RIOT FAILED TO MATERIALIZE

Quite a little excitement was caused in this town shortly after one o'clock yesterday afternoon by the report that a number of the women who are said to be responsible for the food stuff riots in New York had come to this town and were planning to enter all the stores on Broad street and pour oil on onions and other articles of food and burn them. The report emanated from some of the New York papers who called up newspaper representatives and Chief of Police Rosecrans to make inquiries about it.

The officers at the police station as well as the Chief were kept busy answering inquiries that were asked by the citizens. The Chief had no inkling that such a thing was to happen, *but in order to be on the safe* side he broke an engagement which he had made in Newark, it being his wish to be easily reached. There was no such thing happened and the only thing that gets the best of the citizens of the town is where the report started that the women were coming here.

Library Report for Month

The Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library held its monthly meeting in the Library last night and outside of hearing the report of Miss Bessie Smith, the librarian, for the month of February, little was done. During the past month the library has received gifts of books from A. K. Gale, Charles Cox, Miss Emily Bridgham, and Mrs. H. C. Rush and a note of thanks has been sent to each by the secretary of the board of trustees.

The total circulation of the library for the month of February was 3,158 divided as follows: Adult, non-fiction, 351; adult, fiction, 1,661; juvenile, non-fiction, 272; juvenile, fiction, 699; periodicals, 197; pamphlets, 1; pictures, 76. The attendance at the library was 3,429. The number of books added were 116; fifteen were discarded and the total number of books in the library is 8,374. President Springsteel presided and all the trustees present were. Secretary Mrs. J. T. Tubby, Treasurer George W. Cox and Charles D. Losee.

First Aid Class Organized

Mrs. J. D. Taylor and Mrs. Frank Southmayd have organized the "first aid only" class in "First Aid" under the Red Cross in this town. Dr. Dr. R. G. Savoye, who is giving his services as lecturer and instructor without fee, many thanks are due.

The class is limited under the Red Cross rules to twenty-five. The members are: Mrs. W. A. McAllister, Mrs. J. W. Barr, Mrs. T. K. Dray, the Misses Brady, Mrs. W. B. Elliott, Mrs. C. G. Edmunds, Mrs. R. G. Hudson, the Misses Hudson, Mrs. Oliver Hall, Miss A. McGee, Mrs. Theodore Miller, Miss Miller, Mrs. M. D. Littlefield, Miss Virginia Pearsall, Mrs. R. N. Sumner, Mrs. Frank Southmayd, Mrs. J. D. Taylor, Mrs. Hugh Talbot, Miss Edith Jones, Mrs. R. T. Mills, Mrs. C. R. Pitcher and Mrs. W. F. Watts.

Pioneer News Dealer to Retire

Charles F. W. Wittke, who is the pioneer newsdealer of this town, is preparing to retire from business and will turn it over to his son, Edward Wittke. For a number of years Mr. Wittke served the commuters who went on the trains. He has been in the newspaper business since 1872 and has never missed a day in all that time, no matter what the weather was, in serving his eighty or more customers with their morning paper. He started in business in a small building on Elm street near where the post office is *now. Later he moved to the build*ing on the same street where he has been since 1882.

Death of Mrs. Theis

Mrs. Emily Theis, widow of the late Louis Theis, of Willow Grove, died in Denver, Colorado, last Saturday. Mrs. Theis went to Denver about ten months ago. She was a member of the Willow Grove Sewing Circle and was well known here. She was *about 57 years old. The body* will be brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Lambert, on Westfield avenue, where the funeral will be held and which will be announced later.

Arthur Sanders, who has been the day agent at the Central Railroad station for a number of years, has been transferred to the Elizabeth station. He will take his new position on Monday. His place at the local station will be taken by Frank B. Scott, of Califon.

Thirty members of Westfield Council, Knights of Columbus, will attend the patriotic rally to be held in the Beechwood Hotel at Summit tonight.

Mrs. E. R. Underwood and family, of Summit avenue, went to Detroit, Mich., yesterday where they will make their home in the future.

Theodore S. Class and family, of Ross place, have gone to Washington to *attend the inaugural exer*cises.

R. L. McIntosh, of Dudley avenue, left yesterday for an extended business trip to Philadelphia.

Mrs. G. W. Baker, of Broad street, is recovering from an illness of several weeks.

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FANWOOD

A. L. Johnson, who is superintendent of Union county schools, will address the Men's Forum in the Scotch Plains parish house on Sunday afternoon of March 11. His topic will be "Educational Progress *in Union County.*" He will show the great part that the public schools have played in educating children of this country and will describe the general methods of teaching used.

A meeting of the Bible class was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John H. Thompson.

Miss Florence Keanedy, of North avenue, visiting Mrs. Russell Pineo, of Elizabeth.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

A number of the ladies met at the home of Mrs. John Kane, of Lakeview avenue, on Wednesday evening for the purpose of making arrangements for the St. Patrick's night dance. Mrs. George Bradbury was elected chairman of the committee and Miss Margaret Hamilton secretary. Those appointed on the refreshment committee were: Mrs. *Louis Lipshitz, Mrs. Daniel Delaney,* Mrs. William Shanafey, Mrs. William Everhardt, Mrs. William Thornton and Mrs. George Bradbury. Those recently appointed on the men's committee are: John Kaine, John Thornton, William Thornton, P. A. McDonough, *William Shanafey,* George Bradbury, Samuel Shields, Louis Hendrickson and Robert Hamilton.

Three births have been reported here in the last few days. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Latmore, of Maple avenue, are the parents of a boy. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sexton are the parents of a daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. George Fedak are the parents of a daughter.

William F. Metz, of New Market, supervising principal of the public schools of this township, called at the local school yesterday afternoon. William Waldron, steward of the Township Farm, which is located near Stelton, called on friends here yesterday.

Regular weekly instructions for the Sunday school pupils of the Sacred Heart church will be conducted tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Miss Louise Miller has returned to her home on Hancock avenue after *spending a few days with her sister,* Mrs. Lewis Wright, of Hampton, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Harrison, who recently sold their farm on Plainfield avenue, intend to move to Metuchen the first of next week.

Mrs. John Pickering, of Brookside avenue, has returned from a few days' visit with relatives in Scranton, Pa.

George Sendal has taken a position with C. E. Thorne, of Brookside *avenue.*

Miss Myrtle Miller has returned from a visit with friends in Perth Amboy.

Miss Elma Randolph is confined to bed at her home on Front street by *illness.*

BRITONS WHO WON'T FIGHT MUST GO TO JAIL

By United Press:

London, March 12.—Cells in Dartmoor prison today await conscientious objectors and others who refuse to fight for King and Country from now on. The government heretofore has dealt leniently with the objectors, but after today they must either fight or be locked up.

Dartmoor is the convict prison built in 1806 to hold French prisoners. Two thousand American seamen who refused to serve as British sailors in the war of 1812, against their own country, were confined there *too.* Jeremiah Lynch of Irish rebellion notoriety was sentenced to 10 years there after the Sinn Fein uprising.

GOLD FOR ARGENTINE

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—It is understood that the S. S. Mechee, flying the American flag, sails today with a large amount of gold for Argentina. One prominent banking firm confirms the report that it is shipping $500,000 on the vessel mentioned.

FIVE JERSEYMEN LEARN AVIATION

Picked From Naval Brigade For United States School.

NAVY DEPARTMENT ASKED MEN

Ensign and Four Enlisted Men Studying at Pensacola as Result of Special Request From Government—To Take Three Months' Course and Return With Up to Date Aeroplane.

Newark, March 2.—An officer and four men of the First battalion, New Jersey naval reserves, home station U. S. S. Adams, Passaic river, have arrived at the navy aviation school, Pensacola, Fla., where they will be qualified *as aviators and returned here with* a flying machine of the latest type. These men will form the nucleus of the First battalion naval militia flying corps, which has a hangar and flying field near Keyport.

The flying detail will be at the aviation school for at least three months and during that time will receive the pay of their rank. They were ordered to report to the school September 1, the sealed orders had been received by Governor Edge and transmitted to Adjutant General Barber directing that the men most fitted for the work be selected by competitive examinations, physical and in connection with the rudiments of aviation.

The men selected, who left here on Feb. 26, are Ensign Walter S. Lee, Carpenter Edward A. Denton, Carpenter Frank Prove, Carpenter Gordon MacCreigh and Machinist J. Canoe Rolfe.

These men are somewhat familiar with air work, having been in the flying corps of the battalion, which now has two machines, neither of which is up to date. The machines intimated that because of the fine work of the battalion and the efforts already made to the aviation field when the men qualify two machines may be turned over by the government.

CALL COOKS TO STRIKE

Dishwashers in New York Restaurants Also to Go Out.

New York, March 2.—A strike of 15,000 cooks, dishwashers and kitchen helpers in establishments from the Battery to Fiftieth street has been called. The men are expected to quit work either on Monday or Tuesday, according to leaders of the union. Expert cooks demand pay ranging from $18 to $25 a week.

Herman Ross, special organizer of the union, admits that only about 7,000 of the 15,000 cooks are organized, but expresses confidence that all the 15,000 will walk out.

REBELS FIRE CANE,

Destroy Big Sugar Fields in Camaguey Province.

Havana, March 2.—For the first time since the Cuban insurrection began mention is made in an official report of the burning of cane fields by the rebels.

Reporting on operations in the taking of the capital of Camaguey province, Colonel Tejal, commander of the government forces there, says the enemy fled, "destroying bridges and stations and setting fire to extensive cane fields, it is declared, to provoke intervention."

COAL-CARRYING ROADS MAKE BIG CONCESSIONS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—A dispatch from Philadelphia says that a voluntary surrender of $1,500,000 annual revenue by reduction of hard coal freight rates from the Pennsylvania anthracite fields to Philadelphia will be announced within a week by the five largest hard-coal carrying railroads in the East. The surrender is the result of a compromise in a suit started four years ago which awaits only approval of the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission to be become operative.

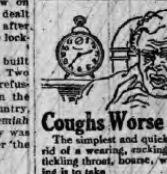
TWENTY HOWITZERS ORDERED

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—The Midvale Steel and Ordinance Company has received an order from the United States Government for twenty 9½-inch howitzers for the army.

Avaun Fires at Madison, Conn.

Madison, Conn., March 2.—The handsome summer homes here of Thomas A. Hunkston of New York city and Herbert L. Baker of Mount Vernon were destroyed by fire of supposed incendiary origin. The authorities say they are on the trail of a fiendish and expect to make an arrest shortly. The damage to the cottages is estimated at more than $25,000.



Coughs Worse at Night

The simplest and quickest way to get rid of a wearing, sacking night cough, tickling throat, hoarse, wheezy breathing is to take

Foley's Honey and Tar.

In it, you get the curative influence of the pine tar and other healing ingredients, together with the mollifying and laxative action of honey.

Editor C. T. Miller, Casselton, Ind. (Esquire), writes: "I was troubled with bronchial affection and coughed constantly day and night. I took Foley's Honey and Tar and got relief. It is great for bronchial colds and coughs. La grippe, and bronchial troubles, whooping cough, asthma, throat, are all quickly relieved."

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PERSONAL

Arthur Shelby, of the State Board of Health, was the guest of Health Officer N. J. R. Chandler, last night.

CHANGES NEW TOWER AT FAR HILLS

Changes have been made in the plans for the Chinese tower which is being built by Grant H. Schley at the highest elevation on his farm in Far Hills, Somerset county. An elevator has been installed to carry visitors the sixty-four feet to the observation platform. Here it has been planned to put a telescope. A tablet showing the direction and distance of the various points discernible from the tower will be installed as a guide to sightseers. The building will cost $12,000.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic affairs, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In these days, when domestic science is being recognized as a real art, it is well for the thoughtful housekeeper to stop and consider how, other things being equal, the scientific cook possesses an advantage over the unskilled one.

The scientific cook understands, at the outset, that all foods, of whatever origin, are made up of definite constituents, known as food principles. Of these, the most important are the nitrogenous foods (known as proteins), the fats and the carbohydrates or starches. Each article of food has a predominance of one of these food principles, which must be considered in the cooking.

Starches are rendered more soluble, hence more digestible (for in such case solubility means digestibility), by cooking at a moderate temperature. A high temperature is employed when it is desired to change the starch to dextrine, as in the crust of bread or making toast.

Fats are decomposed at very high temperature and their products, the fatty acids, are quite indigestible. Fat in its natural condition is easily digested. Of the nitrogenous foods, the albumin present in all animal and vegetable organisms are more digestible in their normal state. However, it is often necessary to cook them to render them palatable. Examples of these albuminous foods are white of egg, casein of milk and gluten of wheat.

It is the cook's duty to ascertain which of the food principles predominates in the article to be cooked. This is a simple matter for the girl or woman who is conversant with the natural sciences. For example, take the cereals that are so generally used for breakfast. Any one who has studied plants has learned that the grains from which these foods are prepared are composed largely of starch and cellulose, the latter being a woody fiber, with which you are all familiar in the covering of the grain kernel.

Cellulose is never digestible in any form, but it is rendered more palatable by long, slow cooking. Knowing these facts, the scientific cook decides that the proper steps to take are to dilate the starch, thus rendering it more soluble and at the same time softening the cellulose.

It, therefore, takes but a small amount of reasoning on the part of the scientific cook to decide that this shall be accomplished by long, slow cooking. She next gives attention to the form of the cereal preparation, for if the cellulose is removed, it is necessary to provide a medium in which the starch grains are separated, in order that they may be properly cooked on all sides, otherwise there is lumping caused by massing together of the grains of starch and only cooking the outside of the mass. If the cellulose covering protects the starch grains from the solvent, it also separates them, but a longer time is required for the cooking.

How does the scientific cook know these things? She has learned the principles of solvents in her study of chemistry. The same science has taught her the law of definite proportions. Knowing these few simple principles, she is ready to cook any cereal preparation which may be given her so as to present the best food values.

We often hear the remark made by some woman that she "cannot boil potatoes." The truth is, that few cooks prepare this dish properly. The woman who understands science knows that the potatoes do not really boil. The water boils and the heat conveyed by this medium cooks the starch and softens the cellulose of the vegetable.

Physics has taught her, that under ordinary pressure, water never becomes any warmer after the boiling point is reached (212 degrees Fahrenheit, 100 degrees Centigrade). Therefore, she allows the water to remain at boiling temperature until the heat has penetrated and cooked the potatoes. By draining at once, she has a mealy, flaky vegetable.

True, without her knowledge of science, she might obtain the same results accidentally. But she is quite as likely to continue the cooking until the starch is partly dextrinized and a gumy, sticky potato results.

The unscientific cook is also quite likely to endeavor to hasten the cooking process by adding fuel to the fire, thus causing violent boiling, believing that she is thus obtaining her object. She may cause the vegetable to break by the mechanical action of the water, or the liquid may splash over on the stove, or pass off in steam, but in no case is the cooking accomplished in less time.

Thus a knowledge of the simple laws of physics prevents a waste of fuel, which is a point in economy well worth considering.

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BENNY'S MAGIC BAG—Part I

Once upon a time there lived a poor cobbler with three sons. It was hard to get along when the father was well, for the two older boys were very lazy; but when the father fell sick and died, the family almost starved, for not a soul would do any work except the youngest son, Ben.

After the father was buried the three lads sat together in the bare rooms gazing hopelessly at the dull walls and the shabby, broken furniture.

"I am not going to remain in this place; there is nothing here to live on," muttered the oldest one. "But I see father left a good suit of clothing. I will take that as my share."

"I guess I had better go away, too," grumbled the second son. "This old cottage and the patch of ground are worth nothing. I see that father left his old watch. I guess I will take that for my share." And with that the second son seized the timepiece, which hung on the head of the bed, and set out down the road.

"If you can find anything around the house you are welcome to it," said the oldest as he arose to follow the brother down the road. "But I see nothing here except this old bag. You can have this, Benny." And as he spoke he tossed into the youngest son's face a tattered brown bag which had always hung on a nail in the attic.

Benny sat still for a long time. He was fond of his father, and as he gazed about the lonely house his eyes filled with tears. He cared nothing for what had been left. His heart ached only for the poor, hard-working man who had had little kindness from his two eldest sons. It began to grow dark. The fire went out and the moonlight was the only means by which the weary lad could see.

Tired out, Benny placed the bag on a cot and lay down, but he was too hungry to sleep. He searched the cupboard, yet there was not a crumb of bread on the shelves. The greedy brothers had eaten every slice and left Benny nothing.

"My, but I wish I had some supper," said Benny aloud as he lay down again as hungry as ever.

Hardly had he gotten the words out of his mouth before there was a noise in the room and he saw the outline of a genii form out of a gray mist right before his eyes. In the hands of the figure was a large tray of gold, and on it were smoking dishes of meat, vegetables and pies of different kinds. The genii set the tray on the table and bowed. Benny was too frightened to speak.

"Has my master any other wish?" asked the spirit.

"No," stammered the boy, "only I would like to know who you are and why you have brought me this feast."

"I am the genii of that bag which your family has ever regarded as worthless," explained the spirit. "It is a magic bag bought 100 years ago in Bagdad by your great-great-grandfather, but as he died before he reached home no one of those who received his goods ever knew the secret of the bag. It has the power of granting to its owner three wishes. You have had one, and two remain. After your third wish it will vanish to its old home in the *mountains of India*."

As Benny was not greedy, he did not wish to use the rest of the gifts till he could decide on something very useful, but he sold the golden dishes and bought himself a comfortable home. Here he lived alone till one day he saw a terrible sight. Down the road came a troop of soldiers firing at a great griffin that floated along before them, breathing fire from its great nostrils and shutting out the country in clouds of smoke.

"It is our Princess, it is Princess Adele," shouted the soldiers as they caught sight of Benny's puzzled and frightened face. "The horrible Jabbiejote has seized her and is bearing her away to his deep, dark den in the rocks. Join us and try to save your King's daughter."

Benny could see that in his claws the griffin held the beautiful but unconscious form of the Princess. While he stood gazing the terrible creature rose with a roar, circled high above the trees, then sped like lightning away till he vanished in the dim blue at the edge of the sea.

Benny awakened as if from a trance. Running into the house, he seized the brown bag and exclaimed: "I wish I were now outside the griffin's cave and that you were still with me."

In another moment Benny was racing through the air astride of the bag; then he fell with a gentle thud just outside of the yawning black hole which was the griffin's den. Coming toward him was the creature himself, snorting flames and bellowing with rage. Benny took the bag under his arm and hid behind a rock.

(Continued tomorrow)

Tomorrow's story — "Benny's Magic Bag."—Part II.

HIDDEN PUZZLE

DOWN SOUTH.
Find another tourist.
REBUS.

An animal.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.
Upper left corner down under right arm.
Robin Hood.

ACTRESS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Special to Courier-News:

Baltimore, March 2.—Miss Edna King, an actress of New York, was killed when a big touring car plunged into the harbor from Quay alley in the rear of the Chesapeake Steamship Company's pier yesterday.

HELLO GIRLS NOT "BUMS," SERVICE BOARD RULES.

Albany, N. Y., March 1.—If a person cursed over the telephone, presses the receiver against the mouthpiece to produce a shrieking noise or flashes the hook up and down too vigorously the telephone company has a right to discontinue service.

This ruling was made by the up state Public Service Commission. The test action was brought in the case of Morel H. Frankel, secretary of the Mediator Publishing company of New York city. Operators testified they had been called "bums" and subjected to profanity in answer to Mr. Frankel's complaint that service had been denied him on two lines.

WOMAN NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH

What Came From Reading a Pinkham Advertisement.

Paterson, N. J.—"I thank you for the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies as they have made me well and healthy. Sometime ago I felt so run down, had pains in my back and side, was very irregular, tired, nervous, had such bad dreams, did not feel like eating and had short breath. I read your advertisement in the newspapers and decided to try a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It worked from the first bottle, so I took a second and a third, also a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Purifier, and now I am just as well as any other woman. I advise every woman, single or married, who is troubled with any of the aforesaid ailments, to try your wonderful Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier and I am sure they will help her to get rid of her troubles as they did me."—Mrs. ELSIE J. VAN DER SANDE, 36 No. York St., Paterson, N. J.

Write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass, if you need special advice.

HON. O. W. STEWART SPEAKS ON TUESDAY

Will Deliver Address on Saloon Problem in Trinity Reformed Church

Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, of Chicago, Ill., *formerly of the Illinois* Legislature, who is to give an address in Trinity Reformed church Tuesday, March 6, at 8 p. m., was one of the members or speakers in the great Flying Squadron campaign which lasted from September 30, 1914, until the 6th of the following June. As a member of that organization he visited the capital of every State, as well as the capital of the nation. In the 295 days meetings were held in 255 cities, necessitating a journey of over 65,000 miles.

Mr. Stewart comes this way at this time under the auspices of the Flying Squadron Foundation, of which Hon. J. Frank Hanley, former Governor of Indiana, is at the head. The Foundation is continuing the work of the Flying Squadron. Mr. Stewart will not only review the great campaign in which he had a part, but will outline to the people the plans for the future, besides giving an up-to-date discussion of the latest phases of the saloon problem.

No admission is charged for the lecture and everyone is invited to attend.

STEAMSHIP ROCHESTER REACHES BORDEAUX

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 2.—The steamship Rochester from New York arrived at Bordeaux, France, Wednesday night, according to a cable received at the offices of the Kerr Steamship Co.

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WEEKLY NOTES FROM W. C. T. U.

In the Senate amendments to the postal appropriation bill were agreed to, which would make every prohibition State "bone-dry."

Indiana's prohibition law—one of the strictest ever enacted in any State—was quickly followed by action in both Houses of Congress.

Almost every week the long fight for a "dry" United States moves forward. The past few days have shown more than usual progress toward prohibition.

One amendment excludes from the mails all newspapers or other publications if they contain advertisements of liquors and are addressed to "dry" territory. Publishers of such papers are made subject to heavy fines.

More than that, it is made unlawful to send by mail any letter, postcard, circular or other matter advertising liquors or soliciting orders for them if such mail is addressed to any State or to any portion of any State or territory where the liquor business is unlawful.

In the House the judiciary committee reported the prohibition amendment to the Federal Constitution and recommended its passage. This gave great encouragement to the "drys" although they realized that the matter could hardly come to action in the Senate at this session.

ONE JERSEYMAN VOTED FOR DRY DISTRICT

Of the twelve Jerseymen in Congress only one, Hon. E. J. Hutchinson, of Trenton, voted for the Sheppard bill for limited prohibition in the District of Columbia. Mr. Hutchinson is not only a pacificist, but also a prohibitionist.

The nays were Bacharach, Browning, Scully, Capstick, Hart, Hamill, *Drukker, Gray, Parker, Lehlbach* and Eagle.

None of the Jerseymen engaged in the rough and tumble debate, but they were none too less stoutly against depriving the national capital of its opportunities to get its liquor when and where it desired. The bill would never have passed if the Jerseymen had their way.

WINS $500 VERDICT FROM P. S. C. CO.

Jersey City, March 2.—Miss Anna Murphy, of 208 Ninth street, was awarded $500 Wednesday night by a jury which heard her suit against the Public Service Railway Company in the Circuit Court. The young woman, it was testified, was alighting from a trolley car at Washington and Ferry streets, Hoboken, December 17, 1915, when her dress caught in the vestibule door, which had been quickly closed. She was thrown to the ground and injured. The company alleged negligence on the part of Miss Murphy, who sued for $10,000.

EMBARGO IS LIFTED

Special to Courier-News:

Boston, March 2.—The embargo on the New Haven road was lifted somewhat yesterday to allow foodstuffs and perishable freight to be accepted from the Central, Vermont and Albany. The conditions all over the system has improved greatly during the past week, and, it is believed that it will not be long before the necessity of any embargo will have disappeared.

MRS. FRANK E. HARRIS

United States Soldier's Wife a Heroine of the Lazonia.

Photo by American Press Association.

The wife of an American soldier is expected to be a heroine when colonial artists and Mrs. Harris rose to the occasion when the Lazonia sank. She was cool and of great assistance in helping others and was the last woman to leave the ship. Her husband is Lieutenant Colonel Frank E. Harris, coast artillery corps, commandant at Fort Du Pont, Delaware. Mrs. Harris was on her way to be a Red Cross nurse in England.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

She Is Criticised For Skating During Crisis.

Photo by American Press Association.

It is difficult for even a young and patriotic queen to please some people. Two days after the U-boat unlimited decree became effective Queen Wilhelmina attended a skating carnival. Thereupon some members of parliament criticised her—unofficially—saying in these perilous times a queen should not be thinking of amusement. It's hard being a queen these days.

SUFFRAGE RAINBOW TO ENCIRCLE WHITE HOUSE MARCH 4

(By United Press)

Washington, March 2.—A suffrage rainbow will encircle the White House on next Sunday. Flying the purple, white and gold colors of the Congressional Union, a thousand banners will flash this message to President Wilson—"Help women secure political liberty." Borne by a silent but determined army of women whose lines will completely surround the White House grounds, they will make woman suffrage the first subject of importance to be called to the President's attention at the beginning of his new administration.

Every state in the union will be represented in the huge human cordon that the progressive suffrage leaders have planned as the climax of their campaign to visualize to the President the nation-wide demand for woman's enfranchisement. Doctors, lawyers, nurses, business women, factory employes, wage earners from every rank of life—will be on duty that day at the White House gates. Pacifists and militarists alike, they will join forces to urge the passage of the federal suffrage amendment.

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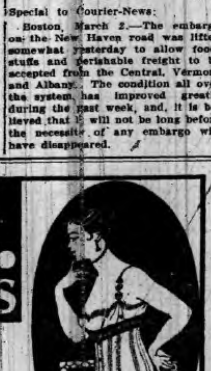

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SYNOPSIS OF THE OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS OF THE COUNTY OF UNION

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders was held at Elizabeth, N. J., on Thursday, February 1st, 1917, at 2.30 p. m. The Director called the meeting to order with all members present.

Resignation of Burton P. Hall, the member from Fanwood, was received and accepted.

Letter from City Comptroller D. F. Collins, referred to Committee on Appropriation.

Letter from the Allied Printing Trades Council, received and referred to Committee on Stationery.

Freeholders Krouse, Buckle and Jones were appointed on Committee on reindexing Register's books.

Letter from County Engineer Bauer, as to his bills for services of his assistants, received and referred to a Special Committee of Freeholders Meisel, Smith, Randolph, Haviland and Buckle.

Reports from Committees on Widows' Pension, Elizabeth Draw Bridges, Jail Inspection, Lunacy, Stationery, Legislature, Collector's Bonds, Miscellaneous, Sinking Fund, Road, County Engineer, South Front Street Bridge, Mosquito Extermination, Hospitals, Sinking Fund, Grounds and Buildings, were received and ordered filed.

Road Committee also reported on concrete roads on Morris avenue, Summit; Mountain avenue, Mountainside and Springfield; and Springfield avenue, Cranford, which were received and ordered filed.

Committee on Grand street, Rahway, recommended a new bridge at a cost of $15,000.00.

Committee on Eastman Street Bridge, Cranford, recommended a new bridge to cost $16,000.00.

Committee on North Broad street and Lower road, Hillside, recommended a new culvert to cost $600.00, all of which were adopted.

Freeholders Jones, McMane and Marsh were appointed as Committee on Bridge over Green Brook, New Providence.

Freeholders Marsh, Cady, Meisel, Jones and Haviland were appointed as Committee on County Farm for Prisoners.

Freeholders J. Woodruff, Brokaw and Meisel were appointed as Committee on Culvert on Hollywood avenue, Hillside.

Freeholders McMane, Applegate and Randolph were appointed as Committee on Culvert in Summit.

Freeholders Krouse, Cady and Haviland were appointed as Committee on Culverts in Linden.

Freeholders Wilbur, Gehring and Jones were appointed as Committee on Richmond Street Bridge, Plainfield.

Freeholders Wilbur, Darby and N. Woodruff were appointed as Committee on Netherwood Avenue Bridge, Plainfield.

Freeholders McMane, Applegate and Randolph were appointed as Committee on Stanley Bridge, Summit.

Committee on Grounds and Buildings were authorized to expend $4,000.00 in improvements in County Clerk's Office.

Dr. H. R. Livengood was appointed as Jail Physician at a salary of $500.00 per annum.

Road Committee instructed to investigate dangerous curve, West Summit Hill, Summit.

The bills were read and they were on roll call ordered paid.

The Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, March 1, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

BENJAMIN KING, Clerk.

(Full and complete copies may be had of the above minutes upon application to the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J.)

CRANFORD GIRL'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

William N. Gray, Sr., of Cranford, has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Marion Gray, of 13 Hollywood avenue, Hillside, to John A. Clirehugh, son of Mrs. Margaret Clirehugh, of Conant street, Hillside. The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. Gray in Union avenue, Cranford, in the early summer.

DUSTIN FARNUM AND ETHEL CLAYTON AT PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's today

"The Bondage of Fear," one of the big productions, appears at Proctor's today with Miss Ethel Clayton in the leading role assisted by a very able cast including Rockliffe Fellowes, Arthur Ashley and John Bowers. The other attraction at Proctor's today is "The Parson of Panamint" in which Dustin Farnum is cast in the leading role. With a fighting, big-hearted Dustin Farnum in the title role the setting, a real desert mining town, and the types and characters chosen after a lengthy elimination—all these attributes are welded together into the finished product of a great picture.

Tomorrow's program includes two big five-part productions and a special comedy for the kiddies. A love story that lingers in the heart is "The Sunbeam," one of the pictures in which Mabel Taliaferro is the leading character, and "The Big Sister" in which Mae Murray stars. The comedy is a cartoon creation entitled "Jerry on the Job."

On Monday Marie Dressler appears in a new five-part comedy entitled "Tillie Wakes Up," and "Heart Strings," starring Allen Holubar and Maude George. Mrs. Vernon Castle is also seen in "Patria," this serial appearing at Proctor's every Monday and Tuesday.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Thomas H. Ince's Civilization will have a farewell engagement at Proctor's.

GOLDEN CROOK COMPANY COMES HERE MONDAY

Billy Arlington in "The Golden Crook," at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, matinee and night

Keeping up the pace of presenting only the best that the field of burlesque affords, Manager Shannon, of the Plainfield Theatre, announces as his attraction for Monday, matinee and night, March 5th, the internationally famous "Golden Crook Company." The production represents an outlay of a snug fortune and is filled with entrancing musical numbers with a selected cast of principals and a chorus of twenty-eight girls, who have won distinction in their respective realms.

The chorus is an adjunct of grace and beauty, the twenty-eight or more comely girls having been selected because of their attractiveness and ability to wear effective costumes.

A novelty will be the introduction of a French Ballet, interpreted by a score of talented young dancing girls who are said to give an exhibition of terpsichorean skill quite as remarkable and equal to the ballets of Grand Opera.

VAUDEVILLE BILL AT THE PLAINFIELD THEATRE

"Dixie," the educated mule, is only one of the attractions at the Plainfield Theatre for today and tomorrow, the others that are also successful entertainers are Hazel Hanlon & Co. in a comedy sketch; Martell and Bonhill in a singing and talking number; Conrad and Connolly in a musical offering, and Margaret McBride, late star with Richard Carle Company, with a number of her latest song successes.

One of the three remaining episodes of "Pearl of the Army" is also included in the program for today's performances and the latest release of Hearst-Pathe News, showing current events all over the world, and Mutual comedies will round out the bill.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS

At the Strand

A triple feature program will be presented at the Strand Theatre. Mary Pickford will be seen in a photo-dramatic adaptation of Elaihor Gate's charming play "A Poor Little Rich Girl." Captivating "Little Mary" plays the title role, of course, and she has been given more opportunities to display her charming personality and artistic abilities than in any other production in which she has ever appeared. It is said, in fact that "A Poor Little Rich Girl" is the very best Mary Pickford picture ever shown on the screen. The second installment of the wonderful Prizma pictures in natural colors will also be shown. The subject this week is "Uncle Sam's Troops On The Mexican Border." It is said that the colors in these scenes are so realistic that they do not seem like pictures at all. Victor Moore, the popular American comedian, will be seen in a new farce-comedy entitled "Flivering." Another picture of special interest is an educational study showing intimate views of a Sea Lion Rookery in the Northern Pacific. The Strand Topical Review contains the latest American and European news pictures.

At the Columbia

"Stolen Sweets," a burlesque in two acts will be presented by the Midnight Maidens company at the Columbia Theatre the week beginning Monday afternoon, March 5. It is announced that incorporated in the story there is the short skit called "A Night in an English Music Hall" in which Charlie Chaplin made his first American success before motion pictures were known. This little playlet is presented in a scene that represents the stage of a theatre showing the boxes with their occupants and the improvised footlights behind which the performance is given. The character of the inebriated swell, formerly played by Mr. Chaplin, will be performed by Harry Hearn, an English comedian, who was chosen for the fidelity of his appearance and mannerisms to the famous film star. In addition to this striking feature, the performance includes specialties by Grace King who sings and accompanies herself on the cello; a dancing specialty by Bobby Williams and Irene Blaney; an act called High Balls and Chaplain Bumps, by Fern, Bigelow and Meehan; a singing and dancing turn by Hanscom and Vernon and an elaborately arranged feature called Surprise a la Minute in which the members of the chorus led by Laura May appear. Pani, a Japanese midget, thirty-eight inches high, is announced among the show's attractions.

CHAUNCEY OLCOTT HERE TUESDAY NIGHT NEXT

The best play that Chauncey Olcott has ever been given is "The Heart of Paddy Whack," which that noted player will present at Plainfield Theatre next Tuesday night, March 6. The play was written for Mr. Olcott introducing a number of quaint characters, some of more than ordinary dramatic strength and all contributing a large quota to the fund of entertainment. The middle-aged guardian of the lonely Mona is resolved to renounce her because he feels he is too old to claim her. She asks what his thoughts of her are and he replies: "I feel that I want you to know all joy and happiness. I want you to love much and be loved by a good man. I want you to live so that Ireland will be the better for your living and I want to be such a friend to you that you know my love is satisfied in your happiness."

Chauncey Olcott and Viola Fortescue, in "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at the Plainfield Theatre Tuesday evening

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COL. W. BARBOUR DIES IN HIS AUTO

Head of Great Thread Company Stricken After Work.

New York, March 2.—At the close of his day's work at the head of one of the largest linen thread manufacturing concerns in the world Colonel William Barbour slipped to the floor of his limousine in New York and died.

He was a multimillionaire, an eminent high tariff Republican and a power in many great financial institutions, once president of the American Protective league. His home was at 51 West Fifty-third street, and his office as president of the linen thread company was at 96 Franklin street.

Colonel Barbour was fifty-nine years old, a man of powerful physique and a prodigious worker. His large and varied business interests made it necessary for him to keep in close touch with the fluctuations of finance. Recent spasmodic developments arising from the international crisis had engaged his close attention.

His death, almost in harness, came as a highly dramatic end to a conspicuously successful career. When he emerged from his office, shortly after 4 o'clock, his chauffeur noticed that he was not looking well. Now and again as the luxurious limousine bowled uptown he glanced back through the window to see that his employer was all right. He saw that the colonel sat very still and relaxed, as though wearied.

A traffic blockade at Nineteenth street and Broadway permitted the chauffeur to take one more look into the car. This time he was startled to see that Colonel Barbour had slipped to the floor dead.

Among his many business interests Colonel Barbour was president of the Barbour Bros. company, the Paterson (N. J.) Electric company and the Trust Company of America. He was a director in the American Cotton Oil company, Citizens' Insurance company, Hanover National bank, Manhattan Typewriter company, National Bank of the Republic, Safety Car Heating and Lighting company, Standard Coupler company, Standard Rope and Twine company and United States Shoe Machinery company.

While a native and resident of New York, many of his business and political interests were centered in New Jersey.

BRITISH WILL SOON OCCUPY BAPAUME

Germans Ready to Retire to New Positions.

London, March 2.—The occupation of Bapaume by the British is imminent. Unofficial reports from Paris state that the Germans have already withdrawn from the town to new positions running parallel with the road from Bapaume to Peronne. Only heavy guns mounted on rails remain, ready to move to the rear when the British advance, dealing death as they go. Every piece of fortified work has been systematically destroyed, according to the reports.

This report bears out the assertion in the official report issued by Berlin that advance positions on both sides of the Ancre has been voluntarily and systematically evacuated. The report adds that after a strong artillery fire the British attacked near Le Transloy and Sailly, but failed to gain success at either place.

Paris reported encounters between French and German patrols in the Argonne and east of Metzeral, Alsace, in which several German prisoners were taken.

The Turks in Mesopotamia, according to information given out in the house of commons, are fleeing in disorder toward Bagdad. More than 2,000 prisoners had been taken by the British since Feb. 24. On the other fronts there was only minor activity.

DIES SAVING BROTHER.

Girl Run Down as She Pushes Him From Path of Train.

Paterson, N. J., March 2.—Anna Martin, fourteen years old, a schoolgirl, gave up her life to save that of her ten-year-old brother, William, who had walked almost directly in front of an Erie railroad train at the Madison avenue crossing.

The children were returning from school and had to cross the tracks to get to their home. As they reached the crossing over, not knowing that a train was approaching. The girl called to him to "look out" and then darted after him to push him out of the way. She got directly in the path of the train and was thrown high in the air and killed.

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Publishers Look For About $2.50 For International Product.

Washington, March 2.—News print paper manufacturers who want the Federal Trade Commission to fix prices for their products presented further cost figures to the commission. Jobbers will be heard today. It is believed the commission will name a price by Saturday.

Publishers are of the opinion that the commission will fix a maximum rate of $2.50 or $2.60 a hundred pounds for the International Paper company's product. There has been no announcement whether the same price will be set for all mills or whether prices will be based on cost of production.

Baldwin Workers Laid Off.

Philadelphia, March 2.—Eighteen hundred men employed by the Baldwin Locomotive works in making thirteen inch shells for the entente allies have been laid off because of completed contracts, according to an announcement by the company. Within the next six months other foreign contracts for war munitions will have been completed.

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It is requested that claims be presented to the executors at 520 Belle Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

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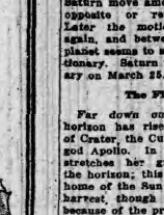

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One of gabardine; little straight coat held in by belt that ties; patch pockets with buttons; detachable collar of faille silk.

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250 dresses of the same kinds of silks (a few of serge), in eight new styles at $19.50. Second floor, Old Building.

Women's New Coats, $25

Warm velour de laine coats in three spring styles—of unusual quality at the price. All three models have large round stitched collars; one has knapsack pockets, another has a tie belt, one gives the modification of the tonneau silhouette. Gold, navy and black.

Second floor, Old Building.

Prettiest Spring Blouses $2, $3, $3.85, $5, $5.75

Blouses just out of the boxes. Spring-like. Fresh. So attractive that most women will choose three or four. We cannot lengthily describe each one. But please see them for yourself.

$3 and $4 Blouses—in three frilled and one plain style; voile, with unusual colored stripes, also striped linene, $2; white voile, $3. Every detail good. Some lace-trimmed.

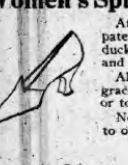
$5.75 Blouses—of crepe de chine (1) with fine pleatings, (2) with collar and frill printed in brilliant three color spheres, or (3) with novelty lace. Excellent silk, too.

Third floor, Old Building.

600 Blouses, $3.85 and $5—Special qualities of crepe de chine in several styles at $3.85; of crepe Georgette and crepe de chine, $5. All particularly low priced.

Main Aisle, Old Building.

Women's Springtime Low Shoes, $5



At least half a dozen charming styles—patent leather, dull calfskin, Sea Island duck. Pumps and Oxfords, Cuban, Louis and the low military heels.

All with the lines that give trimness and grace. Stitching, perforation, little buckles or tongue effects give charm.

Notwithstanding rising costs, they are up to our standards for wear and comfort.

Main floor, Old Building.

The John Wanamaker Store

THE HEAVENS IN MARCH

Saturn still visible in the Constellation of the Twins—His very slight movement relative to the neighboring stars illustrative of the phenomenon of the retrograde motion of the planets. Constellation of Crater, the Cup, far down on the southeastern horizon.

By C. S. Brainin of the Columbia University Observatory staff.

The March map can show us but one of the brighter planets, Saturn, which still occupies a place in the constellation of the Twins very nearly on the continuation of a straight line joining the brighter luminaries of this group, Castor and Pollux. *Castor is the star nearest the north* pole, Pollux is next and Saturn is furthest south. To the casual observer it may seem that Saturn has kept absolutely the same position among the stars for the past few months, but a more careful person will have noticed a very slight movement *relative to the neighboring* stars, and this month a particularly interesting phenomenon in this connection can be observed. It is the changing of the apparent motion of the plant among the stars from "retrograde" or backward motion to "direct" or forward motion; but these technical astronomical terms require explanation, and they admit of one in simple language.

The Retrograde Motion of the Planets

The motions of the planets in the heavens may be divided into two classes. First, the apparent motion due to the daily rotation of the earth on its axis, and, second, the motions seen by us which are due to the true movement of the planet itself in its orbit around the sun. The first of these produces the rising and setting of the planets, as well as of all the other heavenly bodies, giving them an apparent motion from east to west. This apparent motion has no tendency whatsoever to change the planet's position with reference to the neighboring stars, as they all partake of this movement in the same degree. It is the other source of motion that we are interested in now.

Every planet passes around the sun in its orbit in the same direction of rotation, which is from west to east. The earth has this motion in common with all the other members of the sun's family. This would naturally tend to make us see in the planet's motion through the celestial sphere a continuous west-to-east progress. If the planet in question is seen near a certain star, Regulus, for example, at nine o'clock on any night, the next night or after an interval large enough to make its motion visible to the eye we should find it to the east of the star Regulus. This would be invariably true if the earth itself were stationary, but as a matter of fact the thing that determines the position of the planet in the heavens *is not only its* true position in its own orbit but also the position of the earth. The positions of both or the "sight line" from the earth to the planet makes us see the latter projected on the black background of the sky at a particular *point, just as the house or part of* a house that you see a lamp-post projected against depends upon not only the exact location of the post itself but also upon that of the pedestrian, and changes as the latter moves.

This sight line, then, has both its *ends in motion, and the exact direc*tion it will point depends upon the relative motions and speeds of the earth and the planet under observation. The speeds with which the planets move in their orbits depend upon their distance from the sun; the further out they are the slower they move. Saturn, therefore, moves slower than Earth and, though the usual motion of the planet through the sky is, as it ought to be, from west to east, sometimes the earth seems to get ahead of the outer planet in such a way as to make Saturn move among the stars in the opposite or retrograde direction. Later the motion becomes direct again, and between the two the planet seems to stop and remain stationary. Saturn will be thus stationary on March 25.

The Fixed Stars

Far down on the southeastern horizon has risen the constelation of Crater, the Cup, the Goblet of the god Apollo. In the east the Virgin stretches her great length across the horizon; this constellation is the home of the Sun during the time of harvest, though the group itself is, because of the proximity of the Sun, naturally invisible. The figure of the Virgin is usually identified with Ceres, the Greek goddess of plenty. The Greeks in turn had borrowed the symbol from older astronomies and religions. One guess at the riddle of the ever-silent Sphinx is that it was meant to represent the head of this female goddess on the body of the neighboring constellation, Leo, the Lion.

The group Virgo is itself of great interest, as the region of the heavens between it and Leo is full of nebulae; over five hundred have so far been found there. The constellation contains also a beautiful white first magnitude star, which rises just after nine o'clock on the first date of the map and therefore could not be shown. This is Spica, the ear of grain the goddess holds. It is known to have played a great part in the ancient symbolic religions. Spica is a double star; what we see as one are really two stars close together, so close that neither the naked eye nor the most powerful telescope yet constructed can show the two separate components. But we know without a slightest doubt that there are two components, and this information is provided by the spectroscope, which in many ways affords a more keen instrument for analysis and observation than the unaided telescope.

The spectroscopic analysis of the light from Spica shows us not only that the star is a double, but furthermore that the Spica system is approaching the Sun at a rate of 9.2 miles per second. We do not yet know the actual distances from us, for no angle measuring device so far produced by modern science can measure the extremely small change in direction of the star produced by the orbital motion of the Earth.

Two Immense Stores Overflowing With Spring Merchandise Offered at Amazingly Low Prices in the

Great Anniversary Sales

Which Begin Saturday, March 3rd, 1917, in both Our Newark and Elizabeth Stores

For weeks we have been planning these events, buying all the good merchandise it was possible to secure at special prices and you may be sure that with the buying power of these two stores behind us, The Goerke Co., of Newark, N. J., and the Goerke-Kirch Co., of Elizabeth, N. J., we were able to secure many and many a lot.

For days we have been ticketing this merchandise, carrying it down to its respective departments, and when these events are opened to the public Saturday there is no question but what the values we will offer will prove a revelation to the public of this vicinity.

We Feature as a Leader Bargain in Both Our Stores

Women's Sample Spring Suits

Worth $20.00 and $22.50

Which we will offer at the little price of $15.00. No question but what this is the most remarkable value in Newark or Elizabeth today; the price in many instances does not cover the cost of making; shown in Fashion's favorite models and colorings; all sizes, 16 to 44; this includes our regular stock, which we have included. Actual values $20.00 and $22.50. at **$15.00**

GOERKE-KIRCH CO. BROAD & WEST JERSEY STS ELIZABETH

GOERKE CO. BROAD & CEDAR STS NEWARK

NEARBY CROP REPORTS ARE NORMAL

Labor Exceedingly High, Farmers Report, in These Parts

The State reports from counties in this part of New Jersey give the crop indications about normal despite high first expenses and the prospect of expensive labor. Labor has been found to be exceedingly high, as is also the cost of low per cent. potash fertilizer. Non-potash fertilizer is normally priced.

In some sections both the potato and onion acreage will be considerably increased.

In Union county there is not much change from recent years, when farm labor has been scarce. The potato crop is dwindling of late years. The onion acreage probably will be doubled, and potato acreage considerably increased. Seed potatoes are coming from Maine and New York State. Fertilizer price increase is not an important element, as green crops are plowed in. Area devoted to trucking will be twenty per cent. higher.

Somerset—The potato crop promises to be smaller than usual this year because of the high cost of seed potatoes and fertilizers and the scarcity of labor. The price of seed potatoes is so high that no dealer at Somerville is handling them. One farmer who bought seed potatoes last fall states that by selling them at the present market price he would make $2,000 on his purchase, and he is uncertain whether to sell or plant. Somerset farmers, owing to the rise in price of milk, are turning their attention to dairy farming. One farmer is paying his farm hands $50 a month and a quart of milk a day. Other farmers are paying from $20 to $25 a month and board.

Hunterdon—Conditions for potatoes and other vegetables are expected to be about normal, with farmers planting a little higher acreage of potatoes by reason of higher prices. Few onions are being raised. Some seed potatoes are being purchased from Maine. Farmers pay help $1.75 to $2 a day, or $25 to $40 a month, with house and produce, eggs and milk.

Morris—Shortage of labor will interfere with planting, and labor prices are so high farmers can't see profit. Farmers have to pay $1.50 and $2 a day for labor, which munition plants have drawn off. Fertilizer remains about the same. Prospects for spring are bad.

Mercer—Farm labor is very scarce, $1.75 to $2 being offered, as against $1.75 last year. Seed potato shortage will not affect planting seriously. *Mostly Maine, with some New York* State seed, is being used. Potash fertilizer is $37 to $40. Planting of vegetables and cereals will probably be normal.

Strictly Fresh Nearby Farm Eggs dozen **42c**	**E. & W. SCHLOSS** GRANULATED SUGAR— Any Quantity; lb. **8c**		Borden's Peerless Evaporated Milk tall cans can **12c**

Fancy California Dried Lima Beans or Yellow Split Peas; a lb. 12c

Premier Peanut Butter in bulk lb. **15c**	Toilet Paper 6 large rolls **25c**	Fresh Baked Fig Bars 2 lbs. **25c**	Fresh Baked Raisin Bread loaf **10c**

Finest Family Flour—Quality Guaranteed or Money Refunded—
24½-lb. bag, $1.30; per barrel $10.30

Fresh Nippy Cheese *very snappy* each **10c**	Strained Tomatoes; fine *for soups or* sauces; can **6c**	Domestic Sardines in Oil can **7c** 4 cans ... 25c	Silver Lake Rhubarb *No. 3 can* 2 cans **25c**

Only a few left—Those $1.00 Cook Books given away free with 1-lb. Ryzon Baking Powder; lb. 35c

Pin Head Oatmeal lb. **6c** 5 lbs. ... 25c	Fancy Blue Rose Rice lb. **7c** 3 lbs. ... 20c	Fancy Evaporated Peaches or Santa Clara Prunes 2 lbs. **25c**	Pure Dark Strained Honey ½-lb. bot. ... 10c 1-lb. bot. ... 15c

Fancy Golden Santos Coffee, 20c lb.; 5 lbs for 95c

Shredded Cod Fish 10c size; 3 for **25c**	New Sauerkraut a lb. **10c**	Pure Cocoa in bulk a lb. **20c**	Tiger Buckwheat large pkg. **17c**

Combination Sale—3-5c cans Spotless Cleanser, 10c box Buster Cleanser, 1-25c Commode Brush—all for 25c

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March 3, 1917
Unsettled tonight and Sunday.
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PLAINFIELD, NEW JERSEY, SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1917.

PRICE TWO CENTS

MACADAM FOR CHATHAM PLACE

Property Owners Urge North Plainfield Council to Improve This Street

MUST INSTALL CURBING

If This is Done One-half the Expense Will be Assessed at Large—The Balance on Properties Benefitted

Andrew Wilson and Allan Coddington, owners of considerable property in Chatham place, appeared before the North Plainfield Common Council last night, and urged that body to macadamize Chatham place from curb to curb. The street is nineteen feet wide.

Councilman Milne wanted to know from the petitioners whether curbing has been installed on this street, and they replied that it had not. Mr. Milne said that he would not favor laying macadam in any street where a curb line had not been established and curbing put in. Councilman Stahl and Mobus were of the same opinion.

Then the question of apportioning the cost of the improvement was discussed. Mayor Smalley said that he believed all public improvements should be paid for by the tax payers as a whole, and that he did not approve the custom of assessing benefits and damages upon those in the vicinity of improvements.

Councilman Stahl said that all other street improvements had been made that way, and that it would be unfair to those who have paid upon the basis of benefits accruing to their properties, from improvements, if the council now proposed to levy assessments at large, rather than in the way they have been levied heretofore.

Mr. Wilson was asked to interview the property owners and find out if they they would be willing to install curbing. He said that he would be glad to do that, but would like to be in a position to state the attitude of the council with regard to improving the street.

Councilman Stahl then offered a resolution to the effect that the borough assume one-half the cost of macadamizing Chatham place, provided the property owners on that street will install curbing at their own expense, and pay the balance of the cost of laying macadam. The resolution was adopted. The council will take definite action in the matter as soon as Mr. Wilson reports what the property owners are willing to do.

The council approved bills amounting to $3,486.49 which were ordered paid. The Treasurer was ordered to pay $8,729.87 to the custodian of school funds, that sum being the balance of the special school tax.

Recorder Hand reported twenty-nine arrests and the collection of $35 in fines during January and February. The inspector of Sewers reported twenty-four connections installed dur-

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ANNUAL MEETING OF M'ALL AUXILIARY

The annual meeting of the McAll Association will be held at the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday, March 7, at 11 a. m. Miss Martha K. Lawson, representing the National McAll Association, will be the speaker. Miss Lawson is a specially interesting speaker and very familiar with the work in France.

A general invitation is given to attend the meeting.

WILL LECTURE FOR BELGIAN RELIEF

An illustrated lecture will be delivered in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening by J. Erwin, on the beauties of America.

Through a happy combination of word paintings, lovely views in color, and unique motion pictures, Mr. Erwin gives a comprehensive idea of the features of this country, and arouses every patriotic impulse. He will show, among other things, the groves and gardens of Redlands, the Spanish missions, a floral carnival at Pasadena, an ostrich farm, the seals, the coast resorts, the Yosemite trails, the winter sports, the big trees, the Yosemite with its grand water-falls, and Mt. Whitney.

There will be no admission fee, but baskets will be placed at the door of the Y. M. C. A. hall, and all contributions will go to the milk fund that is being raised by the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society.

PARENTS OF A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll P. Carpenter, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Washington, D. C., are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter, Dorothy Hope Carpenter, who was born February 13 last.

—Dunsrosch Orchestra at High School, March 8th. Tickets, $1.00, $1.50. Miller's Drug Store—Adv.

FIRST REHEARSAL OF COMIC OPERA

Participants Requested to Meet at Elks' Clubhouse Monday Night

The first rehearsal of the comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," the production which is to be given under the auspices of the Plainfield Lodge of Elks in the Plainfield Theatre on April 10th, 11th and 12th, will be held in the lodge room of the Elks' home next Monday night, beginning at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, under whose direction the opera is to be given, arrived in Plainfield yesterday morning and will reside here until after the show has been presented. They will be remembered by thousands of local people who witnessed "The Mystic Rose," which they produced with such great success for the Elks last year.

Invitations have been sent to all those who took part in "The Mystic Rose" to attend the first rehearsal for "The Land of Mystery" Monday night, as Mrs. Skilling's production requires sixteen principals and a chorus of at least two hundred, it is desired that additional singers become interested in the affair. The committee in charge extend a cordial invitation to the members of the Community Chorus and to members of all church choirs or other singing organizations in this vicinity to attend the first rehearsal.

All rehearsals will be under the supervision of the following committee, who will look after the welfare of all those who attend: Mrs. C. L. Crist, Mrs. E. J. Harding, Jr., Mrs. W. R. Cruikbrook, Mrs. A. E. Force, Mrs. W. C. Mulvey, Mrs. Edward Ferguson, Mrs. Fred Sandford, Mrs. Walter L. Apgar, Mrs. G. R. Wescott, Mrs. Robert Gow, Mrs. C. F. Stout, Mrs. A. F. La Rock, Mrs. W. H. Pope, Mrs. Charles W. Runyon, Mrs. P. Edward Winch.

About three hundred children will be used again in a ballet similar to the one which made such an impression last year. It is called the "Ballet of the Patriots," and is used between the third act and the last act, instead of after the last act, which permits the children to reach their homes at an earlier hour than was the case last year. While the date of the first rehearsal for the children has not yet been set, it is desired that all the children who took part last year again participate. Quite a few new children will be required and all girls between the ages of seven and fifteen who are students of the Plainfield or North Plainfield schools watch for the announcement of the first rehearsal and be prepared to attend the same.

LOCAL LABOR TO ERECT A TEMPLE

A movement looking forward to the erection of a labor temple in this city at some future date was inaugurated last evening at the weekly session of the local Building Trades Council, when the matter was informally discussed at some length. The consideration of the subject was the outcome of a committee, composed of John Williams and P. S. Flatley of the Moulders' Union, appearing before the Council to take up the matter.

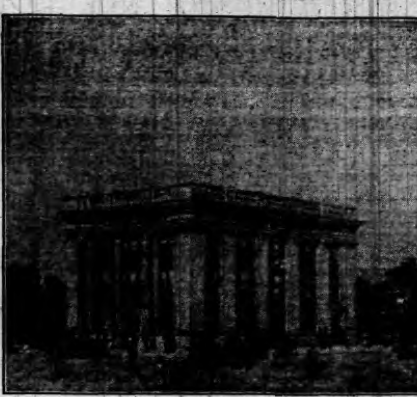
The purpose of the Moulders' Union, for the time being, is to secure all local organized labor bodies of the city under one roof, and as opportunity affords, raise a sufficient sum of money for the erection of a building with the object in view of having a structure which would meet the many and varied needs of the local bodies.

At the conclusion of the discussion, the Trades Council appointed a committee composed of E. Victor Norton and Harry Derflinger to take the question up in conjunction with the moulder's committee with the various crafts in the city. It will probably take a month or two for these committees to make a proper canvass of the various organizations. Should a number of the organizations favor such a movement, a mass meeting of all crafts will be called for a date to be announced later.

During the course of the meeting, resolutions were adopted opposing several bills now pending before the New Jersey State Legislature, among which is the Pierce bill which calls for the establishment of a State constabulary. This bill was introduced before the Senate by Senator Carlton B. Pierce, of Union county. Two other bills, one repealing the "full crew" law, and another calling for the establishment of a State insurance fund, were also opposed in the open meeting, and were covered by the resolutions. The officers of the body will communicate to the representatives of this county in the State Legislature.

Delegates representing the Electrical Workers' Union reported that the men of that craft had notified their bosses that they would seek an increase of wages on June 1, asking for a raise to sixty-two and a half cents an hour after that date.

STATE TRUST COMPANY'S NEW BUILDING



The State Trust Company moved into its new building today, the entire official and clerical staff participating in the ceremony, and on Monday the bank will open for business in its new quarters, which are undoubtedly the handsomest banking quarters in this part of the State. Every need of the company and its patrons has been carefully provided for, and the city has profited measurably by having this artistic bank building erected on one of its most prominent corners.

Upon entering the building on Park avenue, the public space is in the centre of the banking room. At the right are the rooms of the officers, readily accessible to the bank's patrons; beyond, on the same side, are the tellers and back of them the individual and general bookkeepers, the check clerks and stenographer. On the left as you enter, is the women's reception room, equipped with every possible convenience for their use. The furnishing and decoration of this room has been done under the supervision of Miss Edith Van Boskerck, who has left nothing undone to make it attractive as well as comfortable for the women patrons of the bank; while opening from this is the women's check desk room, and adjoining, the women's teller. In fact, the officers have planned the bank layout with an especial view to the comfort and convenience of its rapidly growing woman clientele.

At the rear of the public space, separated only by plate glass partition, is found the round door Manganese steel vault, of which the company is so justly proud, and the new building gives this modern vault the setting that it lacked in its former quarters.

Above the banking room at the front, is the directors' room. This room is reached by an ornamental iron stairway. Across the rear of the building is a mezzanine gallery, providing for the company's future growth.

In the basement are located large fire and burglar-proof silver vaults, clerks' lockers and lunch room, as well as an examination room for the convenience of the patrons of its storage department.

Entrance to the offices is gained from North avenue, where an automatic electric elevator is installed for the convenience of tenants. The office floor is divided into ten good-sized offices; these are light and attractive, and tenants will be supplied with electric light and heat, as well as janitor service.

The State Trust Company organized in 1910, has enjoyed unprecedented success, increasing its deposits at the rate of $200,000 per year until they now total approximately a million and a quarter of dollars. The facilities provided by this new building will undoubtedly be the means of increasing the company's business at even a greater rate.

On Saturday next, from 3 to 6 and from 7.30 to 10, a formal opening of the building will be held, at which time an appropriate souvenir of the occasion will be distributed. The public is cordially invited to be present.

The officers and directors are entitled to the hearty congratulations of the community, first, in their splendid success in building up this business to its present generous proportions, and second, for providing the community with such an attractive addition to the city's architecture.

EDUCATORS HONOR DR. H. M. MAXSON

They Tendered Him Dinner in Kansas City Monday Night at National Convention

At the annual convention of the National Public School Superintendents' Association, held in Kansas City, the delegates from New Jersey gave a dinner Monday night in honor of Superintendent Henry M. Maxson of the Plainfield public schools.

Superintendent Henry Snyder, of Jersey City, presided, and there were present about a hundred men prominent in the educational affairs of New Jersey and New York.

The speakers were: Dr. C. N. Kendall, Commissioner of Education of New Jersey; Dr. A. B. Poland, Superintendent of Schools of Newark; Associate Superintendent A. W. Edson, of New York City; Dr. George Strayer, of Teachers' College, and Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer, State Superintendent of Pennsylvania.

Commissioner Kendall spoke in very high terms of Dr. Maxson's work in Plainfield and in State affairs outside of the city, calling him the best known and most loved man among the State educators.

Dr. Maxson was formerly president of the State Teachers' Association and was influential in securing some valuable legislation for the benefit of the State school system. He is now president of the School Masters' Club of New York, which includes the most prominent school men of that city and New Jersey.

The dinner was, in a way, a "silver jubilee" for Dr. Maxson, as this is his twenty-fifth year as superintendent of the Plainfield schools. He came here from Pawtucket, R. I.

WILL LIVE IN GOWANDA

Mrs. Raymond Bailey and her son, Lawrence, who had been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah L. Wardner, of Park avenue, left today for Gowanda, N. Y., to make her home. Her husband preceded her there recently to locate in business.

THE FUNERAL OF ALBERT C. STEBBINS

Held This Afternoon at His Late Residence on West Seventh Street

The funeral of Albert Clark Stebbins, who died on Wednesday at his home on West Seventh street, was held there this afternoon, the Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of the Watchung Avenue Presbyterian church, officiating. There was a large gathering of friends, including representatives of the Niles-Bement-Pond Tool Company, of which he was head, and of the Plainfield Savings Bank, of which he was vice-president for fifteen years. Among the many beautiful flowers were set pieces from friends in New York and from Pond Tool Company, and the bank.

During the service the selection "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Crossing the Bar" and "Nearer My God to Thee" were sung by the Lotus Glee Club from New York.

Among the relatives from out-of-town were an uncle of Mr. Stebbins, George H. Clark, of Springfield, Mass., and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vinard, of Brookfield, Mass.

The bearers were: George Griffen, Howard A. Pope, George H. Batchelor, Walter Manning, Lucius B. Morgan, of this city, and Joseph King, of Philadelphia. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

Mr. Stebbins was born in Massachusetts September 19, 1845. He came to Plainfield May 29, 1887, and located the site for the Pond Machine Tool Co., where it now stands, and remained with this concern until his death, except that he retired from active service with it in November last. He was vice president of the Niles-Bement-Pond Company, with which the Pond Company is associated. He was vice-president of the Plainfield Savings Bank for fifteen years, up to the time of his death. He served two years in the Common Council, and was chairman of the fire and buildings committee part of that time.

His wife died in 1902. His only survivors are an uncle and several cousins.

DOLLAR SHRINKS SAY TEACHERS

Borough Instructors in Petition for Increased Salaries Recite Many Facts

In their petition to the North Plainfield Board of Education for increase in wages the other evening the teachers related interesting facts which they contained have made necessary an advance in wages, especially the high cost of living.

The petition states that in the past nine years the cost of living has increased 30 per cent., 45 per cent. of the increase having occurred during the last year. It is noticeable that stenographers, clerks, mechanics and others engaged in gainful occupations have had substantial increases in salaries the past year and large bonuses, in many cases unsolicited. Many of the boys and men and women recently graduated from the high school are today receiving higher salaries than the teachers who prepared them.

Teachers are now compelled to pay from $7 to $10.50 per week for board and room, and this very frequently makes the problem of living an increasingly difficult one.

It was further stated that the net increase in the pay roll last year by the borough board was only 3 per cent. In closing, the petition says: "We ask that you take the foregoing facts into consideration and make the increase larger than it has been heretofore. We ask most respectfully that the teachers who have not reached their maximum be advanced in salary as quickly as possible, and that where possible the maximum be raised. We believe that the taxpayers who have never voted down an appropriation asked for will endorse this stand."

The petition was signed by the forty-seven instructors in the borough schools.

A meeting of the teachers' committee of the board will be held tonight to take action on the proposed increase of salaries, and the results will be made known Monday night when the budget is prepared to be presented at the annual meeting of the district March 20.

The average salary of the borough high school teachers is $784 annually; elementary, including grammar school teachers, exclusive of principal, average about $710. There are forty-three teachers and four principals engaged in the teaching corps in the borough schools.

From what could be learned today, the increase to be given the teachers will not average over 6 per cent. of the present salaries.

FOUR MILLIONS IN DESTITUTION

Inside the German lines today, 1,250,000 Belgian children and 2,750,000 adults are fed once a day, through the efforts of the Hoover Commission. These people are totally destitute. The Hoover Commission is the only Commission authorized by official Germany, and the only recognized channel, therefore, through which relief is permitted to reach 4,000,000 Belgian people.

The meal which the Commission has been able to provide consists of a bowl of soup and a quarter of a loaf of bread. It has served to keep grown-ups in fairly good condition—weakened muscularly, but comparatively safe.

But the children cannot hold out on this diet. Everyone knows something of the effects of under-nourishment of children at ages when bone, muscle, blood and brain should be expanding. There is disaster of the most permanent character. Dullness, weakness and fainting are ever present symptoms, followed by rickets, nervous diseases and tuberculosis.

Medical investigation has demonstrated that supplementary meal for these children is essential. It will, in the large majority of cases, keep the normal child normal; it will restore generally, the sub-normal child if provided in time.

The supplementary meal itself consists of one biscuit made with flour, lard and sweetening, and one cup of cocoa with sugar and phosphatine and milk when it can be had.

The cost of these meals a day is 3 cents per child. $1.00 will give a child one meal for one month. $12.00 will give the child permanent relief for one year. Every cent contributed is expended for relief. All administrative and other expenses are otherwise provided. The Commission carries insurance on all relief ships and the few losses it has had have been entirely covered thereby.

Franklin, Pa., with 10,000 people has undertaken to supply 5,000 children with the extra meal for a whole year. Evanston, Ill., with 40,000 inhabitants, has pledged $40,000 for the year, and other towns, throughout the United States are fast falling into line. Shall Plainfield join in this great work of saving a nation?

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NOW EXPECT VON BERNSTORFF AND ZIMMERMAN TO RESIGN

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 3.—Resignation of German Foreign Secretary Zimmerman and abrupt termination of the diplomatic career of Count Johann von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States, is regarded by Dutch officials in close touch with Berlin as certain to follow the revelation of the Zimmerman letter in the United States.

ZIMMERMAN DISCUSSES PLOT LETTER

By United Press:

Berlin (via wireless to Sayville), March 3.—Foreign Secretary Zimmerman today justified Germany's action in seeking to align Mexico and Japan against the United States. Such a course, he said, was merely a defensive measure, not to be carried out except in case the United States declared war on Germany. Moreover, he said, it was no more a "plot" than the "plot" which was reported in South American newspapers as having been undertaken against Germany by the United States when America sought, according to South American and other newspaper reports, to line up the South American republics in action against Germany.

He commented on America's pro-Ally sympathies. He refrained from admitting the authorship of the letter to Minister Eckhardt, at Mexico City, and his whole discussion of the matter, he was careful to say, was based on English reports of the German plot to get Mexico to declare war on the United States, and to secure Japan's aid against the United States."

"You understand that it is impossible for me to discuss the facts of this revealed plot at this moment, and under these circumstances I may therefore be allowed to limit my answers to what is said in English reports, which certainly are not inspired by sympathy with Germany. The English reports expressly state that Germany expected and wished to remain with the United States on terms of friendship, but that in case of the United States declaring war on Germany we prepared measures of defense. In fact, to see how such a 'plot' is inspired by unfriendliness on our part. It would mean nothing except that we would use means generally admitted in war, in case the United States declared war."

BERLIN MINIMIZES KUT-EL-AMARA VICTORY

By United Press:

Berlin, March 3.—"The occupation of Kut-el-Amara by the British was to be expected," declares the official press agency, "since it was the British aim to redress General Townsend's capitulation. The success was only a moral one and sustained at great expense."

SUBMARINE DESTROYED AFTER SINKING 9 SHIPS

By United Press:

Berlin, March 3.—The German submarine which was recently sunk near Hammerfest destroyed before its own sinking nine armed Russian steamers, the official press agency said. These ships were bought by Russia in South America.

NEW ZEPPELIN ON SPEED TRIAL EXPLODES

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 3.—A new Zeppelin on speed trial at Ghent last Monday exploded, burning ten of those aboard, according to dispatches from Belgium.

KING FERDINAND OF BULGARIA VERY ILL

By United Press:

Rome, March 3.—King Ferdinand of Bulgaria is seriously ill at an Austrian health resort, according to advices received here.

ANOTHER APPEAL FOR BELGIAN CHILDREN

The National Campaign that Mr. Hoover's Commission is starting through the United States will be represented here at a lecture by Mrs. Kellogg and Miss Florence Wardwell, both of New York, in the Congregational Parish house Wednesday, March 7, at 3.30 o'clock. Mrs. Kellogg has worked with the Commission in Belgium many months and comes here to tell us that one million Belgian children inside the German lines are dependent upon American funds to keep them alive. The Commission has only four weeks' supply of food ahead.

BELGIAN RELIEF

The March meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society will be held at 996 Hillside avenue, Tuesday morning, March 6, at 10.30 o'clock. As there are a number of interesting subjects to come before the meeting, a full attendance is requested.

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NAVY YARDS READY TO ARM MERCHANTMEN

By United Press:

Washington, March 3.—President Wilson awaits only authority to arm American ships. The Senate will give him full power today to take this step, which draws the United States closer to open hostilities with Germany. After the Senate passes the bill it goes to the House, where it is expected to pass without a roll call.

The Navy Department holds guns ready at the New York, Boston, Mare Island, Charleston, Philadelphia, Washington and other Government navy yards for mounting on American vessels as soon as the order is issued.

SUPPLY BILLS WAIT EXTRA SESSION TALK

By United Press:

Washington, March 3.—If the big supply bills of the Government are held up by an attempt to force an extra session, President Wilson will absolve himself of any responsibility and counter with an effort to put it where it belongs."

The President's action may take the form of a written communication to Congress.

DUTCH STEAMER WITH MAIL FROM GERMANY

By United Press:

Buenos Aires, March 3.—The Dutch steamer Amsteland arrived here today with securities and mail from Germany. The Argentine government seized the German mail because it was not stamped nor postage prepaid.

MRS. MARTHA BROWN DIES, AGED 80 YEARS

Mrs. Martha Brown, age 80 years, widow of James Brown and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett, formerly of Belleville, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry J. Wiercens, 421 East Fifth street, where she had been living for some time. She was born in England, coming to this country when a child. Most of her life was spent in this vicinity and Newark.

There survive four daughters, Mrs. Henry J. Wiercens, Miss Emma Brown, Mrs. G. Bergman, Mrs. M. Munger and Mrs. J. Pinero, all but the first named residing near Newark. The funeral will be held at the late home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of the First Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be made in Hillside cemetery.

LECTURE ON "ECUADOR AND PERU"

Benjamin L. Miller, of Lehigh University, will give an illustrated lecture on "Ecuador and Peru" before the Monday Afternoon Club, at the parish house of the Congregational church, Monday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

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MISS ELLEN E. FAXON IS HONORED AT VASSAR

Miss Ellen Elizabeth Faxon, of Fitchburg, Mass., is one of the 24 members of the class of 1919, Vassar College, who have been invited by the Seniors to carry the daisy chain on class day next June. Miss Faxon is a daughter of Representative and Mrs. John G. Faxon, and Mrs. Faxon will at once be recalled as Miss Alice Holmes, daughter of the late Capt. A. D. Holmes, of this city, where she lived at the time of her marriage. The daisy chain feature of Vassar commencements has long been distinctive and unique. Last year it was omitted by decision of the graduating class but is to be restored this year by the class of 1917.

The invitation is extended for many reasons of preference and is necessarily limited, which makes the selection a marked compliment. Miss Faxon was at the very beginning of her freshman year at Vassar honored by being chosen by the college as one of ten from the members of her class to dance in the Greek pageant on the occasion of the 50th anniversary exercises of the college.

Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Faxon are not infrequent visitors in Plainfield where they have hosts of friends.

TROOP D MEMBERS WILL ATTEND INAUGURATION

Among the members of the National Guard of State who will attend the inauguration at Washington will be a number from Troop D, First Squadron of New Jersey Cavalry. Those who will go are as follows:

Acting Captain Daniel Runkle; Lieut. J. M. Charles, Sergeants J. F. Sickler, Joseph Van Deventer, James Fleming, Louis Albert; Corporals Donald Fullerton, Fred Cady, Ferdinand Collins, Hugh Cook; Privates Joseph Gallagher, John T. Caulfield, George Hummel, Charles McCauley, Joseph Nelson, Leo Logan, James Welsh, Wayne Brown, Frederick Stevenson; Saddler, Frank Updike; Cooks, Cornelius Murray and John Logan. The troopers will report at Newark tomorrow afternoon and will leave that city early in the evening for Washington, making the trip in a special train.

MAN WHO SWINDLED GIRL IS SENTENCED

Peter Stankovitz, who was convicted of swindling Anna Tomlaska, a Plainfield domestic, out of more than $600 by means of a "money-making" box hoax, was sentenced to from three to seven years in State prison, by Judge James C. Connolly, in the Court of Quarter Sessions, in Elizabeth, yesterday. His accomplice, Josephine Rogoski, was sentenced to the county jail for six months.

Their victim was employed in a private school in Plainfield, and lost her money by exchanging money for paper stuffed in the "money-making" box. No efforts have been made toward restitution, the court was informed. Two lawyers pleaded for leniency for the couple.

P. H. S. NOTES

H. R. Hubbard, of the high school faculty, gave an interesting illustrated lecture yesterday morning during chapel exercises. He illustrated one of his camping trips by pictures of the northern woods.

The G. A. A. dance will be held in the high school auditorium next Saturday evening, March 10. Music for dancing will be furnished by Venable's Orchestra and tickets may be secured from members of the G. A. A. Board of Directors.

BANQUET OF ZIONISTS

The Zionists of this city and their wives and lady friends will hold a banquet tomorrow evening in the K. of P. Hall. The orator of the evening will be the Hon Joshua Sprayregen, assistant corporation counsel of New York, who will share honors with Abe Goldberg, member of the national council of Administration Order, Sons of Zion.

The evening will be rounded out by home talent, and the committee expects every member will be in his seat when the first course is served.

MACADAM FOR CHATHAM PLACE

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ing last month, making a total of 341 to date. The number of houses that have connected with the sewer is 222.

James Boylan and others petitioned to have a light changed in Regent street.

An invitation from the Somerville Merchants' Association to attend a dinner at Cawley's Hotel, Somerville, next Wednesday night, was accepted by the Mayor and Council. At this dinner several road building projects, contemplated by the Board of Freeholders, will be discussed.

The council authorized the payment of $1,000 to retire a joint sewer bond; $1,875.50 for interest on joint sewer bonds; $1,000 to retire a collecting sewer system bond; $3,350 to pay interest on collecting system bonds.

Another resolution authorized the payment of $500 to retire a certificate of indebtedness for remodelling the Somerset street engine house, and another resolution authorized the payment of $78.75 for interest on outstanding certificates of indebtedness for this improvement.

The bid of the Plainfield Trap Rock Company to supply the borough with cracked stone was accepted.

Alfred Denise was awarded the contract for laying concrete curbing, cross walks and culverts.

Charles Krausse was granted a permit to lay drains.

Edward Schenck petitioned for permission to build an addition to his house at the corner of Somerset street and Linden avenue. The matter was deferred until the next meeting of the council.

It was the opinion of Mr. Stahl that Mr. Schenck must get permission from the State Tenement House Commission to do what he desires.

U. G. Pierson petitioned for a permit to construct a barn at 38 Grandview avenue. This petition was also held over until the next meeting.

The council authorized the Plainfield Union Water Company to install a fire hydrant at the corner of Franklin and Manning avenues. The expenses of the Fire Department for last month were $197.86.

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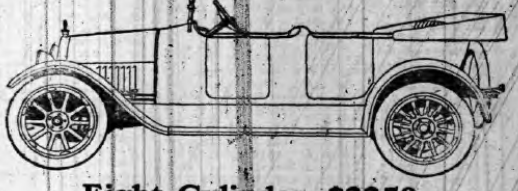

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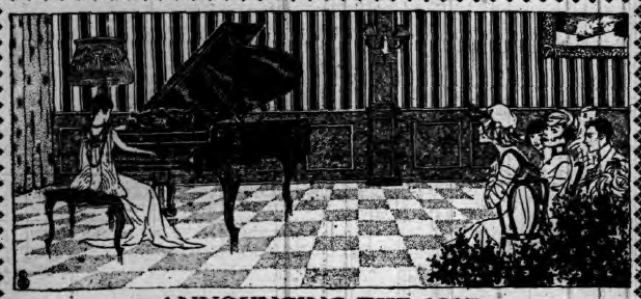

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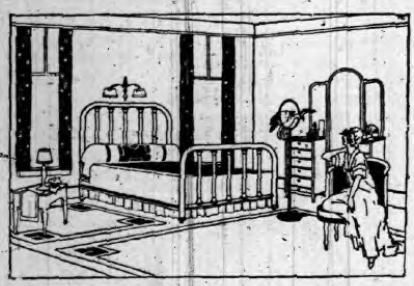

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The sales are reported by U. H. Crane.

EVANGELISTIC PROGRAM AT PARK AVE. BAPTIST

An Easter evangelistic program will begin in the Park Avenue Baptist Church tomorrow, which will be Go-to-church Sunday, when every member is expected to attend the services and remain to participate in the Lord's Supper. Cards will be distributed and on these cards the members of the church and congregation will mark their own attendance at all services from tomorrow until April 8. It is to be the aim of every member to bring a friend or relative to each service and to win one person for Christ by Easter Sunday.

March 11 to 17 will be visitation week, when members will call upon each other at their homes. March 18 will begin cottage prayer meeting week when home meetings will be held each night except Wednesday, which will be rally night at the church. Evangelistic meetings will be held in the church from March 24 to April 8 and Easter will be the climax of the meetings and the special efforts will have been made.

MAY MAKE BLATZ COUNTY ATTORNEY

Acting upon advice received from William R. Codington, the Board of Freeholders at a recent meeting discussed the appointment of a new county attorney. Mr. Codington has held this position for several years, but it is understood that his health *is such that he does not care to con*tinue longer in the office.

Francis J. Blatz, his law partner, who has been looking after the duties *of the county attorney for the past six* months, is regarded as likely to land the plum, although there are several other candidates for the place.

Chief among these are Charles N. Codding, of Westfield; Peter J. Olde, of Elizabeth, and David Armstrong, of Rahway.

When County Attorney Codington was re-appointed on January first, it was with the understanding that he would soon tender his resignation.

RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room is to be open tonight.

A Guild of Play is to be held in the Bryant school Monday afternoon.

The West End Boys' Club meets in the high school gym Monday evening.

Boy Scouts are to meet Monday evening in the Stillman school auditorium.

There will be a municipal dance this evening in the Washington school.

Athletic games are to be conducted Monday afternoon in the Jefferson school.

The Girls' Recreation Club will use the Washington school gym on Monday evening.

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BROWN—On Saturday, March 3d, 1917, *Martha Brown,* widow of the late James S. Brown, in her 85th year.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Wierenga, 421 East Fifth street, Tuesday, March 6th, at 3 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. 3-3-2t

VOSSLER—At Dunellen, N. J., March 2, 1917, Amelia E., wife of Lewis Vossler.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, March 5th, at 2 p. m. from the funeral parlors at 323 West Front street, Dunellen, N. J. Interment in Hillside.

TITSWORTH—At Wilmington, Delaware, on Thursday, March 1, 1917, Arthur Bentley, son of Lewis T. and Emily Bentley Titsworth, aged 28 years.

Funeral services will be held at the home of his parents, 452 West Fifth street, Sunday afternoon, March 4th, at 2:30 o'clock. *Interment in* Hillside Cemetery at the convenience of the family.

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COUNTY INVESTIGATION

After a long period of investigation of the work of the Union County Freeholders the grand jury has returned a presentment commending in some particulars matters which were included in the call for the investigation and which were thought had been included as deserving of criticism. Among the number of inquiries submitted for investigation it will seem to some a surprise that more criticism was not made, but the grand jury found fault only with the business system of the Freeholders and demanded the installation of a more business-like system. Probably no one person was responsible for any laxity of methods, but such laxity had given rise to a complaint which had become common talk, and the investigation was the only way of disposing of the matter which the taxpayers had thought deserved investigating. Perhaps the most interest in the investigation attached to rumors that coupled the names of the Lawrence Portland Cement Co. and some of its members with the question of the legality or illegality of the use of their cement while any stockholder of such company held an official position in the county. The grand jury found that while Portland cement was used in county work it was of proper standard and sold at a uniform price and that it was only one of several brands of cement used by the county. The grand jury specially declared that there was nothing to show that any *member of the Board of Freeholders* was directly or indirectly interested in furnishing materials to the county and found that nowhere, in the testimony of successful or unsuccessful bidders who sought to furnish material to the county, was any influence used to have contractors purchase cement from the Lawrence Portland Cement Co. The jury also found that the State and county specifications have been open and provide for the use of Portland cement of uniform standard. It will be some satisfaction to members of the Lawrence Portland Cement Co. to be exonerated of any collusion in furnishing material to the county and also to know that the ones who specified their cement have recognized its value, in seeking the best material, which the county says shall be used. It has been a source of much regret, not only to the honorable gentlemen who happened to be in the limelight of the investigation and also to their friends that the investigation has cleared them of any inclination or desire to do other than was strictly legal and right in whatever dealings they had with the county. Those of the Lawrence Cement Company who naturally attracted the most attention are gentlemen far above reproach, and if anything in their dealings is worthy the investigation it was unconscious on their part and did not come in even for slight criticism. Their friends will enjoy extending them a reassurance of confidence and a regret that they were thus brought before the public. No one who takes his place in the world of affairs, large or small, lives so far aloof from his fellows as to avoid contact at sometime, in some way, with affairs which get into the limelight, under good or evil report, and the public mind is prone to dwell upon the adverse features of such rumor. It is one of the penalties of business life to be subject of criticism often most unjustly, and the only redress for being criticized without deserving it is the consciousness of not deserving it and the reassurance of one's friends that the criticism is undeserved.

WHAT THE ZETUNG SAYS

The Chicago Staats-Zeitung, commenting upon the attempt by Germany to align Mexico and Japan against the United States, says:

"Germany is fighting for her national existence and thinks it wise and proper to drag the United States into the war, or wise and proper to adopt any course whatsoever that will injure her enemies, but that will not be sufficient to persuade Americans that Germany is justified in proposing an alliance with Mexico to the injury of the United States or for the violation of the Monroe Doctrine. If the published version of a note signed "Zimmermann" is actually the correct copy of an authentic communication signed by the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Germany then Germany has committed an act of unfriendliness toward our country.

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Crawford—The Novel, What It Is.
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EDITORIAL NOTES

Who put the fist into Pacifist? No one—yet.

Is that defeat of the Germans near Bapaume real or russ?

With Washington "bone dry" some of the pleasures for foreign diplomats at the Capital will be eliminated.

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PEOPLE'S FORUM

How to Solve Food Problem

To the Editor of Courier-News,
Plainfield, New Jersey.

Dear Sir:—The evidence throughout the country of the shortage of various foodstuffs prompts me to remind the people of Plainfield how it is within their power to do a great work toward meeting the problem likely to confront our community during this year.

Whether we have war or not, the people throughout the country must be fed, and it is of the greatest importance that all available land should be put under cultivation and thereby create a larger acreage for crops of all kinds than ever before. The farmers should do this, and the dwellers within the towns should do their part by growing, even if their yard space is small, sufficient potatoes and cabbages at least, to provide for their own needs, and better still, to have a surplus to give to others if necessary.

If those controlling large areas of unused land in the vicinity of our city could be prevailed upon to plant them in garden vegetables it would certainly help the situation. It would be interesting if the city authorities could see their way clear to make some suggestions, how, with the aid of the city, preparedness on this most important question could be given very thorough consideration. This is the time now, to get ready and make plans for spring planting and have that great pleasure which comes to everyone who grows something.

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The children of the late Laura E. Southard wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the relatives, friends and members of the Hope Chapel Bible Class for their sincere kindness and sympathy shown, and for the many beautiful floral tributes received at the time of the death of their mother. (Signed)
Miss Cora Nellor,
Brothers and Sisters.

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DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. Miss Kline, 21 Sandford avenue. 2-3-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS with board; hot water heat. 249 East Front street. 2-3-1m

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 2-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-15-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

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TO LET—HOUSES

FOR RENT—House, 8 rooms, all improvements. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-22-tf

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, part improvements, centrally located, $18.80. Apply 35 Grove street.

NICELY furnished house for rent; couple willing to take board for rent. "Board," care Courier-News. 2-3-6-8-10

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TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Manson place. Jacib Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

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FOR SALE—Small farm, five acres, house, outbuildings; ideally located, three miles Plainfield station, in Watchung; transportation; improvements. Details and terms, William Delaroche Anderson, Plainfield, N. J. 2-5-7-9

FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-room house and bath; all improvements; good outbuildings; apple orchard shade; large variety fruit in quantity; main street, ten minutes' walk from station, Plainfield. Address "Sale," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FARM FOR SALE—33 acres, mile and half from Plainfield; 8-room house, barn. Inquire Tennant Realty, 38 Coddington avenue. 2-26-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

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CORNER STORE with fixtures for stationery and confectionery at 1400 West Front street, $30 month, size 16x30. Inquire Harry R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-1-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

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WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—For April 1st, three or four rooms for light housekeeping, all or part improvements; best references. Address P. O. Box 620, Plainfield. 2-10-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-22-tf

WANTED TO LEASE farm of about 80 acres, stocked farm preferred; will take over stock; must be in good condition. Address Farm, care Courier-News. 2-26-6t

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 224 Clinton avenue. 2-28-4t

LIST your properties with me for April and May rentals at once. John H. Doane, 149 North avenue. 3-2-3t

WANTED—House, six or seven rooms, all improvements, available May first, for small family adults. Address "M. C. R.," care Courier-News. 3-2-3t

WANTED — Year round house, barn, chicken house, garden; acreage preferred; reasonable rent. Address "Full Information" care Courier-News. 3-2-2t

ELDERLY COUPLE desire 4 or 5 unfurnished rooms, rear yard privileges, rent under $15, near New and Front streets. "R. G.," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

WANTED — Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good condition and location. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

A MIDDLE-AGED English speaking lady wants one or two rooms in or close to center of Dunellen. Address P. O. Box 513, Dunellen, N. J. 3-3-3t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; state family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

TWO SMALL HOUSES or one two-family house, between now and May 1st. $20 each family. Box 87, Route 2, Rahway, N. J. 2-28;3-3

WANTED—Small house or first floor flat, 5 or 6 rooms, improvements; rent not to exceed $25.00. Address "Box 600," care Courier-News. 2-20-12t

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Upright piano, cheap for cash. P. O. Box 653, Plainfield. 2-1-1m

WANTED—Gentleman's bicycle, high frame, good condition, and cheap. 'Phone 1308-R. 3-1-3t

WANTED — Chicken wire, two portable hovers, also second-hand lumber or brace. Address "Hover," care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

CADILLAC touring car wanted, 1915-1916, 910 South avenue, Westfield. 'Phone 4709 Broad. 3-1-3t

GARAGE—Metal or wooden, portable, 12x16, or thereabout; state price and condition. Address "W. A. H.," care Courier-News. 3-1-3t

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WANTED—Geese feather beds, solid oak sideboard, carved powder horns, rag rugs, showing flowers; antique furniture, china, pictures; amber, blue and purple glassware. C. F. Dickinson, General Delivery, Plainfield.

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 1007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail.

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements, on trolley line, for small house; also two lots in Garwood, 50x150, for a small house. Inquire 1430 East Second street. 2-5-1m

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Men and women to qualify for Government positions. Several thousand appointments to be made next few months. Full information about openings, how to prepare, etc., free. Write immediately for booklet CG 979. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 3-3-17-31

MAN AND WIFE, white, as chauffeur-gardener, and good cook. 930 Madison avenue. Tel. 1869. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage and yard if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1578. 2-26-tf

NEW MODERN HOUSE with garage; exceptional terms, and sacrifice price; would rent. 325 Prospect avenue, Dunellen. 2-24; 3-3

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TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, two and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

WOMAN desires place at general housework for small family; no laundry. 620 East Third street. 3-2-2t

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 33 Somerset street, Plainfield. 5-13-tf

WANTED—Man, experienced, for a Ford delivery; cash security required. Kornfeld's Bakery. 2-28-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop; one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 24-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-3t

MAN for outdoor work one day a week. Holt, 949 Kensington avenue. 3-1-3t

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—All round machinists; good wages and short hours. Apply Bell Electric Motor Co. 3-1-3t

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WHATSOEVER CIRCLE HELD SOCIAL EVENING

The Whatsoever Circle of the King's Daughters held a delightful social and entertainment at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Moy, on Franklin place, last evening.

The attendance was large and about $20 realized from the sale of home-made candy and contributions, which will be given to the hospital for the benefit of the victims of infantile paralysis.

The following program was arranged by Mrs. John C. Evans:

Song, "Dreaming," Florence Leveridge; piano duet, Misses Madeline and Irene Moy; reading, Mrs. Charles Steiner; piano solo, Mrs. Carolyn Schuyler; vocal duet, Mrs. Grace Robinson, Miss Ima Runyon; music, orchestra; reading, J. C. Evans; solo, Miss Elizabeth Johnson; duet, Miss Marjorie Robinson and Harry Runyon; music, orchestra.

The members of the orchestra were, Miss Madeline Moy, P. A. Manley, Earl Evans, Robert Dewey and Gordon Moy.

Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Harry Runyon and Mrs. Moy. Mrs. Johnson and Miss Whitney served at the candy tables. Miss Marian Tapscott served as chairman of the reception and acquaintanceship committee.

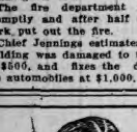
AUTOS DAMAGED IN GARAGE BLAZE

Four automobiles were seriously damaged early this morning by a fire in a garage belonging to Adam Blatr in West Sixth street, rented by William Willis, colored, who operates a line of taxicabs.

Robert Tate, colored, was in the garage washing cars at 3 o'clock, and was using a kerosene lantern. The gasoline tank of one of the cars sprung a leak and the fumes of the gas communicated with the lantern, causing an explosion and setting the building on fire.

The fire department responded promptly and after half an hour's work put out the fire.

Chief Jennings estimates that the building was damaged to the extent of $500, and fixes the damage to the automobiles at $1,000.



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PLAINFIELD HIGH WINS DEBATE OVER RUTGERS

The Plainfield High School Debating Team won its first inter-scholastic debate last evening when it defeated the Freshmen team from Rutgers College in the home high school auditorium.

The question debated was: "Resolved: That a compulsory arbitration law should be enacted to settle all labor disputes of railroads and other common carriers, constitutionality conceded" on which the Plainfield debaters argued from the affirmative point of view, building up such a formidable wall of argument and logic, with enough points, to substantially prove their statements, that their college opponents failed to drive their points directly homeward. The city team consisted of leader, Horace E. Bunker, Jr., Caryl C. Dunavan, Charles Tomb Todd and Miss Fannie Mann, alternate, while the negative upholders were: William H. Hendrickson, leader, supported by Arthur R. Dayton, Kenneth C. Hand and Herbert P. Tilton, alternate.

A program for the evening was compiled as follows: Piano solo, waltz from Chopin, by Chester Sours; vocal solo, August Franke, accompanied at the piano by Miss Anna Franke; vocal solo, "Laddie," by Irving Manley, after which the decision was announced.

ELMER TEEPLE DIED LAST NIGHT

Elmer Teeple, of South Plainfield, died last night in Muhlenberg Hospital, where he had been under treatment since April of last year.

Mr. Teeple was born in South Plainfield and had lived there all his life. He was employed at the Manning Brothers' grocery store for twenty years, and afterwards engaged in the business of a painter.

He leaves several relatives in South Plainfield.

NORTH PLAINFIELD LOSES DEBATE

The debate held by the North Plainfield High school and the High school of Cranford, last evening, was won by Cranford, affirmative in the resolution that there should be a compulsory law to settle labor disputes.

WESTMINSTER GUILD TO ELECT OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Miss Karner, 112 Plainfield avenue, on Monday. All members are requested to attend, as officers for the year will be elected.

SAILED FOR FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zimmerman, of Park avenue, sailed from New York via the Mallory line for Florida this afternoon for a three weeks' pleasure trip. They will visit Key West, Palm Beach, Miami and other interesting points before returning home the latter part of the month.

CRUES-NIXON

The marriage of Miss Rene Jessie Nixon and William Henry Crues, both of Plainfield, took place Wednesday night at the parsonage of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, the Rev. A. D. Jones officiating. Miss Carrie Bundy and Wilbur Williams were the attendants.

SCHOOL BOYS ENJOY REUNION

Princeton Club Provides Attractive Program at Y. M. C. A. Gathering

Despite the inclement weather there was a large attendance of High school boys from the city and borough at the reunion and jollification held at the Y. M. C. A. last night, under the auspices of the Plainfield Princeton Club. The affair was given to arouse interest among the boys in Princeton University, and if possible to persuade them to seek their higher education at that place.

Former Councilman Duncan W. Taylor was in charge of the program, being assisted by E. T. Carter, Jr., A. B. Reed and other members of the local club. The speakers of the evening were Richard Cleveland, son of former President Grover Cleveland, who spoke on the general activities at the university, where he is a sophomore; "Bill" Moore, a member of the football and track teams, who told of those branches of sports; "Sam" Shoemaker, executive secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who discussed the religious side of the university, and what students were doing in this line, and Dwight Harris, of this city, a student, who described his experiences in visiting the detention camps in England last year in the interest of the Y. M. C. A.

All of the talks were very informal and served to inspire the boys in the achievements to be attained in college. Another feature of the evening was the singing of some of the more popular college songs used at Princeton. Mr. Shoemaker was at the piano and the singing was led by Mr. Moore, who put lots of "pep" into this part of the program.

Those present were given a pleasant surprise when Arthur M. Harris, father of Dwight Harris, one of the speakers, announced that the four boys representing the city and borough schools, who, in competition write the best composition on the subjects: "Why a Boy Should go to College," and "Why a Boy Should go to Princeton University," he would send then to one of the baseball games at Princeton this spring, paying all the expenses. This announcement was received with cheers for Mr. Harris. Following the program refreshments were served.

Many of the boys remained to meet the speakers and enjoy a social half-hour in discussing college life. Early in the spring the local club will arrange to take a number of boys to Princeton some Saturday to witness a game and visit the campus and buildings.

CHAPMAN BIBLE CLASS HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The Chapman Bible Class of the First Baptist church held its annual meeting Thursday night at 35 Craig place, the borough, when these officers were elected for the coming year: Teacher, T. S. Armstrong; associate teacher, Mrs. Whitney Brown; president, Mrs. L. M. Case; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. W. Randolph and Mrs. Ida Slater; secretary, Miss Althea Vail; recording secretary, Mrs. Catherine Cubberley; treasurer, Miss Mary Campbell.

This class was organized a year ago and has been doing good work in all its branches through various committees. At the meeting Thursday night there was a discussion of plans for the coming year and much activity is promised.

SPECIAL SERMON FOR CONGREGATIONALISTS

At the Congregational Church, Madison avenue and West Seventh street, tomorrow at 10:30 a. m., the minister, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke M. A., will deliver the second in the series of morning Lenten sermons, on the "Message of the Cross for Our Day." The topic tomorrow will be "The Profits of Sacrifice." Communion services will be observed and seventeen new members will be received.

In the afternoon at the Lenten vesper service at 4 o'clock the preacher will be the Rev. William S. Beard, of New York city. All not regularly worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend these services. A special soloist will sing at the four o'clock service.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The service in the Rescue Mission Hall, on Madison avenue, this evening, will be in the nature of a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Glover, who leave for Long Island on Tuesday. It will be largely a praise and testimony meeting.

Cold Settled In His Back

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RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Special note to pastors! All notices for this column must be in this office Friday evenings to insure publication.

Bethel Chapel, East Fifth and Washington streets, Rev. William L. Imes, pastor. Rev. William G. Stinson, of Chrome, is to occupy the pulpit at the evening service at 8 o'clock. At the morning service the pastor preaches on "Distinctive Christianity." Sunday school at 2.30 o'clock.

Rescue Mission, Babcock Building, John LaMartry, superintendent. Frank Green will conduct the evening service at 8 o'clock. Special music by the mission choir.

W. C. T. U. Babcock building. Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson, president of the union, will conduct the service at 9 p. m.

Evona Chapel, West Third street, near Clinton avenue., Robert Love, superintendent. Martin Korff will have charge of the evening service at 8 o'clock.

Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, West Fourth street, near Plainfield avenue, Rev. J. W. Collier, pastor. Preaching, 11 o'clock on "Keeping the Promise." Men's Bible class meets at 12.15. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Sermon subject for the evening, "Is God Our Father?" The Lord's Supper will be observed at the evening service.

Shiloh Baptist Church, West Fourth street, near Plainfield avenue, Rev. E. W. Roberts, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m., by Rev. L. B. Brooks. The revival services, which have been conducted at this church for the past two or three weeks, will come to a close with the evening service.

Trinity Reformed Church, West Second street, near Park avenue, Rev. John Y. Brook, pastor. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service at 10.30 o'clock, with the receiving of new members and the administering of adult baptism. Bible school and St. Paul Brotherhood at 2.30 o'clock. This will be "Go-to-Bible-School-Day," with an attendance of 500 the goal. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6.45, with Miss Olive Griggs as the leader. At the evening service, at 7.45, the pastor preaches on "Here a Little, There a Little," or "The American Principal of Local Option." This church extends a most cordial welcome to everyone.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Monroe avenue and West Fourth street, Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, pastor. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service, with the reception of new members. At the evening service the pastor preaches on "The Greatest of all Business Deals."

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Park avenue and East Ninth street, Rev. Birney B. Hudson, pastor—Morning subject, "Walking with God," evening "Paying One's Debts."

Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Liberty street, near West Third street, Rev. A. B. Jones, pastor. Morning subject, "Daily Necessities." Sunday school at 3 p. m. Communion at the evening service. Tuesday evening, B. Y. P. U. Friday evening, prayer meeting.

First Presbyterian Church, East Front, head of Church street, Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor. Morning, Communion of the Lord's Supper; evening, "A Thrilling Story of the Effect of One Man's Christian Faith."

Netherwood Reformed Church, Ieland and Midland avenues, Rev. Edward S. Ralton, pastor. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service. The pastor preaches on the seventh commandment at the evening service. All are invited to come.

All Souls' Unitarian Church, Park avenue, near West Eighth street, Rev. John Baltzly, minister. Morning service at 10.45, subject, "Providence." Sunday school at 9.30. Minister's Bible class at 10 o'clock.

The Unity Club will meet next Tuesday evening at the minister's home, 917 Madison avenue. The session will be an open one, and all connected with the church are invited to attend.

Ebenezer Baptist Church, East Third street, Rev. L. L. Croom, pastor. Rev. J. A. Lacy will preach at the morning service. Communion will be observed at evening worship.

Hope Chapel, West Fourth street, head of John street, Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor. The junior congregation will be inaugurated at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, for children from eleven to sixteen years of age. Regular preaching service at 10.45 o'clock. Evening subject "The Blazed Path," an evangelistic sermon preceded by a song service at 7.45 o'clock. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Christian Endeavor service at 7 o'clock. Special song service for men at 3.30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7.45 Wednesday evening.

Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church, corner Fairview and Watchung avenue. Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey, pastor, will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock on "The Needs of the Nation" and in the evening a special musical service will be given, preceded by a fifteen-minute organ recital, solo by John Richards, and special anthems by the choir. Sunday school at 9.45 a. m.; also Berean Bible class, under the leadership of E. E. Parvin. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to all the services.

First Church of Christ Scientist, Babcock building, 240 West Front street. Services: Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; Wednesday evening, meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healing, at eight o'clock. Sunday school for pupils under the age of twenty. Sunday morning at 10.45, reading room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays; subject of lesson sermon "Christ Jesus," Golden Text: Eph. 2:10.

Christian Science Society in Plainfield, 128 East Seventh street, between Park and Watchung avenues. Services: Sunday, 11 a. m, subject of the lesson sermon, "Christ Jesus," Golden Text: Ephesians 2:10, "We are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them." Sunday school, 9.45 a. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m. Meeting, with testimonies of healing. The reading room is open each week-day, except legal holidays, from 2 to 5 p. m., and all are welcome.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL ADDRESSES FRIENDS

George A. Walton, principal of the George School in Bucks county, Pa., was the speaker last night at the meeting of the Young Friends' Association held in the Meeting House, corner of Watchung avenue and East Third street. Professor Walton took for his subject "Faith, Work and Sacrifice," giving a most interesting discourse. Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was not as large as expected.

BEER TRUCK DELAYS TROLLEY TRAFFIC

A five-ton auto-truck owned by the Feigenspan Brewing Company, Newark, sank into a trench on West Front street at the junction of Washington avenue this afternoon, delaying traffic along the Union line trolley. The big truck was unloaded of its cargo of beer and pulled out by trolley car. It was early this afternoon before the east bound track was cleared.

WATCHUNG W. A. W. CLUB TO GIVE DANCE

The W. A. W. Club, of Watchung, will give a dance in the Improvement Society Hall on Friday night, March 9. A bus will leave the corner of Somerset and Front streets, Plainfield, at 8.15 and return to Plainfield at 1.30 o'clock.

CRANFORD HIGH DEBATERS ARE AWARDED VERDICT

The North Plainfield High School debating team went down to defeat before the Cranford high school representatives last night in a debate held in the Harrison school. The question debated was "Compulsory Arbitration and Its Possible Benefit to the United States if made a law." Some excellent points were given by both sides and the large audience attending accorded repeated applause to both teams throughout the debate.

The local team consisting of Andrew McDonough, leader; Miss Laura Martin, Miss Margerite Berkalew, and Irving Roddy, alternate, upheld the Negative side of the question while the Cranford team were represented by David Plume, Fabyan Mather, and Kenneth Hopkins.

Principal Earley of the North Plainfield high school, presided and the judges were Mr. Bates, of Westfield, Mr. West, of Rahway, and Mr. Zimmerman, of New Brunswick.

The borough high school debaters were defeated on the same question last Tuesday night by the St. Mary's Literary Society.

HIT BY STONE CHILD MAY DIE

Thrown by a man angered by being hit by a snow ball, a three-pound stone yesterday struck the forehead of Edward Kwiatek, four years old, of Elizabeth, and prostrated injured him fatally. Tony Migliori, twenty-eight years old, of that city, is under arrest, charged with having thrown the stone. The boy is in St. Elizabeth's Hospital, at Elizabeth, and his condition is precarious.

JOHN MUIR LEAVES NAVY

John Muir, of this city, who recently completed his term of enlistment, three years in the U. S. Navy, has received his honorable discharge, and has taken a position as fireman on the New Jersey Central. During his service in the navy Muir visited nearly all parts of the globe.

Webster's definition of "New" became —"recently come into existence, possession or use; fresh; lately made; produced"—Hearn's brings that definition up to date by simply adding— "spring apparel recently come into existence; fresh; new spring apparel —at Hearn's, Fourteenth Street, Sixth Just in, every day great cases of fresh, lately made Frocks, Suits, Coats, Skirts, Hats, Blouses and Lingerie are being opened at Hearn's, all ready for use are these delightfully springy clothes, and those that do not exactly fit are altered at Hearn's without extra charge. Strictly tailored, braid-bound serges or mannish tweed Suits for conventional street wear. Dressy tailored suits, which really make women look their smartest. Short tailored suits always becoming. Topcoats for real charming one-piece frock, or delicate blouse and separate skirt; big flaring coats for wrapper or a sport suit. All these are at Hearn's in all sizes—colors, styles, at the best qualities at the lowest possible price. Frocks, too, crepe de chines, georgettes, taffetas, cut to give that lovely silhouette or popular straight line figure. Lingerie, too dainty for words —yet serviceable —incomparable blouses.

Hats that are turbans or mushrooms, large or small, trimmed or untrimmed, but when bought at Hearn's with the trimmings, these are put on free.

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Definitions are all right and reading is all right, but "seeing is believing." For the wise shopper, looking for the new and best at the lowest possible prices—it's like a walk in the Spring when new scenes and quantities and quantities and quantities of rare Spring beauties—to walk to-day into Hearn's.

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REAR ADMIRAL PEARY.

He Warns of Aerial Attack on the United States Soon.

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Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary has qualified as a war prophet by predicting that within thirty days no aero attack will be made on New York and other large Atlantic coast cities.

UNITED STATES NAVY LEAGUE ISSUES CALL.

Washington, D. C., March 3.—A call has been issued by the Navy League of the United States to its 350,000 and more members, many of them women, to come to the assistance of the Navy Department. The call is signed by men and women of national reputation, who will be members of the Navy League War Relief Committee.

The Navy League, after consultation with officials of the Navy Department, and in line with the Department's wishes and at its request, will:

Aid in recruiting for the naval service both for the regular line of defense and for the newly-created naval reserve.

Furnish necessary articles of clothing, equipment, comfort and hospital stores required by the exigencies of the service and not furnished by the Government.

Raise at once, and on the outbreak of war distribute the Navy League War *Relief Fund*.

The Navy League is an association of people who wish to keep war out of the United States and believe that the surest way to do it is to maintain a navy so strong that no military nation can send its troops across the ocean to attack us. It has no connection with any business or political organization of any kind and is not pro-anything nor anti-anything but just plain American. It has no favors to ask and no views to express, except just this; it insists that whatever else politicians may do or leave undone they do not fail to provide such a navy as will in*sure this country against* the horrors of war in the homeland.

The League was founded and chartered in 1902 and has more than 66,000 members. Among its first members were Admiral Dewey, Theodore Roosevelt, Cardinal Gibbons, the Rt. Rev. Phillip M. Rhinelander and Dr. Lyman Abbott, while many of America's most prominent women are members of the Women's Section. Its accounts are and always have been open to inspection.

FUNERAL TODAY

OF W. R. LITTELL.

Funeral services for William R. Littell, forty-five years old, of Elizabeth, who died Wednesday night at the Alexian Brothers' Hospital, that city, after a brief illness, was held this afternoon at his home, 612 Cleveland avenue, in Elizabeth. Mr. Littell was a native of Woodbridge. He was a member of Winfield Scott Court, I. O. F., and W. A. M. Mack Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Elizabeth. *He is* survived by his wife, one son and two daughters.

AVIATOR THOMPSON LOSES BEARINGS IN STORM

New York, March 3.—Attempting to break the record for altitude with passengers at Hempstead, L. I., Aviator De Lloyd Thompson lost his bearings in the snowstorm and darkness last night and was compelled to descend near the Belmont Park race track. Thompson started his flight with Miss Clara Martin and Miss Ora Dell Just, before dusk. After being up about twenty minutes and reaching a height of about 8,000 feet he made his landing.

N. Y. CONGRESSMAN DIES AT CAPITAL

M. F. Conry, 15th District, a Veteran of House.

Washington, March 3.—Representative Michael F. Conry of the Fifteenth New York district, Manhattan, is dead after a lingering illness from kidney trouble at Providence hospital here.

Mr. Conry was last at his place in *the house a week ago. When he* was taken to the hospital his colleagues of the New York delegation expressed fear he would not survive his illness.

The news of Conry's death was communicated to the house by Representative Fitzgerald of New York, who spoke feelingly of his life and services. Minority Leader Mann and Representative Bennet, also of New York, joined in a tribute to the departed member.

A resolution was adopted to appoint a committee of representatives and senators to attend the funeral, and a recess of the house was taken as a mark of respect.

Mr. Conry was a lawyer and was serving his fourth term in congress. His death makes the third to occur among the membership of the house during the present session, Samuel J. Tribble of Georgia and David T. Finley of South Carolina having died earlier in the session.

Mr. Conry was forty-seven years old. He was born at Shenandoah, Pa., and educated in the public schools there. Afterward he taught school for seven years. He was graduated in 1890 from *the University of Michigan*, receiving the degree of LL. B. He entered the legal profession and was for a time an assistant corporation counsel of New York. He was elected to the Sixty-first, Sixty-second, Sixty-third and *Sixty-fourth congresses*.

Mrs. Conry and one of her daughters have been in Washington for about two weeks. He leaves two other daughters.

SUNDAY PLAYS LEGAL.

They Must Be Given Free, However, Court Rules.

New York, March 3.—It is neither wicked nor unlawful for settlement *workers to give neighborhood play*-houses performances on Sunday, according to a decision by Magistrate Breen.

Miss Bessie Kaplan, treasurer of the Henry street settlement, had been charged with the penal offense of giving a theatrical performance in Grand street, Sunday, Jan. 21. The magistrate pointed out that the performance was unobjectionable, not given for profit and not disturbing to the neighbors.

STEAMER SINKS U-BOAT.

British Ship's Officers Say She Won Battle With German.

New Orleans, March 3.—Officers of the steamship Knight Companion (British), just arrived here, said the ship was in a battle with a German submarine and sank her.

According to the officers, the submarine opened fire at 700 yards. Five shots were fired at the Knight Companion, but none took effect.

The Knight Companion's gunner fired two shots, the last sending the U-boat to the bottom.

Bay State May Seize Food,

Boston, March 3.—Under suspension of rules the legislature has admitted for consideration a bill to appoint a commission *to investigate the food situ*ation. The measure, advocated by the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, would permit the commission to seize food products and fuel in emergencies and regulate their distribution.

Jump from Bed in Morning and Drink Hot Water

Tells why everyone should drink hot water each morning before breakfast.

Why is man and woman, half the time, feeling nervous, despondent, worried; some days headachy, dull and unstrung; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead, of thousands of half-sick, anaemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-cheeked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all the waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly *an ounce of waste material* must be carried out, else it ferments and forms ptomaine-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary is it to clean the ashes from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulations of indigestible waste and body toxins. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, as a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile and toxins; *thus cleansing, sweetening and puri*fying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside-bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone, its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.—Adv.

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GEORGE WAS different.
Yours for beautiful hair,
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LI YOUANG HUNG.

President of China Who Opposes Joining Entente.

Photo by American Press Association.

President Hung is receiving much criticism for opposing immediate action in joining the entente allies. He gave out an interview saying he preferred to act with the United States and other neutrals, but was willing China should join the entente if parliament approved.

RUSSIANS FAIL IN ROUMANIA

British Close After Turks Fleeing to Bagdad.

London, March 3.—Above the north Roumanian frontier the Russians have *made freqhent attempts to capture the* hill positions lost early in the week along the Jacobeni-Kimpoiung road. They acknowledge that their attacks above Val Putna were repulsed, but claim to have reoccupied the positions south of the town. The German report tells of the Russian failure on the northern sector, but the omission to mention the other end of the battle line appears to confirm the Russian claims to success toward the south.

For the first time in several weeks the Russians have displayed a little activity on Von Mackensen's front toward the southern part of Dobrudja. Small detachments attempted raids north of Kokshani, near Fasari, and in the neighborhood of Carbul, on the Serath, twenty miles above where it joins the Danube. Both efforts were repulsed, but a raid north of the Zavel river gave a Roumanian detachment *possession of a hill position, a* machine gun and a few prisoners. The position was, however, recaptured.

In an attack on the east bank of the Narayuvka river the Germans stormed Russian positions and captured 170 prisoners *with several machine guns.*

From Mesopotamia all reports add considerable information regarding the British victory along the Tigris. It appears that more than 4,300 Turkish prisoners have been captured since Feb. 24, and in addition to sixty guns of various types thirty pontoons have fallen into the hands of General Maude's pursuing troops. The loss of this bridge material was a serious matter to the retreating Turks.

In France the British patrols are still feeling their way cautiously through the region evacuated by the Germans on both sides of the Ancre. A summary of their February successes in cindes a total of 22,133 German prisoners and the occupation of eleven villages in the region of the Ancre and the southern approaches to Bapaume.

WOMEN POSTMEN FOR PARIS.

Wives of Soldiers to Be Given Preference.

Paris, March 3.—Women letter carriers will soon be delivering mail in Paris. This method will be an experiment and preference will be given to wives of soldiers.

Doubt has been expressed as to whether the women will be able to shoulder the wooden box that the Paris postmen *carry without being too great*ly fatigued. The boxes now are well filled, since several mail deliveries have been consolidated with others. Sometimes also the mail from the United States is so heavy as greatly to increase the weight of the boxes.

WANAMAKER PRICE LIST

March Sale Wanamaker Housewares

Cut Out and Post in Your Kitchen for Reference.

Sale Prices Are 10 to 40 per cent. Less Than Normal.

Phone and Mail Orders Filled

Electric

Electric Coffee Pot—Made of brass, nickel-plated with ebonized handle—
6 cup size—Grade, $7.50. Price $4.50
Equipped with fusible safety plug—furnished with 6 ft. cord.

Electric Coffee Urn—Made of brass, nickel-plated with ebonized handles—
6 cup size—Grade, 28.50 Price $6.00
These urns also equipped with fusible safety plug and 6 ft. cord.

Electric Coffee Urn—Made of copper, nickel-plated with ebonized handles—

	Grade.	Price.
4 cup size	$5.00	$3.50
6 cup size	10.00	7.00
9 cup size	13.00	9.00

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Electric Toast Table Grill—Nickel-plated. On which one can toast, broil, fry and make griddle cakes—
Grade, $11.50 Price $5.00

Electric Iron—6-lb. iron for household use—
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Made of brass, nickel-plated. Has separate stove, which can be used as a hot plate. Is equipped with heat regulator which is very essential —2 pt. size
Grade, $12.00 Price $8.00

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5% less than regular. *Made of selected clear* lumber

Kitchen Tables Made of Clear Poplar Lumber Framed Throughout Into Legs—

	Grade.	Price.
3 ft. Plain	$ 7.75	$5.25
With Drawer	9.00	6.00
3½ ft. Plain	8.50	5.75
With Drawer	9.75	6.50
4 ft. Plain	10.00	6.75
With Drawer	11.50	7.75

Round or Square Drop Leaf Table Tops—

	Grade.	Price.
3 ft.	$ 5.50	$ 3.75
3½ ft.	6.50	4.50
4 ft.	8.00	5.50

Skirt or Ironing Boards—

	Grade.	Price.
2 ft. Plain	$ .55	$ .45
Covered	.75	.55
3 ft. Plain	.85	.65
Covered	1.10	.75
4 ft. Plain	1.25	.85
Covered	1.40	1.00
5 ft. Plain	1.50	1.00
Covered	1.85	1.40
5½ ft. Plain	1.65	1.20
Covered	1.90	1.70
6 ft. Plain	1.75	1.35
Covered	2.15	1.85

J. W. Step Ladders—Strong, light and durable. Made of selected lumber with malleable iron anchor braces, made of clear, hard pine.

3 ft.	$2.10	now $1.50
4 ft.	2.50	now 1.90
5 ft.	3.25	now 2.50
6 ft.	3.75	now 2.90
7 ft.	4.00	now 2.50

Pastry Boards made of pine, free from all silicone found in other woods, treated ends to prevent warping—

	Grade.	Price.
12 x 24 in.	$ .85	$ .60
14 x 24 in.	.95	.70
15 x 24 in.	1.00	.80
20 x 24 in.	1.25	.90
20 x 30 in.	1.50	.75

Meat Boards made of selected white pine 1½ inch thick—

12 x 16 in.	$ .90	$ .70
14 x 16 in.	1.15	.90
16 x 20 in.	1.50	1.00

Oak Towel Rollers—

18 in.	.50
24 in.	.60

White Wood Knife Boxes—

16 in.	.50

Curtain Stretchers—Pine solid brass, galvanized clamps to prevent rusting—

12.15	$4.50

White Wood Foot Stools—

Oak Foot Stools	.35

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Coffee Percolators—With receiving alcohol lamp. Low-up—2 pts. Grade $13.00 Price $9.50

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Casseroles—Round nickel-plated frame, 1 pt. capacity—brown and white earthenware lining and cover—
Grade $2.50 Price $2.00
With extra metal cover—
Grade $2.50 Price $2.75

Round Casseroles—Nickel-plated frame—

	7-in.	8-in.	9-in.
Price	$1.75	$2.25	$2.75
Grade	$3.00	$2.35	$3.25

Casseroles—Oval, nickel-plated frame—
2-pt. capacity $4.50 each

Round Nickel-Plated Casseroles—One portion brown and *white lining, 50c each.*

Pie Dishes—Nickel-plated frame, metal bottoms and aluminum pan—10-in.—
Grade $3.50 Price $2.25

Cream Ewers and Sugar Bowls—Nickel-plated, brass and copper finish—
Grade $1.85 Price $1.60

Round Serving Trays—Nickel-plated, some copper—
12-in.—Grade $1.85, Price $1.60;
14-in.—Grade $3.00, Price $2.50.

Standard Rotary Sewing Machines, $44 grade for $34.50

65 Standard Rotary automatic lift drop head continental needle sewing machines; lock and chain stitch (sphinx); full set of attachments; guaranteed for five years.

Can be purchased on the "Club Plan"—$2.00 down and $1.00 weekly, if desired.

340 WHITE MOUNTAIN REFRIGERATORS

20 to 33⅓ Less

Cases made of hard wood; tongued and grooved air tight; golden oak finish; plain heavy raised panels; double thick inside walls; reinforced with heavy charcoal sheathing; provision compartment; pure baked white enamel ware with shelves coated with block tin; brass locks and hinges, nickel plated.

	Width.	Depth.	Height.	Ice Cap.	Grade.	Price.
24½ Corner	27 in.	21 in.	45 in.	75 lbs.	$37.50	$17.50
30½	30 in.	22 in.	47 in.	110 lbs.	40.00	21.00
	33 in.	24 in.	48 in.	135 lbs.	44.00	24.00
36½	36 in.	23 in.	52 in.	150 lbs.	45.00	28.00
42½	42 in.	24 in.	54 in.	175 lbs.	48.50	40.00
48½	48 in.	24 in.	58 in.	220 lbs.	47.00	44.00
Ascension 30½	30 in.	18 in.	58 in.	90 lbs.	38.00	18.75
Refrigerator 36½	36 in.	19 in.	54 in.	120 lbs.	50.00	21.00
	37 in.	20 in.	57 in.	110 lbs.	58.50	25.00
	30 in.	21 in.	60 in.	140 lbs.	44.50	29.50

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WIDTH	DEPTH	HEIGHT	ICE CAP.	PRICE
22 in.	40 in.	125 lbs.		$25.00 each

Bathroom Furnishings—Nickel Plated.

Towel Bars—14-in. diameter—round ends—

	Grade.	Price.
15 in.	$ .50	$ .40
18 in.	.65	.48
21 in.	.75	.60
24 in.	.85	.65
30 in.	1.00	.80

Towel Bars—¾-in. diameter—round ends—

	Grade.	Price.
15 in.	$ .70	$ .50
18 in.	.75	.60
21 in.	1.10	.90
24 in.	1.25	1.00
30 in.	1.45	1.20
42 in.	1.75	1.40

Glass Towel Bar with Nickel Trim—¾-in. diameter—

	Grade.	Price.
Two Arms	$ 1.00	$ .70
Three Arms	.95	.85
Four Arms	1.40	1.00

Soap Racks to Fasten on Wall—

Grade	$1.10	$1.50
Price	$ .80	$1.10

Soap Racks to Hang on Tub—

Grade	$ .60	$ .75
Price	.50	.70 and $1.15

Soap and Sponge Rack to Hang on Tub—

Grade	$1.40 Price $1.25

Toilet Paper Holders for Roll Paper—

Grade	.35	.75
Price	.30	.45 and .60

Robe Hooks—

Grade	.15	.10	.15
Price	.10	.05	.10 and .45

Soap Dishes to Stand on Basin—

Grade	$1.10 Price $1.00

Porcelaid On Brass Bath Room Fixtures

Soap Rack to hang on tub—
Grade, $1.85 Price $1.40

Soap Racks to fasten on wall—
Grade, $1.25 and $2.50
Price, $1.00 and $1.80

Robe Hooks.
Grade, .30 Price .20

Combination Soap and Tumbler Holder.
Grade, $2.25 Price $1.75

Combination Tooth Brush and Tumbler Holder.
Grade, $1.75 and $1.85
Price, $1.35 and $1.55

Tumbler Holders.
Grade, $1.40 and $1.65
Price, $1.15 and $1.25

Toilet Paper Holders for roll paper—
Grade, .70 and $1.10
Price, .55 and .85

Toilet Paper Holders for package paper — 2 styles—
Grade, $1.25 and $1.75
Price, $1.00 and $1.50

Glass Shelf Brackets—
Grade, $2.50 Price $2.25
Price, $2.00

Mirrors with White Enamel and Oak Frames.

Size in Measure.	Grade.	Price.
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12 x 18	1.50	1.15
13 x 22	2.50	2.00

Enamel Bath Tub Stools—
Grade, $1.00 Price $ .85

Enamel Bathroom Stools with Rubber Tips.
Grade, $1.50 Price $1.25
Grade, $2.50 Price 2.00

Porcelaid Stools.
Grade, $2.50 Price $2.25

Glass Shelves.

12 x 5	$1.05	$ .90
14 x 5	1.30	1.15
16 x 5	1.50	1.30

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Glass Shelves with Nickel Rail—

16 x 5	.75

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Glass Towel Bar—1-in. diameter with cast posts—

	Grade.	Price.
18 in.	$3.50	$2.25
24 in.	3.25	2.50
30 in.	3.75	2.65
36 in.	4.00	3.15
42 in.	4.50	3.75
48 in.	5.25	4.25

Porcelaid Towel Bar—round ends—¾-in. diameter—

	Grade.	Price.
18 in.	$1.50	$1.00
24 in.	1.75	1.25
30 in.	1.45	1.40
36 in.	2.00	1.60
42 in.	2.25	1.90

Glass Shelf.

	Price.
12x5	$ .80
14x5	1.05
16x5	1.30

Glass Shelves with Porceloid Brackets.

Grade. $2.75	Price $2.25

Soap and Sponge Rack to hang on tub.
Grade, $3.00 Price $2.45
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Grade, $3.25 Price $2.50

Carving Sets—Celluloid handles; knife, fork and steel—
Grade, $2.25 Price $2.00

Pastry Sets—Consisting of fork, sing handle; 8½ in. blade—
Grade, $2.50 Price $1.75

Fillet Knives—Cocobola handle—

	Grade.	Price.
6-in.	.30	.25
6-in.	.35	.25
7-in.	.35	.25
9-in.	.45	.35

Bread Knife—Stag handle; 8-in. blade—
Grade .65 Price .50

Bread Knife—Cocobola handle; 8-in. blade—
Grade .40 Price .30

Cook's Fork—Cocobola handle—
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Paring Knives—Aluminum handle—
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Mixed Bristle Dust Brushes—Protected fell ends—

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7 in.	$ .80	.70
8 in.	.90	.80
9 in.	1.00	.90

Round Mad Dust Brushes—

	Grade.	Price.
8 in.	.75	.60
7 in.	$1.15	$1.00

Grey Bristle Dust Brushes—

	Grade.	Price.
7 in.	$1.00	.90
9 in.	1.40	1.25

Dust Brushes—Wire Drawn Backs—

7 in.	.50	.38
8 in.	.60	.45
9 in.	.75	.55

Bristle Stair Brushes—

	Grade.	Price.
7 in.	.90	.80

Floor Brooms—Wire drawn extra full—

12 in.	$1.35	$1.10
14 in.	1.60	1.40
16 in.	2.00	1.75

Horse Hair Floor Brooms—Full ends—

12 in.	$1.35	$1.00
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	Grade.	Price.
12 in.	$1.85	$1.25
14 in.	2.25	2.00
16 in.	2.50	2.25

Floor Brooms—Russian Bristle—white outside; polished block—

	Grade.	Price.
12 in.	$1.15	.90
14 in.	1.25	1.00

Floor Brooms—Russian Bristle—

	Grade.	Price.
12 in.	$1.40	$1.10
14 in.	1.60	1.25

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Tea and Coffee Pots—1 qt., 50c; 1½ qts., 60c; 2 qts., 65c; 3 qts., 70c.

Oval Dish Pans—10 qts., 90c; 13½ qts., $1.15.

Round Dish Pans—10 qts., 70c; 14 qts., 95c; 17 qts., 95c.

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Water Pails—6 qts., 80c; 10 qts., 85c; 12 qts., 95c; 14 qts., $1.15.

Pie Plates—9 in., 15c; 10 in., 20c; 11 in., 25c.

Roasting Pans—12 in., 35c.

Hanging Soap Dish—20c.

Pierced Ladles—4½ in., 25c.

Long Handle Dippers—1 qt., 60c.

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Bowls Japanned Bread and Cake Bowls—

No. 9	Grade $1.00	Price $ .70
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15 x 18	Grade $2.75	Price $1.90
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Oak Grained Roll Top Bread and Cake Bowls—

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White Bread Bowls—

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10 inch Grade 80c Price 70c

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12 inch Grade 75c Price 60c

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10 inch Grade $1.45 Price $1.15

One Half Sheet Graters—
Grade 15c Price 10c

Cutlery—

9½ inch	Grade 60c	Price 45c
11½ inch	Grade 75c	Price 60c
13 inch	Grade 90c	Price 80c

Pudding Moulds with Tubes—
Grade 60c Price 50c

Graduated Measure—

1 pt.	Grade 20c	Price 18c
1 qt.	Grade 40c	Price 35c
2 qt.	Grade 55c	Price 45c

Round Cake Turners—
1 qt. Grade 20c Price 15c
2 qt. Grade 30c Price 25c

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9 in.	Grade 35c	Price 25c
10 in.	Grade 40c	Price 30c
12 in.	Grade 45c	Price 35c

Spatter Cake Pans—

14 x 13½ in.	Grade 60c	Price 45c

Copper Bottom Tea Kettles—

4 qts.	Grade 95c	Price 69c

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FOOD IS PLENTY, HOUSTON SAYS

Secretary of Agriculture Deprecates Alarm.

BLAMES MUCH ON WASTE

More Than $700,000,000 Thrown Away Yearly in American Kitchens, He Estimates—Intelligent Planning and Not Price Fixing Can Solve Problem, His Belief.

Washington, March 3.—Greater food crops and the practice of household economies are urged by Secretary of Agriculture Houston as measures to help reduce the cost of living. American families, he estimated in a statement on the food situation, wasted in their kitchens annually more than $700,000,000 worth of edibles.

There was nothing in the situation to justify hysteria, however, he said, because there was no real shortage of food in this country. Mr. Houston emphasized the importance of the food cost investigation directed by President Wilson and held out hope that increased acreages this year might insure greater food supplies. The wheat and potato crops, he said, were unusually short last year, but nevertheless there would be enough to supply very nearly normal needs.

Price Fixing Useless.

The food problem cannot be solved, in the secretary's opinion, through price fixing by the federal or state governments, but by "intelligent planning and constructive action in conjunction with the operation of normal forces." Urging a full inquiry into the causes of advancing prices, he said:

"A full and satisfactory explanation of prevailing prices is not possible on the basis of existing knowledge. Where the food supply is located, who owns it, what may be the difficulties of securing it, whether the local market conditions are due to car shortage, whether there is artificial manipulation or control, no one can state with certainty. It is essential that we have the facts not only because of the light that also because they are prerequisite for the working out of a permanent, just and economical system of marketing. The investigation directed by the president ought to be made promptly, and congress ought to give the Federal Trade Commission and the department of agriculture the necessary funds."

Deplores Nation's Waste.

Limitation of waste in the kitchen, Secretary Houston pointed out, would do much toward affording partial and immediate relief from oppressive prices.

"As a nation," he added, "we seem to have a disdain of economizing. Of course, the waste in families of very limited means is slight, but in families of moderate and ample means is considerable. Even if the estimate of $700,000,000 waste in the country, as prepared by our experts, is cut in half it would still leave an enormous waste."

Prices must be maintained at a certain level or farmers would not increase their output, Mr. Houston said, and either the government or the community must guarantee a reasonable price.

"Those who are urging that the farmers be induced greatly to increase their acreage beyond that which their own judgment indicates," he said, "know very little about the psychology of farmers or about the fundamental necessities of the situation."

There is no need of alarm over reports of a food shortage, the secretary believes, because crops generally, with the exception of grain and potatoes, were as large or larger than in 1915.

CARRANZA TO DISAVOW.

Will Deny Knowledge of Anti-American Alliance Plot.

Mexico City, March 3.—Formal disavowal by the Mexican government of any participation in the German plot and probably denial that the scheme was ever actually broached to the Carranza government are expected to be issued within the next few days. Probably it will be the first official act of a new foreign minister, whose appointment by General Carranza is expected at Guadalajara.

The general feeling in Mexico is that the Zimmermann letter cannot be genuine. Both the Japanese and German ministers denied knowledge of the plan.

NO HETTY GREEN MONEY.

New Jersey Out Inheritance Tax on Richest Woman's Money.

Trenton, N. J., March 3.—New Jersey will not get any inheritance tax on the millions of the late Mrs. Hetty Green. State Comptroller Newton A. K. Bubbee announced his conclusion that she was not a resident of the state, despite her many years of housekeeping in a $28 a month Hoboken flat.

An affidavit from Colonel Alexander M. Green, Hetty Green's son, convinced the comptroller that her legal residence was Bellows Falls, Vt. New Jersey has received $20,000 from her estate as transfer tax on stock in New Jersey corporations.

JAPAN DENIES PLOT.

Never Received Alliance Proposition From Germany.

Tokyo, March 3.—Japan has received no proposition from either Mexico or Germany, directly or indirectly, to join in a possible war against the United States, Viscount Motono, Japanese foreign minister, stated.

Viscount Motono said he considered such an idea ridiculous, it being based on the outrageous presumption that Japan would abandon her allies. If Mexico received the proposal, Viscount Motono added, that country showed intelligence in not transmitting it to Japan.

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Street Dresses of worsted	19.50 to 85.00
Afternoon Dresses	26.50 to 185.00
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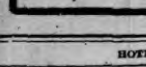

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Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscribers, executors of Max Mauger, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the 30th day of March next.
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SENATE STANDS BY PRESIDENT

Will Vote Him Power Today on Armed Neutrality.

STONE LEADS THE OPPOSITION

Chairman of Foreign Relations Committee Repudiates Bill He Reported. Only Fifteen Votes Against Immediate Consideration of Measure—Navy Ready to Arm American Ships at Once.

Washington, March 3.—With the death of American men and women in Germany's submarine campaign and the German effort to embroil the United States with friendly neighbors behind them a large majority of the senate fought to vest President Wilson with full authority to protect American life and American rights at sea.

Before the senators was the apparent intention of the president to proceed at once to the arming of American merchantmen for their protection in their ocean journeyings. It was apparent *that the bill authorizing the president* to place the United States on a basis of armed neutrality had the support of an overwhelming majority. The administration demand for consideration of the bill was carried by a vote of 76 to 15.

The opposition to the bill was led by *Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of* the foreign relations committee, which framed the measure, and up to yesterday the spokesman of the administration on matters affecting foreign affairs in the senate.

Stone Repudiates Bill.

The crowded floor and galleries were aghast as the Missouri senator solemnly resigned the bill reported by his committee into the hands of Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking member of that body. The gravity of the situation was apparent in the strained and anxious faces of the senators around him when he announced that he was not in accord with the bill as framed.

"I do not believe," he said, "that it would be proper for me to continue in the management of the bill on the senate floor in this situation."

Immediately the Missouri senator *father stirred the senate by proposing* an amendment radically limiting the scope of the armed neutrality bill and flatly inimical to the request of President Wilson. The amendment would prohibit:

The use of any person under the employ or direction of the president to operate guns on armed ships.

The carrying of munitions to a belligerent nation by any armed American ship.

The carrying of munitions to a belligerent on any ship convoyed by or under the protection of a naval vessel.

About the amendment centered the fight for the authority demanded by the president, and it precipitated a debate, which for gravity and fervor has seldom been equaled in the senate. Senator Stone led the forces supporting the amendment, with the declaration that the duty of preserving neutrality did not impose on the United States the further duty of guarding the munitions transports of belligerents.

Party Lines Forgotten.

Under the leadership of Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska and Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, up to the present the management of the president's foreign policy, Democrats and Republicans united to oppose the Stone amendment and to support the president's demand for authority to meet the situation.

Party lines were forgotten in a burst of patriotic oratory which seemed to indicate that what little opposition there was to the bill would be lost sight of.

Administration leaders said that despite the limited character of the similar measure passed by the house Friday, the lower body would ultimately agree to the broader bill. The senate measure as framed by the committee provided:

That the commanders and crews of all *merchant ships* of the United States and bearing the registry of the United States are hereby authorized to arm and defend such vessels against unlawful attacks, and the president of the United States is hereby authorized and empowered to supply such vessels with defensive arms, fore and aft, and also with the necessary ammunition and means of making use of them, and that he be and hereby is authorized and empowered to employ such other instrumentalities and methods as may in his judgment and discretion be necessary and adequate to protect such vessels in their lawful and peaceful pursuits on the seas.

The sum of $100,000,000 is hereby appropriated to be expended by the president of the United States for the purpose of carrying into effect the foregoing provisions, the said sum to be available *until the first* day of January, 1918.

The bill would authorize a bond issue to raise the $100,000,000 and would authorize the use of $25,000,000 of the money to aid the war risk insurance bureau in handling "present war risks."

Ready to Arm Ships.

Complete arrangements for arming American merchant vessels have been reported to President Wilson by Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

Secretary Daniels made it clear that the passenger vessels of the American line can be furnished with guns and gunners within *twenty-four* hours after the presidential order is issued. These ships would be the first to be armed, and the government expects them to resume their regular sailings under the protection of the naval armament.

Daniels reported that guns ranging from three inch to six inch naval rifles are stored at Gun Island, at the Brooklyn navy yard, at the Norfolk navy yard and at Boston ready to be mounted on merchant ships at once.

He pointed out that the American line ships were built to receive guns and that the mounting of them would call for little labor. He said it might take a longer time to arm other vessels, as a three inch gun exclusive of the mount weighs 19,000 pounds, and many ships would require structural bracing before they could mount such weapons.

So far the president was told only two requests have come to the department for arms and gunners outside of those authorized to arm and defend such vessels against unlawful attacks, and the president of the United States is hereby authorized and empowered to supply such vessels with defensive arms, fore and aft, and also with the necessary ammunition and means of making use of them, and that he be and hereby is authorized and empowered to employ such other instrumentalities and methods as may in his judgment and discretion be necessary and adequate to protect such vessels in their lawful and peaceful pursuits on the seas.

VILLA'S PRESTIGE GONE.

Forces Scattered and Influence in Northern Mexico Lost.

Washington, March 3.—General Francisco Villa is no longer a factor in Mexican matters. The state department has been so advised through an American official source and likewise through a quotation of General Margain that the former rebel leader's physical condition was such as to count him out as a factor.

The American official message said that Villa's forces were scattered and that he no longer held his grip upon northern Mexico.

DEMONSTRATOR NOT NAMED.

Warren Freeholders Refuse to Make Farm Appointment.

Belvidere, March 3.—The Warren county freeholders have refused to appoint a farm demonstrator for the county. The reason was the fact that the annual budget had been made up by the board and they had no right to *make a supplementary appropriation* for this purpose.

It was the sentiment of the board that an expression of the taxpayers must be had before such an office could be created.

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DANIEL WILLARD,
Head of Baltimore and Ohio Aids In U. S. War Plans.

Photo by American Press Association.

President Willard today was made chairman of the advisory commission of the Council of National Defense. Mr. Willard will not resign the presidency of the railroad when he assumes this office, in which he will serve without pay. The understanding is that he will devote a great deal of his time to the task of coordinating the immense resources of the nation in preparation for possible hostilities. The above picture is from a photograph taken at Palm Beach.

WOULD ENLARGE STATEHOUSE

Commission Plans Move to Create More Room.

TO HOUSE ALL DEPARTMENTS

State Architect Asked to Prepare Plans For Enlargement—New Administration Building In Stacy Park Among Suggestions Made—Move For Economy Seen In Uniform Stationery For All the Departments.

Trenton, March 3.—Plans for the enlargement of the statehouse to eliminate the present overcrowding and provide proper accommodations for various state departments are contemplated by the statehouse commission, composed of Governor Edge, State Treasurer Read and State Comptroller Bugbee. State Architect George S. Drew has been asked to formulate a definite scheme of improvement along several lines.

One suggested is the construction of a new administration building and another that a separate building be constructed to accommodate the state courts, state library and possibly the state museum. Whether such a building would be constructed in Stacy park, a considerable tract reclaimed from filling in marshlands along the Delaware river, or on state property already owned along State street has not been decided. The commission will give the subject full consideration before making any recommendations to the legislature.

As a move in the direction of economy the commission has decided to provide uniform stationery for all departments. It will also modify the present system of awarding contracts for printing by providing that all printing possible be done at state institutions already equipped for that purpose. It will also seek reports from all insurance upon state property with a *view of having the state insure* its own property as soon as the fund available for that purpose becomes adequate.

STATE LIBRARIANS MEET.

Hold Joint Session With Pennsylvanians at Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, March 3.—Three hundred librarians are here for the twenty-first annual joint convention of the Pennsylvania Library club and the New Jersey Library association, which opened with a meeting of the New Jersey body.

Pennsylvania presided over both sessions today, John Ashhurst, librarian of the Free library of Philadelphia, in the morning, and State Librarian Thomas L. Montgomery at night. Topics included "The Indians of Pennsylvania and New Jersey and the Literature Concerning Them," by George P. Donehoe of Coudersburg; "Recollections," by Edward J. Nolan, librarian of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences; "Advertising the Library," by Professor Herbert W. Hess of the University of Pennsylvania, and "The *Library For the State at Large*," by Miss Anna A. MacDonald of the State library.

FOR RED CROSS WORK.

Beverly and Edgewater Park Women Form Chapter.

Beverly, March 3.—A Red Cross meeting held at the Masonic temple proved a great success. More than a hundred women from Edgewater Park and Beverly attended. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. James Mulford, chairman of the Burlington county chapter, presented Captain Burbank of New York, who delivered an interesting lecture on the necessity of preparedness.

As a result of the meeting a local chapter was formed. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Thomas A. T. Perkins, vice chairman, Mrs. Garrett B. Leiderman, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. John W. Davis. Meetings will be held every Friday afternoon.

WANT COMMISSION RULE.

Woodbury Again Agitates Question and Calls Public Meeting.

Woodbury, March 3.—Commission form of government for this city is again being agitated. This time the board of trade has taken up the matter by approving the report of the special committee appointed to look into the question. The suggestion that a public meeting be held March 14 in the courthouse was adopted. It is proposed to have addresses on commission government and obtain the signatures necessary for a vote.

Opponents of the plan have also started a campaign. The move made along the same lines a couple of years ago sank into oblivion after Wenonah voted a similar proposition down.

$2,000,000 Will Broken.

New York, March 3.—After a prolonged trial a jury before Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum broke the will of Mrs. Amelia Gertrude Cutter, disposing of an estate of nearly $2,000,000, for the second time. Surrogate Cohalan refused probate to the will in 1914, but his decision was reversed by the appellate division of the supreme court and a new trial ordered.

CAT COMMISSIONER NEWEST STATE JOB.

Albany, March 3.—Senator Theodore Douglas Robinson, Colonel *Roosevelt's nephew, had his bill* amending cats recommitted to the conservation committee for a public hearing on the merits of the measure. According to Senator Robinson, his bill has brought a host of letters advising him and criticising him for proposing that the hitherto unfettered neck of cats should wear a collar and tag like dogs.

Several persons have applied for the position of cat commissioner under the terms of the bill. All these and the cats are to have their day in Albany to a fair day.

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IN FIELD OF SPORTS

NOW THE DENIALS ARE COMING OUT

What the New Brunswick Girls Really Think of Their Press Notice

Published statements in various papers that the North Plainfield girls used unfair tactics in the basketball game with the New Brunswick High School girls, causing them to lose the contest, brought emphatic denials from the Middlesex county girls yesterday. In fact, there was a veritable storm of protests and denials.

Miss Mildred Cronk, the manager of the team, said:

"The North Plainfield girls played a fair and square game in every respect. There was no roughness, and the charge of tickling is an absurd one, and as it has been published in the New York newspapers much harm is apt to be done our team in so far as future relations with North Plainfield and other girls' teams are concerned."

Miss Daisy Broffe, captain of the team, adds a protest as follows:

"None of the players of our team complained about any roughness or tickling. I played during the entire game and found the visiting team fair and square. North Plainfield won the game on its merits."

Miss Gretchen Smith,[illegible] who coaches the team, supported the players in refuting the charges and declares there was not the least foundation for the charge.

Miss Olive McCallum, who was slightly injured, states that it was not through any rough playing that the mishap occurred. It is declared that the charges give an entire false impression of basketball as played by girls. Girls' teams are coached by lady instructors, and never has there been undue roughness, such as is sometimes seen in the contest between boys. The games are played according to girls' rules and are under the direction of the proper officials.

HOPES AND TABS TO CLASH AT H. S. COURT

With both regular line-ups on the floor the T. A. B. S. and Hope Chapel basketball teams will meet this evening on the P. H. S. gymnasium floor for a brand new series of tilts. Both teams are out for victory and some battle is anticipated between these old-time rivals.

Frank Rimmer, who is well known throughout the basketball world, is booked to referee the contest. The high school court was secured to accommodate the large number of fans who, it is expected, will want to see the two aggregations come together at the indoor sport.

BOWLING MATCHES

The Second Night and St. Joseph's club bowling teams will clash in the first of a series of matches Monday evening at the K. of C. alleys. The former team is of unknown qualities and will remain so until the scheduled series takes place. The Saints have staged a few tilts since the first of the year with fair success.

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ANCHOR PINNERS DROP THREE AGAIN

Local Masonic Bowlers Up Against It on Elizabeth Alleys Thursday Night

Not fully recovered from the blow dealt them by Essex Lodge a few nights since, Anchor Lodge pinners were still a little grouchy Thursday evening on the Elizabeth alleys and dropped three straight to the representative Washington team. Only in the last game were the totals close, the two teams being separated by some nineteen pins.

Ring's 214 was a very good example for the rest of the Washingtons in the first game, and following his lead they established an 846 figure. Dr. Ley was the man to set the pace in the second game, with 194, while in the last Dear, born a 263 was the best mark on the Washington slate. Anchor's card was guiltless of any double-centuries and the highest tally attained was Laing's 182 in the second game.

The scores:

ANCHOR

				Ave
Laing	151	182	172	168
Martin	143	162	171	158
Evans	141		150	145
Cose		150	164	157
Dayton	157	127		142
Van Emburgh	164	157	181	167
	756	778	838	790

Total pins—2,372.

WASHINGTON

				Ave
Ring	214	170	172	185
Dearborn	155	162	203	173
Lilley	132	174	157	154
Jenkinson	184	169	182	178
Ley	154	197	143	161
	840	872	857	856

Total pins—2,569.

COUNTY LEAGUE'S FINAL STANDING

Park Club Stands Sixth When the Curtain Went Down This Week

With the final games of the Union County Bowling League off the boards and the final standings figured out, it is found that the Elizabeth Elks are winners of the 1917 championship. Park Club pinners of the borough hold down sixth position in games won and lost.

Three teams managed to secure a high score of 1,000 or better. Park Club maple smashers struck this score early in the season and for several weeks held the high-water mark of the circuit. The Elizabeth Elks and the Jr. O. U. A. M., however, later secured higher scores.

The Park Club put up a game scrap until the end of the circuit's season and made a creditable showing, all things considered.

The final standing:

	W	L	HS	PC
Eliz. Elks	26	16	1029	.619
Roselle	25	17	995	.595
Hebran O. C.	23	19	956	.548
E. T. & C. C.	21	21	982	.500
Jr. O. U. A. M.	21	21	1015	.500
Park Club	20	22	1000	.476
El Mora C. C.	19	23	970	.452
Cranford	13	27	975	.325

NEW SWIMMING RECORD MADE BY YOUNGSTER

Chicago, March 3.—Samuel Willston, a 17-year-old Maroon Freshman, shattered a record that has stood since 1895, when he s[illegible] 324 feet under water in ta[illegible] ilett tank. He sank exhausted and was taken out unconscious, but revived in two minutes. The mark of 326 feet was made in 1895 by Dr. E. P. Swatek, who started the youngster last night.

BROWNS ON WAY TO TEXAS

By United Press:

St. Louis, March 3.—The Browns, about twenty strong, departed today for Palestine, Tex., to begin the spring training stunts preparatory to making their annual effort to grab off the pennant in the American League.

Fielder Jones, ruler of the iron hand, was in charge of the gang. The squad was composed of infielders and outfielders Rumler, Shotton, Miller, Stevens, Lavan and Sisler; pitchers, Wellman, Koob, Groom, Plank, McCabe, Sothoron and Kerr. Hartley and Severeid made up the catching delegation.

The squad will reach the Texas camp Monday and immediately begin warming up. The advance guard, which reported at Palestine Sunday, is expected to receive the aggregation that departed today.

A SLIP TWIXT——

Through a misunderstanding of information conveyed to this office it was stated through these columns Thursday that the Plainfield Grammar School had used P. H. S. Freshmen in a basketball tilt against a Westfield team Wednesday afternoon. A slip of the tongue and a slip of the keys comprised the combination of the mistake, which we would undo at this time.

AND THEN SCORES BROKE OTHERWISE

Tabs Come Back in Great Form Against the City League Leaders

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

	W	L	HS	PC
B. P. O. E.	25	14	975	.641
K. of C.	21	15	995	.583
Imperials	20	16	965	.556
T. A. B. S.	9	30	951	.231

What the T. A. B. S. pinners did to the Elks last evening was nothing short of a crime. After having been cleaned up for a trio of tilts Thursday evening by the antlered aggregation the Abstainers took their opponent by the horns last night and took three straight themselves just for luck. And believe the scores, there was some pinning going on at the Fough street lanes!

Layton, who has been playing in the background for some time, came to the fore as the shining light of the occasion, coming through with an average of 203.2, which is some scoring, say we. O'Keeffe, also of the Tabs, struck the high-water mark for the evening, scoring 225 in his sandwich game.

The West Enders copped three of the four scores of the double century scores of the evening, while the two teams split even on the six scores of 190 or better.

The scores:

B. P. O. E.

				Ave
Vail	175	171	194	180
Causbrook	189	177	178	181
Kiely	191	190	160	180
Townley	181	162	168	170
Waldorf	143	214	162	173
	879	914	862	885

Total pins—2,655.

T. A. B. S.

				Ave
Lawton	221	194	196	203
Force	171	215	160	182
Mahoney	177	144	186	169
Skinner	191	173	174	179
J. O'Keeffe	182	225	152	186
	942	951	869	920

Total pins—2,762.

CHIPS FROM THE CLAYS

"Chief" Bender is said to be ready to retire from baseball and accept a position as salesman for an ammunition concern. As an Indian trapshooter the "Chief" should be a good attraction at least.

Farmers' gun clubs are becoming all the rage. In nearly every part of the country the men who till the soil are forming clubs, so that they can shoot all the year round instead of the few months of the hunting season.

Trapshooters who know say that Mark Arie, of Thomasboro, Ill., is the best handicap shooter in America—and one of the greatest shots in the world. That's praise enough for any man.

RECREATION SECONDS WIN FAST GAME AT HIGH SCHOOL

The newly-organized Recreation second five annexed its first win of the season last night in the Plainfield High School gym by defeating the Mohawk A. C. in a fast battle by the score of 24 to 18.

The first half was easily the better of the two, the Recreation boys keeping in the lead throughout.

The second half was rather slow and the Recreation boys had things their own way after Berse was put into the fray.

The score:

RECREATION SECONDS

	G.	F.	P.
Barry, f, g	4	2	10
Porter, f	2	4	8
Davidson, c	1	0	2
Lee, g	0	0	0
Corbin, g	0	0	0
Semer, g	0	0	0
Berse, f	2	2	6
	8	8	24

MOHAWK A. C.

	G.	F.	P.
Mowen, f	3	2	8
Gullberg, f	5	0	10
Hooper, c	0	0	0
N. Mowen, g	0	0	0
Terry, g	0	0	0
	8	2	18

Referee, Kline; scorer, Williams; timer, Moulton.

WAR HELPS SOMERS

Cleveland, O., March 3.—The bankers' committee which two years ago took over the affairs of Charles W. Somers, former owner of the Cleveland American League baseball club, announced yesterday that Somers has been financially rehabilitated through the sale of half his coal land holdings. War prices for coal were said to have greatly increased the value of the land. A year ago the bankers' committee sold the control of the Cleveland baseball club, in which Somers was the leading holder, to James C. Dunn for more than $500,000.

LOCAL RIFLE CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Dr. D. G. Atwood Now Head of Plainfield Organization for Coming Year

FUTURE WORK PLANNED

With a large number of members of the organization present, the Plainfield Rifle Club last evening revived its activities with a more marked spirit of progressiveness in the session held at Company K armory last evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term of one year: President, Dr. D. G. Atwood; vice president, D. F. Aungst; secretary, H. F. Biddle; treasurer, H. D. Davis; range officer, Capt. Charles Peterson.

The following were elected to membership in the organization: H. F. Biddle, D. F. Aungst, John D. Duffy, H. D. Davis and Paul J. Westergard. A large number of new applications are expected to be received in time for the next meeting to be held Friday evening, March 9, at the armory.

Dr. C. W. Leonard, chairman of the committee on securing an outdoor range for use during the coming summer and fall months, made an extensive report on the progress of the committee, but final action on this matter was deferred until the next meeting. Until such times as the outdoor range is ready, however, plans have been made for continuing indoor rifle practice at the armory each Wednesday and Saturday afternoon and evening.

Plans for securing a proper number of rifles for range use were made, and the officers of the organization were authorized to execute the necessary bonds to secure the rifles and other necessary equipment.

From present plans it is expected that the workings of the club will be kept active the year round. Work will be mapped out for all classes of rifle handlers. The beginner will be given especial attention from now on at the indoor range, and it is expected that many young men will become affiliated with the club for this reason. Young men over eighteen years of age are eligible for membership.

It is the purpose of the officers of the club to bring the membership up to the 500 mark in the course of the next few months. This mark was decided after canvass of a fraternal nature by Messrs. Hazze and MacDougall, of the Westfield Rifle Club, a thriving organization in the nearby suburb. Applications for membership to the local club may be transmitted to the meeting next Friday evening through any of the officers mentioned above.

BOROUGH MAIDENS CLAIM THE TITLE

But Are Willing to Entertain Any Who Care to Dispute the Claim

The North Plainfield High School girls' team has laid claim to the feminine basketball championship of the city and borough. Having tried every possible means of securing a series with the Plainfield High School maidens and failed, the borough girls feel they are justified in making this claim.

Early in the season the managements of both schools got together to arrange the usual series, and everything was satisfactorily agreed upon as far as the borough girls were concerned. A week later, the Canadians were informed by the P. H. S. coach that unless certain new conditions were compiled with the series could not be played. P. H. S. wanted to use six players in a game, while N. P. H. S. wanted to play five. Finally, North Plainfield compromised and suggested six players for the first period and five in the second.

This appeared to be a fair agreement, as nearly all the games that either school participated in thus far are under these conditions.

Any feminine quintet disputing North Plainfield High School's claim to the championship can arrange a game with the boroughites.

SENIOR GIRLS WIN EASILY

The Freshmen girls' team of North Plainfield High School proved no match for the speedy Senior maidens in a spirited tussle yesterday afternoon on the Saengerbund Hall court. The final count was 18 to 5.

The score:

FRESHMEN

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Shaw, f	0	2	2
Miss Keller, f	1	0	2
Miss Shotwell, f	0	1	1
Miss Fenton, c	0	0	0
Miss McDonough, g	0	0	0
Miss Fass, g	0	0	0
	1	3	5

SENIORS

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	4	0	8
Miss Chandler, f	5	0	10
Miss Smith, c	0	0	0
Miss Britting, g	0	0	0
Miss Wyckoff, g	0	0	0
	9	0	18

Referee, Pasch; scorer, Daley; timer, Fass.

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One of the laughing successes of the New York theatrical season is "Pals First," now in its third week at the Fulton Theatre, where it is attracting the crowds. "Pals First" is a delightful comedy, adapted for the stage by Lee Wilson Dodd, from Francis Perry Elliott's novel of the same name, by arrangement with the Harper Brothers. The result is a fetching play, which starts out with a swing, and winds up with an entirely unexpected punch. It is a play of life, love and adventure.

The "Pals" are splendidly portrayed by Thos. A. Wise, whose recent masterly performances of Falstaff, in "The Merry Wives of Windsor" still linger in mind, and William Courtenay, one of the Beau Brummels of the American stage, and whose previous big hit was in that other great play, "Under Fire."

The play follows the story in the book, closely, in its development of the strange adventures that befall the "Pals," the mysteries at Winnecrest, near Nashville, Tenn., and the tempestuous romances of which Danny (Mr. Courtenay), the Domitie (Mr. Wise), and the lovely Southern maiden, Jean Logan, are the storm centres.

Among the prominent players producer J. Fred Zimmerman, Jr., has provided to aid his stars, there are: Ann McDonald, Auriol Lee, Marion Kerby, Lester Chambers, Francis X. Conlon, Ben Johnson, Harry Lewellyn, Lawrence Eddinger and James A. Ryan. The production is particularly beautiful one, especially that part where in the prologue is enacted.

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COUNTY KINDERGARTEN SOCIETY MEETS TUESDAY

The next meeting of the Union County Kindergarten Association will be held in the Vail-Deane School, Elizabeth, Tuesday at 3 o'clock. The speaker will be Miss Ellen Bliss Shaw, instructor in the Brooklyn Botanical Garden, and her subject will be "Gardening in the Kindergarten."

PERSONAL

Mrs. Helen Taylor, of Netherwood, is ill at the home of friends in Westfield.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In continuing the article of last evening bread-making is an art in which a knowledge of science is both a pleasure and an aid to the cook. A pleasure, because in each part of the process she recognizes the working of well-known laws. An aid, in that she understands how to manipulate these laws to secure definite results.

She knows that in the dough, under proper conditions, the diastase changes the starch into sugar, that the yeast plant in its growth changes the sugar present in the dough into carbonic acid gas and alcohol, both of which, being volatile, escape in the baking. The carbonic acid gas, expanding into bubbles, causes the swelling of the dough, known as rising.

By proper kneading, the gas is distributed evenly through the dough, so that when it has finally expanded, and been driven off in the oven, the result is numerous very small and of uniform size, making a fine-grained loaf. Being familiar with physics and chemistry, she knows that the proper initial temperature for baking bread (450) degrees Fahrenheit) is that at which the yeast plant is instantly killed. This accomplished, a lower temperature finishes the process, giving the delicate brown to the dextrinized crust, which has such a delicious flavor that it is no wonder many "prefer the crust."

Every part of the process is interesting to the scientist. There is no question of luck in her bread-making. She follows scientific laws and the outcome is as inevitable as the change of seasons. Going still another step, the cook who understands bacteriology knows that yeast contains other ferments, which produce acids and sometimes makes bread sour, if the conditions are favorable to their growth. She is, therefore, careful to avoid these conditions, namely, long fermentation or extreme high temperature of the dough (above 98 degrees) and a low initial temperature in the baking.

I have already referred to the nitrogenous food, albumin. By applying her knowledge of science, the cook is able to prepare this food substance so that it is the most use to the body, that is to say, more digestible. *We have seen that*, although most soluble in its raw state, to many it is unpalatable in that condition. For this reason we resort to cooking. The egg composed largely of albumen is an excellent illustration of this food.

The student of science has learned that albumen coagulates at a temperature of 160 degrees Fahrenheit, and is then a creamy, jelly-like mass, almost as soluble as the albumen in its raw state, and having the advantage of being very palatable. If the egg is subjected to the boiling temperature, the albumen becomes tough and leathery. Therefore, to secure the greatest digestibility, together with palatability, the eggs are put into boiling water and allowed to stand at a temperature below 180 degrees Fahrenheit, about ten minutes.

Meat is another protein food. Collagen is the chief constituent of the connective tissue. This is insoluble in cold water, but in hot water it is quite soluble and yields gelatine. When heated, the collagen swells and becomes tender. This is the reason for broiling beefsteak over coals and for soaking tough meat in a mixture of olive oil and vinegar.

An understanding of the action of heat on albumin is the key to the proper cooking of both meat and fish. When the object is to retain the nourishment in the meat, it is first subjected to a very high temperature for a short time, in order to coagulate the albumin on the outside, thus closing the pores and so protecting the natural juices of the meat. A temperature just below the boiling point, during the remainder of the time, will render the connective tissues soft and tender. The effect is the same through whatever medium the heat is conveyed, whether by hot air (as in roasting), by boiling water (as in so-called boiling), or by hot coals (as in broiling).

When the nutriment is to be used in broths or stews, the object is to extract the juices from the meat. Therefore, an opposite course gives the desired result. The meat is placed first in cold water, which is gradually heated until it conveys a temperature about 135 degrees Fahrenheit.

The albumin remains in the soluble state and the nutriment is dissolved out of the meat, leaving only the stringy fibers. The scientist also knows that the flaky substance present in the broth is very valuable as a food, being a digestible form of albumin, and she does not discard it after the manner of her untrained sister.

I know only too well that a knowledge of science is not the only requisite of a successful cook. A person who would succeed in this line, as well as in any other, must have sound judgement and an active mind. She must also learn to use her hands quickly and skillfully. Granted she possesses the qualities mentioned, combined with a schientific education along domestic lines, she is far better equipped to succeed than those without the last qualification.

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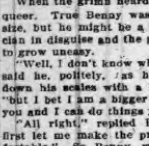
BENNY'S MAGIC BAG—Part II

Presently the great griffin dropped with a jolt heavily on the ground. The princess, still unconscious, rolled toward the rock behind which Benny stood.

"Humph!" cried the griffin, shaking his scales till they rattled like a crate of iron bolts tumbling down a ladder. "There is someone around here. Hey! you, boy, behind that rock, come out quick."

Now Benny was so scared that he ran right out in the griffin's face. This so surprised the big beast that he gave a start and jumped back. That gave Ben an idea and he at once decided that as he could not *fight the monster, with any equal* strength, he would find some smart way in which to kill off this creature and save the princess. He soon made up his mind and, putting a bold face on matters, strode up bravely to the creature.

"You are a pretty thing to be going about the country scaring people and running off with the king's children," said Benny, tossing his head proudly. "You have an idea that you are somebody big. I want you to know that *I can kill such things* as you in a wink of my eye if I wish."



When the griffin heard this he felt queer. True Benny was a scrap in size, but he might be a great magician in disguise and the griffin began to grow uneasy.

"Well, I don't know who you are," said he, politely, as he smoothed down his scales with a horny claw, "but I bet I am a bigger fellow than you and I can do things you can't."

"All right," replied Benny, "but first let me make the princess comfortable." So Benny, who had noticed, the princess was opening her eyes, brought her a bit of water in his cap and propped her up in the shade of the rock by a rosebush.

The griffin was worried, but he dare not say a word—those magicians might change one into all sorts of things, and it was best to be polite. So he sat on his hind legs and fanned himself with his creaking tail, while Benny gave the princess some crackers he had in his pocket.

"Excuse me a moment," said the griffin. "I have to run back into the cave a bit to see my wife," and he disappeared into the den.

Now, when Mrs. Griffin heard the story she was very angry at her husband for being afraid of Benny.

"The idea," she exclaimed, "of you, a great big griffin, 500 years old, being afraid of that chit of a boy. He would not make a good bite of chewing-gum for me. Run out front and bring both those human beings in here."

"Better go yourself," said the griffin, who still felt uncertain. So both the griffins came out of the cave making a big display, shooting flames out of their mouths and rattling their scales against the rocky sides of the den. The poor princess shook with fear and hid her face, but Benny knew just what to do. At his feet lay his dear brown bag, and he had still one more wish left.

"Ho! Ho!" laughed the lady griffin, as she caught sight of the trembling girl leaning in fright against the rock. "Get back into my den and stay there, both of you, or I will not wait till tomorrow to let you see your fate."

Benny took up the brown bag.

"Turn those two griffins into bats," he said, as he saw two monsters advancing toward him. "And take the princess and myself home as you fly back to India."

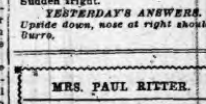
The griffins gave a scream, for they saw the genii, who was an old enemy, coming toward them. And in another moment they had shriveled into ugly, black bats who flew far back into the cavern, where they remain to this day. While Benny and the princess were quickly taken home by the bag, which after dropping them in the palace yard, disappeared in the sky.

Of course Benny and the princess were married, and a great wedding *they had*, with bonfires and balls, bands playing and so much music, singing and dancing that for a whole week it seemed like the Fourth of July.

Monday's story — "The King's Plain Daughters."—Part I.

HIDDEN PUZZLE

JACK LONDON



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CHAUNCEY OLCOTT COMES HERE TUESDAY NEXT

Chauncey Olcott and Ruth Sinclair, in a scene from "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at the Plainfield Theatre Tuesday evening

Chauncey Olcott plays at Plainfield Theatre Tuesday night, March 6th, in "The Heart of Paddy Whack." It is said that his profits when balanced up on the first of the year ran well over $50,000. "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling" led the list of his songs in popularity. This was particularly so on the other side of the water, as the song was a prime favorite with the British troops in France, where it was changed in tempo and used as a marching song, until the Sinn Fein rebellion occurred, when it and several other Irish tunes were dropped. Up to that time almost 147,000 copies of the song went over to the troops on the continent.

"THE GOLDEN CROOK" COMES HERE MONDAY

Trio of show girls with "The Golden Crook" at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

The "Golden Crook Extravaganza Company" will be the offering at the Plainfield Theatre next Monday, March 5th, with the usual matinee. The comedy is smooth, unctuous and polished.

A big feature of the program is the French ballet, in which some twenty young and beautiful women introduce evolutions that compare favorably with the artistic ensembles seen here. There is a wealth of handsome scenery, brilliant electrical effects, and costumes that will prove interesting to the feminine portions of the audiences, many of them having been made from Parisian creations.

DUTCH ARMS ANNUAL BANQUET

The Dutch Arms Men's organization of Trinity Reformed Church will hold *its eighth* annual banquet on Thursday evening, March 22d.

The speakers for this occasion will be the Rev. Dr. Horace P. Silver, chaplain of the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, who will talk on "American Citizenship." State Senator Edmund Burke Osborne, of Newark, *and other prominent guests* will be present. The toastmaster will be Elgar F. Sheppard. The menu will be served by the Willing Workers' class of Trinity Bible school.

The scheme of decoration throughout will be the patriotic colors.

Tickets $1.00 per plate and are now on sale by members of the organization. Those desiring same should procure them at once, as the number is limited.

ANOTHER POSTMISTRESS RESIGNS HER POSITION

New Providence, March 3.—With the resignation of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Rusk as postmistress at Murray Hill, the second such vacancy to be made in postoffices in this borough, Mrs. William Tyson, the postmistress at West Summit, too, has asked to be relieved. In neither instance has a successor yet been chosen. Mrs. Rusk's resignation was made yesterday, while that of Mrs. Tyson was made several months ago.

NATIVE OF HUNTEDRON DIES IN ELIZABETH

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Cave, 74 years old, widow of George J. Cave, of 520 Maple avenue, Elizabeth, died Thursday at her home after a long illness. She was a native of Hunterdon county, but lived in Elizabeth for many years. She was a member of the Second Presbyterian church, Elizabeth. There are no relatives *surviving.*

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WILL LECTURE ON WAR

Miss Jean McKenzie, who has visited the European war front, will tell of her experiences at a meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, on West Eighth street, Friday, March 9. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield.

HOWE'S MOVING PICTURES HERE NEXT WEEK

The most daring work ever accomplished in polar exploration will be shown by Lyman H. Howe at the Plainfield Theatre, Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10, matinee and night, in a filmization of Sir Douglas Mawson's expedition into Antarctialia. The pictures are replete with thrilling episodes and breathless adventures in a region where hurricanes are almost constant and where blizards of violence *unknown in any other part of* the earth rage almost incessantly.

The entrancing beauties of Yosemite National Park will also be revealed in *a delightful ride over winding trails*, right through Giant Sequoias and past tremendous precipices over which crystal rivers tumble and leap from cliff to cliff.

Numerous other features will be presented as well as a series of those clever animated cartoons that *contribute so much to the merriment* of the program throughout.

"SUNBEAM" AND "BIG SISTER" AT PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's Theatre Today

Today at Proctor's, Mabel Tallaferro appears in "The Sunbeam," Mae Murray *stars* in "The *Big Sister*," and "Jerry on the Job" appears in a cartoon comedy.

On Monday Marie Dressler appears in "Tillie Wakes Up" and there is not a dull moment in it. In addition Monday, Alf. a Holubar and Maude George appear in "Heart Strings" and Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria."

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday "Civilization," Thomas H. Ince's formidable spectacle, will play a farewell engagement at Proctor's. This production is too well known to need lengthy exploitation here. Those who have not as yet seen it or wish to see it again, have only this chance. The prices have been arranged on a popular scale.

The program for the remainder of the coming week includes Olga Petrova, Louise Huff, Elsa Goodrick, Charlie Chaplin and Marie Dressler.

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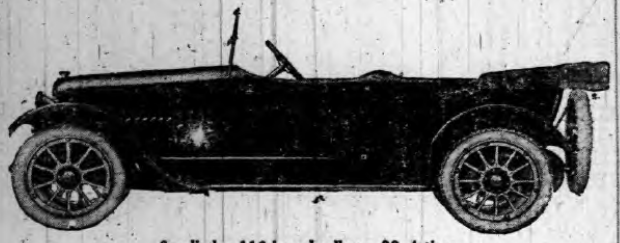

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I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same, and I take this obligation freely without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God.

Washington, March 5.—The second term of Woodrow Wilson began at noon Sunday. To be absolutely exact, it began at 12:04 p. m., when in the presence of only Mrs. Wilson, members of his cabinet and before Chief Justice Edward Douglas White, he repeated the solemn inaugural oath and, bending over the little black Bible held out to him by the aged jurist, pressed his lips to its open pages.

"The Lord is my refuge, a very present help in time of trouble," were the sacred words upon which the kiss was imprinted. The passage had been selected by the president himself.

President Wilson, accompanied by his wife and augmented detail of secret service operatives, motored through a blinding rain to the capitol. He repaired to the president's room, and there throughout the morning engrossed bills were brought to him for signature. The cabinet gathered about him.

Mrs. Wilson, wearing deep mourning, sat in the window recess. Her sister, Mrs. H. H. Maury of Roanoke, Va., had died less than a week ago.

Few at the Ceremony.

The president expressed the wish that the party to witness the taking of the oath should be the smallest possible. Even so close a friend and counselor as Secretary to the President Tumulty effaced himself. Mr. Tumulty heard the murmur of the oath from the corridor of the senate.

Among the first to congratulate the president after the cabinet members had had their say was Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota.

"Congratulations, Mr. President," said the sturdy old warhorse of Republicanism as he grasped the hand of the chief executive. "I want to tell you

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SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT HIGH SCHOOL

Walter Damrosch, with his New York Symphony Orchestra, will appear at the high school auditorium on Thursday evening of this week under the auspices of the Dutch Arms Band of Trinity Reformed Church. The orchestra is now on a trans-continental tour, and has a world-wide reputation.

The Symphony Society of New York, one of the world's great orchestras, has had a remarkable history. Nearly forty years old, it had but two conductors, Dr. Leopold Damrosch, the founder, and his son Walter Damrosch, the present conductor.

The following program will be rendered:

Part I—Overture, "Mignon," Thomas; Largo from Symphony "From the New World," Dvorak; (a) Gavotte in E, Bach; (b) Andante Cantabile, Tschaikowsky; Symphonic Poem, "The Spinning Wheel of Omphale," Saint-Saens.

Part II—Overture "Fingal's Cave," Mendelssohn; Prize Song from "The Meistersinger," Wagner; Allegretto from Symphony No. 7, Beethoven; (a) Dance of the Sylphs, (b) Rakoczy March, Berlioz; waltz, "Artist's Life," Strauss.

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SCHOOLS' AIM MISUNDERSTOOD

So States Dr. Henry M. Maxson, Superintendent of Public Instruction

REJECTS OLD THEORIES

Modern Idea Is that Education of a Child Should Begin at Birth—Old School Dealt With Book Learning

"Many things in the modern school are criticised through ignorance of their aim," says Dr. H. M. Maxson, superintendent of schools. "Once it was thought that education consisted simply of schooling. The years in the child's life before he went to school and the years after he left school had no part in his education.

"Now we realize that education begins the day a child is born and continues until the day of his death. Schooling is but a part of his education, and even during the years he is at school his education is influenced almost as much by the things outside of school as by the school itself.

"Education is a process of developing the child into ripened and perfected manhood. In this process the child acquires knowledge, habits, tastes, ideals and power. The old time school dealt only with book knowledge; it concentrated its efforts on the intellect of the child.

"The modern school in its wider view of education broadens its field to include the whole nature of the child and attempts to influence and shape his education outside of school as well as in school, and this includes many things that seem strange and wasteful to one who is familiar only with the old time school ideas that dealt only with book learning.

"The aim of the modern school, which we are trying to work out in Plainfield, has been well formulated by the city of Pittsburgh.

"'The schools of the people should give to the children:

"'Ample provision for exercise and joyous play.

"'Buildings simple, but stately; thoughtfully planned, skilfully built, generously equipped.

"'A course of study covering training for service and appreciation; presenting in the order of their importance those things which contribute to a strong, healthy body, an alert, sure mind, a fine, steadfast spirit.

"'Those things in art or craft which develop to the full the latent ability of each one to serve his fellows with dexterous hand, a lofty mind, and a glad heart, rich in response to the beautiful and noble in life.

"'Teachers who love children with a parent's love and books with a scholar's fondness; who find beauty

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AID FOR U. S. SOLDIERS IN CASE OF NEED

An interesting report of the work being done by "The New Jersey Branch Prince of Wales Relief Committee, U. S. A." has been submitted. Their equipment and work has been divided in a most interesting way and all surgical dressings are being made strictly according to the Red Cross requirements, one-half of the finished work being sent for the relief of the suffering Allied armies abroad, the other half set aside to provide an American reserve, which will be kept in the event of need arising for such supplies in the United States.

The articles for the hospitals shipped abroad to date, number two hundred and eight thousand five hundred and eighty-two; these have been made during the last 22 months by the active working members.

The "American Reserve"—which has taken three months in the making—numbers sixteen thousand two hundred and four dressings, and hundreds are being added to this number each week.

As the committee is thus doing double duty all members are urgently asked to give every Thursday morning for this service. They will be helping those in their great present need and suffering and also aiding in laying aside a goodly store towards relief in this United States should the occasion arise.

Business Men Meet Tonight

The regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Business Men's Association will be held this evening in Exempt Firemen's Hall. All members are urged to be present.

—Wanted—Four non-union painters. Apply New Post Office.—Adv.

PRESIDENT GETS STORY OF MEETING

Thanks Hon. E. R. Ackerman for Sending Account of Local Patriotic Meeting

Hon. Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, sent a copy of the Plainfield Courier-News to President Wilson, with the account of the big meeting in the Plainfield High school, Tuesday night, last, at which former President Taft spoke, urging all patriotic citizens to uphold President Wilson in his efforts to keep us out of war, by every means, except by the loss of the national dignity and honor.

Mr. Ackerman has received in reply the following letter:

"White House, Washington
"March 3, 1917.

"My Dear Senator Ackerman;—Let me thank you cordially in the President's behalf, for your letter of March 1st, and for your kindness in calling attention to the enclosure. I shall lay it before the President at the very first opportunity.

"Sincerely yours
(Signed) "J. P. TUMULTY,
"Secretary to the President."

CAPTAIN BEITH WILL TELL OF TRENCH LIFE

Captain Beith, better known as "Ian Hay," will speak at the Plainfield high school Friday night, March 23, under the auspices of and for the benefit of the local branch of the National Special Aid Society. His subject will be "The Human Side of Military Life," with which he is familiar. He went "out" to France with Earl Kitchener's army of Ten first hundred thousand men, "which is the name of one of the captain's books.

Captain Beith has experienced the tragedy as well as glorious side of the war and has been decorated for bravery. During the winter he has been lecturing in this country and Canada and the outcome of these talks has been a book entitled "Getting Together," showing the part of the country in the great war.

Tickets go on sale Friday, March 9, at Dudley Miller's drug store.

THE FUNERAL OF ARTHUR B. TITSWORTH

The funeral of Arthur Bentley Titsworth, who died in Wilmington, Del., on Thursday, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Titsworth, of West Fifth street, the Rev. Edwin Shaw officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. During the service the hymns "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "The Home of the Soul" were sung by Warren Rowley, baritone soloist of the First Baptist church.

The pallbearers were: Ralph D., Ferdinand L. and Charles M. Titsworth, A. W. Vars, Milton St. John and George Jones. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

WILL DISTRIBUTE LETTER TO PRESIDENT

Mayor Leighton Calkins this morning stated that the committee have had several hundred copies printed of the letter which went to the President of the United States last week with the signatures of 1821 people in Plainfield and North Plainfield.

This letter has been printed on good paper, in an attractive form and, no doubt, many who signed it would be glad to obtain copies.

Anyone desiring one of these memorials may obtain it by calling at the city's clerk's office. Copies will be freely distributed as long as they last, but the number is limited.

SONG RECITAL BY BETSY LANE SHEPHERD

The announcement is made that Betsy Lane Shepherd, the young American soprano who recently has come into great prominence through splendid work in oratorio and concert, will give a recital in this city. The noted young singer will appear in the High school auditorium on Tuesday evening, March 13th. The appearance of this artist, who is comparatively new to music lovers outside of New York and other large centers gains interest from the fact that she has won a recognized position among the finest sopranos of America in a remarkably short time. She will be presented to the music lovers of Plainfield by Vogel & Briggs of the local Edison Diamond Disc Studio, the concert being given under their auspices. Admission to the affair will be by card which may be obtained so long as accommodations remain by calling, writing or 'phoning the above-named firm.

Her recital here is certain to attract the attention of all music lovers, and there is every indication that she will be greeted by a large and exclusive audience.

NEW BOARD RULES NOW IN EFFECT

Acting County Attorney Blatz Points to Changes Made by Freeholders

The steps which the 1917 Union county Board of Chosen Freeholders have taken to put into effect a more efficient business system, as was recommended by the Grand Jury in its presentment, has been pointed out by Acting County Attorney Francis J. Blatz, of this city. Although Mr. Blatz enumerated specific instances in which the board adopted the recommendations later proposed by the Grand Jury, it was his belief that now the whole method of managing county affairs was on a sound basis.

In the first place, it was strongly recommended that each committee be compelled to keep a minute book of its proceedings so that the records of the work of the committees shall be open to the full board for inspection. At the very first meeting of the year the new director, George G. Teller, made this recommendation, and most of the committees reported that they had been doing this for some time past. Since that time practically all of the committees have adopted this practice.

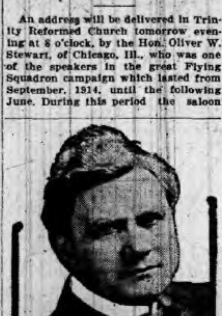
Ever since the investigation of the county affairs began the county attorney has been attending the meetings of the board to direct the membership in all legal propositions that may arise. Any questions arising now are immediately passed on by the county attorney, as was recommended in the Grand Jury's presentment.

Other changes in the board's conduct of county affairs date from the meeting on January 1, when Director Teller asked the board to take to heart the "lessons learned in 1916." Committees make monthly reports now on the work they have done during the month and nearly every financial need is provided for beforehand by authorization of the full board.

Whenever any resolution is presented to the board which calls for expenditure of money, the question is now asked, "Mr. Director, don't we need a roll-call vote on that?" and the vote has been taken.

WILL DISCUSS THE SALOON PROBLEM

An address will be delivered in Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, by the Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, of Chicago, Ill., who was one of the speakers in the great Flying Squadron campaign which lasted from September, 1914, until the following June. During this period the saloon



OLIVER W. STEWART.

question was presented in 255 cities.

Mr. Stewart will outline to his audience tomorrow evening the plans for the future and will hold an up-to-date discussion of the latest phases of the saloon problem; he will also review the campaign in which he took so prominent a part.

No admission will be charged and everybody is invited to attend.

NAMES OF SIGNERS TO WILSON LETTER PRINTED

On page seven of today's issue of the Courier-News appears the names of the residents of Plainfield and North Plainfield which were signed to the letter to be sent to President Wilson assuring him of their support in his efforts to maintain peace with national dignity and honor.

The letter was read at the patriotic meeting held at the Plainfield high school last Tuesday night, and received the endorsement of the large gathering assembled.

H. W. HOLMES WEDS MISS VANDERHOEF

Rev. C. S. Gillespie Performs Ceremony at Home of Bride's Parents

The marriage of Miss Mabel R. Vanderhoef, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Vanderhoef, of West Front street, to Harry W. Holmes, also of Plainfield, took place at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. C. S. Gillespie, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, North Plainfield, performed the ceremony.

There were no attendants and the ceremony was witnessed only by the near relatives of the couple. Later in the morning Mr and Mrs. Holmes left for Washington to spend their honey moon. They will reside with the bride's parents upon their return.

Mr. Holmes is the son of Mrs. George Kipsey, of this city. He holds a position with Plaut & Company, of Newark. Both the bride and bridegroom are well known here to a large circle of acquaintances.

CHURCH DAY AT TEMPLE BAPTIST

Tomorrow will be "church day" in the Temple Baptist Church, the first Tuesday of each month being so assigned under the new system. The plan is that all departments shall meet on a given day instead of on different days as previously, it being felt that such a plan would bring the members of the various societies into closer fellowship, give additional interest to the departmental work and be of general benefit to the entire church.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at 2.30 o'clock; the Missionary societies will meet at 3.30; the Ladies' Aid Society will serve supper at 6.30; the trustees will meet at 7.15, and the Philathea classes will meet at 8 o'clock, and the Christian Endeavor Society at 8.30 p. m.

SERVICES HELD AT GRACE P. E. CHURCH

The Rev. J. R. Atkinson, of New York, preached last evening at the Lenten service in Grace Episcopal Church. Dr. Atkinson gave a most eloquent talk and was greeted by an unusually large congregation considering the inclement weather. On Sunday evening next the Rev. Dr. Oldham, of St. Luke's church, Convent avenue, New York, will conduct the service. There will be a men's Bible conference in the parish house at 8 o'clock this evening.

Lenten services are being held every week-day at 5 p. m., except Wednesday. Holy Communion on Thursday, 10 a. m., Litany, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 a. m. and Choral evensong, Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

EX-PRESIDENT TAFT HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

Former President William H. Taft had a narrow escape yesterday afternoon in a train wreck on the Boston Express, of the New Haven road, on his way to Bridgeport to address a Polish meeting. Three miles west of Stamford, between Cos Cob and Riverside, two coaches left the train on the Mianus river bridge, but the bridge railing prevented them from going over into the river, although a thousand feet of track was torn up.

Mr. Taft was one of the derailed coaches, and lent his aid to those who suffered from shock.

BELGIAN RELIEF SOCIETY MEETING

The March meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society will be held tomorrow morning, at 10.30 o'clock, at 996 Hillside avenue. Business of importance will come before the meeting, and the attendance of all members is requested.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TO LEAD PRAYER MEETING

The prayer meeting of the Temple Baptist Church will be in charge of the Sunday school on Wednesday evening, George Huff will lead. The subject will be "A Life that is pleasing to Christ." There will be cornet and violin selections. Everybody who is not connected with another church is cordially invited to attend.

FINAL DEBATES MARCH 23.

The finals of the survivors of the forty-six teams engaged in the interscholastic debates last Thursday night, will be held on March 23, under the auspices of Rutgers College which is promoting this form of literary work among the public schools in New Jersey.

New 1917 Detroiter

An exceptional bargain. Thomson Auto Company.—Adv. 3-2-3t

WAGE-EARNERS TO DISCUSS THEIR PART IN NATION'S PREPAREDNESS

By United Press:

Washington, March 5.—A conference of representatives of more than three million American wage-earners will be held here March 12, to determine the part labor shall take in the preparedness program in the national crisis.

PRESIDENT MAKES INAUGURAL ADDRESS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 5.—President Wilson, making a brief, eloquent review of the four years that have elapsed since he first assumed the office of President of the United States, delivered his second inaugural address this noon, in front of the Capitol, in the midst of an assemblage representing the official dons of the nation.

The President laid down these principles: That all nations are equally interested in the peace of the world and the political stability of free peoples, and equally responsible for their maintenance. That the essential principle of peace is the actual equality of nations in all matters of right or privilege.

That peace cannot securely or justly rest upon an armed balance of power. That governments derive all their just powers from the consent of the governed, and that no other powers should be supported by the common thought or purpose or power of the family of nations.

That the sea should be equally free and safe for the use of all peoples, under rules set up by common agreement and consent, and that as far as practicable they should be accessible to all upon equal terms.

That national armaments should be limited to the necessities of national order and domestic safety.

That the community of interest and power upon which peace must henceforth depend imposes upon each nation the duty of seeing to it that all influences proceeding from its own citizens meant to encourage or assist revolution in other States, should be sternly and effectually suppressed and prevented.

PRESIDENT MAY YET ARM MERCHANT SHIPS

By United Press:

Washington, March 5—President Wilson has asked the legal authorities of the Government to give him a formal opinion with twenty-four hours, as to whether or not he has the power to furnish navy armament for American merchantmen without special authorization of Congress. Upon this decision depends whether the President will go ahead, despite the Senate's failure to act on the armed neutrality measure.

If the President finds he has such power it probably will delay his calling an extra session of Congress. Otherwise, if the legal advisers report that he has not such authority, he will call an extra session as soon as the Senate acts upon the revision of the rules, and will reintroduce his "armed neutrality" request.

GERMANY DIVIDES UP BELGIUM IN 3 PARTS

By United Press:

Copenhagen, March 5—That part of Belgium, which is in Germany's hands, has been divided into three provinces with the cities of Brussels, Namur, and St. Quint designated as the capitals, according to Berlin advices today. A German governor has been appointed for each district, the scheme of government being the same as that in the part of Poland that is occupied by Germans.

MERCANTILE MARINE IS NOT DISMAYED

By United Press:

New York, March 5—Officials of the International Mercantile Marine operating ships of the American line stated today that they are not dismayed by the action of Congress, which failed to agree to President Wilson's request for armament of merchant ships. Their hopes centre around the President in the belief that he will take the necessary action.

JAPANESE PAPERS HIT U. S. "WEAK DIPLOMACY"

By United Press:

Tokio, March 5.—Bitter attacks on the United States for American discrimination against the Japanese was the most significant part of editorial comment here today, on the German plot to align Mexico and Japan with Germany against the United States.

The newspaper Osaka Mai-Nichi declared the revelations of the plot "illustrated the weakness of American diplomacy toward Germany.

REPULSED GERMAN ATTACKS AT VERDUN

By United Press:

Paris, March 5.—A violent German attack over a front nearly two miles long made in repeated assaults, was repulsed last night, with heavy losses to the Germans, the official statement says. The attack which was in sufficient force to indicate a general offensive, was in the region of Caurieres woods, and north of Verdun.

MILITARY CAMPS MEETING AT CARNEGIE HALL

The great preparedness meeting in Carnegie hall tomorrow evening will be of interest to Plainfield citizens. New operations of the military training camps will be explained and any one wishing to join either the Plattsburg, the Plum Island or the Navy organizations may do so at this meeting. A company of Plumb Island boys will drill on the stage. Several Plainfield boys will be members of this company.

ALL BRITAIN IS IN SYMPATHY WITH WILSON

By United Press:

London, March 5.—For the first time the British press and public today seemed to have arrived at a full understanding of the complex position which President Wilson faced because of the Senate rules permitting filibustering. Therefore comment, public and in the British newspapers, reflected a more sympathetic attitude toward President Wilson and his problems, than at any time in recent weeks.

On the other hand the "handful of Senators" who blocked passage of the armed neutrality bill in the Senate came in for general execration for "thwarting the national will," as most newspapers expressed it.

AUSTRALIAN BODY IS DISSOLVED

By United Press:

Sydney, N. S. W., March 5.—Owing to constant obstructive tactics on the part of the laborite members, the Australian government today announced the double dissolution of Parliament.

By United Press:

Melbourne, March 5.—The government has decided on an immediate general election following dissolution of the present Parliament.

COAST GUARD MEN LOST GOING TO A RESCUE

By United Press:

Washington, March 5.—The death list of the United States coast guard seamen who perished in a heavy sea while going to the rescue of the stranded steamer Louisiana off Ocean City, Md., last night, was today believed to have reached fifteen.

PRICE OF HOGS JUMPS STILL HIGHER

By United Press:

Chicago, March 5.—Hogs were from 15 to 25 cents higher today than Saturday. Top prices were $14.20 per hundred for heavies. Pigs sold for $12.60 per hundred.

"THE HOODOO" IS HUMOROUS

The Chi Gamma Chi of North Plainfield will present a three-act farce, entitled "The Hoodoo," in St. Joseph's hall Monday evening, March 19. The young women will be assisted by the Young Men's Bible class of St. Joseph's church. The play has many humorous situations.

RASORES MEETS TOMORROW

The Rasores will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Lovell, of Crescent avenue

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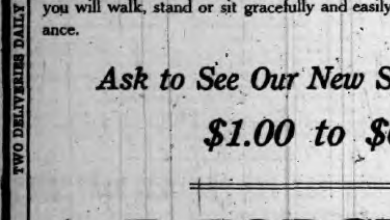

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TROOPERS GO TO WASHINGTON. EIGHT INCHES OF SNOW

Two troopers who went with the storm which began Thursday from Troop D to participate in the inaugural parade, whose names were not listed in Saturday's paper were Regis H. Brennan and Lieut. Ralph G. Ralf and William Cherry, but made hard traveling for automobiles, both of Westfield.

VISITING NURSE BODY WILL COLLECT GARBAGE

Peapack-Gladstone, March 5.—The Raritan river subcommittee of the Somerset Hills Visiting Nurse Association will undertake to dispose of the garbage of this place. At the request of the Board of Health the committee, at a recent meeting, considered holding a clean-up week. It was decided, however, instead of holding a clean-up week, to send a wagon around the town every Saturday to collect rubbish.

Those who want to avail themselves of that opportunity to dispose of their rubbish must have it ready when the wagon arrives and will be required to pay ten cents for the service.

The association also will undertake a tuberculosis exhibit, the arrangements for which are being made with State officials. This, too, was considered at the suggestion of the Board of Health.

MISS PADDOCK SPEAKS AT Y. W. C. A. SERVICE

Miss Estelle Paddock, editorial secretary of the national board of the Y. W. C. A., was the speaker at the vesper service held at the local association building yesterday afternoon. Despite the storm there were more than fifty young women present. Miss Paddock spoke on "Belief, Doubt and Prejudice."

A feature of the service was trio selections, violin, 'cello and piano by Leopold Wolff, Mrs. William Vaughan and Miss Mabel Maxson. This part of the program was greatly enjoyed.

Miss Constance Hutchinson, secretary of the Syracuse University Y. W. C. A., will be the speaker at the supper to be given by the Bible class this evening. Miss Hutchinson will speak on work among the students in the universities.

WOMEN STRIKE; RUBBER PLANT CLOSED DOWN

New Brunswick, March 5.—The plant of the United States Rubber Company has been closed down indefinitely as the result of the women shoemakers making a demand for higher wages. About ten days ago the men asked for an increase of two cents on a pair of rubber shoes.

This led to the factory being closed for three days. It was reopened last Monday, when some of the men who struck returned to work. Now the women have made a similar demand and the 600 employes have all been thrown out of work as a result.

THIS WAS THE "MAPLE SUGAR SNOW"

The snow that fell all day yesterday is known as the "maple sugar snow," and is supposed to start the sap rising in the maple trees. Several persons who had hung cans around the trees to catch the syrup said this morning that they had found the syrup beginning to run.

CAMPHOROLE WORKS WONDERS ON CROUPY CHILDREN

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SAURER'S MINSTRELS TOMORROW NIGHT

Everything is in readiness for the Saurer's minstrel benefit which is to be held in the High School auditorium tomorrow evening, March 6th, for the benefit of the Saurer's Concert Band.

After last Friday's rehearsal Manager Hallard and Band Director Dufford expressed themselves as being satisfied that the people of Plainfield would thoroughly enjoy the program that has been prepared. The songs and other mirth-provoking numbers, and local hits are "up to the minute."

Among the men taking part are: The Saurer's Concert Band, Agear, Ricketts, Lunger and Perrin as end men; Theodore Glazier in an up-to-date song; Tommie Agear in his own original song, "Tessie Tambo and Bessie Bones;" a comedy duo under a nom-de-plume; the Musical Stewarts; Herbert Hansen in his tumbling act; George Pierson, the Scotch comedian; Blondin Bragger, the humoresque slack rope walker; Frank Pentz in violin selections; Starch and Warne, cornet soloists; the famous Jerbine Quartette, Elmer Barrett, Richard Schott, Patrick Powers, Andrew Crosier and Joseph Gilbert, in songs; H. H. Wickham, the fun-maker, and C. G. Hunt, the bass soloist.

At the close of the entertainment an informal dance will be held.

LENTEN SERVICES AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

The Lenten preacher on Thursday evening at the Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield, will be the Rev. Clarence Sylvester, of Somerville. On Sunday morning next the Rev. Henry Mesler, of Netherwood, will occupy the pulpit, and evening the Rev. C. S. Lewis, of South Amboy. The regular Tuesday and Friday afternoon Lenten services will be held at 4:30 o'clock. The latter service is for children, adults also being invited to attend.

The Woman's Guild will meet in the parish house at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and St. Agnes' Guild at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

DR. MUNSON OFFICIATED AT CAPT. CRAWFORD'S FUNERAL

Rev. Dr. Herbert Munson, formerly of the Monroe Avenue Methodist church, this city, now pastor of the Nostrand Avenue Methodist church, Brooklyn, conducted the funeral of Captain Jack Crawford, the "poet scout" held in the latter church Friday night.

Services were also conducted by the G. A. R. and the Brooklyn Lodge of Elks, of which Captain Crawford was a member. Capt. Crawford was known in this city for his lectures in the Y. M. C. A. on pioneer days.

ALL WELL ABOARD STEAMER FREDERICK VIII

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 5.—The agents of the Scandinavian-American Line received a wireless message today from the captain of the steamer Frederick VIII, reporting that on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock she was 535 miles east of Sable Island and said that all was well on board.

POLICE COURT

Charles Kayoro and Peter Jodish, of 729 South Second street, were arrested at that address yesterday morning in the city court this morning Judge DeMeza sentenced them each to pay a fine of $10 or serve 20 days in the county jail. They paid the fine.

Fred Hofmeister, his son, Fred, Jr., and Austin Vandrin were arrested Saturday night charged with disorderly conduct in the city court this morning Judge DeMeza laid the case over until tomorrow morning.

SECRETARY ESTES RETURNS

General Secretary A. C. Estes, of the Y. M. C. A., has returned from an extended stay in Connecticut, where he went to regain his health and strength. He is much improved and will soon take up his duties again.

STARTING FUND FOR HEBREW SOCIETY

Will Be Used for Purchase and Equipping the Leal School Property

The Young Men's Hebrew Association campaign to raise sufficient funds to take possession of the newly acquired Leal School building has started off with enthusiasm. Already a number of young men have volunteered their services to go out and collect part of the fund which has been subscribed, and although coming in slowly, the men and women of this city are showing their anxious desire to see the project an actual accomplishment by talking about it and giving their available funds in aid of the cause.

Harry Dreier, of West Front street, in talking to a member of the committee last night, said: "The cause is an excellent one and you can put my name down for $100. I want to see your plans materialize, and if I can render any service to you don't fail to count on it."

The F. A. Dunham-Clarin Co. sent a check for $25 with the statement that the cause is such that both Jew and Gentile should contribute, for the movement is one that is sure to benefit the community in which we all live, and everyone who can should co-operate."

A small committee of men is calling on some of the local merchants for their donations and the campaign committee earnestly hopes that every person who is solicited will give to the extent of his or her ability, and furthermore bespeaks for them a courtesy becoming only to men who will do their work in an unselfish interest for the best future of the young men and women.

The public is requested to bear in mind that these workers have nothing to gain for themselves, but that the results of their efforts, if they succeed, will be the city's gain, because Plainfield will oe, as a result of this new association building, the pride of all the association's members for what its citizens are making possible for them. The aid and co-operation of all good-hearted people, regardless of sect, is earnestly solicited in this unselfish movement.

The auxiliary committee that has volunteered its services are the following: Jacob A. Fass, Samuel Krauthamer and Arthur H. Richards. The first mentioned member has headed his collection of funds with a personal donation of $75 for the fund. Voluntary subscriptions, either in cash or check, may be forwarded to Harvey Rothberg, chairman, 119 West Front street, or Benjamin J. Kline, treasurer, 922 West Front street, this city.

FLAGS DISTRIBUTED TO CITIZENSHIP APPLICANTS

Several hundred small silk American flags suitable for wearing on the coat lapel will be distributed to applicants for citizenship and others having business with his office by County Clerk Martin, at Elizabeth. The flags were purchased by Mr. Martin solely for free distribution. Friday's number of citizenship applicants seemed smaller than those of past Fridays, but it is still necessary to keep the county clerk's office open from 7 to 9 o'clock Friday evenings. Only Plainfield applicants will be accommodated Tuesday evening.

BATCHELOR CLUB DANCE

The Batchelor Club will run another invitation dance in Dobele's Hall, North Plainfield, on March 16. C. L. Wahl, Jr., of Dunellen, and George Baldwin, of Jersey City, are the committee in charge.

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BOY SCOUTS OFFER TO SERVE COUNTRY

Forward Resolution to Mayor and Place Themselves at Disposal of Executive

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of Plainfield held in New York the following resolutions were adopted, and forwarded to the Mayor:

Whereas: The National Council of the Boy Scouts of America has deemed it wise that at this critical period in the nation's history to recommend the placing at the disposal of municipal executives throughout the country, the resources of the troops of the Boy Scouts in America, be it

Resolved, That the Executive Committee of the Plainfield Council, Boy Scouts of America, in meeting extraordinary on this twenty-eighth day of February, 1917, do pledge to the Mayor of Plainfield, N. J., the services of all the Boy Scouts of Plainfield for public service to the community in any capacity in his judgment they may be best fitted.

(Signed) Theodore G. Davis, president; Edward Harding, Louis Hosmer, DeWitt D. Barlow, Frederick M. Gunung, Allen E. Beals, L. M. Leek.

Because of the specific training that the Scouts receive they will be prepared to do many useful things. Every Scout who wears a second-class or a first-class badge is prepared to render first aid to the sick or injured. He could assist at a hospital. Every Scout who ranks above a tenderfoot knows how to send and receive messages by the Semaphore or Morse code. If the telegraph and telephone lines should be out of commission he could help his community to maintain communication with any point within signaling distance. Many troops have serviceable wireless outfits.

In Plainfield a wireless club has been formed and a set being erected at Scout headquarters. Scouts are trained to observe and remember. They know the public buildings, the locations of fire alarm boxes, hospitals, police stations. They could assist the police and firemen. Scout pace enables them to cover distance quickly on foot when there are no conveyances. With knife, hatchet and cooking kits they would help to shelter and feed persons temporarily homeless. First-class Scouts can swim. That would insure the stretching of the first string of the needed bridge for the rescue of persons in danger of drowning. Long hikes with careful observations, written reports and map-making have prepared them to gather important information. Practical nature study has taught them the uses of the trees, plants and vegetables. Their training of other boys in the tenderfoot requirements has made them teachers and they would multiply the results of their own efficiency by imparting it to others.

PALM SUNDAY MEMORIAM AT HIPPODROME

A committee of prominent New Yorkers arranged with Charles Dillingham yesterday for the use of the Hippodrome on Palm Sunday night, April 1st, for an Oratorio in momoriam of the dead soldiers of all nations. Berlioz's Requiem will be sung by the Scranton Oratorio Society of 300 soloists, which body will be brought to New York by special train for this occasion. The orchestra of 150 musicians will be conducted by Edgar Varese.

DISCUSS LIABILITY ON BONDS

Berkeley Heights, March 5.—Alleged liability of the New Providence Township Committee for bonds of the defunct West Line Railroad, now operated as the Passaic and Delaware branch of the Lackawanna, has again been called to the committee's attention in a letter from McCarter & English of Newark, counsel for the bondholders. The subject was discussed in executive session and the committee declined to disclose the action taken.

The township committee is said to have guaranteed the bonds of the railroad, but it has repeatedly refused to pay the bondholders.

PRINTERS TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of Plainfield Typographical Union No. 399, will be held this evening in Trades Council Hall, West Front street.

Additions to Church Membership

The additions to the membership of the various churches yesterday, as reported, were: Congregational, 17; First Baptist, 10; Trinity Reformed, 13; First Methodist, 6; First Presbyterian, 2; Crescent Avenue Presbyterian, 1.

POSTMASTER MAKES TIMELY SUGGESTIONS

Explains How Loss of Parcel Post Packages Can Be Avoided

Postmaster A. E. Hoagland suggests that persons sending parcel post packages place a card or paper bearing name and address of the sender and addressee, plainly written in every parcel, in case the address or wrapping is lost. This will enable the postmaster to find the owner in case of necessity. Absolutely no other writing is permitted.

A suit case arrived at the local postoffice in January without any address. On investigation a calendar from New York State was found inside and an inquiry disclosed the fact that the postmaster in the town indicated by the calendar had been asked about the case. The party was written to, and after an elapse of six weeks the owner secured his property. In the New York postoffice a room the size of the local office is reserved for the storage of lost parcels and many clerks are employed trying to locate owners. Where the owners are not found the parcels are sold at auction.

Mr. Hoagland also advises that all valuable parcels be insured. Three cents will provide for $5 insurance, five cents for $25, ten cents for $50, and twenty-five cents for $100. In case of damage reasonable payment will be made, the collection of insurance being easy through making an affidavit. It is also urged that no money be sent in special delivery letters. In such cases it is advised that letters be registered or that a check or money order be sent.

MISS IRENE MILLER GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Irene F. Miller, of 21 Fairview avenue, the borough, was given a pleasant birthday surprise at her home, Saturday evening, when guests to the number of fifty called to help her celebrate the event. Dancing and games were the features of the evening. Randolph Post, of Jersey City, sang solos, accompanied on the piano by Miss Hazel Hoggs.

During the evening refreshments were served. There were guests present from Easton, Jersey City, Newark, Westfield, Bound Brook and Plainfield.

GERMANS STORM RUSSIAN POSITIONS

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin, March 5.—German attacks stormed Russian positions, nearly two miles wide and about a mile deep, east of Lutsk fortress, and returned with 122 prisoners and four machine guns, after destroying Russian dugouts. It was officially announced today.

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One hears so much just now about the fireless cooker, that the useful casserole seems almost forgotten. This seems rather a pity, for while admitting the many virtues of the cooker, food never seems to taste quite so good, or present such an attractive appearance, as when daintily garnished and served, piping hot, out of one of these homely dishes.

The old idea of a casserole was some preparation of chopped fish, *poultry or meat, enveloped in a crust* of cooked rice, macaroni or potato. Properly speaking, however, a casserole is a dish, the material of which, in many instances, is first prepared in a sauté or frying-pan, and then transferred to the earthenware pan, covered with stock or sauce and allowed to finish cooking by a long, slow process, which developed the true flavors of the food.

The use of this dish makes in every way for economy—economy of material, time and labor. Often, by this means, materials too tough for ordinary cooking may be served in a nutritious and tender condition.

Food prepared by this method of cooking may be either cooked in a moderate oven or over the simmerer burner of the gas range. The idea is to keep the liquor in the casserole about 212 degrees Fahrenheit, or *less, so that it may simmer and not* boil.

It is also well to remember that, perhaps, the crowning advantage of casserole cookery, especially in a family where the meals are apt to be irregular, is that the dish can be kept waiting for a considerable time without deterioration and that food can be left in it with perfect safety as long as desired.

In the following tested recipes *will be found formulas for using the* casserole to the best advantage:

Fish Soup

Skin and fillet one pound of haddock or flounder. Put the fish bones, skin and other fish trimmings into casserole with 2 quarts of stock and salt to taste, bring to the boil and skim. Then add a bay leaf, one large sliced onion and two stalks of chopped celery, cover the casserole and *simmer for one hour and a half.* Strain the liquor, add one cupful of milk and pour gradually on to one heaping tablespoonful of melted butter, that has been blended with two tablespoonfuls of flour. Stir constantly over a moderate heat until very smooth and cook for four minutes. Add the small pieces of fish, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, pepper to taste and cook (covered) for twenty minutes longer. Serve with tiny toast squares in the casserole.

Hungarian Goulash

Slice one large onion and brown it in hot beef dripping. Then remove the onion, add one pound of stewing veal and half a pound of lean beef (cut in small pieces) and brown them evenly in the remaining dripping. Place both the meat and onion in a casserole and add three *cupfuls of boiling water and one tea*spoonful of paprika. After covering the dish, set in a moderate oven and simmer for one hour and a half. Meanwhile, fry twelve small potato balls, six tiny white onions and half a dozen each of carrot and turnip balls (cut these with a vegetable cutter). Then add them to the meat, at the end of the hour and a half, with one teaspoonful of salt, a bay leaf, one clove and two heaping tablespoonfuls of flour mixed to a paste with three-quarters of a cupful of cold water. Stir the gravy until well-thickened, put on the cover and cook for an hour longer.

Pork Chops en Casserole

Cut up two large onions, mix with one tablespoonful of powdered sage and place in a layer in the bottom of a buttered casserole. Mix together one heaping tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of pepper and one teaspoonful of curry powder. Coat six pork chops (of medium size) with this mixture, lay them on top of the onion and sage, cover with hot water and simmer (closely covered) for two hours. Season the gravy with a teaspoonful each of kitchen bouquet and Worcestershire sauce and serve with spiced, baked apples.

Baked Beef Liver

Cut beef liver into slices, wash, pour over boiling water to cover and let stand for five minutes. Then drain, dry and sprinkle with pepper and salt. Lay the slices neatly into a buttered casserole and cover with a forcemeat made from three heaping tablespoonfuls of grated bread crumbs, one teaspoonful of chopped parsley, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of powdered herbs and one minced onion. Season the dressing lightly with a salt and pepper, pour over one cupful of rich brown sauce and lay slices of bacon across the top. Bake slowly for one hour, after it reaches the boiling point.

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THE KING'S PLAIN DAUGHTERS—Part I

Once upon a time there lived a King who had three very plain-looking daughters, and try as he would to get husbands for them, as soon as the wooer saw the face of the Princess he was to marry he fled from the palace. At last the King in desperation offered to divide his kingdom between three Princes who would marry his three daughters.

One day there came to the palace a King who had lost all his money and lands in wars and was very poor. "I have three sons," he said, "who will marry your three daughters upon one condition, and that is that neither of your daughters shall ask to see her husband until after the ceremony."

The King was only too glad to grant this request, as he knew that was the only way he would ever get his daughters married off.

"His sons must be as plain-looking as my daughters," thought the rich King. "Well, it will be a fair bargain; the sons cannot be plainer-looking than my poor girls."

The day for the triple wedding arrived, and the daughters were dressed in rich silken robes with beautifully embroidered veils over their plain faces.

"Where are our bridegrooms?" they asked, for only the poor King was present.

"You were not to ask to see your husbands until after the ceremony," answered the poor King.

"Your future husbands are behind this screen," he said, pointing to a large screen in one corner of the room.

They did not dare question too much, for they knew they were lucky to get husbands. So the ceremony was performed and then the sisters asked to see their husbands.

They drew aside their veils and the father of the three Princes drew aside the screen.

The Princess sisters forgot their own plain looks when they beheld their husbands.

Instead of three men there stood before them three hunchbacked dwarfs with faces wrinkled and old.

"Never, never will we live with such creatures!" cried the three sisters. "Rather will we die old maids than have those dreadful-looking creatures for our husbands."

But they were married to the dwarfs and there was no help for them; they had to take their husbands, and the dwarfs lived at the palace, following their wives about like three dogs everywhere they went.

One day the Princess sisters rode into the forest trying to get away for a little while from their hideous husbands, but no sooner were they on their way than a clatter of hoofs was heard behind them and there were the three dwarfs on horseback following them.

"Let them come," said one sister;

"we will take them into the forest and lose them. Ride fast, sisters."

The faster the sisters rode the faster the three dwarfs trotted after them, and soon they were in the depths of the forest and the sisters found they could not find the way back.

"Do not be frightened," said the dwarfs, "we will care for you."

The sisters laughed at them and said: "Take care of us, you miserable little creatures? You are too small to even care for yourselves. If a wild animal comes this way we will have to take care of you, though we should feel more like leaving you than saving you."

The three dwarfs did not reply, but they went to work to build three beds of boughs for their wives, and then they gathered berries for their supper.

"You must sleep," the dwarfs told the sisters, "while we watch for the enemy."

The sisters were so tired that the kindness of their husbands softened their hearts a little, but they could not refrain from asking how they expected to fight an enemy if one should appear.

"He will come," answered the brothers, "and then you shall see how we will protect you."

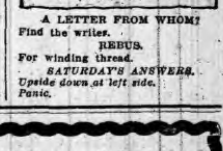
Tomorrow I will tell you what happened.

Tomorrow's story—"The King's Plain Daughters."—Part II.

BRIGHTSIDE CIRCLE TO
HOLD SPECIAL MEETING

There will be an important and special meeting of Brightside Circle of The King's Daughters on Wednesday, March 7, at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. H. Good, 1208 Cameron avenue. Members are requested to note the change of date as this meeting was originally called for March 14.

HIDDEN PUZZLE



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OLCOTT TOMORROW NIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

The Irish romantic actor, Chauncey Olcott, in "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at the Plainfield Theatre tomorrow night

Bringing the real spirit of Ireland in his personality, Chauncey Olcott will present "The Heart of Paddy Whack," at the Plainfield Theatre tomorrow night with all its delicious atmosphere of quaint scenes and characters. So natural is the portrayal of the life in the picturesque little Irish village that the audience seems transported back to the middle of the last century and landed among the heather-clad hills and soft green valleys of the Emerald Isle.

Mr. Olcott plays the role of an Irish barrister, who lives with an old housekeeper in a lonely cottage while he toils for the benefit of ward, whom he has not seen since she was a child, and who returns as the story opens. How she plays havoc with the heart of poor Dennis and upsets all his notions of duty is part of the romance that is unfolded in the play. Some of the best known of the Olcott song hits are introduced in the performance and sung as only Chauncey Olcott can sing them. Among the numbers are "A Broth of a Boy," "Irish Eyes of Love," "Who Knows?" and "A Little Bit of Heaven."

"GOLDEN CROOK" TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

The "Golden Crook" comes to the Plainfield Theatre tonight, with Billy Arlington as the comedian. His creation of the tramp is conceded to be a comedy classic, made so by his intelligently conceived and artistic exploitation of the type.

With Mr. Arlington are such well known favorites as Frank Dobson, Dolly Meeden, Eleanor Cockran, Pall Mall Trio. There will also be a big dancing scene introducing for the first time on the American stage, Hito and Roflow.

The scenic production is unusually elaborate, while the chorus fascinating attractive, will delight as of yore with its color and charm.

HOWE'S MOVING PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Lyman Howe's moving pictures will be shown at the Plainfield Theatre Friday night and Saturday afternoon and night of this week.

Notwithstanding the enormous outlay Mr. Howe has incurred to present his remarkable films to his patrons, the prices will remain the same as always, although one feature in itself is worth many times the small admission fee. Besides, by way of extraordinary value, there will be a most pleasing diversity of other subjects, including spectacular automobile races over the steep and winding course of Giant's Despair, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., as well as a liberal measure of quaint humor and merry-making provided by Howe's exclusive "comics," which are cleverly interspersed throughout the program.

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N. J. CONFERENCE BEGINS TOMORROW

Will Open Campaign to Raise $15,000,000 to Pension Aged Ministers

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 5.—Featured by an active campaign in behalf of the movement to provide a $15,000,000 fund to pension old ministers and their dependents, an attack by some of its members upon the course of study for students preparing to enter ministry of the church, and other questions of vital interest to Methodism, the eighty-first annual session of the New Jersey conference will open, next Tuesday evening in the First Methodist church, Atlantic City. Bishop Joseph F. Berry, of Philadelphia, the resident Bishop of the Philadelphia area, to which the New Jersey conference belongs, will preside. The Rev. George T. Hanris, formerly of Trenton, is pastor of the church which will entertain the conference.

It is expected that the question of the union of the Methodist Episcopal church, which includes the denomination north of Mason and Dixon's line and all through the West, and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be taken up and endorsed. The split occurred over the slavery question, and in recent years reunion has been proposed. The matter took definite shape at the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Saratoga last May, when delegates were present from the Southern church and there was a great demonstration when Northern and Southern bishops, who formerly differed, joined hands on the question. The preliminary steps have already been taken by a commission appointed at Saratoga, and following the endorsement of local conferences it is expected that the reunion will actually be effected by the time of the next general conference in 1920.

The New Jersey conference includes all of New Jersey south of the Raritan river. It includes 347 churches, a membership of over 69,000, property worth more than $5,000,000, 357 Sunday Schools, with 7,122 officers and more than 82,500 scholars; 11,000 members in the Senior Epworth Leagues and 10,000 members in the Junior Epworth leagues, besides many other interests.

CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "Good" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are tortured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they *know children love to take it; that* it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

SUFFRAGISTS OFFER SERVICES TO STATE

Approval of the action of the emergency board of the New Jersey State Suffrage Association in offering its services to the State in case of necessity as a result of the present international crisis, was endorsed by the executive board at a meeting held at the New Jersey headquarters in the State Trust Company building Friday.

There were forty-five of the sixty-one members of the executive board present and after disposing of some routine matters, a conference was held with the members of the Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield, among those present being Mrs. H. C. White, Mrs. C. L. Riley, Mrs. A. B. Jones, Mrs. G. Stuart Simons, Mrs. Henry Wells, Mrs. S. S. Carvalho and Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson. The local members entertained the executive board at luncheon before the afternoon conference.

RETIRES AFTER 42 YEARS.

Elmer Station Agent Goes on Penney Pension List.

Elmer, March 5.—Joseph M. Hitchner has been placed on the retired list by the Pennsylvania Railroad company after serving forty-two consecutive years as station agent here. Mr. Hitchner was appointed agent and telegraph operator in the latter part of 1874. The station was an unimportant one then, and the salary was only $35 a month. The town has since become one of the agricultural centres in south Jersey, and for several years the agent has had a big business to handle.

Overwork has undermined Mr. Hitchner's health and forced him to retire at the age of sixty-five, five years below the regular pension age limit. Mr. Hitchner has been a member of the council for several years and is also a director of the Elmer National bank.

WOMEN IN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Organizations Join Forces For United Uplift Effort.

Woodbury, March 5.—A county council has been organized in this city by delegates representing the School league, Parent Teachers' associations and other organized bodies of women in the Central Baptist church.

Mrs. A. H. Reeve, vice president of the state congress, explained the purpose of the council and what work is being done not only in this state, but in others. At the afternoon session D. F. Steelman, county superintendent of public schools, spoke of how the school organizations have wonderfully increased interest throughout the county in school work, and he said surely good *results will be attained through an*other organization.

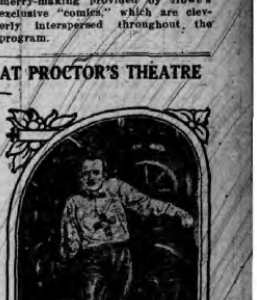
PLANS MASS MEETING

The Jewish Relief committee, of which William Newcorn is chairman, is planning for a mass meeting to be held here on March 27, in the interest of a $10,000 fund to be raised for the relief of the sufferers of the race in the European war.

MARIE DRESSLER TODAY AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE

At Proctor's Theatre today the program consists of Marie Dressler, in the comedy "Tillie Wakes Up"; "Heart Strings," starring Allen Holubar and Maude George, and Mrs. Vernon Castle in the eighth chapter of the serial "Patria."

Thomas H. Ince's inimitable spectacle "Civilization" will appear for a forewell presentation tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday. "Civilization" is something more than a mere movie, costing $1,000,000. "Civilization" is the Bible modernized, and shown on the screen sumptuously, even magnificently mounted, convincingly acted and perfectly photographed, a delight to the eye, a feast to the mind. Probably no other picture offered to the public possesses this attribute in so marked a degree.



At Proctor's Theatre tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday

NEWARK AMUSEMENTS

At the Broad Street Theatre

"Captain Kidd, Jr.," the great comedy success which Cohan and Harris will present at the Broad Street Theatre, Newark, all this week, is accounted one of the season's greatest hits in New York.

Perhaps it is the humaness of this charming play that makes it so attractive, or perhaps it is the lively action and rollicking fun of its four acts that find an appeal, or it may be that the characters in the play are so lovable that they find a responsive chord in the hearts of an audience.

Whatever it is, the fact remains that it appeals to all ages alike. The young man with his best girl, the young woman, all by her lonely, who has no young man; the high school maiden; the middle aged couple; the buyers from the cloak and suit houses, all find that "Captain Kidd, Jr.," teaches a lesson in laughter and philosophy in which there is not a dull moment.

Newark is to get the original cast and production direct from Broadway. Among the people of the play are Edith Taliaferro, Zelda Sears, Adele Rolland, Otto Kruger, Ernest Stallard, Charles Brown, Charles Dow Clark, Elmer Grandin, Edward Snader, Lincoln Plumer, Westcott B. Clark and Alf de Courcey.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 5.

German sea raider Moewe, after months of cruising in South African waters, during which she captured the British ship Appam and sank fifteen allied merchantmen, reached home port laden with prisoners and gold.

Three German Zeppelin airships made a night raid over eight counties on the east coast of England.

Colonel Edward M. House, president Wilson's "unofficial personal representative," returned to the United States after a ten weeks' visit to England, France and Germany.

Two Years Ago Today.

British ships bombarded Turkish forts in the Dardanelles.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1917.

WILSON'S INAUGURAL

Yesterday Woodrow Wilson, the twenty-eighth President of the United States, took the oath of office for a second term of four years, having been elected last fall by the greatest popular majority ever given a candidate for that office. Not since the inauguration of Abraham Lincoln in 1861 has the nation been confronted by conditions so ominous as they are today. Lincoln became President with the clouds of rebellion hovering over the land, and soon after his induction into office the struggle occurred that culminated in the triumph of Government dedicated to the proposition that men are born equal, and entitled to liberty and happiness. Today America looks on the bloody struggle across the Atlantic knowing not when she, too, may be forced from her position of neutrality to one of belligerency through the avowed determination of one of the warring nations to rule the world or ruin it. Shall that nation accomplish its purpose? The spirit of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln cry out in protest against such a suggestion, while those who fought and died at Bunker Hill, Trenton, Monmouth, Bull Run and Gettysburg, teach the citizens of today that democratic government was born, sustained and brought to its present development, through sacrifice and vigilance. Woodrow Wilson assumes the Presidency burdened with official cares and responsibilities that are overwhelming, and surrounded by Congressional representatives who fail to realize that their duty to the American people should be above political expediency, or personal advantage. Those who represent in Congress constituencies where the majority is more in sympathy with foreign nations than it is with this nation which give them a haven of safety and an opportunity to progress as they could never have progressed in the land of their nativity, would do well to put their ears to the ground and listen to the rumblings beneath the surface. If they find that they cannot do their duty, they should immediately abandon their post of honor before dishonoring it, because they do not represent the spirit of America and should have no place in the councils of the nation. The attitude of those Senators who yesterday defeated the ship-arming bill and the naval appropriations bill could have done nothing more encouraging to the enemies of this nation. If they can find consolation in their acts let them do so, but let American citizens throughout the land beware of those who give aid and comfort to our foes under the flimsy pretense that the President asked for powers of a dictator. All that President Wilson desires is that the dignity and honor of the American nation may be upheld, and that our citizens shall enjoy their legitimate rights as guaranteed by international law. The time has come when all Americans should get behind the head of the nation—when they should give him their moral support in his efforts to do the right thing at the right time, just as the people of this city did last Tuesday night when an inspiring patriotic meeting was held in the high school.

This is not a time for political bickerings. It is a time to prepare for whatever emergency may present itself. As Wilson looks today on a troubled world and contemplates the recreancy of some who are sworn to uphold the rights and dignity of the American people, he should know that the country stands solidly behind him, and that the people are sometimes deceived in electing representatives who misrepresent.

PRESIDENT JUSTLY INCENSED

President Wilson is justly incensed over the filibustering on a minority of the Senate in its last hours which neutralized his best efforts to obtain authority to do just what the great American public wanted him to do, in the face of international complications which have threatened our national honor and dignity. Such filibustering, in the words of the President, "in the face of disaster have made our country helpless and contemptible." Unfortunately there are no rules governing the Senate to prevent one man from exercising dilatory tactics that will completely paralyze the legislative and executive branches of the government. The inability of the Senate to act in the last hours of its existence, have rendered impossible some of the most necessary legislation when the need was most pressing and most evident. President Wilson says he could call the Congress in special session, but it would be useless in the face of his failure to bring about the most needed legislation when it was in regular session. The nation and its representatives stand back of the President, but eleven men have defied the nation and carried out their defiance to their satisfaction. The President in expressing his disgust over their action says, "The Senate of the United States is the only legislative body in the world which cannot act when its majority is ready for action. A little group of wilful men representing no opinion but their own have rendered the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible."

INAUGURATION ON SUNDAY

Woodrow Wilson was sworn in yesterday noon for his second term as President of the United States. Only twice before in our national history has inauguration day, March 4, fallen on Sunday. The first time was in 1821, when James Monroe, the fourth President, was inaugurated, and the next time in 1877, when Rutherford B. Hayes, of Ohio, was inaugurated, having been declared elected over his Democratic opponent Samuel J. Tilden, of New York. If the President should not take the oath of office in March 4, because that date falls on Sunday, the nation would be without a President for time being, but the responsibility of the office would devolve upon the Secretary of State, and from him in the following succession among the members of the Cabinet, Secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of War, Attorney-General, Secretary of the Navy, and Secretary of the Interior. This provision was made by the Forty-ninth Congress, for any contingency that might arise in case of the death, disability or removal of the President.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The fighting powers occasionally take the trouble to sink a ship that doesn't have any women and children on it.

In case of war, the big metropolitan papers are all equipped to let the enemy know all movements of troops before they take place.

Having declared war against the whole earth, it is expected that Germany will later prepare to do up the sun, moon, and stars.

The Germans should look out, for if they come over here they'll have to listen to Mr. Bryan talk.

Brazil, Argentina, Norway, and other neutrals pop their heads out from the depths of their holes for a brief moment, to remark that they will give us their moral support.

In view of the war situation a number of towns have patriotically given up the campaign for marble post offices as it might hurt their chances for a munition plant.

Bicycles will be more popular this summer, it is predicted. This may not be because it will be less work to propel them, but perhaps some one has designed a prettier bicycle skirt.

As long as the German submarines are permitted to operate, the best efforts of our farmers are being devoted to feeding the fishes.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Defense of Merchant Vessels

In Wednesday's paper, under the caption "Who Can Answer This?" was an inquiry on the status of armed merchant vessels and submarines. May I offer a reply?

No international tribunal has yet passed upon submarine methods of attack. But international law is meant to maintain order in the family of nations, advance civilization and insure the peace and tranquility of the world. As our municipal law is meant to do within the State. It is founded upon the same eternal certitudes of right and equity. It is not conceivable, therefore, that the law of, cruiser warfare will be changed by the presence of the new form of craft it may be opposed to. If it is under a neutral flag the cruiser may stop it and send a small party aboard to search for contraband goods, just as a constable, armed with a search warrant may search a house for stolen property.

If contraband goods are found on the vessel possession may be taken of it. All vessels captured, whether enemy, or contraband, carrying neutrals, must be taken to the nearest port in the country of the captors, where the admiralty court will pass upon the legality of the capture.

There are exceptional cases in which the law of nations permits the captors to destroy the vessel at sea. But no lives may be taken or endangered. And in every case before destroying it, the captors must remove all persons on board to a place which, in lieu of the vessel, must be turned into the admiralty court for its adjudication upon the legality of the destruction.

Merchant vessels are not permitted to attack a naval vessel. To do so is tantamount to piracy, but if attacked, they may fight, and even sink their opponents in self-defence. Applying this law to the facts, the questions asked will almost answer themselves.

In February, 1915, Germany notified the world that all commercial vessels of the Allies would be sunk without warning. In pursuance of this, she sent down as many neutral as belligerent vessels. In May, 1916, the United States exacted from her a promise to sink no more without warning, and insuring the safety of passengers and crews.

January 31, 1917, Germany notified the United States that she repudiated that promise, and after a certain date would sink all vessels, whether under Allied or neutral flags. Secretary Lansing subsequently further emphasized this by saying: "From this date no special warning will be given to any boats by submarines." The idea of "secret instructions" is negatived by these positive notices from the German Government.

As to when a merchant vessel may fire upon a submarine. There are some expounders of international law who hold that it must wait until actually fired upon. But for a vessel to wait until the submarine has maneuvered to within the short range necessary for a torpedo, and then fire, is to make its own destruction certain. The law of self-defense admits of no such absurdity.

There stands the positive notice of the German Government that its submarines will sink every vessel within certain areas. It has placed submarines in those zones where they now lurk. Since the time of that notice of January 31, they have sunk 219 vessels of a total tonnage of 479,000, or about one and one-half per cent. of the world's available shipping. What more is needed to prove an intent to sink every vessel coming within their range? This is an attack, which may legally be repelled by force.

The question, "Will it justify Germany in declaring war?" The answer is No. Beyond shadow of doubt the first crack of a gun against her submarines will be followed by a declaration of war by Germany. But she will be in the position of the man who sought to justify the murder of another because after he had attacked his victim with a deadly weapon the other man sought to defend himself. The verdict of mankind will not "justify" Germany, because she is already outside the pale of the law.

D. C. HARROWER.
Plainfield, N. J., March 3, 1917.

ANSWERS TO INQUIRERS

To the Editor Courier-News:

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C. K.
Plainfield, N. J., March 2, 1917.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF FILING OF CONSENT BY STOCKHOLDERS TO DISSOLUTION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record now remaining in this office, voluntary dissolution thereof deposited in my office, that the

U. S. METAL AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 171 North Avenue in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey, Frederick Martin being the agent thereof, and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served, has complied with the requirements of law preliminary to issuing certificates (Revision of 1896) authorizing the issuing of this Certificate that such consent has been filed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THOMAS F. MARTIN, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of the corporation, executed by more than two-thirds in interest of the stockholders thereof, which said certificate and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this Twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(Signed) THOMAS F. MARTIN,
(Seal) Secretary of State.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of John Fushnell, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

SUSAN F. BUSHNELL,
BENJAMIN BUSHNELL,
THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.
Executors.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph J. Aalholm, Deceased.

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THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.
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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, sole surviving executor of said trustee under the will of Isaac Lederer, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the third day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

MARTIN MANTZ.

ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
2—26 3—5-12-19-26 Fees, $4.29

HOBLITZELL—PARSONS

Rahway, March 5.—Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons, of Sarnia, Ont., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Irene Lillian Parsons and Fred G. Hoblitzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoblitzell, of 148 Jacques avenue, this city.

MERCHANTS TO DISCUSS SUMMER CLOSING PLAN

The question of summer closing of stores will be discussed at the meeting of the Business Men's Association in Exempt Firemen's Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. The merchants hope to arrive at some satisfactory arrangement in making a schedule for the summer months.

J. D. Lolreaux and Samuel Rothberg will have something to say on subject of "Shopping in Plainfield," and there will be reports of committee on credits and kindred subjects, including the "high cost of living; its negligent and fallacious treatment by politicians." Every member of the association is urged to be present.

P. H. S. MAY REVIVE CADET ORGANIZATION

There is some talk of reviving the cadet corps at the Plainfield high school, this being one of the results of the patriotic meeting held in this city tomorrow night. A few years ago the school had an efficient and well-drilled corps and it is believed that such an organization can again be maintained.

The fact that former President Taft while in this city urged universal training for boys has had much to do with the revival of the old spirit to organize a corps. No doubt a preliminary meeting will be held soon.

OFFERS DRUG STORES AS RECRUITING STATIONS

Special to Courier-News.

Washington, March 5.—Senator Weeks has submitted to the secretary of War a letter of Louis Leggett, of Boston, president of the United Drug Co., offering the Government the free use of the company's 7,000 drug stores throughout the United States as recruiting stations in the present emergency. Urging the secretary to accept this proffer Senator Weeks pointed out that the Liggett stores are established in 5,265 cities and towns in practically every community of over 1,000 persons.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS MAGAZINE

New Brunswick, March 5.—Progress, the monthly publication of the Middlesex county vocational schools, appears in its third number, that for February. The magazine, which is printed by the boys of School No. 1, in this city, is unusually attractive typographically, and contains much readable matter.

An informing article on the manufacture of paper is contributed by Willard A. Vroom. The reports from the various school shops at New Brunswick and Perth Amboy give interesting details as to vocational work.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETE FOR HEBREW LADIES' NIGHT

Arrangements are complete for the card party and dance to be given by the Hebrew Ladies' Benevolent Society tomorrow night. Handsome presents will be awarded to those who show the greatest proficiency at cards. An orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Judging from the number of tickets sold the affair will be a big success.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Margaret M. Depew, wife and Henry Depew, complainant, and William T. Kirk and Lucy Steele Kirk, his wife, and Robert A. Parker et al., defendants. By virtue of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All that tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, which is bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point in the middle of East Fourth Street, distant 10 A North Easterly course one hundred and forty-seven and forty-one hundredths (147.41) feet from the intersection of said East Fourth Street and corner of land of Bateman Thatcher; thence running along said land, the following courses and distances, to wit: North eighty-nine degrees forty-five minutes East (N. 89° 45' E.) one hundred and seventy-four and eleven hundredths (174.11) feet to a stake and corner; thence still along said land, South one degree fifteen minutes East (S. 1° 15' E.) one hundred and seventy-six and forty-one hundredths (176.41) feet to a stake in the middle of said East Fourth Street; thence running along the middle of said East Fourth Street in a South Westerly course forty-five feet to the place of Beginning.

GEORGE C. OTTO, Sheriff.
HAROLD DEPEW, Sol'r.
2-26 3-5-12-19 EDJ&PCN Fees $14.36

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Union County Savings Bank, complainant, and William T. Kirk, et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All that tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the city of Plainfield in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, beginning at a stake at the intersection of the center line of Grant Avenue and Pemberton Avenue, and running thence Westerly, in the middle of Pemberton Avenue, two hundred and fifty-four (254) feet and three inches to a stake; thence Northerly, parallel with Stillman and Fish; thence northerly, along said line, one hundred and eighty (180) feet to a stake; thence easterly and parallel with Pemberton Avenue, two hundred and fifty-four (254) feet and three (3) inches to a stake in the center of Grant Avenue; thence along the middle of Grant Avenue southerly one hundred and eighty (180) feet to the place of beginning. Being the same as conveyed to the said Mary S. Stillman by deed of Isaac Lederer and wife, dated August 4th, 1875, and recorded in Union County, page 526; and by the said Executors of the Estate of said Mary S. Stillman, deceased, to the said William T. Kirk by deed bearing date the second day of June, 1904, and recorded in Book 459 of Deeds on pages 506, etc. Being also the same premises as lies in the center line of Pemberton Avenue (as extended) two hundred and fifty-four (254) feet and three (3) inches to property of Charles H. Mailler; thence northerly two hundred and eighty-three (283) feet and six (6) inches to the center of Sherman Avenue; thence Northeasterly three hundred and seventeen (317) feet and eight (8) inches to the center of Grant Avenue; thence easterly along the center line of Sherman Avenue to the Center of Grant Avenue; thence still along the center of Grant Avenue southerly four hundred and seventy-seven and nine-tenths (477.9) feet to the place of Beginning. Being the same land and premises conveyed to said William T. Kirk by deed of Mary S. Myers, et als, bearing date January 24, 1906, and recorded in the Union County Register's Office in Book 459 of Deeds, Pages 502.

GEORGE C. OTTO, Sheriff.
N. R. LEAVELT, Sol'r.
2—5-4tm EDJ&PCN Fees $21.76

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, administrator of Charles Milliken, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the fourth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

CHARLES P. DEBELL,
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Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment, you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.—Adv.

A TALK to COAL BUYERS

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If we are not already serving you, would it not be wise to become one of our regular customers, and thus place your coal burden on responsible shoulders?

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Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches or dizziness. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin helps to neutralize the excessive acid in the stomach which is causing the food fermentation and preventnig proper digestion.

Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually keep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home.—Adv.

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RECREATION NOTES; WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday Afternoon

Guild of Play, Bryant school:
Athletic games, Jefferson school.

Monday Evening

West End Boys' Club, High school.
International Motor Co. Band, High school.
Girls' Recreation Club, Washington school.
Boy Scout Troop, Stillman school.
Game room, Washington school.

Tuesday Afternoon

Guild of Play, Bryant school.
Athletic games, Washington school.

Tuesday Evening

Athenians, High school.
Zephyrs, High school.
Boy Scout Troop No. 7, High school.
Boy Scout Troop No. 17, Washington school.
Dressmaking class, Washington school.
Dancing class, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

Wednesday Afternoon

Athletic games, Evergreen school.
Guild of play, Washington school.

Wednesday Evening

Alumni Men's Club vs. Y. M. C. A. (basket ball), High school.
West End Boys' Club (basket ball game), High school.
P. E. G. S. (basket ball game), High school.

Thursday Afternoon

Athletic games, Franklin school.
Athletic games, Bryant school.
Guild of Play, Irving school.
Piano class, Whittier school.

Thursday Evening

Boy Scout Troops, Lincoln school.

Friday Afternoon

Guild of Play, Stillman school.
Athletic games, Irving school.

Friday Evening

Ladies' public swimming class, High school pool.
Night school men's gym class, High school.
Recreation Five, 1st and 2nd teams, High school.
International Motor Co. Band, Washington school.
Dunbar dance, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

Saturday Morning

Athletic games, Bryant school.

Saturday Evening

Municipal dance, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Mrs. Edgar Williams, of this city, representing the Federation of Women's Missionary Societies, will be the special speaker at the Bible Class supper to be held at the Y. W. C. A. tonight.

The "gym" club will meet Thursday night, when Miss Winifred Mann, in charge of the physical department of the association, will speak on "Dress for Women from a Hygienic Viewpoint."

TO BUILD $250,000 SCHOOL

New Brunswick, March 5.—The Board of Education has decided to erect a new junior high school building at a cost of $250,000. The building is to be erected on the site of the old Livingston High School, and will be used for seventh and eighth grade pupils, some of whom are now taught in the new high school building because of lack of room.

NO BAIL FOR STONE THROWER

Elizabeth, March 5.—Charged with atrocious assault and battery, Tony Migliori was held without bail for the grand jury by Judge Mahon Saturday morning. Migliori, it is alleged, struck and seriously injured Edward Kwiatek, a four-year-old boy, with a stone. The boy is in St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

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TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

TWO LARGE connecting rooms; with private bath; also other rooms. 120 Crescent avenue. 2-5-1m

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Up-to-date meeting room, steam heated; also office, 206 West Front street. Inquire Bernstein Outfitting Co. 3-2-tf

CORNER STORE with fixtures for stationery and confectionery at 1400 West Front street, $20 month; size 16x30. Inquire Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

STENOGRAPHER wishes position; well educated; beginner; salary reasonable. "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-2-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 33 Somerset street, Plainfield. 8-15-tf

WANTED—Man, experienced, for a Ford delivery; cash security required. Kornfeld's Bakery. 2-28-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 34-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 65, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—Strong boy, not under 15, to help in kitchen and make himself generally useful. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-5-2t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow, etc.; a good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

CARPENTER wanted to build and finish rooms in house; $18 per week; 4 or 5 weeks' work. Twin Falls Mills, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-3-3t

WANTED — Salesman who can make good in our line; ability to sell the only essential; remuneration very good. Call after 5 p. m. or before 10 a. m. 172 East Front street. 3-2-3t

DRIVER—Route man, strong, sober; steady work; reference required; married man preferred. American Express Co.

WANTED—Good, live collector; must have good references as to honesty. Call after 6 p. m. or before 10 a. m., 172 East Front street, Room for Mr. Woodey. 3-5-3t

WANTED—Useful man not afraid of work; week's work consists of 5½ days; good pay; reference required. Address "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-5t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 3-2-1m

WANTED — First-class bookkeeper; must have best of references. Apply by letter Box H, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Upholsterer to go out by the day. Address "Upholsterer," care Courier-News. 2-26-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—For April 1st, three or four rooms for light housekeeping, all or part improvements; best references. Address P. O. Box 620, Plainfield. 2-19-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

LIST your properties with me for April and May rentals at once. John H. Doane, 149 North avenue. 3-2-3t

WANTED—House, six or seven rooms, all improvements, available May first, for small family adults. Address "M. C. R.," care Courier-News. 3-2-3t

ELDERLY COUPLE desire 4 or 5 unfurnished rooms, rear yard privileges, rent under $15, near New and Front streets. "R. G.," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

WANTED—Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good location and reasonable. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

A MIDDLE-AGED English speaking lady wants one or two rooms in or close to center of Dunellen. Address P. O. Box 513, Dunellen, N. J. 3-3-3t

WANTED TO RENT — House, about 7 rooms, near Plainfield station; rent not over $30. Address John Bormann, 1110 South avenue. 3-5-3t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; two in family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

WANTED—Small house or first floor flat, 5 or 6 rooms, improvements; rent not to exceed $25.00. Address "Box 600," care Courier-News. 2-20-12t

TO LET—FLATS

TO LET—Flats, 4 and 5 rooms, part improvements, at 5 Grove street. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 477-J. 3-3-2t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

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MURRAY'S auction room, storage and curiosity shop, 326-328 West Front street. Here you can find most anything imaginable to buy. We always carry a large stock to select from, in small or large lots, the contents of dwellings, and pay cash. We also sell on commission if desired. Watch for big auction sale this space next week. Robert Murray, auctioneer. 3-3-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

GRAFLEX CAMERA, 4x5, with developing, printing and enlarging outfit, new, cost $140, sell $70. 612 West Front street. 2-23-tf

PARLOR, bed-room furniture, rugs, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Successful incubator, 60-egg, hot water, gas or lamp attachment. 118 Elmwood place.

COOKING RANGE for sale, cheap; also gas range. 37 De Kalb avenue. 3-5-3t

HORSE, runabout and harness for sale; horse always driven by lady; cheap to right party. Box 123, care Courier-News. 3-5-3t

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order, no use for same, $50 cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-1m

JERSEY family cow, very rich milker; heifer, and 150 White Leghorn hens; lot of second-hand lumber and sash for sale cheap. S. H. Arens, 1061, Rahway road. Tel. 1633-M. 3-5-3t

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FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Schoen, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sherpson dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE — Peerless Houdan setting eggs, from Blue Ribbon Winners, $1.00. 28 Stone street. 3-2-6t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, half Jersey and half Guernsey; will sell cheap. Box 61-F, Bound Brook, R. F. D. No. 1. 3-3-3t

FOR SALE—Gas stove and hot water heater, also other household effects. Call 744 Carlton avenue. 'Phone 1691-J. 3-2-3t

FRESH EGGS, delivered, 50c dozen; also delicious oranges and grape fruit by the box, reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-2-3t

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Boynton Newport range with water back. 28 Stone street. 3-2-3t

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE—Leghorn eggs, $6 a hundred, $1 per setting; Young strain. P. Holland, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-5-5t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762. Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 2-5-1m

HEAVY and light horses for sale, also wagons and harness; price right to quick buyer. L. C. Whitall, 208 Park avenue. 2-26-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-17-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 2-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools; blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

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JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also Eagle and bicycles, cash or installment. Hartsford Cycle Co., 845 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

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For new 6-room house on plot 40x150, improvements, near school and stores, 4 blocks to station; 1 block to trolley, near factories. "Builder 102," care Courier-News. 2-28-w,fr-m-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE front room for rent; private family; business man preferred; reference required. 222 Somerset street. 3-3-3t

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping, reasonable; two minutes from post office. 371 Madison avenue. 3-3-2t

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FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family. 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 2-20-tf

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125-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, for sale; $15,000; will rent to responsible party one year for $1,000; good house, barns, silo and fertile land. Apply Owner, 560 Tremont avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2-2-1m

BUILDING LOTS, near Saurer's, 40x150 feet, $300 up; cash or installments. Farms, houses, acreage. Tinsman, 1431 West Front street. 3-3-2t

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FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-room house and bath; all improvements; good outbuildings; elegant shade; large variety fruit in quantity; main street, ten minutes walk from station; Plainfield. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed; 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—100 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 816 Watchung avenue. 10-3-tf-r

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TO LET—HOUSES

TO RENT—House, 6 rooms, all improvements. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-27-tf

DUNELLEN—Brick house, six rooms and bath, electric and gas lights, furnace, ranges, concrete walks and cellars; all improvements; rent $20.00. Apply W. S. Freeman, 706 Front street. 3-3-tf

TO LET—6 rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Madison place. Jacob Sachar, 617 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

EXPERIENCED man wishes position on farm; good references; small family. Address 215 Monroe avenue. 2-27-6t

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N." care Courier-News. 2-1-6t

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SOUTH PLAINFIELD BUNGALOW $3,900, 5 rooms, improvements; lot 50x100; easy terms. "Owner 103," care Courier-News. 2-28-w,f,m-tf

MUST SELL seven-room house, all improvements. 719 Essex street. 2-23-10t

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FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

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SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

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TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Five rooms and bath, Inquire T. Callahan & Son, 300 Richmond street. 2-28-tf

TO LET—Four rooms for light housekeeping, city water and gas, part of garden, rent $9.00. 42 Wilson avenue. 3-2-3t

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth, don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

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EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements, on trolley line, for small house; also two lots in Garwood, 50x150, for a small house. Inquire 1420 East Second street. 2-5-1m

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MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 11-

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

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MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-16-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. H. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-3-tf

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MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred R. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 2-22-tf

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WANTED—Operator, also floor girls; and few bright learners for sewing machine; steady work; good pay. Schiller Bros., 220 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 1-2-2m

WANTED—Nurse (white) for two children, ages seven and nine; references. Call Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday evenings, 1422 Madison avenue. 3-2-2t

WANTED—Milliner's apprentice. Mme. Louise, 309 Park avenue. 3-2-1t

STENOGRAPHERS' SPEED COURSE Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 3-2-1m

WANTED—Young or middle-aged woman as mother's helper and to assist with light housework. "Helper," care Courier-News. 3-3-2t

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Peterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-3t

OPERATORS WANTED on Singer sewing machines. Hecht Co., 318 West Front street. 3-5-3t

WANTED—General housewworker; no laundry; must have references. 'Phone 344. 3-5-2t

WANTED—White woman as cook and laundress; references. Apply 1345 Watchung avenue. 3-5-2t

GIRL for upstairs work, two hours daily; wages $18.00. Address "Pocket Money," care Courier-News. 3-5-1t

WANTED—Competent cook and laundress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 3-3-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; good wages; references required. Apply 718 Richmond street, or 'phone 1458-R. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 909 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1095-J. 3-5-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; reference required. Apply 502 West Seventh street. 3-3-tf

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Mill hands and girls for pneumatic work. Foley Finch Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-5-6t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—925 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1578. 1-26-tf

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TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

TO LET—$17.00, apartment, 7 rooms and bath, all improvements, block from Saurer's. Inquire 1031 Sherman avenue. 3-5-3t

HALF of two-family house with up and down stairs, 7 rooms, all improvements. 421 West Second street. 3-2-6t

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, near Saurer's and the Manganese Safe Works; all improvements except heat; $15. Apply C. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 'Phone 1599-J. 3-3-3t

TO LET—Three-room apartment, $5.00. Judge Smith, South Plainfield. 3-3-2t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-5-1m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-26-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Thursday, brindle bull pup (male), had dark leather collar studded. Reward if returned to 326 Second place. Telephone 278-W. 2-23-tf

LOST—White French poodle, Friday. Liberal reward if returned to A. C. Thompson, 730 Sherman avenue. 'Phone 2228-M. 3-3-tf

LOST—Christmas saving cards, Lillian Cortez and Dominic Dellcave. Kindly return to Plainfield Trust Co. 3-5-2t

LOST—White setter with black spots, male. Reward for return to W. S. Tyler, 1432 Evergreen avenue. 2-28-tf

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First Rehearsal for the "LAND OF MYSTERY"

Monday, March 5th, 8 P. M.

in Lodge Room.

All singers invited

Bowling Match at the Park Club Tuesday, March 6th

Bring the Ladies.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

CANDY THEFT STIRS SCHOOL

All but one of the high school youths who on Thursday night were suspended from school by the Board of Education for their alleged participation in the theft of a large quantity of candy, have been allowed to resume their studies. These students missed the Friday morning session, but were allowed to attend classes in the afternoon.

It was understood at first that the boys, of whom there were about seven, were suspended by the Board of Education Thursday night for a period of there months, but that on Friday morning the matter was referred to Prof. Allan K. Dilts, acting principal at the high school, who allowed all of the alleged wrongdoers to return to school with the exception of one.

Throughout the entire school term there has been much trouble and anxiety because there have been reports continuously that students had been missing some of the things which they would deposit in their lockers. In some instances the matter was brought to the attention of the Board of Education. The fact that hats, pairs of rubbers, muffs and other wearing apparel were being taken out of closed lockers has been disturbing the authorities at the school for some time.

When the candy theft was learned of and some of the students were thought to be connected with it, the board acted in a drastic way, but it was learned that the entire episode was looked upon by the alleged guilty ones as a joke. It is stated that the candy was taken from a locker which was entered by the aid of a skeleton key.

Manville Lad Killed by Train

While visiting with his uncle at Port Reading, George Benzer, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Benzer, of Port Reading, was killed by a train near the Port Reading crossing Thursday. The body was brought to the morgue and laid to rest Saturday in the new cemetery in this borough. Services were conducted in the Greek Catholic at Manville.

Rutgers Men Heard

John K. Powell and Melbourne S. Applegate, prominent members of the student body of Rutgers College, were the speakers at the meeting held for the boys and young men in the First Reformed church yesterday afternoon. These meetings are under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Council to Hear Suggestions Tonight

As a result of the tour of inspection made by the Board of Engineers of the local Fire Department, the Borough Council will tonight hear numerous suggestions for the improvement of the system here, it is expected. Recommendations for new equipment are likely to be made.

Joseph Galvin, foreman of the C. R. R. round house, is able to be about again after a two weeks' illness.

Eugene E. Mendels, of New York, was among the out-of-town visitors at the Elks' Club Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith and son were New York visitors yesterday.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The funeral of Oscar Tiger, twenty-seven years old, was held Saturday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Tiger, at Califon. Rev. Harry P. King, pastor of the Methodist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. M. L. Rhodes, a former pastor. Burial was at Fairmount. He died from blood poisoning. He was associated with his father in the milling business. He was a member of Stewart Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., and the Tewksbury Township Board of Education. Besides his parents he leaves his widow, who was Miss Elizabeth Hoffman, of Fairmount.

The final debate in the four school group debate contest will be pulled off at Hackettstown on Friday evening, March 16, by the debating team representing Hackettstown high school and High Bridge. These debates are under the auspices of Rutgers College and the banner offered will be awarded after the result of this debate is determined. The successful team will *have the privilege of challenging any* successful group team in the State for a debate in the chapel of Rutgers College.

The funeral of Philip S. Trimmer, seventy years old, was held yesterday afternoon in the Methodist Church at Califon. Rev. H. P. King, the pastor, officiated, and burial was in Lower Valley Union cemetery. Mr. Trimmer died from heart disease. He was a member of the Golden Eagles. He leaves a widow, son and daughter. He was a carpenter by trade.

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Moses Hummell at Hampton. Current Events will be discussed and Mae V. Nason will lead the meeting.

A three act comedy drama, "A Country Scout," was presented in Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night before a large audience by the Boy Scouts of Bloomsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vliet, of Bloomsbury expect soon to celebrate the golden anniversary of their wedding.

Mrs. Elias H. Skellinger, of Chester, is visiting in Morristown and Newark.

William Park will move from Mt. Grove to High Bridge this week.

NORTH BRANCH

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Stillwell will entertain the members of the North Branch Pinochle Club at a dinner at their residence near here Tuesday evening, March 13.

Mrs. C. A. Hill and Miss Alice Ray of Reading, Conn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bowman at South Branch.

Mrs. Francis A. Hoagland and daughter, Miss Caroline, of Neshanic, are visiting in Reading, Pa.

Miss Florence Ernest, of Neshanic, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sutton in Bound Brook.

A meeting of the Branchburg Township Committee will be held in Staats' Hall here tomorrow.

William Van Middlesworth and family will move from Newark to South Branch next week.

Mrs. William Toweland, of Neshanic, is visiting at Richmond Hill, Long Island.

WHITEHOUSE

A branch of the Dairymen's League has been organized at Lebanon by the farmers of that section, who own about 460 cows. Officers have been elected as follows: President, Frank H. Walsh; secretary, Gifford Hoffman; treasurer, John L. Shurts. Another meeting of the new organization will be held tomorrow night for receiving a number of new members.

Mrs. P. D. Reed and Mrs. Joseph Lewis have been appointed as the committee to arrange for a St. Patrick's Day sociable to be held in the East Whitehouse Methodist Church.

The Young People's Union of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church will meet tomorrow night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Stone.

Herbert Van Pelt has been elected a trustee and treasurer of the Readington Cemetery Association in the place of William T. Hageman, deceased.

Mrs. Peter S. LaTourette will entertain the Octave Reading Club on Saturday afternoon, March 15, at her residence at Whitehouse Station.

The Congregational prayer meeting of the Methodist Church at Centerville, will be held at the home of John H. Caddis, Wednesday night.

Rev. Irving P. Emerick, of Mt. Airy, will preach at both services in the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station Sunday next.

The Mission Band will repeat the play, "Much ado About Betty," in Bonnell's hall at Whitehouse Station Saturday night.

Stanton Grange, P. of H., will hold an oyster supper in Grange hall at Stanton, Wednesday night, followed by dancing.

Miss Marjorie Stryker, of Whitehouse Station, has been visiting Mrs. Samuel Apgar in Somerville.

Miss Amelia Vreeland, of New York, is spending a few days with Mrs. John A. Wade, near Potterstown.

Miss Madeline Dudling returned Saturday to Whitehouse Station, after a visit to Bound Brook.

James Miller returned to East Whitehouse yesterday, after a visit to Somerville.

Miss Helen Reynolds, of Pleasant Run, is visiting in Brooklyn.

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WESTFIELD

CHURCH ELECTS STEWARD FOR YEAR

The following stewards have been elected for the ensuing year in the First Methodist church: Messrs. E. F. Blackford, J. M. Cherry, J. W. Fallon, J. S. Fisher, S. D. French, H. H. Griswold, T. T. Harkrader, E. J. Johnson, L. H. Lewis, G. C. Lucas, R. E. Martin, L. W. Neefus, C. S. Parker, S. B. Patrick, G. F. Rich, E. L. Taylor, A. M. Townsend, E. L. Waterman, H. R. Welch, H. C. Wick, and Mrs. Mary F Pearsall. Mr. Wick was elected recording steward, Mr. Harkrader district steward, Mr. Townsend reserve district steward, and Mrs. Pearsall communion steward.

The election of Mrs. Pearsall is especially appropriate in view of the fact that for over forty years her family has furnished the elements for the holy communion and has attended to the preparation of the table for this sacred service of the church.

Hurried Too Fast to the Wedding

Jacob Bilbaum and John Newman, both of New York, were arrested by Mounted Officer Deter yesterday morning for trying to run a horse through the snow on Broad street. The wagon which the men had attached to the horse was heavily loaded as they were on their way to Plainfield where Newman was to be a caterer at a wedding which was to take place there at night. The wagon was filled with good things to eat which were to be served at the wedding supper.

Officer Deter had the horse put up in Barton's stable and the men taken to the police station where they were given a good talking to by Recorder Springstead, after which they were let go on their promise not to use the horse until the weather conditions got better.

Three Caught in Raid

Sergeant Nelson and Officer Beck made a raid on the basement of the house owned by Addison Moffett on Elmer street yesterday afternoon and captured Nick Fogarty, Thomas Cannon and George Howarth, who were making a hang-out of the place. All three of the men were under the influence of liquor when brought to the police station. Mrs. Howarth, wife of George Howarth, was there, too, but was in such an intoxicated condition at that she could not be brought to the police station. The basement of the house was in a filthy condition, and the police, together with Health Inspector Carney will visit it today and make an investigation. The Howarths have three small children. The three men will be arraigned before Recorder Springstead today.

Pocketbook Snatched

Elizabeth Gordon, colored, while on her way home Saturday night, had her pocketbook containing $2 snatched from her hand by William Burton, colored, of the corner of First street and Osborn avenue. He was arraigned before Recorder Springstead yesterday morning and held to await the action of the grand jury. Burton has a record, he having been in State prison and was out on parole. The Chief worked on the case from seven o'clock until nearly four in the morning before he got Burton to admit his guilt. Burton formerly lived in Plainfield and had only been in this town a short time.

The lecture given in the auditorium of the high school held on Saturday night was well attended and was interesting and instructive. The lecture was on "Porto Rico" and was given by James A. Crulkshank. The lecturer had just returned from Porto Rico and had one hundred and fifty beautifully colored slides of the scenes in that country. He was introduced by E. E. Thompson, vice-president of the Board of Education. The lecture next Saturday night will be given by Colonel Edwin A. Havers, and will be on "The South of England and the Land of Lorna Doone."

The honor roll of the primary department of the Presbyterian Bible school for the months of January and February was announced in the school yesterday morning and was as follows: Claude Houghton Birdsall, Dorothy Demming, Harriet Howarth, Marjorie Howarth, Alanson Kern, Eleanor Meeker, Katharine Pierson, John Rinckhoff, Jeanette Sisco, Evelyn Timberlake, Elizabeth Thayer, Doris Wilcox, Martha Hargan, Margaret Pierson, Fay Handall, Ward Randall.

John White, colored, was before Recorder Springstead yesterday morning on a charge of assault made by his wife. When the wife of White appeared at the police court she said that her husband did not assault her. The Recorder let White go, but gave his wife a severe reprimand and told her that if she came before him again with any false charges against her husband it would go hard with her.

A flag pole is to be erected as soon as possible on the lawn in front of the First Methodist church and a new flag will be raised which will be displayed every day. The church also has a handsome silk national flag which is displayed on the pulpit platform every Sunday and which was the gift of the Building Committee at the time of the dedication of the new church.

George Warner was sent to the county jail by Recorder Springstead yesterday morning to await the action of the grand jury for stealing an automobile delivery wagon belonging to Acker, Merrall & Condit, of New York, and taking a ride in it.

The Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting in the parish house tomorrow afternoon. Plans for the next entertainment will be discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. James Purdy and Mr. and Mrs. George Souders spent yesterday in New York with Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Randall, former residents of this town.

Miss Dorothy Pearsall will entertain the members of the Queen Esther Circle of the First Methodist church at her home on Carlton road tonight.

Mrs. F. S. Crossfield, of Hartford, Conn., spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Brainerd, of Westfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Krugler, of Mountain avenue, are spending a few days at Lakewood.

BOUND BROOK

GIFT TO HOSE CO. FOR GOOD WORK

Bound Brook Hose Co., No. 1 is in receipt of several communications from the authorities at Somerville in appreciation of the services rendered by the local company in aiding the Somerville firemen in fighting the big fire in that borough on February 20. Chief Clark Alvord commends the members of No. 1, not only for their kindness in coming to Somerville but as well for the splendid work and noble efforts while fighting the fire.

The firm of J. & A. G. Nevius, whose big department store adjoins the building which was destroyed by the fire, has sent a message of thanks and a check of $25 to the local company. The Nevius building was saved from damage and the owners realize the extent of the services of the firemen in preventing the flames from reaching their premises and other adjoining properties.

Admits Theft of $3.68

Victor Meyers, the nineteen-year-old lad arrested recently upon complaint of Vito Tarantino, pleaded guilty Saturday before Judge Daniel Beekman in Somerville to the alleged charge of having made off with the theft of $3.68. Mr. Tarantino claimed that on February 15 Meyers stole $3.68 from the drawer of his boot-black stand at the Central R. R. station. Sentence was deferred until next Friday.

The organization of a Factory Baseball League has been proposed and a meeting will soon be held to formulate plans. Those who will probably be invited into the league are the Bound Brook Chiclets Bearing Co., Calco Chemical Co., H. W. Johns-Manville Co., Standard Paint Co. and possibly the Y. M. A.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Borough of Middlesex will meet at the Watchung school tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Edward S. Hoagland and George Graham are among the local people attending the inauguration services in Washington, D. C.

The monthly meeting of the Visiting Nurse Committee will be held tomorrow morning at the Nurses' Home.

Mrs. Kinsey Mathews, of South Bound Brook, has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Newark.

Miss Eva Haelig, of New York, was the week-end guest of Miss Emily Haelig at Chimney Rock.

DUNELLEN

TELLS OF CHINA'S GREAT AWAKENING

"The New China" was the topic of William H. Tao's inspiring talk last night at the Methodist Church. Mr. Tao, a native of Pekin, China, is a student in Columbia University, New York, and gave many interesting incidents of China's awakening. The speaker described conditions in the Orient, dwelling particularly upon the work of the missionaries. He declared that Christianity has had a wonderful effect upon the progress of the land, told how it is awakening the people to more modern ideals and predicted the spread of Christian doctrine.

Mr. Tao came to Dunellen under the auspices of The Forum of the Methodist Church.

The Rev. Mr. Ramsey announced that Union Cottage prayer meetings would be held beginning Wednesday evening of this week, the congregations of the First Presbyterian Church and the Methodists joining in the services. The Epworth League of this church will hold a business meeting on Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Josephine Hague.

Lectured Before P.-T. Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held Saturday evening in the Whittier school. After a short business meeting the members of the association adjourned to the assembly room where together with friends who had been invited to be present, they listened to a lecture on "Public Safety" given by Carl Mashmeyer, of the Public Service Railway Company. Mr. Mashmeyer illustrated his talk with lantern slides.

A musical program followed, Mrs. Clayton Nagle accompanied by Mrs. Lupger delightfully rendering several vocal solos and Mrs. Charles S. Day and Miss Edith Gliss playing several piano duets which were much enjoyed.

Aged New Market Woman Passes Away

Miss Mary Drake, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Drake, died Saturday evening at her home, Prospect street, New Market. The deceased was in her 68th year, and had resided in that locality many years. She was a member of the Park avenue Baptist church, Plainfield, Miss Drake is survived by two nephews, residing in this place.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late residence in New Market. The Rev. B. S. Hudson, of the Park avenue Baptist church, Plainfield, will conduct the service. Interment at Samptown.

Funeral of Mrs. Amelia E. Vossler, wife of Lewis Vossler, who died Friday of complications, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the funeral parlors, No. 323 Front street. Rev. E. R. Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was the officiating clergyman. Burial was in the Hillside cemetery, Plainfield. The bearers were: William Smalley, Charles Jennings, George Kuldeshes and John Peters.

Robert Bogardus, who has been the Courier-News representative in this place for some time has resigned his position to give his entire time in handling the baked goods for the Woodhull & Martin Company in this borough. Mr. Bogardus will also work much on business in Marten's pharmacy at 324 North avenue, where he will be pleased to accommodate his many customers.

A novel entertainment known as "The Sniggles Family" will be given tomorrow afternoon at the Whittier school under the auspices of the Parent Teacher Association. The entertainment will start at 3 o'clock and the program will include folk dances by the scholars of the schools. Refreshments will be served.

William Dalton, aged 56, who works for a Piscataway farmer, was arrested by Marshal Tarpey Saturday night while lying prostrate in the snow at the result of the excessive use of alcohol. When arraigned before Recorder Campbell yesterday morning he was released under a suspended sentence.

The Borough Council will hold its regular meeting this evening, and the Board of Education is scheduled to meet tomorrow night. The latter organization will make arrangements for the annual school meeting which is to be held on Tuesday, March 20th.

The new landing stages for trolley passengers on North avenue, recently placed in position by Street Commissioner Reusch, were found unusually convenient during yesterday's snow and ice when these be travelled via the Union line.

The Father Lights Missionary Society of the First Baptist church of New Market met on Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. M. R. Dayton. Following the transaction of routine business the hostess served luncheon.

Smalley Bros. are making alterations to their store on North avenue, the double entrance being considerably improved and modernized. Charles G. Hare and F. H. Gise have the work in charge.

The Rev. Ernest Brown of the First Presbyterian church, who has just recovered from from a severe attack of the grip, occupied his pulpit yesterday morning and evening.

Rev. Dr. Strong of the First Baptist Church of Plainfield will be the speaker at the Sunday school rally of the Dunellen and New Market churches to be held this evening in the Seventh Day Baptist Church, New Market.

In the morning communion service, three new members were taken into the church. Rev. Mr. Brown preached a sermon of a patriotic nature in the evening.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of Miss Josephine Hague at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening.

The members of the Holy Innocents' branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet tomorrow afternoon for sewing in the Guild room.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet on Thursday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. John Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hardingham, of Elizabeth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hardingham over the week-end.

Mrs. Edwin Wheat, of this place, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Dilts, near Whitehouse Station.

The Rev. E. S. Jamison of this Borough preached yesterday in the Methodist Church at Frenchtown.

Enlistments for the National Special Aid Society are being received at Charles Sauer's drug store.

The G. E. Club will be entertained tomorrow evening at the residence of Mrs. Alfred Osmun.

Winfield R. Hetfield has purchased the property of Joseph Apgar on Front street.

FANWOOD

Because of yesterday's snow storm the borough was without electric lights last night. Most of the night saw repairmen working in the storm at top of the poles endeavoring to locate the trouble.

William Beeken, of North avenue, has returned to his home for a few days after a short trip to Buffalo, N. Y. Tomorrow he expects to leave for Maine for an extended visit there.

The Women's League will meet at the residence of Mrs. Wright Babcock, of North avenue, on Tuesday, March 6. Sewing for the Red Cross Association will be started.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Bonnell, of Forest road, next Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Florence Kennedy has returned to her home on North avenue, after spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Russell Pines of Elizabeth.

Miss Dorothy Beeken, of North avenue, has returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with Miss Margaret Mott, of Pittsburg, Pa.

A meeting of the Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company of the township will be held this evening in the headquarters, on Bartle avenue.

The Fanwood American Red Cross Society held its weekly meeting today at the home of Mrs. Albert I. Nichols, of North avenue.

Miss Grace Riblet, of Russell road, has had a serious collapse and is now detained in a New York hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rossie Stevens, of Martine avenue, entertained friends from out of town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gates, of North avenue, entertained Plainfield friends at their home yesterday.

Frank Welden, of the township, has purchased the residence occupied by by William A. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton, of Midway avenue, have welcomed a little boy to their home.

SCOTCH PLAINS

COMMUNITY STAGE IS DISCONTINUED

For the last twenty years the Scotch Plains Baptist Church has operated a stage coach for the convenience of the Fanwood people who desired to attend the services in the Baptist church. years ago this stage was capable of carrying from twenty to thirty people, was annually well filled, but for the last few years, three or four people made the trip.

Someone conceived the idea of calling this stage the "Community Stage." This was misleading to the public, and the driver was besieged by would-be visitors to Bonnie Burn, clam bakes, picnics, etc., and as spring is approaching and clam bakes and picnics will again be in order, the driver of the stage dreading the idea of telling people "for Baptists only" has resigned his position and the church seeing no necessity for such transportation, has discontinued the service.

BARON VON SCHOEN.

Former German Embassy Attache Sent to Mexico.

Photo by American Press Association.

State department officials now recall in view of the attempt to prevent Mexico and Japan with the United States that just before the time Count von Bernstorff was to leave Baron von Schoen, secretary of the German embassy here, was ordered to Mexico without any explanation being given to the government.

DEATH OF TWO BANK OFFICIALS IN SIX MONTHS

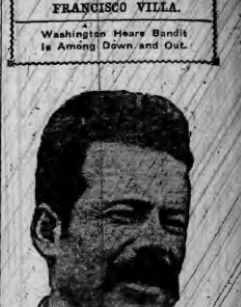
The death of Albert C. Stebbins, which occurred on Wednesday last, recalls to the minds of many that it was just six months ago to the day, that City Treasurer William F. Arnold passed away, the date being September 28. The latter was president of the Dime Savings institution and Mr. Stebbins was vice president of the bank.

THE FUNERAL OF BENJAMIN GORDON

The funeral of Benjamin Gordon, who died on Wednesday, was held Saturday from his late residence on Clinton avenue and later in St. Mary's church, the Rev. Father Mahoney officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The bearers were William Boyle, James Traynor, Lawrence Dake, John Goff, George Wellsgard and Andrew Doyle. The interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

FRANCISCO VILLA.

Washington Hears Bandit Is Among Down and Out.



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That Villa has been forced by ill health to abandon his activities as a bandit was the word which has reached the state department from two sources. This government now regards Villa eliminated as a factor in Mexico.

16 NEW SENATORS FOR 65TH CONGRESS

They and Sixteen Re-elected Ones Take Oath.

Washington, March 5.—Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana took the oath of office as vice president of the United States at the opening of the special session of the senate of the Sixty-fifth congress called by President Wilson to transact executive business. Sixteen new senators of the United States also took the oath administered by Vice President Marshall.

In addition to these sixteen new senators the oath was administered to sixteen senators who were re-elected, making a total of thirty-two members entering upon new terms of six years. The organization of the new senate was thus completed.

A solemn dignity marked the ceremony coincident with the organization of the senate. President Wilson occupied a seat in front of the vice president's desk. The members of the United States supreme court, garbed in their somber black robes, occupied prominent seats in the front of the chamber. Cabinet officers, other high officials of the government and the foreign ambassadors and ministers were in attendance.

After prayer by the chaplain the special session was called to order by Senator Saulsbury of Delaware, president pro tempore of the senate, who administered the oath to the vice president. Mr. Marshall then delivered his inaugural address.

Although sixteen new senators were sworn in, the political control of the senate remains unchanged, the Democrats retaining a safe working majority. As constituted the senate is composed of fifty-four Democrats and forty-two Republicans, a loss of one Democratic seat from the majority in the sixty-fourth congress. The new senators sworn in were:

William M. Calder of New York, Republican, succeeding James O'Gorman, Democrat; Joseph R. Frazier of Maryland, Republican, succeeding Blair Lee, Democrat; Peter Goelet Gerry of Rhode Island, Democrat, succeeding Henry E. Lingot, Republican; Frederick Hale of Maine, Republican, succeeding Charles F. Johnson, Democrat; Joseph S. Frelinghuysen of New Jersey, succeeding James E. Martine, Democrat; John B. Kendrick of Wyoming, Democrat, succeeding Clarence D. Clarke, Republican; William H. King of Utah, Democrat, succeeding George Sutherland, Republican; Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota, Republican, succeeding Moses E. Clapp, Republican; Hiram Johnson of California, Republican, succeeding John D. Works, Republican; Aristeus Jones of New Mexico, Democrat, succeeding Thomas B. Catron, Republican; Philander Knox of Pennsylvania, Republican, succeeding George T. Oliver, Republican; Kenneth D. McKellar of Tennessee, Democrat, succeeding Luke Lea, Democrat; Harry S. New of Indiana, Republican, succeeding John W. Kern, Democrat; Howard Sutherland of West Virginia, Republican, succeeding William E. Chilton, Democrat; Park Trammel of Florida, Democrat, succeeding Nathan P. Bryan, Democrat; Joseph Wolcott of Delaware, Democrat, succeeding Henry A. du Pont, Republican.

The following senators who succeed themselves took the oath of office for new terms of six years:

Henry F. Ashurst, Arizona; Charles A. Culberson, Texas; Gilbert M. Hitchcock, Nebraska; Henry L. Meyers, Montana; Key Pittman, Nevada; Atlee Pomerene, Ohio; James A. Reed, Missouri; Claude Swanson, Virginia, and John Sharp Williams, Mississippi, all Democrats; Porter J. McCumber, North Dakota; George E. McLean, Connecticut; Carroll S. Page, Vermont; Miles Poindexter, Washington, and Charles E. Townsend, Michigan, all Republicans.

Of the new senators, Hiram Johnson of California and John B. Kendrick of Wyoming come to the senate from the governor's house, while Park Trammel of Florida resigned as governor of that state Jan. 2.

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P. H. S. TAKES THE LAST CITY GAME

Again Wallops Borough Five, This Time by Score of 42 to 26

The North Plainfield High School basketball team engaged in another fray with the Plainfield High School team, interscholastic champions, on the city court Saturday afternoon, it being the second tilt on the local court in two weeks. As in the previous games Plainfield won, this time 42 to 26.

The game opened with a rush for the Red and Blue boys, who never once let up. In the last half the entire first team of Plainfield High, with the exception of Snyder, was called off the floor by Coach Patch and replaced by subs. Even they held their opponents to little scoring by playing a fast game.

While the first game was in progress Kyle was replaced by O'Donnell, who did well in all departments. Plainfield's team work was good and often passed the ball at leisure. North Plainfield was wholly at sea during this half and also in the second period.

The final half was a repetition of the first. The subs were given a chance to do their bit, which they did nobly.

The score:

PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Kyle, f	2	7	11
Coudray, f	3	0	6
Wills, f	3	0	6
Klein, c	2	0	4
Snyder, g	3	5	11
O'Donnell, g	2	0	4
	15	12	42

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Ahern, f	5	6	16
Force, f	2	0	4
McDonough, c	1	0	2
LaForte, c	1	0	2
Willett, g	0	0	0
Seidel, g	0	0	0
Barry, g	1	0	2
	10	6	26

WATCHUNG COUNCIL DROPS ODD GAME

The pinners of Watchung Council, Knights of Columbus, lost two of three tilts to the Jersey City Council Saturday evening at the local alleys. Neither team did anything out of the ordinary in the scoring line, 180 by Taylor of the locals being the high average of the evening, while 832 was the high team score.

The two teams divided the two double century scores between them, Taylor copping the Queen City's end in this line of endeavor. These games practically bring to an end the schedule of the State Knights of Columbus League for this season.

The scores:

JERSEY CITY			Ave
Fitzgerald	162	134	—148
Rafter	147	137	—142
Farley	160	178	—169
White	159	170	173—167
Flannigan	188	171	128—162
Sullivan	156	176	201—177
	832	811	817—813

Total pins—8,121.

PLAINFIELD			Ave
Duffy	148	132	169—147
Wilson	155	123	137—128
O'Keeffe	199	162	167—176
Howe	188	167	148—167
Taylor	172	203	163—179
	832	787	784—801

Total pins—2,404.

"THROCK" BACK READY FOR EAST-WEST GAMES

Los Angeles, Cal., March 5.—Harold A. Throckmorton and George M. Church, who recently competed in the tennis tournament of the Mid-Pacific Carnival at Honolulu, Hawaii, and who landed in San Francisco last Wednesday, have arrived here and started practice on the courts for the East-West matches, which begin March 7.

It is said that the California tennis association has named William Johnson, John Strachan, Maurice E. McLoughlin, Willis Davis and Nat Browne to compete against Church, Throckmorton, Connie Doyle, Fred Alexander, T. R. Pell and Bernon Prentice. Johnson defeated Church in the Honolulu singles, and with Strachan bested Church and Throckmorton in doubles play.

Throckmorton is a Union county boy and is well known in tennis circles of this vicinity. "Throck" is at present affiliated with the Shackamaxon Country Club of Westfield.

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PLAINFIELD F. O. E. COP SOME PRIZES

Local Bowlers Secure Team and Individual Honors in State League

THE OFFICIAL AVERAGES

The last official figures of the season of the F. O. E. State Bowling League were announced this morning by Claude H. Reed, Jr., secretary of the circuit, and they indicate that the Plainfield pinners have been most successful in making records and copping some of the handsome prizes which were offered for team and individual records early in the season.

First of all, it may be stated that the Queen City lads secured the special prize, a trophy in the shape of a loving cup offered for securing first place in the league. This cup will be retained by the local alleyites for a period of one year, or until such time as the championship of 1917-18 is settled.

In the distribution of other team prizes Plainfield secured first, Newark second and Somerville third. The Queen City bowlers also secured the prize for the high team score. This score stands at 1,021.

Individual averages were also a source of much contention, the high honors in this line going to Denning, of Newark, while Mahoney and Radin of the local Aerie secured second and third prizes, respectively. The high individual score of the season, 256, and the prize which goes with it, were awarded to Denning.

The complete figures follow:

Team Standing

	W	L	Ave	HS
Plainfield	25	11	897	1021
Newark	20	16	875	971
Somerville	16	20	847	957
Rahway	11	25	826	939

	G	Ave	HS
1 Denning, New.	33	197	256
2 Mahoney, Plfd	36	185	227
3 Radin, Plfd	31	185	248
4 Wiley, New.	24	183	225
5 Studer, New.	6	183	225
6 Mannis, Plfd	31	182	242
7 Miller, Plfd	28	180	216
8 Gruehling, New.	6	178	219
9 W. Smith, Plfd	34	177	220
10 Roller, Som.	33	177	211
11 Crowell, Rah.	6	176	197
12 McCarthy, Som.	18	174	205
13 Hand, Rah.	4	173	178
14 C. Smith, New.	36	172	216
15 Keller, Rah.	27	172	222
16 Stabile, Som.	35	170	236
17 Weir, New.	36	169	255
18 McCartney, Rah.	36	168	208
19 Fallon, Som.	27	168	226
20 Schenck, Som.	24	168	223
21 Bulzer, Som.	8	167	220
22 Mulligan, Som.	4	167	194
23 Ferretti, New.	9	163	210
24 Kelly, Rah.	33	162	226
25 Langton, Rah.	30	162	222
26 Jaeger, Plfd	3	162	179
27 Dobbins, Rah.	22	161	212
28 Scott, Plfd	17	161	211
29 Dow, New.	18	157	185
30 Collins, Rah.	6	157	186
31 Goodwill, Rah.	9	156	190
32 Riley, Som.	21	154	202
33 Feiner, New.	12	154	215
34 Perry, Som.	3	149	188
35 Stepcka, Rah.	4	144	163
36 Hardgrove, Som.	3	126	127

PARISH HOUSE IN ANOTHER DEFEAT

In something of a tight game the North Plainfield Freshmen took the big end of a 39 to 35 score from the Scotch Plains Parish House five Saturday evening. Some game, believe me, when but one out of the ten players fail to secure some sort of score or other.

There did not appear to be a dull moment throughout the entire contest, both sides doing their utmost in the scoring line. The balance of power swayed from one side to the other and the final outcome of the contest was in doubt until the sound of the last whistle. The contest as a whole was one of the fastest to be staged at the Parish House court this season.

PLAINS PARISH HOUSE	G.	F.	P.
Clotworthy, f	1	0	2
Carroba, f	4	3	5
Marsten, c	3	0	6
Johnston, g	5	0	10
Barry, g	6	0	12
	16	3	35

N. P. H. S. FRESHMEN	G.	F.	P.
Scarborough, f	6	1	13
Marsh, f	2	0	4
Dunning, c	10	0	20
Feaster, g	0	0	0
LaRue, g	1	0	2
	19	1	39

Referee, Day.

WEINMAN'S CAFE

TRIANGLES LOST TO A BRUNSWICK TEAM

Locals Not Quite Up to Snuff With Middlesex County Indoor Aggregation

The Inner-Triangle basketball team after running up a lead of six points in the first half and holding its opponents until the last five minutes in the second was beaten in a whirlwind finish Saturday by the New Brunswick Triangles.

In the first half Patterson missed only one basket out of seven tries and caged three from the foul line.

On account of injuries John Cartwright will be out of the Triangle line-up for the rest of the season. Alex Campbell, a Rope player, is now a member of the team, with Scruton at guard.

New Brunswick had a strong team on the floor, with honors about even for Oram, Purdy and Stuart.

The score:

INNER-TRIANGLES	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	6	9	21
Gullberg, f	1	0	2
Campbell, c	1	0	2
Cartwright, g	0	0	0
Scruton, g	0	0	0
	8	9	25

NEW BRUNSWICK TRIANGLES	G.	F.	P.
Oram, f	6	2	14
Purdy, f	5	0	10
Stuart, c	4	2	10
Ross, g	0	1	1
Darrash, g	0	0	0
	15	5	35

Referee, Davidson; timer, C. Collins; scorer, Hansen.

In the preliminary game the I. T. C. second team more than proved a match for the Mohawk second team. Coming up from behind in the second half the Triangles strung up a total of 26 points. Western and Dunn played well for their respective teams.

The score:

TRIANGLE SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Adam, f	3	2	8
Morris, f	2	2	6
Western, c	6	0	12
Leacock, g	0	0	0
Campbell, g	0	0	0
	11	4	26

MOHAWK SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Enander, f	2	0	4
Dunn, f	5	0	10
Dugan, c	0	0	0
Wilson, g	0	0	0
Mowen, g	1	1	3
	8	1	17

Referee, S. Davidson; timer, C. Collins; scorer, R. Hansen.

TABS JUST DOUBLE HOPE'S MEN'S CLUB

Abstainers Became Busy in Second Half and Walk Away With the Verdict

One-sided describes the contest. At least, this description fits the second half and final score of the Hope Chapel-T. A. B. S. basketball contest put up Saturday evening at the high school gymnasium floor, the final result standing 54 to 27 in favor of the Abstainers. The first period of the game was fairly tight, winding up with an 18 to 16 score with the Tabs holding the larger end of the figures.

The second period, however, was an exhibition of a different color, the Tabs just walking away with the bulk of the scoring. Every man of the winning aggregation took a hand in piling up points and the Hope boys were swept completely off their feet. The whirlwind type of play was carried up until the last sound of the whistle held by Timer Dois.

To pick an individual star would be an impossibility, both teams putting up a good exhibition of team work.

The score:

T. A. B. S.	G.	F.	P.
Kyle, f	7	5	19
Moulton, f	3	1	7
Hirsch, c	5	0	10
Rosenson, g	3	0	6
Cowen, g, f	6	0	12
	24	6	54

HOPE CHAPEL	G.	F.	P.
Porter, f	3	0	6
Heron, f	3	0	6
Schott, c, g	0	0	0
Wardrop, g	0	0	0
Snyder, g, c	5	5	10
Bradford, g	0	0	0
	11	5	27

Score by periods:

T. A. B. S.	18	36—54
Hope Chapel	16	11—27

Referee, Rimmer; timer, Dois; scorer, Bradford.

RAMBLERS SIGN UP TWO NEW BOWLERS

The Rambler bowling team will be reinforced after its series next Wednesday night at Westfield by the addition of Hyslip and Davenport, who "signed up" with the Plainfielders Saturday night. As these two pinners bowl against the Ramblers in this week's match their first appearance in the Plainfield line-up will be against the St. Joseph's on Gates' alleys next week. The work of these two men on the strips is well known, as their records in the Westfield Sunday School and Church League will attest.

Beginning next week, the Ramblers will finish the season with the following eligible players: Dunn, Worrall, Taylor, Betzenberger, Davenport, Hyslip and Koechlein.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS ON PAGE 13

SECOND NIGHTS AND SAINTS ARE TO CLASH

The Second Night Club bowling quintet will clash with the St. Joseph's Club on the Columbus Club alleys tonight. A series of three games have been arranged between these two clubs, which should prove very interesting. A large delegation of rooters is expected to accompany the borough five, and from present indications a close match will be staged. A series of three games is under way with the Shamrocks, the dates to be announced later.

Indoor Meet Postponed

The indoor meet between teams representing the local and Montclair Y. M. C. A.'s booked for Saturday evening at the local association, was called off by the Montclair lads. The meet will be staged at a date to be announced later.

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URGES SENATE RULE CHANGE

Says Old Statutes Prevent Him From Exercising Full Authority and Sees Little to Be Gained by Calling Extra Session, Where Same Tactics Might Be Repeated.

Washington, March 5. — "A little group of willful men have rendered the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible," President Wilson declared in a statement to the country explaining the situation resulting from the failure of congress to authorize him to protect American rights at sea.

The president said that with the country facing graver dangers in its international relations than it has ever known before eleven men in the senate had been able to prevent congress from acting to "safeguard the country or protect the elementary rights of its citizens."

The president's statement says an extra session would confront the same difficulties which had prevented action in the congress just expired.

He said the situation was graver than had been supposed, because he had found that authority which he believed he held under the constitution to act on his own initiative was "practically nullified" by old and unrepealed statutes. His statement in full follows:

"The termination of the last session of the Sixty-fourth congress by constitutional limitation discussed a situation unparalleled in the history of the country, perhaps unparalleled in the history of any modern government.

"In the immediate presence of a crisis fraught with more subtle and far reaching possibilities of national danger than any other the government has known within the whole history of its international relations, the congress has been unable to act either to safeguard the country or to vindicate the elementary rights of its citizens. More than 50 of the 531 members of the two houses were ready and anxious to act, the house of representatives had acted by an overwhelming majority, but the senate was unable to act because a little group of eleven senators had determined that it should not.

Many Measures Failed.

"This inability of the senate to act has rendered some of the most necessary legislation of the session impossible at a time when the need of it was most pressing and most evident. The bill which would have permitted such combinations of capital and of organization in the export and import trade of the country as the circumstances of international competition have made imperative—a bill which the business judgment of the whole country approved and demanded—has failed.

"The opposition of one or two senators has made it impossible to increase the membership of the Interstate Commerce Commission to give it the altered organization necessary for its efficient conservation bill, which should have released for immediate use the mineral resources which are still locked up in the public lands, now that their release is more imperatively necessary than ever, and the bill which would have made the unused waterpower of the country immediately available for industry have both failed, though they have been under consideration throughout the sessions of two congresses and have been twice passed by the house of representatives.

Money For Army Held Up.

"The appropriations for the army have failed along with the appropriations for the civil establishment of the government, the appropriations for the Military academy at West Point and the general deficiency bill. It has proved impossible to extend the powers of the shipping board to meet the special needs of the new situations into which our commerce has been forced or to increase the gold reserve of our national banking system to meet the unusual circumstances of the existing financial situation.

"It would not cure the difficulty to call the Sixty-fifth congress in extraordinary session. The paralysis of the senate would remain. The causes and the spirit of action are not lacking now. The congress is more definitely united in thought and purpose at this moment, I venture to say, than it has been within the memory of any men now in its membership. There is not only the most united patriotic purpose, but the objects members have in view are perfectly clear and definite.

"The senate cannot act unless its leaders can obtain unanimous consent. Its majority is powerless, helpless. In the face of a crisis of extraordinary peril, when only definite and decided action can make the nation safe or shield it from war itself by the agression of others, action is impossible.

Creates False Impression.

"Although, as a matter of fact, the nation and the representatives of the nation stand back of the executive with unprecedented unanimity and spirit, the impression made abroad will, of course, be that it is not so and that other governments may act as they please without fear that this government can do anything at all. We cannot explain. The explanation is incredible.

"The senate of the United States is the only legislative body in the world which cannot act when the majority is ready for action. A little group of willful men, representing no opinion but their own have rendered the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible.

"The remedy? There is but one remedy. The only remedy is that the rules of the senate shall be so altered that it can act. The country can be relied upon to draw the means. I believe that the senate can be called on to supply the means of action and save the country from disaster.

The old law referred to by the president was adopted in congress in 1810 and referred to the resistance of American merchantmen against the attacks of privateers and pirates, but excluded from vessels which might be so attacked "a public armed vessel of a nation in amity with the United States." Technically Germany is not at war with the United States, and submarines are "public armed vessels" of Germany.

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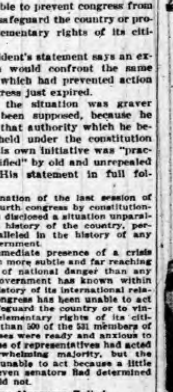

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BRITISH ADVANCE ON FIVE MILE FRONT

Continue Ancre Gain as Germans Halt Retreat.

London, March 5.—A new gain on the Ancre for the British is announced coincident with the news that the Germans have apparently completed the retirement to their line of defense around Bapaume. The newest British advance was on the left flank, where General Haig's troops advanced a quarter of a mile on a five mile front in the sector between a point east of Gommecourt and another point north of Puisieux au Mont.

Apparently the British are approaching the line of new resistance and must begin again to fight hard for every gain.

Toward the right flank of the active area a German bombing attack drove a British detachment out of an advanced post near Sailly-Saillisel, but the ground was recaptured.

The French made several small attacks in the Aisne and Champagne sectors and were successful in surprise attacks upon German positions east of hill 304 on the Verdun front.

News from Persia tells of the capture by Russian troops of the Persian city of Hamadan, near the Turkish frontier. This city is about 240 miles northeast of Bagdad and was captured by the Russians in December, 1915, when they were advancing toward Bagdad. When the Turks won at Kut-el-Amara the Russians were forced to retreat from Hamadan, Kermanshah and Khanikin, where they were only 130 miles from Bagdad.

It is possible that a co-operative campaign against Bagdad by British and Russian armies may follow.

WOMAN IS CANDIDATE.

Live Board of Education Campaign at Glassboro.

Glassboro, March 5.—Mrs. Charles C. Pedrick, the first woman ever to run for public office here, heads an independent ticket of four candidates for members of the board of education for the election on March 20. A newly organized woman's club will take an active part in the campaign. Other candidates are Charles F. Repp, William A. Downer, Jr., and Charles McCullough. Another ticket contains the names of A. A. Weisner, F. L. Suppiee, F. B. Haight and Preston G. Abbott. Weisner is the only old member of the board running for re-election.

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Sportsmen of State Aroused by Pending Bill.

POLITICS SEEN BEHIND IT.

Opposition to Move For Enlargement of Board Is Spreading All Over the State, and Powerful Influence Will Be Brought to Bear on Governor to Veto Measure Should It Get Through Legislature.

Trenton, March 5.—Sportsmen are up in arms against the bill now pending in the legislature to increase the membership of the state board of fish and game commissioners, which, they say, will inject politics into the board. They assert that the provisions of the act are wholly against modern methods of dealing with fish and game problems and will make the state ridiculous.

They add that it will add expense and complications to the fish and game work of New Jersey, which has reached as high a plane as similar work in any other state in the country during the last few years and leads most states in methods and results accomplished.

The commissioners receive no salaries, but each has an expense allowance, and additional commissioners would mean the spending of money in other ways that would have to be taken out of the income that the commission receives from the hunting sportsmen of the state.

Assemblyman Dudley Bramhall of Essex county introduced the bill. The statement accompanying it says, "This bill provides for the increase of the board of fish and game commissioners from four to six commissioners and provides that not more than three of said officials shall be of the same political party." An amendment has already been made to make the number of commissioners seven instead of four or six. Sportsmen are asking, "How many more will be added before the bill gets through the mill?" They are preparing to make vigorous protest to Governor Edge if the bill reaches him for signature.

It is said that the original idea was to increase the number of commissioners to provide a place greatly desired by an Essex county man. Then there was another request from another part of the state and finally a third, and the result is the attempt to raise the board to seven members.

GUARDRAIL SAVES TRAIN.

Boston Express Train Wrecked at Stamford, Conn.

Stamford, Conn., March 5.—A yellow pine guardrail nine inches by six inches prevented a catastrophe on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad at the 1,200 foot drawbridge over the Mianus river here.

Two cars in the Boston express on its way to the Hub were derailed and plunged along the flank of the drawbridge 250 feet before the train was stopped. The express was on track 4, the extreme outside track, and only the stout guardrail and the safety chains connecting the cars prevented the derailed cars, if not the entire train, from plunging into the river, forty feet below.

There were more than 300 passengers aboard the train.

SEVENTEEN VESSELS SUNK.

Berlin Reports Results of U Boat Work In Mediterranean.

New York, March 5.—Berlin announces the sinking in the Mediterranean barred zone of seventeen vessels with an aggregate tonnage of 48,000. Five steamers are named, four of which have been reported sunk by London and Paris.

Among the victims reported by Berlin are four transports, which are, however not named. The only vessel named in the Berlin account not previously reported is the Italian steamer Prudenza of 3,307 tons.

Her loss brings the total toll taken by unrestricted U-boat warfare since Feb. 1 up to 262 ships, with an aggregate tonnage of 492,433 tons.

Hold Up Bone Dry Ordinance.

Millville, March 5.—Despite the claim of the foes of liquor that enough names were filed to offset the liquor element's just claim to a referendum vote on the bone dry ordinance, the city commission adopted a resolution holding up its operation until May 8, when it will be submitted to a vote of the people.

Five Firemen Killed.

Detroit, Mich., March 5.—Five firemen lost their lives in a spectacular fire that destroyed Field's clothing and suit store, in the heart of the business district, on Woodward avenue. The estimated financial loss is $750,000.

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SCHOOL TEACHING DEVICES EXHIBITED

County Superintendent of Schools A. L. Johnson gave an exhibition on Thursday at Elizabeth of teaching devices, the members of the county school principals were present, at the office of the county superintendent.

Superintendent Johnson gave a brief talk on the display, saying that he was astonished at the manner in which parents and the general public showed interest in it. He declared the exhibit was open for the inspection of every teacher in the county, and that those teachers who evinced no desire to visit the exhibit and learn new things about teaching devices, gaining ideas for devices of their own, were by no means holding a proper interest in school work.

It was decided that the date for the county contest in extemporaneous speaking, to be held in the Roselle Park High school, be postponed from April 6 to 13.

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WILSON REPEATS OATH OF OFFICE

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that I am with you and that I stand with you in this emergency in anything and everything that you do."

Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the foreign relations committee, was not among the coterie of statesmen who extended their congratulations to the president after his induction into office. The acrimony of the last two days of legislative strife had marked the Missourian for elimination from that list of the president's friends who can be welcomed to intimate social intercourse.

While the little inaugural party was breaking up, Senator Robert Marion La Follette, to whom even in greater measure than to Senator Stone is due the defeat of the armed neutrality bill, came from the senate. He passed the door of the president's room, his eyes riveted on the elevator gate ahead. He swerved neither to the right nor to the left, but plowed straight along, not even turning his eyes toward the president's room.

There was a slamming of doors; the secret service men and capitol policeman quickly cleared a passage way for the president, who, offering his arm to Mrs. Wilson, with a cheery "Good morning" to the crowd, walked to the west elevator and disappeared.

There was hand clapping and a spasmodic burst of cheering as the president left the capitol. Before 12:30 he was back at the White House, and the new administration of Wilson had begun.

Wilson Again Takes Oath.

The president took the oath of office for the second time this week at the public exercises at the capitol.

The exercises at the capitol were under the direction of a joint committee of the senate and the house. Its chairman was Senator Lee S. Overman of North Carolina.

Just as the doors of the senate chamber were opened three carriages, each drawn by four horses, left the White House grounds. In the first sat President and Mrs. Wilson and Senator Overman, chairman of the senate committee, with Senator Hoke Smith.

As the carriage emerged into Pennsylvania avenue a squadron of the Second cavalry, regular army, wheeled into place around it. For the first time in many years the regular branch of the service had been given the conspicuous honor of escorting a president to his oath taking.

President's Party Guarded.

Vice President and Mrs. Marshall rode in the second carriage, and they were escorted by the Black Horse troop of Culver Military academy of Indiana, which had discharged that duty for its Hoosier fellow citizen four years ago.

At the capitol the presidential party was escorted directly to the private room just off the senate chamber set aside as the presidential office. The committee on arrangements was in waiting, and Vice President Marshall and Mrs. Marshall were escorted to the vice president's room. At a given signal the presidential and vice presidential parties proceeded to the senate chamber, where, after prayer by the chaplain, the special session of the senate was called to order.

The organization of the senate completed, those assembled in the senate chamber proceeded through the rotunda to the platform in the center portico of the capitol overlooking the plaza, upon which the public had assembled.

So soon as all were assembled on the platform Chief Justice White advanced to the front, accompanied by President Wilson. There the oath was administered.

Crowd Serious at Address.

President Wilson then stepped forward to the front of the platform and began his inaugural address. An impressive silence hung over the throng that had gathered in the plaza to witness the history making event. There was a realization in every heart of the seriousness of the occasion and of the gigantic burdens the slender man in black was taking upon his shoulders in assuming the high office of the president of the United States for another four years.

The Inaugural Parade.

Immediately after the address the parade began in the direction of the White House escorting the newly elected president and vice president. A brief halt was made in front of the White House to permit the president to partake of a light luncheon and assume his position in the reviewing stand.

At the forefront of the parade was an escort of mounted police. Immediately preceding the carriages and escort of the president was the famous United States Marine band, followed by the grand marshal, Major General Scott, and staff. The second carriage, with Vice President and Mrs. Marshall and members of the congressional joint committee, was escorted by the Black Horse troop of Culver Military academy.

The first division of the parade was commanded by Major General Tasker H. Bliss, U. S. A.; the second division by Brigadier General William A. Mann, U. S. A.; the third division, veterans of the civil and Spanish wars, by A. J. Huntoon and Daniel V. Chisholm; the fourth division, commanded by George R. Linkens, was composed of the civic and political contingents.

In the first two grand divisions the military and naval branches of the federal government and of the states were placed. Of the state troops the governor and troops of Delaware led the contingents, followed by the governor and troops of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Maryland, Virginia and New York. Independent military organizations and cadet companies completed this division.

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LOCAL MEN NAMED AS STATE AUXILIARY

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 5.—For the purpose of aiding the State Dept. of Conservation and Development in its plans for expansion of the resources of New Jersey, Governor Edge today named an Auxiliary Committee consisting of thirty-one citizens of the State. It is the opinion of the Executive that such a committee, composed of representatives from all sections of the State, interested in her development, will accomplish much headway in that direction.

The appointees to the Auxiliary Committee include several Plainfield men and are as follows: Carroll B. M Merril Madison; Thomas R. Pinley, Smithville; William F. Hoffman, Newark; Col. John W. Aymar, Asbury Park; C. Ledyard Blair, Bernardsville; Charles M. Biddle, Riverton; Marcellus Hartley, Convent; Charles Evans, Cinnaminson; Rollo Ogden, Summit; S. S. Dennis, Moorestown; Oberlin Smith, Bridgeton; Arthur B. Jones, Plainfield; Walter H. Lippincott, Riverton; James R. Joy, Plainfield; Alexander C. Wood, Riverton; John E. Sandmeyer, Newark; F. Wayland Ayer, Camden; George C. Warren, Jr., Jersey City; George O. Smalley, Bound Brook; W. G. Besler, Plainfield, W. P. Bonbright, Bernardsville, W. North Duane, Convent; Robert A. Fairbairn, New Market; English M. Upperu, Deal; Edward T. Mitchell, Glen Ridge; Edward Harding, Pawwood; Clarence H. Kelsey, Brick Church; Robert S. Parsons, Nutley; Glen K. Carver, Newark; W. F. Hainstein, Atlantic City, and B. B. Draper, Camden.

FOOD INSPECTORS ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual meting of the New Jersey Dairy, Milk and Food Inspectors' Association, held in Newark on Thursday evening, the following officers were elected:

President, Samuel G. Sharwell, Chief Food and Drug Inspector, Board of Health, Newark; vice-president, James J. Hagan, Health Officer, Chief Division of Sanitation, Food and Drugs, Jersey City; secretary and treasurer, John J. Coughlin, Chief Dairy Inspector Board of Health, Elizabeth; executors, Dr. Isaac H. Shaw, Veterinarian State Board of Health, Trenton; Dr. John Wittpenn, Veterinarian for Food and Drug Board of Health, Newark; Andrew Carney, Chief Milk Inspector Board of Health, Westfield; Dr. Fred Robinson, Dairy Inspector, State Board of Health, Trenton, of Jersey City; A. L. Goehring, Dairy Inspector, State Board of Health, Trenton.

Inspectors were present from the following places: Plainfield, North Amboy and Morristown.

HONOR FOR A CRANFORD STUDENT

Hanover, N. H., March 5.—Announcement was made Friday of the appointment of Eugene D. Towler, '17, of Cranford, N. Y., as secretary to President M. Hopkins, of Dartmouth College, to succeed Charles Gray Knapp, who recently resigned to enter business.

The appointment will become effective July 1. Towler is manager of the 1917 baseball team.

Dry Law Hits Workers.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 5.—The bone dry law, it is estimated here, would cause a loss of $10,000,000 annually in this city and throw fully 3,000 persons connected with the liquor business out of employment. The city has 81,000 population.

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But when, mysteriously, fair Fashion proclaims herself as Fact, how eagerly do we pay her homage, though knowing well that the present is just a phase of her, and that, come another season she'll take on an altogether different form.

Were Fashion less fickle, perhaps we'd love her less.

Today Her Mood Is Oriental, and Her Silhouette Is Slim

Fashion has gone in for color—not the tints to which we of the Occident are accustomed, but rich, magnificent shades and tones that hold our attention and compel our admiration—setting us to dreaming of lands far, far to East, ward processions of many people, richly clad; bowdahs glittering in a blazing sun; the faraway clang of temple bells; rare silks; gleaming jewels; dark, inscrutable faces; incense—

Fashion today has outdone herself—she has fired our imaginations.

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NETHERWOOD DUTCH ARMS MEETS TONIGHT

A meeting of the Dutch Arms Club has been called for tonight in the basement of the Netherwood Reformed church by the newly elected president, Mr. Hughes.

A little over a year ago this club was one of the strongest societies connected with the church, and strenuous efforts are to be made to rebuild this organization, bringing together as many of the men of the community as possible.

The meeting tonight will start at eight o'clock, and a cordial invitation is extended to all men who wish to join to attend this meeting.

FUNERAL OF ELMER TEEPLE

The funeral of Elmer Teeple, of South Plainfield, who died on Fri. day, was held this afternoon in South Plainfield, the Rev. J. Townsend Porter, pastor of the Baptist church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The interment was made in the Middlesex Hillside Cemetery.

VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR MARRIED ON SATURDAY

C. W. Snowden and Mrs. Keziah Cassatt were united in marriage on Saturday evening in South Plainfield by the Rev. J. Porter Townsend, pastor of the Baptist Church. Both of the contracting parties reside in South Plainfield.

The bridegroom is a veteran of the Civil War, having served in Company F, Thirteenth New Jersey Volunteers. He is a member of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of this city.

A large number of friends and neighbors gave the happy couple a hearty reception. After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Snowden will occupy the Ryne cottage, Brookside avenue, South Plainfield, which has been renovated and furnished for their accommodation. They will be at home to their friends after March 10.

MASQUERADE IS POSTPONED

The masquerade ball to have been held on Wednesday evening in Abrams' auditorium by the Sisterhood of Temple Sholem, has been postponed until a date to be announced later. All tickets sold for the ball will be honored on the later date.

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"The Plainfield Board of Education have been watchful for improvements but cautious in their adoption. When they have become convinced of the usefulness and value of a new idea, they have adopted it, and in many things Plainfield has the satisfaction of being among the first to take advanced steps in what has later become universal.

"Medical inspection, early adopted by us, is now required by law in all schools; so with methods of enforcing school attendance. Dental inspection, while not yet required by law, is being universally introduced, and in some cities free dental clinics are being established by boards of education in the school itself; summer classes are being established even in cities less than half the size of Plainfield; the enlarged use of school buildings by the general public outside of school hours is now specifically encouraged by State law, and in California the law requires that school rooms shall be provided free of cost to any civic body that asks for them. It is a source of pride to the citizens that the foresight of the Board in providing the best for their children has received such sound endorsement.

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STATE SCHOOL BOARD TAKES NO ACTION

It Fails to Approve of the Military Training in the Public Schools

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 5.—Despite the fact that four bills touching on military training in the schools are in the Legislature, the State Board of Education at its meeting here on Saturday took no stand on the issue officially, but judging from individual expressions the membership is evidently divided on the question.

Prof. John C. Van Dyke, of New Brunswick, and Col. D. Stewart Craven, of Salem, expressed themselves as opposed, endorsing the report of the Oliphant commission named at the 1916 session of the Legislature to study the subject and which reported adversely, recommending physical training for all school boys. Prof. Edgar H. Sturtevant, of Edgewater, while not expressing opposition to military training, suggested that the board approve the Oliphant commission's findings.

On the other hand, Vice Chairman Melvin A. Rice, of Red Bank, and former Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of Plainfield, were for the proposition. The latter afterward declared he would not favor militarism, but believed in preparedness.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

Tomorrow is the fifteenth anniversary of the burning of the Babcock building in this city. At that fire over $100,000 worth of property was destroyed. The fire occurred March 6, 1902.

The 69th Regiment of New York on the way from the border, that stopped over to take part in the inaugural exercises, is expected to pass through this city tomorrow over the Central lines for New York.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a pinochle and "500" party at its rooms on Thursday evening of this week.

On Wednesday evening Miantonomo Tribe of Red Men will hold a class initiation. Twenty-five palefaces will receive the adoption degree.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The monthly meeting of the Matlack Bible class of the First Baptist church will be held at the church tonight instead of tomorrow night as previously announced. The class supper will be served at 7 o'clock.

FIRST LECTURE ON FRIDAY

Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Summit, will give the first of a series of four lectures on "South America" at the Y. W. C. A., Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. The other three lectures will be given on succeeding Fridays at the same hour.

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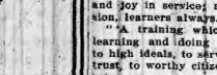

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PLAINFIELD BOYS WIN THE DEBATE

Uphold Right of Belligerent Powers to Search United States Mail

In St. Michael's Hall, Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon, Joseph A. Mc-Evoy and Frederick W. Greene, members of St. Mary's Literary Society of this city, representing the Union County Federation of Holy Name Societies, were victorious in a debate with the representatives of the Essex County Federation. The local young men successfully upheld the right of a belligerent power to search the United States mails. The Essex county debaters were William Mull, of Newark, and Clarence T. Owing, of Arlington.

Following the debate a musical entertainment was enjoyed by the large audience. The victory gained by the two local young men firmly establishes Union county in the league lead although it is up to James Quigley, of Elizabeth, and "Joe" Gallagher, of this city, to see to it that the lead is maintained. The next debate will be in Hackensack on April 1 and Union county will be represented by these two young men. Arrangements have also been made for a debate between the St. Mary's Literary Society and St. Michael's Literary Club of Belleville. This debate will be held in Newark on April 20. A debate with Carlton Academy, of Summit, will take place in the near future.

CHRISTIAN WORK SOCIETY POSTPONES ITS MEETING

The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed Church has postponed its meeting from this afternoon until Thursday afternoon of this week.

MAKING TRIP IN SOUTH

A. G. Negley, Jr., of West Seventh street and Plainfield avenue, left this morning for Washington, where he will attend the inauguration of President Wilson, after which he will start on a two or three weeks' trip in the South.

BROTHERS MARRY AT DOUBLE NUPTIALS

Rev. Peter Froeberg, of Upsala College, Officiated at Swedish Church Wedding

A double wedding was solemnized at the Swedish church, East Seventh street, at five o'clock, on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Annie Maria Almberg and Jens Oscar Madsen, and Miss Signe Elizabeth Beckman and Bjarne Madsen, were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony. The bridegrooms are brothers and sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Madsen, of 222 East Front street. The contracting parties are all residents of this city.

The Rev. Peter Froeberg, president of Upsala College, performed the ceremony. A large number of friends of the contracting parties attending the nuptials. Mr. Thompson presided at the organ. A reception followed at the apartments, 222 East Front street, this city, where the two happy couples are to reside temporarily. The home was prettily decorated, the National colors and Swedish flags being in evidence.

Both Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Madsen and Mr. and Mrs. Bjarne Madsen were the recipients of many beautiful gifts from friends. An original poem composed for the occasion was read at the reception. Guests were present from New York, Newark, Bloomfield and other nearby places.

Owing to illness, Miss Margaret Almberg, a sister of one of the brides, was unable to act as bridesmaid.

FRANKLIN P.-T. SOCIETY TO HEAR MISS JACKSON

Miss Addie Parker Jackson will address the Parent-Teacher Association of the Franklin school on Wednesday afternoon, and all mothers, especially those of the pupils of the school, are urged to attend. There will be a brief business meeting at 3 o'clock and Miss Jackson will speak immediately afterwards.

O. E. Stone, formerly clerk at the Queen City Hotel, is now similarly employed at a Broad street, Philadelphia, hotel.

IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS TAKE THIS HARD GAME

In somewhat of a spirited contest on the local basketball court, the Netherwood Juniors defeated the K. O. K. A. five of Westfield Saturday morning by a score of 49 to 25. Clarke, playing centre for the Westfield crew, put up a star game, scoring 14 of his team's 25 points, while Euander of the locals piled a total of some twenty points for the locals.

The score:

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Snander, f	11	0	22
Davies, f	1	1	3
Henry, f	1	1	3
Brusse, g	1	1	3
Cody, g	0	0	0
Roome, g	1	1	3
	15	4	40

K. O. K. A.	G.	F.	P.
Carr, f	2	1	5
Simpson, f	0	0	0
Clark, c	7	0	14
Morgan, g	3	0	6
Evans, g	0	0	0
	12	1	25

Score by periods			
Netherwood	18	22	40
K. O. K. A.	14	11	25

WHITE SOX DROP WALSH

Chicago, March 4.—"Big Ed" Walsh, the veteran pitcher of the Chicago Americans, will not be taken on the spring training trip, Chas. A. Comiskey, owner of the club, announced Saturday night. Walsh, he said, has permission to arrange a deal for the purchase or managership of a minor league club.

The veteran pitcher, called the "Iron Man" of the American League, has been a member of the Chicago club for fourteen years. The last three or four years, however, he has been of but little service because of the failure of his pitching arm.

SOCIAL CLUB HAS TWO GAMES FOR THIS WEEK

The St. Mary's Social Club basketball team is to start in this week. This evening it is booked to appear on the Hope Chapel court to play the girls' aggregation of that place. There has been as much rivalry evidenced between these two teams as *between the Hope boys and the* T. A. B. S., and for that reason both teams are expected to put up the best fight to be found in them.

Tomorrow evening the Saints will meet the Newark Plainfield High School feminine tossers of the ball. This tilt will be staged on the T. A. B. S. court. Both teams will have a full crew of rooters on the job.

BILL TO REVISE LAWS ON FISH AND GAME PUT IN

For the purpose of revising and codifying the laws of New Jersey relating to the protection of birds, animals and fish, commonly known as fish and game laws, Assemblyman Raymond Sheppard of Cumberland county has introduced a *bill in the* Legislature by authority of the employment of a competent person to perform that task. It provides that the Fish and Game Commissioners may spend a sum not to exceed $500 for the work.

KILLIFER SIGNS CONTRACT

Philadelphia, March 5.—Catcher William Killifer Saturday signed a contract with the Philadelphia National League club. He objected to a cut in salary, and after a talk with President Baker of the club yesterday it was announced that Killifer had signed.

Pitcher Kantlehner, who came to the Philadelphia club from the Pittsburg Nationals last fall, has been released to the Indianapolis club of the American Association. Kantlehner was not satisfied with the salary offered him by the Philadelphia club.

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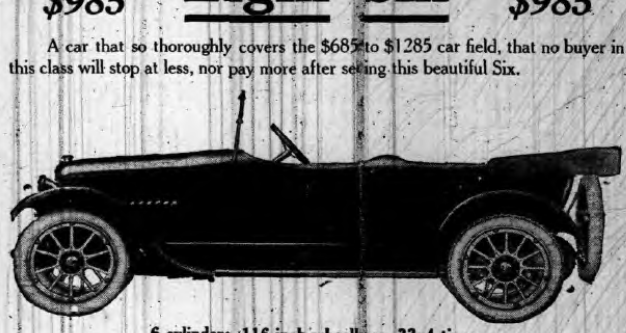

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Councilman Graves Calls Attention to Fires Caused by Burning Ice House

Pointing to the fire that destroyed Tiers' ice house two weeks ago and to the fact that three other buildings were set on fire by burning embers that fell upon the shingle covered roofs of the latter, Councilman Charles C. Graves presented a communication to the Council last night in which he indicates the advisability of adopting an anti-shingle ordinance.

Mr. Graves stated that it was only the kindness of Providence that prevented a disastrous fire the day the ice house burned. If the wind had been blowing, sparks would have been carried all over the city, and we should have had more buildings ablaze than our fire department assisted by departments from other towns, could have coped with. We should heed the warning which the ice house fire gave, and prepare now to prevent a similar spreading of fire in the future, the communication stated.

Morris Israel was granted permission to remove houses from 301-303 Prescott place to 833 South Second street, and from 929 South Second street to 835 South Second street. He will be required to give a bond for $500 to indemnify the city against damages as a result of the removal. The removal of the houses has been made necessary in order to provide vacant land for a further extension of the Niles-Bement-Pond Company's plant.

The Allen B. Lang Company sent a communication to the Council, stating that it would like to be relieved of the contract for keeping the fire alarm system in order at the expiration of the present agreement, or would continue to do the work if an increased compensation will be paid. *The communication stated* that the increase in the cost of labor and materials has made it unprofitable to do the work at the price now paid.

The Council granted auctioneers' licenses to George York, William

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DAMROSCH ORCHESTRA HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

There has been an excellent advance sale of tickets for the concert to be given by the New York Symphony orchestra, Walter Damrosch, conductor, at the High School Auditorium on Thursday evening. The concert is given under the auspices of the Dutch Arms Band of this city, and a very strong program will be presented by the New York artists.

The members of the orchestra, fifty in number, will arrive here in a special car attached to the 7.31 o'clock train from New York on the evening of the concert. This is one of the most prominent musical organizations that has ever appeared in this city.

The New York Symphony orchestra needs no introduction to the Plainfield music-loving public. It is known as the world's greatest organization and is now in its thirty-ninth year. It is famed throughout the United States as representing the highest expression of musical art, both in aspiration and achievement. Its players—each a virtuoso on his special instrument—have, under the masterly training of Walter Damrosch, developed an ensemble so marvelous that the orchestra is now described as one great instrument upon which the conductor plays.

ANNIVERSARY OF WOODHULL & MARTIN'S

Twenty years ago today Woodhull & Martin opened business in the Babcock building in West Front street, and five years later to the very date, the building was destroyed by fire. *Snow was on the ground* to the depth of seven inches.

Woodhull & Martin, coming here from Morristown, bought the business of the late Reed Estell, who had occupied the store in the Babcock *Building several years.*

CARMAN-THOMAS NUPTIALS

Miss Elizabeth Beatrice Thomas, *the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John* H. Thomas, of Richmond street, was married last evening to Charles Carman, at her home, by the Rev. A. D. Jones, pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church. The young couple were attended by *Miss Catherine Copeland* and R. Shipley.

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THE DEATH OF ERNEST L. RANSOME

First Builder of Reinforced Concrete Bridges in This Country at San Francisco

After a period of failing health, Ernest L. Ransome, one of the aged residents of this city, died last evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. B. Lawrence, of 1314 Denmark road. He was seventy-three years old and had lived in this city about ten years.

He leaves his wife and the following children: Mrs. F. V. Lawrence, Miss Violet Ransome and A. W. Ransome, of this city; Mrs. I. C. Boss, of Sacramento, Cal.; Bernard Ransome, of Oakland, Cal.; F. L. Ransome, of Washington, D. C.; and P. A. Ransome, of Philadelphia. Also two sisters living in England.

Mr. Ransome was a native of Ipswich, England, and he and his wife came to this country in 1862, settling in California. In England he had been engaged in the manufacture of Ransome stone, a combination of sand, silica and potash, before the days of Portland cement. In California he developed the product more largely, and with the coming of Portland cement he engaged in the manufacture of that. He was a pioneer in that industry.

He built the first reinforced concrete bridge in this country in 1889, in San Francisco, and the first concrete building in Alameda, Cal., in 1894, and the first building of this kind in the East for the Pacific Coast Borax Co., in Bayonne, N. J.

He lived in San Francisco about twenty-five years; in Chicago ten years; on Staten Island six years, and in Plainfield about ten years. He was at one time the largest stockholder in the Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., of this city, which bears his name as the inventor, but sold his holdings some time ago.

He has since lived more retired. The funeral will be held Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lawrence, and will be private.

He was a member of the Masonic order.

MRS. KELLOGG SPEAKS HERE TOMORROW

Tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, in the parish house of the Congregational church, Mrs. Kellogg and Mr. Rickard, of the Hoover Commission, will give a graphic account of their work in Belgium, and encourage their hearers in co-operating in the national campaign in America to raise a million dollars a month for Belgian relief work.

In connection with this lecture the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society urges as many as possible to attend. Mrs. Richard Boardman, who has undertaken a campaign for the "supplementary meal" suggested by Mr. Hoover and who has arranged for Mrs. Kellogg's talk, has asked that her committee may work under the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society. Her request is welcomed by the society which takes this opportunity of stating that the Hoover Commission has asked for the society's help in the matter. The letter from the commission will be published tomorrow.

TO RELATE EXPERIENCE IN TRENCHES AT FRONT

The Entertainment Committee of the Park Club has made arrangements with Guy Arthur Empey, a Brooklyn boy, to appear at the Park Club Tuesday evening, March 13, to give a lecture and talk on his experiences in the trenches at the front.

Mr. Empey was formerly a machine gunner and bomber in the British expeditionary force in France and has but lately returned to this country wounded, so that he could no longer fight. He has fought, bled and nearly died for the cause of the Allies. He will appear in uniform and give first hand the wonderful tales of close fighting with the Germans.

A small admission will be charged. There will be no reserved seats and the public is invited to attend. The lecture will begin at 8.30 o'clock.

LECTURE TONIGHT FOR BELGIAN MILK FUND

The illustrated lecture, by Mr. Erwin for the benefit of the milk fund that is being raised by the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society, for relief of Belgian children, will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium tonight. No charge is made for admission, but those attending are asked to contribute in the baskets at the door, such sums as they wish to devote to this cause of humanity.

The pictures that Mr. Erwin will show are splendid views of picturesque California, and should furnish an eventful entertainment to lovers of the beautiful, besides being shown in a worthy cause.

TO FIGHT MOVING OF GRAND LODGE

Opposition to Plan to Transfer It From Trenton to Newark

Trenton, March 6.—Judging by what South Jersey Masons have read and heard of late about Newark plans to induce the Grand Lodge of Masons *to hold its 151st* annual communication in 1918 in that city, with a prospect looking to the removal of the grand lodge to the metropolis from the State capital, there promises to be a lively session when the grand lodge meets here next month.

As one past district deputy here puts it, there will be a most interesting time at the grand communication in April, with a prospect for three fights on the floor. The first of these, as the speaker put it, will be to prevent, if possible, the grand lodge going to Newark even on invitation in 1918, including its being retained at its historic meeting place for all time.

The second class will be the contest to fill the office of grand secretary made vacant by the recent death of Theodore B. Townley, and the third will be over the numerous candidacies for the "grand south" as it is called, the office of junior grand warden, through the expiration of the term of the present grand master and the moving up one place of other elective officers, thus leaving the junior grand warden's station vacant.

Unfortunately unsavory incident to this is due to the fact that an election of a junior grand warden, in the ordinary course, is usually equivalent to an ultimate election as grand master, after a year's service each as junior and senior warden, senior grand warden and deputy grand master.

Within a few days official notices have been sent to all past masters and others entitled to sit and vote in the grand lodge, announcing that the 130th annual communication of the grand lodge will be opened at 10:45 a. m., Wednesday, April 18, next, in the auditorium of Crescent Temple, at Trenton, to continue in session two days. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected, appointed and installed on Thursday.

HIGH COST OF LIVING JUMPS BUDGET

Boro' School District Will be Asked to Vote About $9,000 Increase This Year

The increase in the cost of commodities is again the principal cause contributed to the advance of nearly $9,000 in the budget to be presented by the North Plainfield Borough Board of Education at the district school meeting this month. Last year the district appropriated $38,729.87.

The budget was decided upon last night at a meeting of the Board held at the residence of Horace Fischer, Willow avenue. So much a quorum it was necessary to meet at Mr. Fisher's residence, the latter having just recovered from an attack of the grip. Other members present were: Messrs. Cooley, Currin, Holstein and Krausse. County Superintendent of Schools H. C. Krebs met with the Board.

The building and grounds committee asked for an appropriation of $12,050. This includes repairs, $4,250, the connection of the schools *to the sewer system*, installation of modern sanitary arrangements in the Watchung school, and the painting of the Somerset school building this year.

The teachers were provided for by a *six and a half per cent.* increase of salaries, the annual appropriation to be $42,000. A new rule went into effect last night, the teachers being all re-elected for their positions somewhat earlier in the spring for *the ensuing year.* Supervising Principal D. Fred Aungst was re-appointed head of the schools at an increase in salary. Fifteen hundred dollars will be asked for text books supplies.

Dan Cupid has made his usual inroads *in the teaching corps.* Resignation was received last night from Miss Margaret Howell, of Morristown, the instructor in drawing resignation, taking effect June 15th. Miss Howell will be married during the summer. *Miss Nellie Rapalje*, of Somerville, a teacher in the Watchung school, resigns for the same purpose.

Both of the assistant teachers in the kindergarten departments of the Somerset and *Watchung schools have* also resigned their positions to wed. The Board has decided to purchase phonographs to aid in the work of the kindergarten departments.

One of the noticeable increases of supplies *in the schools is coal*, the appropriation asked for this year at an increase of $900. In some instances school supplies have increased 100 per cent.

Clerk Rowley was empowered to advertise the annual school meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, March 20th.

ARTHUR K. PECK TO LECTURE HERE

Will Describe Italy at Washington School on Thursday Night

The attention of the public is called to the fact that the next public lecture given by the Board of Education, which is scheduled for Thursday of this week, will be held in the Washington school auditorium.

Arthur K. Peck, who is a local favorite, will give his lecture, "Italy, the Land of Enchantment," and he has a collection of views of historic ruins, romantic gondolas and enchanted lakes which are interesting and historical as well as entertaining viewpoint.

As all previous lectures and entertainments have been held in the high school, it is hoped that the change of location in this particular one will be noted and that there will be a large attendance. As far as is known at this time, the final two lectures of the series will be held in the high school building.

On March 29th, Ada B. Talbot will lecture on "Mexico, Yesterday and Today." This lecture, in view of present conditions, should prove to be a splendid attraction.

On April 26th there will be a practical demonstration of the work given by the Science Department of the high school. This will be an interesting exposition, by pupils, of the everyday knowledge obtained in the classes.

YOUNG SOPRANO TO SING IN HIGH SCHOOL

The young American soprano singer, Betsy Lane Shepherd, will appear in *the high school auditorium on Tuesday* evening, March 13, and her recital is certain to attract music lovers in large numbers.

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BETSY LANE SHEPHERD
Who Sings in High School March 13

work in oratorio and concert singing and has won a recognized position among the best known sopranos of the United States in a remarkably short time. She comes to Plainfield under the auspices of Vogel & Briggs of the local Edison Diamond Disc Studio, and admission to the recital will be by card obtained from that firm.

MISS TABBERT GOES TO CALIFORNIA

Miss Gertrude Tabbert, a graduate nurse of the Muhlenberg Hospital Training school, left today for Medesta, California, where she has accepted a position in the Medesta Sanatorium.

NOTICE.

Dating from next Monday, March 12th, the subscription price of the Courier-News will be increased from $5.00 to $6.00 a year, and from $5.00 to $6.00 a year. The yearly subscription price applies to CITY DELIVERY PAID IN ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS ONLY.

While we have been forced to pay an increase of more than 100% for white news print paper no increase in price has been made to our subscribers until the present time.

We do not expect either the subscriber or advertiser, or both combined, to make up the added expense. Only a small part of it can be shifted to them. We must stand the loss ourselves. If this was our only trouble the situation would be much more comfortable than it is. But it is decidedly worse; we cannot buy enough paper for our needs at any price. At this time the Courier-News is being printed on paper of such poor quality that under normal conditions it would not be accepted from the manufacturers.

The unusual conditions make it necessary that we keep the number of copies printed at the lowest possible figure. For this reason we must insist upon prompt payment from subscribers. As a proportion to our paid in advance and prompt paying subscribers, we will be compelled to discontinue serving the Courier-News to those who fall behind in their payments.

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AMONG THE ANDES OF PERU AND ECUADOR

Benjamin Miller Lectures Before Monday Afternoon Club in Parish House

An interesting and instructive lecture on Peru and Ecuador was delivered yesterday afternoon in the parish house of the Congregational Church by Benjamin L. Miller of Lehigh University, before the Monday Afternoon Club.

Dr. Miller has travelled through the countries he described and took the views he showed on the screen. These views were so arranged as to give almost a history of the American lands for they showed the old walls and monuments of the mysterious people that preceded the Incas, then the traces of Incas themselves, with the ruins of their buildings and their methods of agriculture, then the times of Spanish dominion and finally the countries as they are today.

In his address Dr. Miller called attention particularly to the hieroglyphics on the older monuments. These, strangely featured those of old Egypt but had so far never been interpreted in modern times, and the speaker believed that whoever found the key to them would be able to make a most important contribution to the veiled history of the Incas and that of the race that came before them. The question as to how this ancient people transported the huge blocks of stone also reminded one of the similar problems regarding the pyramids of Egypt.

Perhaps the two outstanding features of the Andean lands are the immense value of the mines and, on the other hand, the lack of any kind of land in the mining districts. This latter makes it next to impossible for the people to warm their houses when the nights fall and it also keeps back the mining to a serious extent.

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION MET

Will Take Up East End Flood Question Next Monday Night

The Research and Advisory Commission on city planning recently appointed by Mayor Calkins, consisting of George S. Clay, Richard A. Claybrook, Chauncey F. Stout, Duncan W. Taylor and Samuel Rothberg met last night in the councilmanic committee room for the purpose of formally taking up the question of establishing a system of public parks and overcoming the flood conditions that prevail periodically in the east end.

Mr. Claybrook was absent from last night's meeting because of illness. The committee decided to meet next Monday night when Councilmen Smineck and Martin, of the First Ward, with City Engineer Andrew J. Cavett, will present such facts as they possess respecting the cause that leads to the inundation of the east end whenever there is a heavy rainfall.

Mr. Smineck has spent a great deal of time in studying this problem and has a plan which he will submit to the commission.

The park question will receive the attention of the commission from now on, and it is probable that some recommendation relative to this proposition will be made to the council in time for action by that body next year.

The Advisory and Research Commission simply investigates questions of public policy and submits recommendations to the council.

The personnel of the commission is such as to merit the confidence of the people, and give assurance that only matters of a meritorious nature will receive consideration.

STATE TRUST CO'S NEW HOME A MODEL ONE

The State Trust Company, which is now comfortably settled in its fine new banking quarters, is being congratulated by its many patrons and others upon the acquisition of such a modern and well-equipped institution. The general plan of the interior was designed for the purpose of securing the greatest degree of convenience and efficiency, and this has certainly been accomplished.

Not only has ample accommodations been made for the male patrons of the institution, but special arrangements have been made to look after the welfare of the women who will find the department reserved, for them attractive in every respect and calculated to expedite their business with the company. Every facility known to modern banking methods has been incorporated by the company in its building, believing that its efforts will be rewarded by a generous share of the public's business.

—Seats for Symphony Orchestra Concert in High School at Miller's Pharmacy, Park avenue.—Adv.

PRESIDENT HOPES BY INAUGURAL ADDRESS TO SET EUROPE RIGHT

By United Press:

Washington, March 6.—"To set Europe right" on the position of the United States in the international situation today, President Wilson has instructed that copies of his inauguration address of yesterday be brought to the attention of all foreign governments as "information."

AUSTRIA SUPPORTS GERMAN SUBMARINING

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 6.—Austro-Hungary supports the theory of unrestricted submarine warfare. Approval of Germany's course was reiterated by the Viennese government in a note handed to United States Ambassador Penfield today, according to dispatches here.

The note was a formal answer to the United States request through Penfield for an explanation, whether responsible themselves for any losses.

Austro-Hungary pledges in the Ancona and Persia submarinings still held, or whether she like Germany supported the unlimited use of submarines.

A summary of the note received here says *that while Austria supports* the essential belief of the United States Government that safety be afforded neutral lives, nevertheless neutrals have had full and complete warning not to penetrate the Central Powers' "barred zone," and if they do they are responsible themselves for any losses.

ZIMMERMAN STILL DEFENDS HIS ACTION

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 6.—Foreign Secretary Zimmerman's second defense of his action in seeking to align Japan and Mexico with Germany, against the United States was that criticism from certain Germans, of such a source, ill-suited previous complaints that Germany was not doing enough to acquire new allies.

Such an explanation, according to Berlin dispatches received here today, was Zimmerman's answer to Socialist *queries. Newspaper comment all over* Germany appeared to support Zimmerman, although there was a disposition to criticise the bungling by which the move by Germany became known.

LONDON'S POISON PLOT CASE ON TRIAL TODAY

By United Press:

London, March 6.—All the elements of a Sherlock Holmes detective story were present today, when the Crown called for trial the famous "poison pot quartet" to answer the charge of conspiring to poison Premier Lloyd George and Minister Arthur Henderson.

The four were Mrs. Mary Wheeldon, her daughter, Miss Harriet Wheeldon and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mason.

A dark-skinned Mohammedan, S. H. Hiza, appeared as counsel for defendants, and for the Crown Attorney-General Sir F. E. Smith appeared, in charge of an array of counsel.

AUSTRIA STRETCHES A POINT ON SUBMARINES

By United Press:

Washington, March 6.—Austria cannot give up her right to "sink enemy *merchantmen," she says,* in her reply to the American side memotre, received at the State Department.

Austria does not, however, include neutral merchant ships under this right. Hence authorities are inclined *to feel that she has stretched a point* in order to meet the efforts of the United States to avoid a break.

PRESIDENT WAITING ADVICE TO ARM SHIPS

By United Press:

Washington, March 6.—President Wilson will probably announce his decision today on *arming American* merchantmen. There were strong intimations that the decision of his legal advisers will give him power to furnish guns to the ship owners.

The President is represented as waiting only for such formal ruling on his authority to promptly arm the ships, and thereby establish a state of armed neutrality for the United States.

TENNESSEE RIVER FLOOD MAKES 4,000 HOMELESS

By United Press:

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 6.—Four thousand persons were forced to abandon their homes here last night, when the Tennessee river burst its bounds and inundated large sections of the city.

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM FOR SAURER'S MINSTRELS

Saurer's minstrel show will be the attraction at the Plainfield High school tonight, the affair to be given under the auspices of and for the benefit of the concert band, which was organized some time ago among the men employed at the plant of the International Motor Company. The members of the minstrel troupe have been rehearsing their different parts for several weeks and a fine performance is assured tonight.

The program will open with a selection by the band, "International Quickstep," composed by George S. Dufford, band director, and the singing of "Under Southern Skies," and "Down Where the Sunshine River Flows," by the chorus. The end men will be Messrs. Apgar, Ricketts, Linger and Perrin. Part first will consist of the singing of popular songs. Part second will open with a sketch, "Come on Down to Ragtime Town," by Jesse Tambo and Bessie Bowen, to be followed by the Musical Stuarts and specialty numbers, and the program will be concluded by additional popular songs, selections by the band, and dancing. J. W. Hallard is manager for the show.

NOON-DAY SERVICE

The speaker at the men's noon-day service to be held *in the hall on* Madison avenue tomorrow will be F. H. Andrews. All men are invited to attend and participate in an hour of rest and inspiration.

The many friends and acquaintances of Miss E. Foubel, who has been designer in the millinery department of Tepper Brothers for the past eight years, will be pleased to hear that Miss Foubel has transferred her activities to the sales department, and that they may now have Miss Foubel's personal attention and aid in the selection of the season's latest creation. Previous to this time it has not been possible for Miss Foubel to render any such personal service, owing to *the fact that the designing* department required her entire attention.—Adv.

BLATZ PLANNING TO START SET-OFF SUITS

Assistant County Attorney Francis J. Blatz, of this city, will meet with the committee on legal questions of the Union County Board of Freeholders, probably this week, and complete arrangements for starting the set-off suit by the county in the Supreme Court against County Engineer Jacob L. Bauer for $28,000, which is approximately the amount paid him in four years by the county for services of field parties.

It is quite likely that special counsel will be engaged to try the suit, because of the fact that County Attorney William H. Codington was a witness at the Supreme Court investigation and was mentioned both in Justice Bergen's charge to the grand jury, and the presentment reported by the inquest.

MISS PAVLOWA TO SPEAK IN BRYANT SCHOOL

There will be a meeting of the Bryant-Lincoln-Emerson Parent-Teacher Association this evening, at 8 o'clock, when Miss Raba Pavlowa, recently returned from Bulgaria, will speak on "An American Soldier in the War Zone."

The pupils of the fifth grade will entertain with music and a demonstration of physical training. Refreshments will be served.

COST OF CORNERSTONE LAYING

It cost $135.35 to lay the cornerstone of the new City Hall. Bills for this sum, covering the furnishing of supplies incident to the cornerstone laying ceremony were read and approved by the Common Council, last night. The Council also approved the payment of $1,230 to the P. F. Kenney Company, contractors, and $561.15 to Peck & Bottomley, architects.

—Symphony Orchestra Concert in High School, Thursday night. Tickets at Miller's Pharmacy.—Adv.

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ANDERSON MAKES SUGGESTION TO EDGE

Urges Advisability of Collecting Data Showing Cost of Local Governments

William Delaroche Anderson has sent the following letter to Governor Edge:

"My dear Governor:

"We have, or attempt to have, in this State equalization of revenue contribution (taxation); why not have or attempt to have equalization of dollar efficiency of disbursement?

"I respectfully suggest that an effort in this direction would make strongly for the economy and efficiency in public affairs which is the main objective in your administration.

"I offer a simple plan which should require no new legislation and the good results of which would be automatic, namely:

"That the State publish a booklet showing the total amounts of money raised and disbursed by each community in the State reduced to a per capita basis and segregated proportionally to various sources of revenue and to the various municipal departments causing public expenditure, the effect of which would be an itemized comparative statement of statistics, on a per capita basis, of all the municipalities in the State, available to every person as a schedule of relative municipal efficiency and valuable in more ways than one would imagine.

"I am expecting at any time copies of a booklet from the State of Ohio where a plan somewhat similar to the above has already been successfully instituted and will take the liberty of sending you one as soon as may be.

"If the idea expressed in general terms above appeals to you I will be glad to go into the matter in detail with you at any time."

Mr. Anderson says that if the people of the State could see a statement of the comparative cost of local governments they would immediately demand reforms.

ASSEMBLYMAN GETS A "WARM" RECEPTION

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 6.—Because he voted against the local option bill last week in the House, Assemblyman C. Ackerman, a member of the congregation of the First Baptist church of Paterson, has incurred the displeasure of the congregation, and reports from the Silk City indicate a "warm" reception awaits his next attendance at prayer meeting.

Ackerman, one of the youngest members of the Legislature, was supported at the last election by the church members because they believed he was a proponent of the local option issue. In meeting the other evening the church membership expressed "disapproval" of the Passaic county man's vote.

BATTERY C LEAVES FOR HOME TOMORROW

Douglas, Ariz., March 6.—Railroad cars for Battery C, New Jersey Field Artillery, are expected here early tomorrow, when the work of loading will begin. The artillerymen are eagerly waiting for the time of departure tomorrow. Officers of the regular army who will assist in mustering out will occupy Pullman cars with the battery's officers on the trip to New Jersey. The battery hopes to arrive in East Orange Tuesday, March 13. Alfred Dean and Raymond Manley, Plainfield, are members of the Battery.

AMERICAN LINERS AWAIT GUNS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 6.—The American line, it was reiterated today, will not allow any of its vessels to leave this port until guns are mounted upon them or a convoy obtained.

MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Plainfield Business Men's Association, scheduled for last evening, was postponed to an evening next week, the exact date of which will be announced later.

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JUSTICE BERGEN ORDERS MORE SPECIFIC BILL

Supreme Court Justice Bergen on Saturday directed that a more specific bill of particulars be furnished the defendant in two suits against Samuel W. Rushmore, of this city, by William A. Coddington and Leila C. Stockton, both of Plainfield.

The plaintiffs ask $15,000 damages to their land in this city caused by "malicious trespassing" of agents of the defendant. While Mr. Rushmore was building a large residence on Belvidere avenue, it is alleged, his agents removed large quantities of top soil from the land of the plaintiffs.

McCarter & English, counsel for Mr. Rushmore, contended that the claim for damages was exorbitant. The bill of particulars will show the time of the alleged trespassing, the quantity of soil removed and its value. Alfred A. Stein is counsel for the plaintiffs.

ALUMNI OF STEVENS READY FOR SERVICE

For the past year the Alumni of Stevens Institute of Technology have been actively engaged in measures for military and industrial preparedness, so that the present emergency has not taken them by surprise.

Acting through their Committee of Military and Naval Affairs, they are now completing a classified list of Stevens men with reference to their qualifications and readiness for Government service where their special training and experience will make them of great value.

Many Stevens men have already been commissioned in the Officers' Reserve Corps, some are officers in the Regular Army, the Navy and the National Guard, while others are doing special work in ordnance and naval engineering.

ARRESTED BEARER OF ZIMMERMAN NOTE

Houston, Tex., March 6.—It was reported here Sunday night on good authority, and partly corroborated by army officers, that the messenger sent to Mexico by Count von Bernstorff with the Zimmerman note inviting Mexico and Japan to attack the United States, was captured as he tried to cross the Rio Grande by a band of Progreso, twelve miles south of San Juan ferry and twenty-five miles west of the international bridge at Brownsville. He was to have been met on the Mexican side by thirty-five rurales, who were to have escorted him to Mexico City and the German Minister, who were seen by the Indiana guardsmen waiting on the other side of the Rio Grande.

SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH ACTIVITIES

President Boothe C. Davis, of Alfred University, will be the preacher at the Seventh Day Baptist Church next Saturday morning.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will meet for its regular monthly business session, on tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock.

The Woman's Society for Christian Work will meet for sewing tomorrow afternoon, at two o'clock. It is planned to do still further sewing for the Children's Home.

A rummage sale is to be held by the Woman's Society of this church the last week in this month. The time and place to be announced later.

BREAKAGE OF PIPES CAUSES SHORTAGE OF GAS

Special to the Courier-News:

Cincinnati, March 6.—All industrial consumers of gas have been shut off, following the breaking of the pipe lines of the Columbia Gas and Electric Company lines, and the flooding of pump stations in the Kanawha Valley. The flood in the Kanawha, New and Big Sandy River districts is reported the worst in years. The full effects of the shortage will be known this afternoon, and may leave Cincinnati without any gas for heating homes.

NEWARK CONFERENCE OPENS MARCH 28

Bishop Luther B. Wilson Will Preside for Fourth Year in Succession

A strong program in preparation for the coming session of the Newark Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be announced this week, when details have been completed. The sessions will be held in the Halsey Street M. E. church, Newark, opening Wednesday morning, March 28, and continuing until the following Monday or Tuesday.

For the fourth time in succession Bishop Luther B. Wilson will preside over the deliberations of the conference. His wisdom and judgment in dealing with the many complex questions that are bound to rise in a conference so large as the Newark Conference, have endeared him to the members, and at last year's session a resolution asking that the General Conference reassign him to the metropolitan district was carried with enthusiasm, and in May, at Saratoga, the bishop was again named for this district.

One of the chief items of business to come up for discussion will be the proposed changing of boundary lines. Members of the Newark Conference, acting with members from the New York and New York East conferences, form a joint commission that has been considering a plan for more efficient work through change of boundary lines.

The decision to hold the conference in Newark is pleasing to most of the men of the conference. At the 1916 session it was agreed that the invitation of the Washington (Warren county) church be accepted, but later it was necessary to recall the invitation and Halsey street church stepped into the breach. It is probable that some arrangement whereby this church can be made the permanent conference church will be made at this year's session. The Rev. J. C. Howard, D. D., is pastor of the church.

STATE DEATH RATE INCREASE IN JANUARY

Trenton, March 6—An increase of almost two points in the death rate in New Jersey for January, as compared with December is indicated in returns compiled by the bureau of statistics of the State Department of Health. There were 4,422 deaths in January. Of these 4,364 were residents and fifty-eight non-residents of the State. This gives a resident death rate of 17.58 a 1,000 for the month.

There were 675 deaths of children under one year, 182 deaths of children over one year and under five years and 1,721 deaths of persons aged sixty years and over. The last group showed the greatest increase, there having been 322 more deaths in the group in January than in December.

Deaths from communicable diseases in January were practically all below the average.

THIRD ANNUAL REUNION OF 1914 GRAND JURY

Former Councilman A. D. Edgar and Berthold J. Schreiner, of this city expect to attend the third annual reunion dinner of the January 1914 term grand jury, of which they were members, to be held Thursday night, March 15, at 6:30 o'clock at the factory of the Wheatena Company, near Rahway.

As it is unusual for grand juries to have three successive annual reunions the committee hopes that all of the members will attend. John T. Dunn will arrange for free transportation from the Rahway station to the Wheatena Company's building if he is given the time of the arrival of the guests.

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TAFT WILL AROUSE PEOPLE OF SOUTH

Former President Hopes to Stir Countrymen to Appreciation of Duty

New York, March 6.—Believing that "there are some things worse than war," to use his own words, Wm. H. Taft, former President of the United States, now professor of international law at Yale University, and president of the League to Enforce Peace, has cancelled all his paid lecture engagements from March 18 to April 4 in order that *he may ride, like Paul Revere,* through the South and Southwest, to rouse twentieth century minute men to a proper appreciation of their duty to defend their rights now and hereafter.

Mr. Taft's itinerary is as follows: Richmond, Va., March 21; Greensboro, N. C., March 22; Atlanta, Ga., March 23, Birmingham, Ala., March 24; Nashville, Tenn., March 25; Memphis, Tenn., March 26, morning; Little Rock, Ark., March 26, evening; Dallas, Tex., March 27; Oklahoma City, Okla., March 28-29. Leaving Oklahoma City on the evening of March 29, Mr. Taft will arrive in Chicago on the evening of March 30, and will reach his home in New Haven, on the afternoon of April 1.

President Taft's tour is to be made under the auspices of the League to Enforce Peace, the arrangements at each stop being made by the local branch of the organization, co-operating with leading citizens and organizations. At Atlanta, for instance, Governor Harris, of Georgia; Mayor Chandler, Clark Howell, *editor of the* Constitution, the Chamber of Commerce and, indeed, all the leading citizens are working with energy and enthusiasm to make Mr. Taft's visit to the Georgia metropolis the most notable event of the kind in the State's history. It is to be a Georgia affair, with representative citizens from every part of the State, and not merely a city gathering.

COUNCIL AWARDS SUPPLY CONTRACTS

The Plainfield Trap Rock Company was last night awarded by the Common Council, a contract for supplying the city with cracked stone during the present year. The bid which this company submitted was the only proposal received. It was as follows: 2 1-2 inch stone, $1.40 per ton; 1 1-2 inch, $1.45; 1 inch, $1.60; 1-2 inch, $1.70; screenings, $1.70.

The Watchung Stone Company was awarded *the contract for supplying* culvert stone, cross walks and curbing.

The Rutherford Rubber Company was also awarded a contract for supplying rubber tires to the city. Their proposal was for ten or more tires 30x3, $18.45; 30x3 1-2, $21.08; 34x4, $40.80; 35x5, $63.25.

The Barrett Manufacturing Company was the lowest bidder on refined tar for streets and was awarded the contract. Their price was six cents per gallon.

"SMOKE-EATERS" WERE VICTORIOUS

Last night's series of games between the Barbers and the Firemen in the borough pinochle tournament proved disastrous for the nary trimmers. They lost a double header contest, the best four out of six games going to Chief McCullough's trio. The Independents won the best two out of three games from the Dominoes. The contest is now drawing to a close with the Barbers in the lead. Tonight the Cooperites battle with the Barbers in the series of games.

BRIGHTSIDE CIRCLE TO HOLD MEETING

Members of the Brightside Circle of The King's Daughters are requested to note the change of date for the next meeting, from March 14 to tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. E. H. Good, 1208 Cameron avenue.

WANT BRIDGE OVER CEDAR BROOK AT STELLE AVE.

A resolution requesting the Plainfield members *of the Union County* Board of Freeholders to do their utmost to have the Freeholders construct a new bridge over Cedar brook at Stelle avenue was adopted by the Common Council last night.

RECOVERING FROM STORM CONDITIONS

Street Commissioner's Men Busy Opening Gutters and Cleaning Walks

Traffic conditions were considerably upset during the past two days as a result of the belated snow storm, which was accompanied with some rain. Street Commissioner Andrew J. Gavett kept his force of men busy clearing crosswalks and opening gutters, but he has been handicapped to some extent through inability to get enough men.

It was not until yesterday afternoon that the street men were able to clean crosswalks in the business section, *thus affording much relief.* A small gang has been busy in the residential sections clearing crosswalks and sidewalks where property owners have failed to do so. It is likely that some of those who have failed to comply with the city ordinance will find themselves in the police court, the authorities being determined that walks shall be cleaned within a reasonable time after a storm.

Several merchants complained yesterday that where the city had taken the trouble to open up gutters, drivers of automobiles as well as horses would allow their vehicles to stand in the gutters close to the curbing stopping the natural flow of the water and slush, causing it to back up, greatly inconveniencing pedestrians.

The storm also caused much trouble for the trolley company, throwing the cars off schedule, and the telephone and telegraph companies found it difficult to maintain normal conditions.

"ICE WAGON" CONNORS APPLIES FOR PARDON

Trenton, March 6.—With 21 murderers, seven men convicted of manslaughter, two charged with white slavery and several accused of arson applying for clemency, the Court of Pardons today announced the list of those who are asking for their liberty from State Prison for the March term. This is an unusually large number of capital cases to apply for one term. The total number of applicants, including a few who want fines remitted or restoration to citizenship, and several penitentiary cases, is 282, one of the largest lists in some time. The list of applicants includes Charles Connors, sentenced January 8, 1915, to three and one-half to seven years, for entering the home of Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, and stealing jewelry valued at $15,000.

"FIRST AID" SESSION ON FRIDAY NIGHT

On account of the Damrosch concert for Thursday night, the class in "first aid" being held at the First M. E. church will be postponed to Friday evening for this week only, thereafter the lectures will occur every Thursday evening as originally planned. The class is unlimited as to number, but an early enrollment is advisable, *especially since time of* the ten lessons must be attended at the Red Cross examination is to be taken. The examination is not compulsory, however. The class is open to both men and women or to any young people. Single admission to any lecture may be had at small fee.

WILL VACATE THORNTON AVE.

An ordinance providing for the vacating of a portion of Thornton avenue was adopted on first and second reading by Council last night. The portion of the street referred to has never been used. The land belongs to the Englehart Real Estate Company. A public hearing on the ordinance will be given on April second.

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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS FOR STATE POSITIONS

Civil service examinations will be held on Wednesday, March 14 and 21, for State positions. There will be examinations on the former date, one for surveyor and draughtsman in Mercer County engineer's office, salary $100 to $150 per month; another for the position of stationary fireman, open to residents living in the southern part of the State and one for the position of parole officer, there being two vacancies at the State Home for Girls. The salary is about $40 to $50 a month. This examination is open to female residents of the State. On Wednesday, March 21, the examination will be for the position of stationary firemen, open to residents of the southern part of the State. The salary ranges from $480 to $1,200 per annum. Applications should be filed at least a week before the examinations are held.

FIRST BAPTISTS ELECT BIBLE SCHOOL OFFICERS

The Bible school of the First Baptist church held the annual meeting last evening and elected the following officers: Superintendent, Arthur M. Harris; first assistant, Frank W. Jones; second, James E. Church; third, Miss George Robins; treasurer, Frank E. Bach. Other officers will be appointed later.

The reports showed that the average attendance for the year was far above that of the preceding year, due largely to the increase in the adult classes. The amount raised for all purposes was $1,800. Eighty-six of the pupils joined the church during the year.

TO HOLD DELEGATES

A series of three meetings has been arranged by the State Executive Committee of the National Progressive party for the selection of delegates to the national convention to be called in St. Louis on April 12, 13 and 14, and to continue the organization work. The places and dates are: Camden, March 10, at 2 p. m., at 315 Market street; Morristown, March 16, at 8 p. m., at the office of A. T. Robinson, Park place; Newark, March 23, at 8 p. m., in the assembly room in the Essex building.

FRELINGHUYSEN AND EDGE AT DINNER

With the Governor of New Jersey and one of the State's representatives in the United States Senate as speakers for its annual dinner on March 17 the Society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of Montclair, expects that its celebration of St. Patrick's day this year will be one of the most interesting it has ever conducted. Governor Walter E. Edge and Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen have both accepted the invitation of the Friendly Sons to attend the dinner and deliver speeches.

Besides these two officials the speakers *at the dinner will be* former Mayor Julian K. Gregory, of East Orange, and the Rev. Father John J. Murphy, of Amjere. Mayor Louis F. Dodd, of Montclair, will deliver the address of welcome, and Judge James P. Mylod, of Glen Ridge, will be the toastmaster. The dinner will be held at the Hotel Montclair, where the Montclair Friendly Sons have conducted all their celebrations since they organized eight years ago.

PLAINFIELD PEOPLE INJURED IN WESTFIELD

Early this morning an east-bound trolley car, No. 2018, in turning at the corner of Brightwood avenue and Prospect street, Westfield, failed to respond to the brakes and switched across the tracks.

There were eight passengers in the car, and five of them were bruised and shaken up. They were: Mrs. *K. S. Palmer and Mrs. L. E. Palmer,* 522 East Second street, Plainfield; Samuel Kotz, 243 East Third street, Plainfield; Frederick Neilson, 1426 East Second street, Plainfield, and George Buzz, 511 Market street, Camden.

The injured were taken to the home of Mrs. Kay of Prospect street, where they were attended by Dr. R. G. Savoye and Dr. G. R. Laird. The injuries were not serious and it is understood that all the parties were sent home after they had received the necessary attention.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

There will be a service of praise and testimony in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening. Good music will be a feature.

"Feeling Tough, Jim—

I had spells like that, too—lazy, blue, no 'pep'—until wife gave me

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 6.

The German offensive at Verdun entered a third phase, an attack from the northwest, on the western bank of the Meuse.

British relief expedition in Mesopotamia, under General Aylmer, reached Essinn, on the Tigris, within seven miles of Kut-el-Amara, where General Townshend's force was surrounded.

Two Years Ago Today.

Venizelos resigned as premier of Greece.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1917.

SOMETHING TO EXPLAIN

The Senators who refused to stand by President Wilson in the last hours of Congress, to uphold the dignity and honor of the United States, will have something to explain to the "folks back home," for their attitude was a surprise to their constituents, and directly in violation of the action expected of them. They stood out against the President when he was urging the Senate to take proper measures to protect the nation in "a crisis fraught with more subtle and far-reaching possibilities of national danger than any other the Government has known in the whole history of its international relations," to use the words of the President.

Victor Ridder, vice president of the New York Staats-Zeitung, throws some light on the suspected Pro-German tendencies of Senator Stone, of Missouri, who instead of being willing to "be shown," insisted on wearing out the patience of the Senate in a long screed of filibustering.

One of the most sensational statements attributed to Senator Stone by Mr. Ridder was that "the administration's apparently anti-German policies were only for public consumption, and that privately they were ready to work hand and glove with the German-American leaders." As chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, it was surmised that Mr. Stone must have been speaking for himself when he spoke of the administration.

The following are some of the comments of the papers from the homes of the willful Senators:

Vardaman

Jackson, Miss.—The" Daily News, discussing Senator Vardaman's opposition to the President's German policy, says:—"Four years in the United States Senate have failed to make a statesman of Jim Vardaman. He is still the rabble-rousing demagogue of old. The only thing notable about his service is that a poor Democrat has been converted into an unreliable Republican. Probably he is voting against Americanism because it is the only possible way for him to attract attention nowadays. Jim is one person who has never been able to distinguish between fame and notoriety."

Kirby

Texarkana, the home of United States Senator Kirby, does not favor any attitude of the Arkansas Senator that is not wholly in sympathy with the desires of President Wilson. It may be safely said that this is the consensus among the leading citizens and

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the majority of this city's population.
—Four States Press, Texarkana, Ark., March 4, 1917.

LaFollette

Madison, Wis.—Senator La Follette is not receiving the indorsement of the majority of the citizens of Madison, his home town, on his filibustering in the Senate. Prominent citizens, many of whom have been his ardent supporters in politics, are severely condemning him for not standing behind the President. Mayor George C. Sayle expressed the sentiment of the majority of the people yesterday, when he sent a telegram to Senator La Follette urging him to get behind Wilson.

EDITORIAL NOTES

In case of a war a great many people will develop conscientious scruples against fighting.

It must have been an awful shock in Germany when Ambassador Gerard wouldn't kneel and kiss the Kaiser's toe.

There are still a large number of people who think that a sweet smile is ample protection against 42 centimetre guns.

Formerly a boy was told that he might become president of the United States, but now it is pointed out to him that he might become a moving picture star at $1,000,000 a year, with far fewer troubles.

The ball players will be quite an asset in case of war, as they have been practising for many years on the umpire.

It is pretty hard to play bridge with your wife and retain your faith in the superiority of the masculine intellect.

Germany held Ambassador Gerard as a hostage because Ambassador Bernstorff is not safe from German U boats.

Never yet has Uncle Sam admitted that when he sails three miles from New York harbor he is in any European king's private fish pond.

International law nowadays is the respect that you show to a nation with a better army.

Feeling the obligation to hasten to the support of the Government, the makers of shoddy clothing and adulterated foods are getting ready to supply our military forces in case of war.

SHELLS' DESTINATION SECRET

Hoboken, March 6.—Although it is believed it is intended for Europe, secrecy surrounds the destination of a shipment of from 75,000 to 90,000 sixteen-inch shells which has arrived here over the Lackawanna Railroad from a Western point. The shells, all of which were empty and which weighed 650 pounds each, were loaded aboard lighters and taken down the bay.

THE NEWEST SPRING WASH FABRICS

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They Comprise the Highest Grade Fabrics

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CAN'T CUT RATES SAYS M'CARTER

P. S. C. Head Says Lowering of Charges Would Mean Insolvency

If there is to be any change in electric power and light rates as the outcome of hearings under way before the Public Utility Commission, the change must be to higher rates. This was the gist of a statement made yesterday by Thomas N. McCarter, president of the Public Service Corporation, during the course of a hearing before the commission, as part of the electric rate inquiry, now in its third year.

"It is perfectly ridiculous to talk about lowering electric light rates," Mr. McCarter asserted. "No matter what the decision of this commission may be, it would be academic in that respect. Any lowering of rates under the present conditions would mean insolvency."

Mr. McCarter declared in his statement, which began as a somewhat impassioned protest against "crowding" the company in the rate inquiry, that electric companies are now passing through a most critical period. He related that during January the Public Service Electric Company had paid $350,000 more for coal than under normal conditions—an item of $3,000,000 a year, he pointed out.

For the last three months, engineers representing the commission and the company have been in conference, seeking to agree on an inventory and an appraisal of the Public Service Company's properties. Dr. D. C. Jackson, the commission's representative, reported accomplishment yesterday, but also reported failures to reach agreement on certain phases. Chairman Ralph W. E. Donges of the commission announced the commission's determination to proceed with the hearings, and it was against this decision that Mr. McCarter protested.

POSTPONE SCHOOL VOTE

For the first time in many years the people of New Providence Township will not be asked by the Board of Education to vote on appropriations at the annual school election, to be held March 20. A special election will be called before July 1. This is done because an entire new school board will be chosen at the March election, and it was feared that it might interfere with the proper consideration of the question of appropriations. The board consists of three members. One will be elected for three years, one for two and the other for one year.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE

of Valuable Real Estate on Saturday, March 17, 1917

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on the premises, No. 210 West Fifth street, between Madison and Arlington avenues, only one-half block from Madison avenue street car line, and within a few minutes' walk from main Central Railroad Station.

The property is a cosy, modern dwelling, with all improvements, and is desirable, in the residential section, centrally located. It contains 9 rooms, viz, three on the first floor, kitchen and pantry; three light, airy bedrooms and large bathroom, open plumbing, on the second floor, also two bedrooms finished off on third floor. Slate roof and foundation, with cement walks, including large front porch. Several fruit trees and grape arbors, very productive, and small tool house on premises. Size of lot 41½ feet front by 138 feet deep, more or less. This will be a good chance for anyone looking for a home already built, and on easy terms, or to purchase as an investment, as the property is going to be sold. Reason for selling is the owner is moving to another part of the State where he has large interests. For inspection of property, or any other information, apply to the auctioneer.

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'Phone 566 Plainfield, N. J.

FEDERAL AID FOR STATE SCHOOLS

New Jersey Will Receive $1,243,035 During Next Ten Years

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 6.—New Jersey will receive during the next ten years the sum of $1,243,035 in Federal aid for her vocational education as the result of the Smith-Hughes bill, signed by the President on February 23, the State Board of Education was told by Assistant State Commissioner of Education Lewis Carris, who has charge of industrial education. Mr. Carris submitted the report in the absence of State Commissioner Kendall. The Smith-Hughes bill provides Federal grants of money annually shall be made for the purpose of co-operating with the States in the promotion of vocational education.

The money will become available on the first of next July, and for the year of 1917-1918 New Jersey will receive the sum of $42,650. Of this amount $6,400 will be for the salaries of teachers, supervisors or directors of agricultural education; $12,350 for salaries of teachers of trade, home economics and industrial subjects and $13,800 for the training of teachers of vocational subjects. For the following year the State will receive the sum of $62,445 to be apportioned to the foregoing purposes, and each year the grant will increase until in 1927 the maximum of $200,100 will be reached, and thereafter annually that sum will be paid New Jersey as its share of the Federal appropriation.

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No matter whether you are bothered with falling hair, gray hair, stringy, dull, brittle, oily hair, dandruff or itching scalp, try Parisian Sage today on this money back offer. A large bottle is inexpensive at drug stores everywhere, and if your hair is worth saving Parisian Sage is surely worth trying.—Adv.

A TALK to COAL BUYERS

This company, in its advertising, has endeavored to impress upon the coal buying public, that by virtue of its organization and wholesale connections, it is in a position to render service of a particularly efficient kind, a service not possible to every dealer in coal.

This winter, during the coal shortage, this service has been put to the test, and how well our organization has met it can best be vouched for by our customers. We have not only taken care of all our orders, but we have furnished coal to other dealers as well, and we point to our ability to care for our trade under the exceptional conditions that have presented themselves, with considerable pride, for we feel that our claim to be able to serve the public satisfactorily at all times and under all conditions, has been amply demonstrated.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT OF CERTAIN STREETS AND PORTIONS OF STREETS OF THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD WITH PERMANENT AND DURABLE BRICK PAVEMENT AND WITH PERMANENT AND DURABLE CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT, AND TO PROVIDE THE NECESSARY FUNDS IN ADVANCE OF THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FOR BENEFITS.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the following named streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield shall be permanently improved with durable vitrified brick pavement, with the necessary surface drains and underdrains and concrete abutments or curbs:

West Front Street, from the present brick pavement at Madison Avenue to the northeasterly curb line of Washington Avenue.

East Second Street, from the present brick pavement at Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Park Avenue;

North Avenue, from the present brick pavement at Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Park Avenue;

East Fifth Street, from the northeasterly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Richmond Street;

Madison Avenue, from the present brick pavement at West Front Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Second Street;

Park Avenue, from the present brick pavement at East and West Fourth Streets to the southeasterly side lines of East and West Seventh Streets;

Watchung Avenue and Crescent Avenue, from the present brick pavement at East Fourth Street to the southeasterly side line of East Sixth Street;

Section 2. That said streets and portions of streets described in Section 1, excepting those portions of Watchung Avenue occupied by the tracks of the Public Service Railway Company and in addition thereto eighteen inches on each side of the portion of said streets occupied by said tracks, shall be paved for the entire width between curb lines of said streets, respectively, with vitrified brick having six inch cement concrete foundation, said pavement to be extended to the side lines of said streets at each intersecting street.

Said underdrains shall be of drain tile surrounded by broken stone, screened gravel or slag, and the abutments for curbs shall be of cement concrete, six inches thick and twenty inches deep, with suitable bars.

Section 3. That the following named streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield shall be permanently improved with durable reinforced cement concrete pavement with the necessary surface drains and underdrains, and concrete abutments or curbs:

Park Avenue, from the southeasterly side lines of East and West Seventh Streets to the northwesterly curb lines of East and West Ninth Streets;

Watchung Avenue, from the southeasterly side line of Ninth Street to the northwesterly curb line of East Seventh Street;

Crescent Avenue, from the southeasterly side line of East Sixth Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Seventh Street;

East Sixth Street, from the northeasterly side line of Watchung Avenue to the northeasterly side line of Park Avenue;

West Seventh Street, from the southeasterly side line of Watchung Avenue to the northeasterly curb line of Grant Avenue;

Section 4. That said streets and portions of streets referred to in Section 3 shall be paved for the entire width between the curb lines of said streets, respectively, with vitrified brick having six inch cement concrete pavement, and to eight inches above the pavement shall be extended to the side line of said streets at each intersecting street.

The said underdrains shall be of drain tile surrounded by broken stone, screened gravel or slag, and the abutments for curbs (which shall be constructed where there are no curbs of suitable concrete curbs) shall be of cement concrete, six inches thick and twenty inches deep, with suitable corner bars around all circular corners.

Section 5. That notice shall be given out upon contract to the lowest responsible bidder for the work and acts mandatory thereof and supplemental thereto, authorized by said City Council at the last official census, but not for more than the amount limited by law, the Common Council of said City do hereby, pursuant to the Act of the Legislature of said State, entitled, "An Act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State, and to provide for the payment of the expense of the same, and for the assessment of the benefits of such improvements upon the land and real estate benefited thereby," approved March 7, 1892, and the supplemental thereto and amendatory thereof, authorize the issue of one hundred and fifty (150) coupon municipal bonds of the City of Plainfield, of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, and amounting in all to One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000), which bonds shall be dated July second, Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, and which bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and July of each year, and be payable so that there is to say—on the first day of July of each and every year, from Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen to Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-three, (1917-1933) both inclusive, one of said bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, which shall be signed by the Mayor and bear the corporate seal of the City, and be attested by the City Clerk, and may, severally or together, be ordered by resolution of the Common Council, be sold for an amount not less than par value; and there shall be raised by tax in each year hereafter such sum of money as may be necessary to pay the interest on all outstanding bonds and principal of such bonds as may mature during the year, and the money derived from the assessments upon the property benefited shall, when collected, be held as a fund toward the payment of said bonds.

Section 7. That it is hereby determined and declared as follows:

(a) The probable period of the usefulness of the aforesaid brick pavement and concrete concrete pavement is twenty years.

(b) The average assessed valuation of the taxable real property (including improvements) of the City of Plainfield, computed upon the next preceding three valuations thereof made by the State Board fixed under Section 12 of Chapter 252 of the New Jersey Laws, 1914, is $30,980,680.00.

(c) The net debt of the City of Plainfield computed in the manner provided in Section 12 of Chapter 252 of the New Jersey Laws, 1918, is $698,-643.12.

(d) That the statement required by such section 12 of said act has been made by the treasurer of the City of Plainfield, the chief financial officer of said City, and filed in the office of the Clerk thereof as required by said act.

Section 8. That after said improvements shall have been completed, the Common Council shall, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, apply to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union for the appointment of Commissioners to estimate and assess benefits upon the owners of the lots or parcels of land and real estate peculiarly benefited by such improvements in proportion, as near as may be, to an amount equal to the amount of benefits actually acquired by the lands and real estate bordering on said streets or parts thereof, respectively, by reason of such improvements, respectively, and in case the costs and expenses aforesaid shall exceed the amount of said benefits, the excess thereof shall be paid by the City at large and raised by general tax; no property or owner thereof to be in any case assessed beyond the amount of benefit actually derived from said improvements.

Adopted by the Common Council March 6, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 6, 1917.

LEIGHTON CALKINS,
Mayor.

Attest:
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATING OF PEDDLERS, HAWKERS, CARTMEN AND THE OWNERS AND DRIVERS OF VEHICLES USED FOR HIRE, AND CONCERNING STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS," APPROVED FEBRUARY 18, 1910, AND AMENDED BY ORDINANCE APPROVED APRIL 12, 1910.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That section 10 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Providing for the Licensing and Regulating of Peddlers, Hawkers, Cartmen and the Owners and Drivers of Vehicles used for hire; and Concerning Street Traffic Regulations," approved February 18, 1910, and amended by ordinance approved April 12, 1910, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. That any person or corporation licensed under this ordinance to use for hire or wares and hack, omnibus, stage, motor vehicle or other vehicle for the carriage of passengers, may charge the following rates, but no more, that is to say:

(a) That for each motor vehicle, as defined in Chapter 113 of the Laws of New Jersey of 1906, for the carriage of any passenger or passengers from any point within any part of the City of Plainfield to any point included within the following boundaries, that is to say, beginning at a point where the northeasterly side line of Johnston Avenue produced would intersect Green Brook; thence along said line and the northeasterly side line of Johnston Avenue to North Avenue; thence in the same course in a direct line to the northeasterly side line of South Avenue; thence along said side line of South Avenue produced to the side line of Woodland Avenue produced; thence along said line and the easterly side line of Woodland Avenue to the southerly side line of Martine Avenue; thence along said side line of Martine Avenue to the easterly side line of Hillside Avenue; thence along said easterly side line of Hillside Avenue and the southeasterly side line of Randolph Road; thence along said side line of Randolph Road to the southwesterly side line of Plainfield Avenue; thence in a direct line to the intersection of the southwesterly side line of Spooner Avenue with the southeasterly side line of Netherwood Heights Road; thence along said side line of West Second Street to the southeasterly side line of Grant Avenue; thence along said side line of Grant Avenue to the southwesterly side line of West End Avenue to the northwesterly city line of Plainfield; thence following said northwesterly city line to the intersection of the northwesterly side line of Johnston Avenue, produced, with the northeasterly city line, thirty-five cents for one passenger, fifty cents for two passengers and seventy-five cents for three passengers, and for each passenger carried from the same point to the same destination at the same times and from any point within to any point without the aforesaid limits the sum of fifty cents for one passenger and twenty-five cents for each additional passenger; provided, however, that after eleven o'clock at night until five o'clock in the morning the charges may be double the said fares, excepting the charges for trips to and from the railroad station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, Plainfield, New Jersey, which are not to be increased during said hours. Whenever any such motor vehicle, or any part thereof, shall be engaged by the hour the person licensed to use for hire or wages any such motor vehicle, or any of the vehicles may charge one dollar for the first hour and seventy-five cents for each additional hour.

(b) That all motor vehicles, as defined in Chaper 113 of the Laws of New Jersey for the year 1906: For a number of passengers from one to four, inclusive, for the first half mile or fraction thereof, fifty cents; for each quarter mile thereafter, ten cents; for each six minutes waiting, ten cents; and for ordering such motor vehicle within one mile and a half from any stand or station to the point of order at which the passenger or passengers are to be taken up, fifty cents, which shall be made; and for ordering such motor vehicle more than a mile and a half from any stand or station to the point at which the passenger or passengers are to be taken up, a charge may be made at the rate of twenty cents for each mile or fraction thereof in excess of one mile and a half; provided that children under five years of age shall be carried free as passengers if accompanied by older persons.

(c) That any person licensed under this ordinance as Expressman may charge for each trip with one piece of baggage the following rates, but no more, that is to say: From any point within to any point without the boundaries described in paragraph (a) twenty-five cents and from any point within to any point within said boundaries fifteen cents.

That every person or corporation licensed under this article as driver of every hack, omnibus, stage, motor vehicle, or other vehicle for the carriage of passengers for hire, who shall demand for any service mentioned in this section any greater compensation or rate fixed herein for such service shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for the first offense, and by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars and forfeiture of the license which may have been issued, for any offense subsequent to the first.

Adopted by the Common Council March 6, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 6, 1917.

LEIGHTON CALKINS,
Mayor.

Attest:
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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DIED

RANSOME—On Monday, March 5, 1917, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. B. Lawrence, 1314 Denmark road, Ernest L. Ransome, aged seventy-three years. Funeral private. 3-6-2t

HARRIS — At Greenbrook road, March 5, 1917 Mary Elizabeth Harris, in her 87th year. Funeral services private.

PRICE—At the residence of Mr. J. T. Goodwin, 740 Carlton avenue, on Tuesday, March 6, 1917, Ella Price, in her 67th year. Services and interment at Champaign, Illinois.

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We the undersigned, hereby respectfully wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kindness shown us in our late bereavement in the loss of our son, Elmer E. Beesley, especially we wish to thank the Muglenberg Hospital and the officiating clergyman, William P. Townsend, also undertaker H. De Mott. Signed:
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teeple and Family.

NOTICE

All members of the Hodcarriers' Union, No. 221, Local of Plainfield, N. J., are requested to be present at the meeting rooms, 224 West Front street, on Thursday night, March 8, 1917. Business of importance to transact.
THOMAS BROWN, President.
J. L. BETTS, Rec. Secretary.
3-6-3t

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ROOMS AND BOARD

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. Miss Kline, 21 Sandford avenue. 2-3-1m

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A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

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TWO LARGE connecting rooms; with private bath; also other rooms. 120 Crescent avenue. 2-5-1m

TO LET—HOUSES

FOR RENT—House, 6 rooms, all improvements. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR RENT—On Division street, 5-room house, with bath, to small family; possession April 1st. Address 111 West Fifth street. 2-8-tf

TO RENT—1064 Arlington avenue, modern house, improvements, steam heat; good surroundings; $35 per month. Inquire 1048 Arlington, or 'phone 517-J. 3-6-3t

FOR RENT—Houses, in South Plainfield. Apply J. N. Robustelli, South Plainfield. 3-6-3t

TO LET—Six-room house, all improvements; rent moderate; good opportunity to keep chickens. Apply 311 Orange place, Plainfield. 3-6-2t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 8-room house, 1424 Willever street; 8-room house, 1427 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET

NICELY furnished house for rent; couple willing to take board for rent. "Board," care Courier-News. 3-3-6-8-10

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AUTOMOBILES painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2236-M. 6-6-1y-*

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT — Flat, 312 East Front, 6 rooms, all improvements; rent $25.00. C. D. Manning, 106 Depot avenue. 3-6-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements, on trolley line, for small house; also two lots in Garwood, 50x150, for a small house. Inquire 1430 East Second street. 2-5-1m

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR EXCHANGE — Nine-room modern house, large lot, finest location, for two-family house, or for sale on easy terms; no agents. "M. H.," care Courier-News. 3-6-8-10

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Up-to-date meeting room, steam heated; also office, 204 West Front street. Inquire Bernstein Outfitting Co. 3-2-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

STENOGRAPHER wishes position; well educated; beginner; salary reasonable. "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-2t

GOOD laundress wants first three days of week, or first-class cook. 642 West Third street. 3-6-3t

RELIABLE colored waitress secures parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-5-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 32 Somerset street, Plainfield. 8-18-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop; one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 34-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—Strong boy, not under 18, to help in kitchen and make himself generally useful. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-5-2t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow, etc.; a good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

CARPENTER wanted to build and finish rooms in house, $18 per week; 4 or 5 weeks' work. Twin Falls Mills, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-3-3t

WANTED—Good, live collector; must have good references as to honesty. Call after 5 p. m. or before 10 a. m., 172 East Front street. Ask for Mr. Woodey. 3-5-3t

BOY WANTED to help around garage, $5 per week to start; reference. Address Borough Garage. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Useful man not afraid of work; week's work consists of 5½ days; good pay; reference required. Address "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-5t

WANTED—Four non-union painters. Apply New Post Office. 3-6-3t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 3-2-1m

ALL ROUND automobile mechanic in small garage; steady position; opportunity for ambitious man; reference required. Address "Garage," care Courier-News. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Experienced chauffeur, single, white, by Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-6-2t

WANTED — First-class bookkeeper; must have best of references. Apply by letter Box B, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—For April 1st, three or four rooms for light housekeeping, all or part improvements. Address P. O. Box 620, Plainfield. 2-19-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you house; also two lots in Garwood, 50x150, for a small house. Inquire 1430 East Second street. 2-5-1m

WANTED—For April 1st, two or three rooms, with conveniences, in borough; location near Somerset street preferred. G. M., care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street.

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 224 Clinton avenue. 3-6-4t

ELDERLY COUPLE desire 4 or 5 unfurnished rooms, rear yard privileges, rent under $15, near New and Front streets. "R. G.," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

WANTED — Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good location and reasonable. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-5t

A MIDDLE-AGED English speaking lady wants one or two rooms in or close to center of Dunellen. Address P. O. Box 513, Dunellen, N. J. 3-3-3t

WANTED TO RENT — House, about 7 rooms, near Plainfield station; rent not over $20. Address John Hormann, 1110 South avenue. 2-5-3t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; two in family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

WANTED—Small house or first floor flat, 5 or 6 rooms, improvements; rent not to exceed $25.00. Address "Box 600," care Courier-News. 2-20-12t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

LIGHT manufacturing proposition of unusual interest; small amount of capital required. "F. B.," care Courier-News. 3-6-2t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

AT MURRAY'S Auction Rooms—Just a few of the bargains we are offering for this week, viz: New fold towel racks, worth 10 each, now going at 10c; two for 25c, not more than two to one customer; 50 and 60c books now going at 5c, 10c, 15c and 2 for 25c; magazines and periodicals, 2 for 5c; and also books going at 3 for 5c. We have on hand over half a ton of wall paper; we are going to dispose of it quick to make room for goods coming in; and we buy books of all kinds in small or large lots, or anything pertaining to the household, including merchandise, bric-a-brac, etc. Our storage rates are very reasonable; trunks and household furniture, and separate rooms for every one. We also do crating and packing, and guarantee our work. Robert Murray, general auctioneer and appraiser. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 3-27-1m

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

GRAFLEX CAMERA, 4x5, with developing, printing and enlarging outfits for sale; cost $140, sell $70. 612 West Front street. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-7m

COOKING RANGE for sale, cheap; also gas range. 37 De Kalb avenue. 3-5-3t

HORSE, runabout and harness for sale; horse always driven, by lady; cheap to right party. Box 123, care Courier-News. 3-5-3t

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order, no use for same, $50 cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-tf

JERSEY family cow, very rich milker; heifer, and 150 White Leghorn hens; lot of second-hand lumber and sash for sale cheap. S. H. Arena, 1061 Rahway road. Tel. 1633-M. 3-6-2t

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE—Copying press, $6.00. J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., 620 North avenue. 3-6-tf

FOR SALE — Very reasonable, cash or terms, fine Harrman concert upright piano, like new, as used mostly for recitals. Call 839 West Sixth street. 3-6-4t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J., R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-2m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE — Peerless Houdan setting eggs, from Blue Ribbon Winners, $1.00. 28 Stone street. 3-2-6t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, half Jersey and half Guernsey; will sell cheap. Box 51-F, Bound Brook, R. F. D. No. 1. 3-3-3t

FOR SALE—New brass bed, complete, $10.00; New Perfection oil stove, $3.00. 305 Orange place, City. 3-6-2t

HATCHING EGGS—S. C. W. Leghorns and Barred Rocks setting, 100 or 1,000. Leon L. Chevanney, Greenbrook Farm, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-6-3t

FRESH EGGS, delivered, 50c dozen; also delicious oranges and grape fruit by the box, reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-3-3t

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

TWO HORSES for sale, Joseph Harrigan, 32½ South avenue. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE—Leghorn eggs, $6 a hundred, $1 per setting; Young strain. F. Holland, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-3-5t

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

HEAVY and light horses for sale, also wagons and harness; price right to quick buyer. L. C. Whitall, 308 Park avenue. 2-26-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 946 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE front room for rent; private family; business man preferred; reference required. 222 Somerset street. 3-3-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 110 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-5-3t

TWO furnished rooms, light housekeeping, all improvements; best you can get. 80 Chatham St.

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 3-20-1f

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE and two lots for sale, 316 East Third street. Price twenty-eight hundred. 2-19-tf

FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-room house and bath; all improvements; good outbuildings; elegant shade; large variety fruit in quantity; main street, ten minutes walk from station and trolley. Address "Sale," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 23x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 316 Watchung avenue. 12-9-tf-*

FARMS FOR SALE, RENT OR EXCHANGE

60-ACRE FARM, $6,000, for rent, sale or exchange for 2 or 3-family houses; 160-acre farm on macadam road for rent, $600 per year. Address P. O. Box 324, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-5-2t

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good, careful driver; do own repairs; many years experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M," N.," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

CHAUFFEUR — Would like to drive for lady or gentleman, by appointment only. Address "Brown," care Courier-News. 3-2-2t

FIRST-CLASS PAINTING and paper hanging done at most reasonable prices. Send a postal to O. H. Pearson, 1018 East Front street. 'Phone 1814-J. 2-10-1m

CARPENTER — A. Wilson, 128 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1802-M. 11-9-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Frank E. Sebring, at Wash's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

GENTLEMAN, playing viola wishes to join amateur orchestra or quartet for mutual practice. Address "Music," care Courier-News. 3-6-2t

TAXIDERMIST—T. W. Sisty, Car Barns, Dunellen, N. J. Birds, fish, animals heads, robes, rugs, furs, tanning. 2-7-1m

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

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FOR SALE—HOUSES

MUST SELL seven-room house, all improvements. 719 Essex street. 2-23-10t

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage; will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

TWELVE-ROOM HOUSE, all modern improvements, electricity, laundry, hot water heater, garage, 975 Madison avenue. 3-5-3-6-8-10

$3,500 BUYS a two-family house near International Motor Co. plant. Splendid opportunity. Curiosity seekers, save your stamps. Address "Realty Deal," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, improvements, lot 36x135, 822 Richmond street; cheap to quick buyer. Wallace Bros., 1070 Raymond avenue, Long Branch, N. J. 3-1-6t

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

WHO WANTS to buy a bungalow with all improvements, at $45 month? Price $5,000. Address "E B, B," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$250 cash and $15 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 101," care Courier-News. 2-27-tu,th,s-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1mt

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 196 North avenue. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobile, 1913 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 715 South avenue. 2-16-tf

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 718-M. 2-26-tf

CADILLAC Limousine, electric starter and lights, perfect condition; sacrifice quick sale, Borough Garage. 3-6-2t

FOR SALE—1915 Scripps-Booth roadster, excellent condition throughout $400.00. Apply Thompson's Garage. 3-6-3t

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers. Packard and Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. J. H. De Lay, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Four rooms, city water, gas, first floor; central location; rent $11.00. "Rooms," care Courier-News. 3-3-3t

TO LET—Five rooms and bath; inquire 1 Callahan & Son, 300 Richmond street. 2-28-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old, false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-14-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 2-9-1m

WANTED TO BUY—House, 7 or 8 rooms, with improvements. Apply 403 East Fifth street. 3-6-6t

SETTING HENS in large numbers. State variety and price, which must be reasonable. Forsgate Farm, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-6-2t

B. FRASKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 316 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 105 Depot place. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. tf-*

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security properly centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 142 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," this office. 1-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 455. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on muslin underwear, Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Milliner's apprentice. Mme. Louise, 309 Park avenue. 2-2-tf

STENOGRAPHERS' SPEED COURSE, Thursday evenings, Herr's School. 3-2-1m

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-5-tf

OPERATORS WANTED on Singer sewing machines. Hecht Co., 318 West Front street. 3-5-3t

WANTED—General housework; no laundry; must have references. 'Phone 344. 3-5-2t

WANTED—White woman as cook and laundress; references. Apply 1048 Watchung avenue. 3-5-2t

GIRL for upstairs work, two hours daily; wages $18.00. Address "Pocket Money," care Courier-News. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Competent cook and laundress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 3-3-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. Apply 715 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 909 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1095-J. 3-6-3t

WANTED—Woman to cook and wait on table in Apartment. 118 Crescent avenue. 3-6-4t

WANTED—Cooks, waitresses and general house workers. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Laundress (white) by the week; to take washing home. Apply 825 Hillside avenue. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Nurse (white) for two children, ages seven and nine; reference. Call Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday evenings, 1132 Martine avenue.

WANTED—Young white girl to assist with general housework, in family of three. Apply 1048 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 517-J. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; reference required. Apply 502 West Seventh street. 3-3-tf

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Married couple, colored, wife as cook, husband as butler and useful man. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Mill hands and girls for pneumatic work. Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-5-6t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1572-J. 3-26-tf

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas; steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 2-20-tf

TO LET—$17.00 apartment, 7 rooms and bath, all improvements, block from Sauer's. Inquire 1031 Sherman avenue. 3-5-3t

HALF of two-family house with up and down stairs, 7 rooms, all improvements; 421 West Second street. 2-2-6t

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, near Sauer's and the Manganese Safe Works; all improvements, front and back porches. Dr. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 'Phone 1599-J. 3-3-tf

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath, 316 West Sixth street. 3-5-1m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sauer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White French poodle, Friday. Liberal reward if returned to A. C. Thompson, 730 Sherman avenue. 'Phone 2228-M. 3-3-tf

LOST—Christmas saving cards, Lillian Cortez and Dominic Delicave. Kindly return to Plainfield Trust Co.

LOST—Dark brindle bull dog, white on head, neck, chest and feet; name Roger. Reward for return to 946 Central avenue. 3-6-3t

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REGULAR MEETING
MARCH 7th

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

FIREMEN WANT MORE PRESSURE

Among the recommendations made by the Board of Fire Engineers at the meeting of the Borough Council last night was that the town fathers compel the Somerville Water Company to give increased pressure, in accordance with the contract between the borough and the company. Councilman Schoenmaker declared that "there was no use fooling about it," and that if the proper pressure was not given, the borough ought not to pay the water company. Councilman Bellis stated that "the town had been coward long enough" and suggested that the fight against the water company be pushed.

Mayor Steele explained what arrangements had been made with the company last year, adding that he believed that improvements which would bring about increased pressure would be commenced this spring. Councilman Richards gave it as his opinion that the contract for the change had already been awarded.

Along with the suggestion as to the pressure, the Board of Engineers recommended the purchase of a new triple-combination steam-pumping engine of 1,100 gallons per minute pumping capacity for Engine Company No. 1. A request was also made for 2,000 assembly-ply hose and 24 items of supplies for the various companies.

There were also requests that telephone be installed for Newton Dumont, chief driver of the auto apparatus, an auxiliary switch to light fire houses when alarm rings, and fire alarm tappers for officers and drivers of the department. The recommendations were referred to the fire committee for a report at the next meeting.

Letters sent to the Raritan and Bound Brook fire departments, thanking them for their aid at the big fire here on Feb. 20th, were ordered placed on the minutes.

Complaint About Sidewalks

Complaint was made to the Council last night because there were no sidewalks in front of the realty company's land at Gaston avenue and Main street. It was also reported by one of the citizens that there were no sidewalks on Davenport street from the bridge to Spring street, and that the people had to walk in the street. Mayor Steele declared that the matter had already been referred to the Street Department.

Advertise for Sewer Bids

Upon motion of Councilman William Hardgrove, it was decided last night to advertise for bids for the proposed extension of the sewer system on Culver street, Gaston avenue and Davenport street.

The Council ordered five more traffic posts from W. J. Kirby at a total cost of $35. All will be like the one at Main and Division streets.

New Bikes for Police

Police officers of the borough will have new bicycles, the Council having ordered them last night upon the recommendation of Chief Bellis. The wheels will be purchased from the Somerset Motorcycle Co., which was the lowest of three bidders. The bicycles formerly used by the police will be accepted in trade by the motorcycle company.

Other Council Business

The application of James Herbert Gaston as a special borough officer was ordered placed on file. Mr. Gaston is over six feet tall and weighs 162 pounds. He has been in the employ of the C. R. R. for about 12 years.

The report of Collector J. K. Brokaw showed a balance of $29.66. The board last night decided to borrow $3,000.

Will Have Older System

No bills will be paid by the borough authorities unless authorized by an order of the proper borough department, properly signed, it was decided last night. Councilman Bellis introduced the order-blank system which was adopted to take effect immediately.

Prosecutor A. M. Beekman, Assistant Prosecutor Frank L. Cleary and Counselor John A. French were among those from this borough who attended the inauguration exercises at Washington yesterday.

The last rehearsal by the Boy Scouts for their tableaux will be held tonight. The presentation will be Thursday evening in the Regent Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnerd Levin, of Doughty avenue, are entertaining their sister from Syracuse, N. Y., this week.

Misses Virginia Miller and June Samis were the week-end guests of relatives at New Brunswick.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Funeral of Elmer E. Teeple

The funeral of Elmer E. Teeple, who passed away in Muhlenburg Hospital in Plainfield on Friday evening at seven o'clock, was held yesterday afternoon. Pastor William Potter Townsend officiating. Interment was made in Hillside Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Melvin Teeple, William Teeple, Sr., William Teeple, Jr., and Abraham Price. Mr. Teeple was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teeple, formerly of this place, but now of Newark and was born in this town fifty-four years ago. His leg was injured by a fall in his boyhood and the last year the injury proved serious. Several months ago the leg was amputated and since that time hopes for his recovery were not entertained. He was well known in this place and for many years conducted a paint shop here.

Mrs. High McCaffrey, who has been confined to bed at her home on Lehigh avenue with rheumatism for several months, is reported improved to such an extent that she is able to sit up a few hours a day.

The Misses Margaret and Marie McDonough, little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDonough, have returned home from a week's visit with their grandmother, Mrs. L. Bray, of Plainfield.

John Bell, who recently resigned his position as stenographer for the New Jersey Life Insurance Company, of New York, has taken a position with another New York company.

The United Association of Drop Forgers, Die Sinkers and Trimmer Makers will conduct their monthly meeting in Washington Hall this evening.

Miss Katherine Dolan has returned to her home in Jersey City after spending the week-end as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Lyman E. Barr.

Adolph Steengraf, Jr., formerly of this place but now of Plainfield, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Steengraf, Sr., on Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Piscataway Township Committee will be held in Hotel Nelson in New Market tonight at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Arnts, of Lakeview avenue, are entertaining Mrs. Arnt's mother, Mrs. J. Wilhelm, of East Bangor, Pa.

Miss Rose Weidgen, of Somerville, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weidgen, of Randolph avenue.

J. Fitzgerald and nephew, Eugene Riely, of Plainfield avenue, spent Saturday visiting relatives in New York City.

John Geary, Sr., of Plainfield avenue, who is ill at his home with rheumatism, is reported as slightly improved.

Owing to the snowy weather yesterday Principal Frank Meskil, of the public schools, dismissed school at noon.

Mrs. William Richards, of Plainfield, is spending a few weeks as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Michael Savord.

Miss Alice McDonough is ill at her home with the grip. She is under the care of Dr. Hughes, of Plainfield.

Miss May Purchase, of New York, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Purchase.

Miss Mary Mitchel has returned from a few days' visit with her parents in Flemington Junction.

Mrs. James Wilson and son, James, have returned from a visit with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Helen Potter has returned home from a few days' visit with relatives in South River.

Harry Sofield, Jr., spent Sunday as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Miller, of Newark.

Joseph Miller, of Newark, spent Sunday with his father-in-law, Harry Sofield, Jr.

Miss Esther Thornton entertained friends from Plainfield on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipshitz were the guests of friends in New York Sunday.

James Leahy, Sr., is detained from work for a few days owing to illness.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

At a meeting of the Presbytery of Newton, which will be held next Monday in the First Presbyterian Church at Washington, the pastoral relations between Rev. Ward C. Peabody, for the last five years the pastor of the Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian Church at Hampton, and that church organization will be dissolved. Mr. Peabody will be dismissed to the Presbytery of Otsego, N. Y., that he may assume a charge within its bounds.

Word has been received in this section of the death of Mrs. Cecilia H. Quimby, wife of Rev. Eugene A. Quimby, of Port Richmond, Staten Island, formerly pastor of the Methodist Church at Califon and well-known throughout this country. She died in the Methodist Hospital in Brooklyn and the funeral services were at Morristown, with burial at Mt. Freedom.

The Woman's Club of German Valley will make a house to house canvass on St. Patrick's Day for the purpose of securing old newspapers and magazines to be sold to raise funds for the benefit of the club.

Mrs. Gertrude Christiansen, who visited her daughter, Mrs. Norman Dalrymple, at Hampton, for three months, has gone to New Brunswick, where she will spend some time with her son, Carl Christiansen.

For the benefit of the Imperial Band the play, "Dot, the Miner's Daughter," will be presented in Rialto hall at High Bridge this evening. There will be a program of musical numbers between acts.

Mrs. George W. Tine, of High Bridge, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Austen Apgar, in Clinton.

BOUND BROOK

Y. M. A. SHOW TO BE A TREAT

Many tickets have been sold for the minstrel show which will be held in the Palace theatre tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Y. M. A., of South Bound Brook. Much effort has been exerted in the preparation for this event, which is expected to prove one of unusual entertainment and fun. The comic and sentimental songs, along with the local "knocks" will doubtless keep the audience in good humor all the evening.

The Rutgers College Mandolin Club seatette and W. T. Wetmore, the dramatic impersonator and humorist, who recently appeared under the auspices of the Somerville and Bound Brook Masonic fraternities, will be among the out-of-town talent.

Offenders Before Court

Several small cases of theft and assault were brought to the attention of the local authorities over the week-end as a result of which Gilbert Lover and Patsy De Castro were committed to await the action of the grand jury and John Fegal was fined $5 and costs.

Fegal had been charged with an assault upon his wife Sophie on March 1.

Lover, who gave his address as Cardere, Jamaica, was taken into custody upon the complaint of Hans Schmidt, of Bridgewater township, who alleged that on February 28 Lover stole a suit of clothes and a pocketbook containing nine dollars.

Patsy De Castro was arrested because of the complaint of John Molyko, who alleges that the former assaulted him and stole $1.75.

The second home service of St. Paul's Episcopal church was held with Mrs. James S. Cookson last evening. The subject was "Personal Prayers of the Men of Israel."

Miss Charlotte Gummersbach, of Scranton, Pa., has been visiting for several days with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Van Nest, East Union avenue.

Mrs. Charles Everitt has returned to her home in Neshanic, having spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seals.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson, of South Bound Brook, is spending a few days at Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Ritie Ditts, of Plainfield, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter O'Hanlon.

Charles N. Long spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Franklinfield, of Somerville.

Mrs. John Edward Clark and children are spending several days at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Charles Smith has returned from a visit with relatives at Brooklyn.

Mrs. Leslie Bergen visited friends at Trenton.

HIGH BRIDGE

Mrs. William Naughright, of Newark, has sold her property in Church street, High Bridge, to George W. Burrell.

The W. C. T. U. will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Walter Morgan at High Bridge.

Floyd Crampton has resigned his position with Van Syckle & Co. at High Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Beam have moved from High Bridge to Glen Gardner.

Charles Hall moved last week from Boonton to East High Bridge.

Mrs. H. B. Snyder, of High Bridge, is recovering from grip.

Isaac Baldwin is ill at his home at High Bridge.

Ross Bobb, of High Bridge, is in Newark.

NEW PROVIDENCE

A large number of people Saturday night attended the mid-winter entertainment of the Berkeley Heights Cultural League. Two plays by local people were given. They were "The Teeth of the Gift Horse" and "Behind the Ballot." Miss Carmen Reuben, of New York, sang.

Mrs. Mary K. Fryer, who for several years has been living in the Cammeyer place, Chatham township, is preparing her own house in Springfield avenue, West End, in expectation of soon moving into it.

Robert S. Woodruff, of the battleship Arizona, now at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Woodruff, for the week-end.

FANWOOD

The Young People's Guild of All Saints' P. E. Church, will meet with Miss Florence Kennedy at the residence of Mrs. George Carter, Norman avenue, on Friday, March 9, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. A. D. Beeken, of North avenue, expect to leave for Dallas, Texas, soon, where she will visit her son, Lewis Du Pierre Beeken.

Miss Ada Beardsley, of North avenue, has left for Ossining, N. Y., where she will spend several weeks with friends.

DUNELLEN

COUNCIL INTRODUCES SEWER ORDINANCE

The Borough Council at its meeting last night introduced an ordinance to provide for the inspection of the new trunk sewer from the building lines throughout its entire mains in the municipality. It was reported that eighty-eight property owners had connected their premises with the new mains and that the sewer system was giving entire satisfaction. The appointment of a commission to level sewer assessments was deferred.

In reference to better lighting conditions on North avenue, the matter was referred to the street committee of which Mr. Neighbour is chairman. This question will be further taken care of at an adjourned meeting of the council to be held Monday evening, March 19. Other business transacted was mostly of a routine nature. Mayor Latham presided at the meeting.

Churches Plan Evangelistic Services

A series of Union evangelistic services will begin on Sunday next at the First Presbyterian church to be conducted by both the latter society and the Methodist churches. Rev. P. S. Bascom, of Bound Brook, will conduct the services. Meetings will be held every evening and Sundays during the month. This series of meetings will be preceded by cottage prayer meetings, to open tomorrow evening.

Better Lighting Prospects for North Avenue

The Business Men's Association has started a movement to have better lighting facilities along North avenue. Already one session has been had with the Common Council and a P. S. C. representative. More illumination, with here and there a cluster of lights, would be a big improvement. A petition is being circulated to boost the idea.

The funeral of Miss Mary Drake was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her late home, Prospect avenue, this borough, the Rev. B. S. Hudson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church, Plainfield, of which the deceased was a member, conducting the service. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Interment took place at Samptown cemetery.

The Parent-Teacher Association which is endeavoring to place in the schools medical cabinets, held an entertainment in Whittier school this afternoon. The entertainment includes a play, intermingled with folk dancing. Refreshments were served at the close.

The many acquaintances of T. J. Ronayne will be glad to hear that his condition is slightly improved. Mr. Ronayne has been confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. E. S. Jamison, who recently underwent an operation, is reported greatly improved at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. De Hart, Arlington, N. J.

Rockview Council, D. of L., held its semi-monthly meeting last night at Holton Hall. The Ladies' Auxiliary, P. O. of A., meets there this evening.

Lenten devotions are held at St. John's church every Tuesday and Friday evenings in charge of the pastor, the Rev. Father E. J. Dunphy.

Clarence T. Voorhees, the butcher, is fast gaining health from his recent operation. He expects to be able to be out the first pleasant day.

A delegation of Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., went to the Middlesex Past Councilors' session at Milltown last night.

Mrs. William Hartpence, of New Market road, entertained over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Newark.

Street Commissioner Huesch had a gang of men out yesterday clearing the crosswalks of snow and slush.

FLEMINGTON

The Flemington High School Athletic Association has organized for the season by electing Milton Apgar as its head and John Corcoran manager of the baseball team. A schedule of games is to be arranged with teams in this section of the State.

Rev. James K. Shields, State superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, spoke at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. At night he addressed a union meeting of the different congregations in the Methodist church.

The Presbyterian Brotherhood Bible class will hold a social in the chapel Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Richard O. Wilde will be the guests of honor.

SCOTCH PLAINS

A number from town attended the first rehearsal of the "Land of Mystery," held at the Elks' Club of Plainfield, last night.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held in the Methodist church tomorrow night.

The Stitch and Chatter Club will meet tonight at the home of Miss Evelyn Buckley, of Front street.

NEW MARKET

EPISCOPAL SCHOOL WINS THE BANNER

The Episcopal Sunday school of Dunellen won the attendance banner last night at the session of the Union Sunday School Association held at the Seventh Day Baptist church. Although the inclement weather kept many away, those who did venture out enjoyed a most inspiring session.

The Union comprises the schools of this place and Dunellen. The meeting was opened with prayer by Walter Nelson, followed by introductory remarks by Mr. Cameron. The Rev. Mr. Polin and Rev. Mr. Vassar both took part in the service.

The address of the evening was given by the Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, of the First Baptist church, Plainfield. Dr. Strong, who took for his topic, "The Importance and Dignity of the Sunday School Teacher's Work," divided his theme into three parts. He emphasized the materialistic side of the work, the enduring nature, and closed by urging the most indulgent study in God's text book, the Bible.

There was special singing by the choir, also singing of hymns by the Sunday school scholars.

Clark T. Rogers, who is in Southern California, sends occasional postcards here to his former acquaintances, reminding them of the balmy weather he is now enjoying in the land of oranges and flowers.

The Saturday evening card club has started a series of dances at Friendship Hall. The initial dance was held last Thursday evening, and proved a delightful affair.

Through the efforts of David Tabb enough money has been raised to contribute 200 packs of tobacco for the Belgian soldiers.

The Adelphic Club orchestra meets on Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. C. S. Day, Edwards avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Curtis, of Leonardsville, N. Y., have been recent visitors at this place.

The township committee will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at Hotel Nelson.

GERMAN VALLEY

An institute was held in the Presbyterian church last night for the benefit of Sunday school workers. Miss Edna Cole, State superintendent of Newark, and Miss Mabel Smith, county superintendent, of Boonton, were the speakers, and special music was rendered.

Mrs. Joseph Wood and Miss Alice Melroy, of Brooklyn, are spending a few days with the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anthony.

Mrs. George Lauraman, of Parker, is spending an indefinite time with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lance, of Hill Top Rest.

Mrs. Margaret C. Miller is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. John Burrell, of Jersey City.

Welsh Down is visiting Elmer Bird at Pleasant Valley.

WATCHUNG

Miss May Day, president of the Christian Endeavor of the Dunellen Presbyterian Church, will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday evening in the Wilson chapel. The Dunellen Christian Endeavorers will attend in a body. All acquaintance social hour will follow the meeting and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. William Dender, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock for an all-day sewing. The ladies are planning to send a box to the Finns at South Jersey. The ladies are requested to bring their lunches and Mrs. Dender will furnish tea.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society will be held at the home of Miss Davis, at "Two Brooks," Thursday afternoon.

Miss Catherine Campbell, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Campbell, of "Hillcrest," who has been sick with a cold, is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reed have moved from the Seeley house to Patrick Hickey's house on Mountain Boulevard.

Miss Dorothy Hermann will be the leader of the Junior Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Joseph Poggio, of Rose Hill Farms, is confined at his home with an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Maria Brodmerkel, who has been visiting in New York city, has returned.

Mrs. Elmer Kingman, of Hillcrest road, spent the week-end in New York city.

Dr. Richard Moldenke, of Castle Elstnore, has been visiting at Lancaster, Pa.

Misses Helen and Emma Mobus spent the week-end at Millington.

Sledding and coasting are again being enjoyed.

WESTFIELD

BRIEF MEETING OF TOWN OFFICERS

The town council held another record meeting as far as shortness was concerned in the town hall last night when it transacted all its business in half an hour.

A certificate of improvement for $479.95 was ordered issued and one for $580.15. The ordinance relating to the taxes of 1916 was laid over until the next meeting. Bills amounting to $2,297.36 were ordered paid. The town treasurer was directed to issue a warrant to the order of Town Engineer Vars to pay for having ashes removed.

A petition was received from residents of Chestnut street and Stanley avenue asking for the construction of a sanitary sewer. A hearing was set for Monday evening, April 2. Councilman Adieck, of the police committee, introduced a resolution which was adopted, opposing the Assembly bills which are before the Legislature regarding the police and their pay.

The reports of the town officers were received and were as follows: Town treasurer's balance, $10,633.-34; tax collector's, amount of taxes collected, $3,633.23 and costs of $414.12; Chief of Police Rosecrans reported 23 arrests for the month of February; Recorder Springstead reported $7 in fines which had been collected for violation of the automobile laws and which he had sent to the State Motor Vehicle Department; Building Inspector Moffett reported having issued eight permits amounting to $2,523 and fees of $12; Overseer of the Poor Cox reported a balance on hand of $161.61.

Mayor Evans presided and all the members of the council were present *except Messrs. Wilcox, Hohenstein* and Van Doren.

Speaks on "Ruskin" Before P.-T. Society

A feature of the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association in the Grant school yesterday afternoon was an address on "The Early Life of John Ruskin" by Mrs. Alfred Allen Watts, who knew this noted man in England when she was a girl. Many anecdotes which she told about Ruskin came to her at first hand. Other entertainment for the afternoon was furnished by Miss Emilie Hochster, a French girl of Elizabeth, who played a selection on the piano from "Faust and gave "The Mohawk Trail" as an encore.

Mrs. A. C. Bell and Mrs. A. A. Moser were selected as delegates to the Council of Parent-Teacher Associations which will meet in Plainfield on the afternoon of March 14. Mrs. A. C. Bell, the president, appointed the nominating committee who are to present a list of names of candidates for offices to the association to be voted for at the annual meeting in April. The committee: Mrs. David Coulter, Mrs. John Spalckhaver, Mrs. William J. Anderson, Mrs. Charles Braddish and Mrs. Ralph Cosenza. The kindergarten and sixth grades won the pennant for having the largest number of mothers present at the meeting.

Announcements were made of the excellent work being done by the members to raise money for a lantern for the school. A prize of 12 Madeira napkins will be awarded to the member who raises the largest amount. This prize will be given at the annual meeting in April. The committee planning to give a concert in the auditorium of the Westfield High school on Thursday evening, April 12, providing the Board of Education will grant permission for the use of the room. Announcement was also made of the coming joint meeting of the several parent-teacher associations of the town in the Westfield high school auditorium on Tuesday, March 13.

Security League Meets

The executive committee of the Westfield branch of the National Security League held a meeting in the office of the Peacock Company on Prospect street, Monday night. It was decided that the League should act as an escort to the C. A. R. on Memorial day and that the Junior Rifle Club would participate and that there would be about eighty members of the Senior Rifle Club in the line of march.

The Fourth of July celebration was discussed and L. M. Pearsall was made chairman of the celebration committee. George E. Hayes, of the citizens' committee, and Captain J. J. Thomas, of the military committee. The chairman of the celebration committee is to select his own co-workers. President Pearsall told of the Citizens' Police Reserves and said that it now numbered thirty-five. Fifty members were wanted and that the strongest growth of the National Security League.

Schaefer-Quipp Nuptials

Miss Emma W. Quipp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quipp, of 717 South avenue, became the bride of Sidney A. Schaefer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schaefer, of 228 Lenox avenue, on Sunday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Percy Pembleton, pastor of the Mountainside chapel, at his home in that borough. Clarence Ball, of Canada, was the best man and only attendant. The bride wore a blue traveling suit with hat to match and carried a bouquet of bride roses. Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer are making their home with the groom's parents for the present.

Nicholas Fogaris, Thomas Cannon and George Howarth, who were arrested by Sergeant Nelson and Officer Beck on Sunday afternoon on a complaint made by Adjutant Moffett were given a hearing before Recorder Springstead last night and after hearing both sides of the case the Recorder suspended sentence. As soon as they were released Cannon was re-arrested on a complaint made by Chief Rosecrans of disorderly conduct and was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

The annual meeting of the Westfield District Sunday School Association which was to have been held in the Baptist church last night was postponed until Sunday afternoon at three o'clock on account of there not being a quorum present. The association is planning to have a big boys' day on Sunday, March 25th.

Forty-seven local members of Elks Lodge in Elizabeth attended the meeting held in that city last night and helped George W. Peek, Jr., who was a candidate for one of the offices.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Burke, of East Broad street, are attending the inaugural ceremonies of President Wilson in Washington.

William J. Taylor, of Westfield avenue, has gone to Orlando, Florida, to join his family who are spending the winter there.

Town Clerk and Mrs. Charles Clark will return from their trip to Florida tomorrow.

W. J. Kennedy, of Walnut street, went to Boston today on a business trip.

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WHITEHOUSE

The following pupils of the public schools in East Whitehouse were present every day school was in session during the month of February; Grammar department, Prof. Willis Myers, principal—Clarence Brokaw, Harry Borst, Austin Hall, Frederick Benson, Lloyd Naylor, Willard Lane, Harold Van Derveer, Harry Sickel, Kenneth McDowell, Marjorie Vliet, Geraldine Borst, Beatrice McDowall, Anna Kunze, Ruth Van Derveer, Ruth Dalley. Primary department, Miss Mattie Swackhamer, teacher—Ruth Dempsey, Wilhelmina Moenting, Catherine Moenting, Rosalie Naylor, Doris Fleming, Eleanor Mellick, Helen Lutes, John Hall, Paul Burdette, Roy Reger, Abram Reed, Edward Wyhusky.

William Vroom, sixteen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Vroom, of New Germantown, underwent an operation Sunday in which he had one of the tonsils removed from his right foot. Several days ago, while handling a gun, he accidentally shot himself in his foot.

Russell Vliet of East Whitehouse, who is employed by the New Jersey Railroad at Annandale, is suffering with a sore right hand, which was caused by having the member crushed in the freight house door.

A number from here expect to go to Flemington Friday evening to attend a meeting to be held in the court house, when a branch of the American Red Cross Association will be organized.

Miss Ida M. Lindsley, of Whitehouse Station, who has been spending the winter in New York, is now commuting between her home here and the city, where she is employed.

John Kibett, of Augusta, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Frederick S. Benson, at the parsonage of the Methodist church in East Whitehouse.

John W. Van Syckle, of Woodfield, has purchased the Mrs. Samuel Van Syckle house and lot in East Whitehouse. The consideration was $1,455.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Elizabeth Pickell.

Rev. Frederick S. Benson will lead the mid-week prayer service in the East Whitehouse Methodist church tomorrow night.

Miss Flora McGloin, of Whitehouse Station, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Haver at South Branch.

Mrs. Frank W. Lindsley, of Whitehouse Station, is visiting Mrs. Jacob Melick at New Germantown.

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CONDITIONS AT R. R. STATION BAD

So Declares DeWitt Rapalje in Presenting Argument for Public Comfort Facilities

DeWitt Rapalje appeared before the Common Council last night and spoke in favor of establishing a public comfort station in the business section. He also took occasion to criticise the accommodations provided by the Jersey Central Railroad at the North avenue station, declaring among other things that the Railroad Company is not giving Plainfield the same consideration that it shows for other towns along the line, notwithstanding the fact that more passengers are carried from this city than from any other station west of Elizabeth.

Mr. Rapalje said that the sanitary appliances in the stations at Bound Brook, Cranford and Westfield, are more extensive than they are at the local station, and he deplored the fact that officials of the Railroad Company should contend that the accommodations at the local station are adequate to the requirements of the travelling public, because if this were so, the number of persons using the local station would only be equal to the number that use stations in the smaller communities, all of which have better sanitary accommodations than Plainfield.

Mr. Rapalje expressed the hope that the council would take action in this matter, which he said is a very important one to the community. He further stated that because there is a possibility of leasing a portion of the railroad company's land surrounding the local depot for the location of a public comfort station, the council should not fail to insist that the depot be adequately equipped.

Previous to Mr. Rapalje's address, a letter from the Board of Health signed by Health Officer Chandler was read. The health officer urged the location of a public comfort station in the business section, instead of in the depot park, as he understood was contemplated.

The letter from Mr. Chandler was referred to the Public Affairs Committee, which has the question of establishing a public comfort station under consideration.

Levis M. Booth, chairman of this committee, stated to a representative of the Courier-News that the committee will make some recommendation in the matter, but that it will first give the subject the consideration it deserves.

"We are not going to jump at any conclusions," Mr. Booth declared.

ROUTINE MATTERS BEFORE COUNCIL

The clerk of the District Court reported to the Council last night that during February $153.92 had been collected, $52.00 expended, leaving a balance of $101.92.

The city clerk reported receipts of $671.44 for January and February.

Building Inspector Doane reported twenty-five building permits issued.

The petition of the Standard Investment Company of Dunellen to have Emma street macadamized was denied. It was stated that this street has never been accepted and that the city does not accept any street until it has been improved.

CHOSEN PASTOR AT STIRLING

Rev. Frank L. Miller, of Princeton, has been chosen pastor of the Presbyterian church at Stirling to succeed Rev. R. L. Harbour, who resigned several months ago and went to Rhode Island. Mr. Miller will take charge when the Presbytery has confirmed the congregation's choice. Mr. Miller has been preaching at the above church since Mr. Barbour left.

POLICE COURT

Fred Hoffmeister and his son, Fred, Jr., who were arraigned in the City Court yesterday morning charged with disorderly conduct by fighting were released on a suspended sentence by Judge De Meza this morning. Austin Van Darien, who was arrested with them, was sentenced to pay a fine of $8.

MEETING POSTPONED

The meeting of the Young Women's Hebrew Association, which was appointed for tonight, is postponed until next Tuesday night.

BAD COLD? TAKE "CASCARETS" FOR BOWELS TONIGHT

They're fine! Liven your liver and bowels and clear your head.

No headache, sour stomach, bad cold or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box.

Colds—whether in the head or any part of the body—are quickly overcome by urging the liver to action and keeping the bowels free of poison. Take Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and your cold will be gone. Cascarets work while you sleep; they cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember the quickest way to get rid of colds is one or two Cascarets at night to cleanse the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this Candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little sytems.—Adv.

RAE TANZER IS AGAIN ON TRIAL FOR PERJURY

Rae Tanzer for the second time faced a jury in the Federal court, New York, yesterday, being accused of perjury in connection with the charge she made that James W. Osborne, lawyer, under the name of Oliver Osborne, had trifled with her affections.

While Miss Tanzer's counsel was examining prospective jurors during the day, the confessed Oliver Osborne, who says his real name is Wax, was in the Tombs. He will be the principal Government witness. After the jurors were chosen court adjourned until today, when the trial will be begun.

SUPREME COURT TAKES UP THE ADAMSON BILL

By United Press:

Washington, March 6.—The Supreme Court convened today, after several weeks recess. The Adamson eight-hour law is one of the big cases in which a decision is expected.

BIBLE CLASS GIVES *FAREWELL SURPRISE*

The Men's Bible Class of Grace Methodist church, accompanied by their wives and women friends, surprised Ellsworth F. Glover at his residence on Park avenue, last night. It was a farewell affair, as the Glovers are about to move to West Hampton Beach, L. I. It proved a very social occasion and passed pleasantly with games and the serving of refreshments.

McALL ASSOCIATION, ANNUAL MEETING TOMORROW

The local branch of the McAll Association will hold the annual meeting tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the parlors of the Young Women's Christian Association building. Miss Martha Lawson, who is prominent in the national association and its work in France, will speak.

MORE CANDIDATES FOR BOROUGH SCHOOL BOARD

DeWitt P. Brokaw and H. C. White, of the borough, have been mentioned as other probable candidates for nomination at the annual school meeting to be held at the Somerset school, North Plainfield, on March 20th. Both gentlemen are prominent residents of the Park section of the borough and their candidacy is being urged by their friends.

WILL DISCUSS SALOON QUESTION

The Hon. Oliver W. Stewart, of the Flying Squadron, will discuss the saloon question in Trinity Reformed church this evening. No admission will be charged and it is hoped that there will be a large audience to hear this widely known speaker.

AEROPLANES AT RAMSGATE

Berlin, March 6.—German hydroplanes dropped twenty-one bombs on merchant vessels in the Dover and on the railroad at Ramsgate, March 1, it was officially announced today. All the machines returned undamaged. The British war office announced on March 1 that the German planes bombarded Broadstairs previous to that date, slightly injuring one woman. Broadstairs is five miles north of Ramsgate.

CHANGE MEETING NIGHT

The Exempt Firemen's Association did not meet last night, owing to weather conditions, and the fact that a change in the meeting night is contemplated. This will be decided as soon as it is learned which is the most available time for using the association's room, it being in great demand at present.

CARLISLE-PIERPONT DEBATE

The Carlisle-Pierpont dialogue debate which was heard at the Plainfield Theatre recently under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. will be given tonight at 8 o'clock at the Improvement Society Hall, Watchung. This debate is considered one of the best arguments against the liquor traffic.

NEED SHINGLE ORDINANCE NOW

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A. Schorb and Robert Murray. Sixteen licenses were granted to junkmen.

Ordinances providing for a further extension to the present system of sewers and the permanent improvement of certain streets, also an ordinance providing for a change in the rate of fare to be charged by taxicab drivers were adopted on third reading, after a public hearing at which no opposition to the measures was presented. Louis Dougherty sent a communication to the Council relative to the hack ordinance. He asked that the rate be made uniform for the entire city.

Property owners of Stelle avenue, between Grant and Hobart avenues, presented communications protesting against the condition in which that street had been left by the contractors repairing it, and stating that water pipes had been frozen, and the householders obliged to pay for having them thawed out.

The communications requested that an investigation be made to determine whether or not the water pipes are of sufficient depth to prevent freezing under ordinary conditions.

E. J. Kelly and others living in the vicinity of Stelle and Hobart avenues, requested that a fire hydrant be placed in that locality.

PAPER PRICE OF $2.50 FIXED BY TRADE BOARD

Reporting that increases in the selling price of news print paper for 1917 were, in most cases, not justified by cost of production, the Federal Trade Commission yesterday named $2.50 per hundredweight as a reasonable charge for the paper. Both the American and Canadian paper manufacturers have agreed to this proposition.

Manufacturers had suggested that the commission name a reasonable price and the proposal was acted upon in the commission's report. For paper in less than carload lots higher prices were named. Sheet paper also was quoted at higher figures.

The commission recommended that the prices fixed by it be in force for six months and contracts calling for higher prices be abrogated. Other prices than that of $2.50 at the mill in carload lots were named as follows: Less than carload, $2.75; news print sheets in carload lots, $3.25; less than carload, $3.50. Jobbers will charge not more than 5 per cent. on carload lots, 12½ per cent. on less than carload lots, and 20 per cent. on less than a ton. Not until publishers and paper jobbers agreed to the manufacturers' proposal of having the commission act as arbiter did its members consent to act.

POPE'S SISTER DIES IN ROME

By United Press:

Rome, March 6.—Mrs. Rosa Parolin, a sister of the late Pope Pius X, died here today.

Passenger Liner Torpedoed.

New York, March 6.—Advices received here from Rio Janeiro and London indicate that the Royal Mail Steam Packet liner Deira, of 11,483 tons, was sunk somewhere between Lisbon and Liverpool and the passengers rescued and landed. The Deira sailed from Rio Janeiro for Liverpool.

DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and logy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. Those who do not regularly use limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste, acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, biliousness, sick headache, stomach troubles, stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a prosecuted crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Adv.

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NETHERWOOD DUTCH ARMS ELECTS

Last night the Netherwood Dutch Arms Men's Club held its regular monthly meeting in the parlor of the Netherwood Reformed church. Mr. Hughes presided, with a goodly number in attendance. A short devotional service was conducted by Claude Gonod, after which three new members, Albert Macgugan, Mr. Enoch and Mr. Reid, were accepted into the membership of the club. Mr. Macgugan was elected to fill the secretaryship, taking over the position from Arthur Klenzle, who has left the city. Mr. Enoch was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee.

A report was received from William Banks, the club's delegate to the Federation of Men's Clubs of this city. He gave an outline of what the federation was planning for the future, and extended a cordial invitation to all members of the club to attend the federation's meetings.

The Rev. E. S. Ralston, donated the use of the parsonage as the next meeting place of the club, and plans were laid to have some special entertainment, at which refreshments are to play a large part.

This club is open to all men of the community regardless of their church affiliations. One of the purposes of the club is to bring together the men of the community, so that they may learn to work together. A cordial invitation is extended to all men to attend the next meeting at the parsonage on March 26, at 8 p. m.

MISS ELLA PRICE DIES HERE WHILE ON VISIT

Miss Ella Price, who had been visiting her niece, Mrs. J. T. Goodwin, for the past four months, died this morning at the home of the latter, 740 Carlton avenue, in her sixty-seventh year. She was taken ill with pneumonia early in February and uraemic poisoning developed which caused her death.

Miss Price was born at Harpers Ferry, Va., being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John F. Price. The greater part of her life was spent at Champaign, Illinois. It was her custom to visit a few months each year with her niece in this city. She was a devout Christian and active member of the Methodist church.

There survives three nieces, Mrs. J. T. Goodwin, of this city; Mrs. W. B. Spalding, of Champaign, and Mrs. Charles Gibson, of St. Joseph, Ill., and three nephews, J. F. Price, of Pittsburgh, and J. S. and T. J. Price, of Chicago. The funeral and burial will be at Champaign, Ill.

MANY ATTEND FIRST REHEARSAL FOR SHOW

More than one-half the number of persons required to produce the comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," which is to be given by the Plainfield Lodge of Elks at the Plainfield Theatre April 10, 11 and 12, attended the first rehearsal at the Elks' club house last night, where they met Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, the authors of the opera. There was a total of 125 persons present and after hearing the score all agreed that the music was even better than that of "The Mystic Rose."

There were a number who, because of other engagements, could not attend last night, but will later. Seventy-five more people are needed for the chorus and those in charge feel sure that that number will be secured before the next rehearsal on Thursday night. Mr. Skilling was much pleased last night with the preliminary work and predicts a success for the production.

MRS. LA FAVIRE RESTING COMFORTABLY

Mrs. Christopher La Favire, of East Front stret, who fell on Friday, on the ice on West Front street, breaking her arm in two places, was reported this morning as resting comfortably.

SPECIAL PREACHER FOR HEAVENLY REST CHURCH

The Rev. J. R. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church, Westfield, will conduct service in the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow evening. The public is invited to attend the service.

ELECT NEW SECRETARY

Miss Hazel Sawyer was elected corresponding secretary of the Matlack Bible Class at its meeting in the First Baptist church last night, succeeding Miss Elena G. Dobbins, who resigned. The class voted that in the future members must be between the ages of 18 and 30 years to be eligible to election. The meeting was presided with a supper.

SCOUTS HOLD SESSION

One new member was enrolled last night at the meeting of Troop 10, Boy Scouts of Trinity Reformed church. The new scout master, Hamlet Luckey, was present. The next meeting will be held on Monday evening next, when all members are asked to be present.

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FEARS DAMAGE FROM STORM SEWER

Peter W. Voorhees, owner of land on Stelle avenue, between Hobart and Clinton avenues, through which a water course runs, sent a communication to the Common Council last night, stating that the storm sewer which the council purposes to empty into the water course will produce a greater volume of water than the course can accommodate, and that there is likely to be great damage to his property.

He shall expect proper compensation for such damage whenever it occurs, and his communication was in the nature of advance information on the subject.

Councilman Hylan, of the streets and sewers committee, stated that this water course is the only means of disposing of water taken in by the storm sewer, and that arrangements will have to be made with Mr. Voorhees.

CAPTAIN PETERSON NOT TO BLAME

It has come to the notice of Captain Charles A. Peterson, of the local military organization, that on the night of February 22 a number of small boys went through the streets of the East End, and wherever an American flag was displayed they rang the door bell and told the householder to take in the flag, adding that Captain Peterson had directed them to make the suggestion.

Captain Peterson states that he is in no way responsible for the pranks of these boys and hopes that those who were annoyed by them will so understand.

ANNUAL MEETING OF WESTMINSTER GUILD

The annual meeting of the Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian church was held last evening at the residence of Miss Karner, of Plainfield avenue, when the following officers were elected: President, Miss Florence Cooper; vice president, Miss Linda Cave; secretary, Miss Alma Laird; treasurer, Miss Esther Karner; patronesses, Mrs. T. C. Bodine and Mrs. Caroline Kelley.

After the meeting a surprise shower was tendered to Miss Ruth Sadler, the retiring president, who is to be married in June. The shower was arranged as a novel idea. Miss Sadler having to go from cellar to attic hunting the gifts. The dining room was decorated in a scheme of yellow and white, and a jolly informal hour was enjoyed by all.

T. O. DOANE'S QUICK ACTION AVERTS TROUBLE

Sitting near the window in his office on North avenue this morning Building Inspector T. O. Doane noticed a large quantity of steam and boiling water coming from the side of the building, opposite which is occupied by Edward Hardinkham, real estate broker.

Making a hurried investigation, he discovered that the hot water heater in the rear of the basement was running full blast, allowing steam to escape and causing the water to overflow and seek an outlet. The furnace was quickly opened and in a few minutes the trouble was abated. Mr. Doane said that it was a fortunate thing that the boiler did not explode.

What To Do When Backache Comes On

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When backache comes on, and it seems as if you can't stand the pain and pressure in your back and sides, do not feel that you must keep on suffering till it wears itself out. It is suicidal not to wear you out and seriously affect your general health.

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The reason most people suffer from colds and colds every winter is that you do not protect yourselves during the fall. This year instead of courting trouble avoid it. Prepare your system now so that it will be in a position to resist the elements. Strengthen your lungs, tone up the entire system, so that no matter what the weather may be no matter how cold or inclement or disagreeable conditions may be you will be so full of health, strength and energy that you will be able to go about your daily work at full speed.

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For Newark—5.05, 6.27, 7.02, (through train to Newark (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.36, 9.19, 10.26, 11.27 a. m., 12.25, 1.25, 2.29, 3.15, 4.19, 5.05, 6.05, 6.38, 8.27, 9.27, 10.26 p. m. Sundays—1.25, 3.52, 5.24, 7.00, 8.20, 9.25, 10.26, 12.55, 1.17, 2.09, 3.05, 3.17, 4.29, 5.05, 7.20, 8.13, 8.59, 9.27, 10.26 p. m.

For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.... (except Mauch Chunk, 8.41), 9.44, 11.27 a. m., 2.06, 4.44 (6.59 to Easton) p. m. Sundays—5.10, 9.44 (to Allentown), 10.57 a. m., 1.58, 4.44, 7.05 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—8.41, 9.44, 11.27 a. m., 4.44, 7.05, 8.19, 10.57 a. m., 8.44 p. m.

For Asbury Park, Etc.—2.41, 8.12, 11.27 a. m.; Saturdays only, 12.39, 1.15, 4.44, 6.59, 8.47 p. m. 11.42. For Red Bank only—8.26 a. m.; (12.39, Saturdays only), 5.20 p. m.

For Atlantic City—2.41, 8.26 a. m.; (12.39 Saturdays only), 5.11 p. m. Sundays—2.41 a. m., 2.15 p. m.

For Philadelphia—5.28, 7.41, 9.02, 10.48, 11.34 a. m., 1.15, 3.24, 4.42, 5.21, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48 p. m., 1.20 a. m.

Sundays—9.02, 9.39, 2.57, 10.39, 10.43, 11.41 a. m.; 1.32, 1.49, 3.50, 4.42, 4.59, 5.46, 6.56, 8.39, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48, 11.54 p. m.; 1.20 a. m.

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W. B. Duryee, Successful Agriculturist and Specialist in Farm Management, Will Show State Institution Heads How to Increase Productivity of Grounds Cultivated—Will Cut Living Cost.

Trenton, March 6.—In response to a request from Governor Edge, the state department of agriculture has designated William B. Duryee of Freehold, a specialist in farm management, to co-operate with the boards of managers of state institutions where ground is under cultivation with a view to increasing its productivity. Mr. Duryee was graduated from Rutgers college several years ago and returned to the management of his own farm in Monmouth county. Later he became superintendent of farm demonstration for the county.

The views of Governor Edge were outlined in the following letter he wrote to Secretary Alva Agee of the state agricultural department a few days ago:

"I am very anxious to have the state department of agriculture co-operate with the boards of managers of the various state institutions where ground is under cultivation so that the greatest return may be secured in the way of raising agricultural products of all kinds. At the present time, of course, there is much state land under cultivation, but there seems to be a well defined opinion that this could be greatly increased by scientific and careful management. In addition to this, if the different state farm managers felt that they could work with a representative of the state department the results certainly would be more concentrated. The kind of produce could be divided in different sections in order to obtain the best results and try to meet the state's demands.

SHAD SEASON TO BE LATE.

Gloucester City Fishermen Gloomy Over Spring Outlook.

Gloucester City, March 6.—Fishermen are gloomy over the outlook for an early run of shad in the Delaware river, and they have their doubts if any are caught before the middle of next month.

The fishermen say shad will not leave the bay and come up the river so long as cold water prevails. There has been so much ice and snow of late it will take some time for the water in the river to get to the right temperature, and when they do start up the Delaware the fishermen are afraid the shad will not arrive in large numbers.

INSTITUTE AT TOWACO.

Morris County Sunday School Association to Meet Thursday.

Towaco, March 6.—The Morris County Sunday School association will hold an elementary institute Thursday afternoon and night in the Methodist church here.

Miss Edna Earle Cole, elementary superintendent of the state association, will conduct a conference at the afternoon and night sessions, and Miss Mabel C. Smith of Boonton, county elementary superintendent, will deliver an address at both sessions. Miss Elizabeth Trimble, county home department superintendent, will deliver an address in the afternoon.

$500,000 HOTEL FOR MEN.

Bethlehem Steel Officials Inspect Sites at Somers Point, N. J.

Somers Point, March 6.—It has been learned that officials of the Bethlehem Steel company were here a few days ago inspecting sites along the water front to construct a $500 00 hotel.

The company is desirous, according to information, of obtaining a site that will be close to its gun proving grounds, so its employees and guests can be housed without sending them to Atlantic City. If a site is found here it is expected the company will construct a large wharf and run a boat daily to and from the proving grounds to carry the workers.

City Officials Join Church.

Morristown, March 6. Mayor Clifford Mills and Town Counsel Nathaniel C. Toms were among those who joined the Methodist church. In all 108 names of new members were read, most of them as the result of the meetings held by Rev. Ora Samuel Gray.

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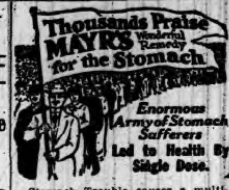

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FERDINAND OF BULGARIA.

King III While Cabinet Talks Break With U. S.

Photo by American Press Association.

BRITISH HALT ANGRE ADVANCE

Dig In as German Resistance Stiffens; French Lose.

London, March 6.—The British advance at the heels of the Germans retiring on the Ancre seems to have come to a stop. For the first time since the retirement began ten days ago the war office statement announces no progress on the Ancre.

There is instead a hint that the British have come face to face with the new German line and are digging themselves in. East of Gommecourt, at the northern end of the fourteen mile front of retirement, the last point at which the British advanced, Haig's men have "improved and strengthened" their positions.

How important to the Germans was the loss of their first line beyond Bucquoy was the threatening Peronne, is shown by the fact that they have made another counter attack in an effort to recapture the lost trenches. This attempt met failure.

The Germans attacked violently on a front of a mile and a half between Chambrettes farm and Bezonvaux, a part of the French line at Verdun that has been often attacked. Between Caurieres wood and Bezonvaux the French fire broke up the attack. North of the wood the Germans got into several trenches.

French infantry charged from the wood and into the new German line. There was a hot fight, in which losses were heavy.

69TH AND 12TH HOME.

City Gave Man From Border a Rousing Welcome.

New York, March 6.—The Sixty-ninth and Twelfth regiments, N. G. N. Y., got a rousing welcome when they returned from the Mexican border today. The Sixty-ninth, which had longer field service than any other regiment of the state, arrived on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Twelfth on the Pennsylvania. Both participated in the inauguration parade in Washington yesterday.

The regiments from the border paraded along Fifth avenue. The Sixty-ninth was met by its depot battalion and its veterans and by the Seventh regiment. The Twelfth paraded north on Fifth avenue. Governor Whitman, Major General John F. O'Ryan and others reviewed the parades at the Union League club.

Held For Perjured Confession.

Olean, N. Y., March 6.—Edwin King, who confessed he killed an aged couple instead of Stolow and then repudiated the confession, was arraigned in court here on a perjury charge. He pleaded not guilty.

ACCUSE GERMAN OF HAVING BOMBS

Police Discover Several In Prisoner's Room.

DENY PLOT AGAINST WILSON

Young Teuton Said to Have Boasted He Was In Conspiracy to Blow Up Big Munition Plants, but Detectives Who Arrested Him In Hoboken, N. J., Are Unable to Find Proof of Others Working With Him.

New York, March 6.—Fritz Kolb, a young German, was arrested by detectives from Captain Tunney's "bomb" squad of this city and by Hoboken policemen in the Commercial hotel, at 212 River street, Hoboken.

In his room two well made bombs were found complete except for the fuses and small amounts of trinitrotoluol and picric acid. Kolb came under suspicion first, according to the Hoboken police, because he boasted while drinking that he intended to cause another explosion of munitions at Black Tom.

It was rumored that he was connected with many Teuton plots in this country, including a plan to send bombs to President Wilson, but nothing was brought out after his arrest to substantiate these stories.

Watched For Three Weeks.

Kolb had been watched for three weeks before he was arrested. It was known, the police say, that he had taken explosives and other materials for bombmaking to his room, and the delay in arresting him was due to the hope that by watching him the detectives could find out whether other persons were working with him.

Chief of Police Hayes of Hoboken said that evidence had been obtained that Kolb was only one of those taking part in a widespread conspiracy to destroy munitions factories, and that several arrests might follow, including the apprehension of one of two "big men." Captain Tunney did not maintain this view. He said that the watch kept on Kolb had indicated that he was working alone and that his arrest completed the case.

The two bombs found in Kolb's rooms were made of steel pipe, cut in seven inch lengths, with threads worked at either end. Steel caps had been screwed on the pipe after it had been loaded with a powder thought to be picric acid, which is now in the hands of the bureau of combustibles in this city for analysis. Wound around the steel pipe was a copper tube perforated at intervals of every half inch. The fuse was to be inserted in this, and the holes in the tube were to let in air so that the fuse would burn. The pipes and copper wire fitted perfectly into two cylindrical containers of thin lead.

Says Friend Made Bombs.

All that Kolb would say after his arrest, according to Chief of Police Hayes, was that the bombs had been made by a man known to him only as "Karl." Kolb said that about five weeks ago he met this man in a saloon and allowed him to use his room. Kolb said he did not know what his acquaintance intended to do with the bombs.

The prisoner, Kolb, is about five feet five inches tall and says he is thirty-three years old. He had brown hair, very thin in front, and a close cropped red mustache, which is curled upward at the ends, after the fashion adopted by the kaiser. Kolb said that he was born in Cologne and came to this country on a German ship in 1914. He said he was not a reservist, as he was disqualified by a physical defect. He added that he had worked as a porter, waiter, cook and bartender in this country.

Kolb was held on a charge of having explosives in his possession without a license.

New Industry at Daretown.

Daretown, March 6.—As soon as the machinery can be installed in the old flour and feed mills of C. F. Fox a New York company which has bought the property will begin to reduce milk to a powder form on a large scale. Daretown is considered a dairy center. In Salem county and plenty of milk will be at hand to keep the mill in steady operation.

OPENED VEST PUT BUTTON IN PATH OF BULLET.

Yonkers, N. Y., March 6.—It was a good thing for Ralph De Angelis of 128 School street, he told the police, that he wore his vest unbuttoned when he alleges Mrs. Virginia Chinard, a neighbor, fired a revolver at him.

In court he exhibited the vest with a button split in two, which he says intercepted the bullet and saved his life. Had the vest been closed the bullet would have entered his chest, Judge Beall adjourned the attempted assault charge against Mrs. Chinard until tomorrow.

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He even essayed some original designs. With these, one daring day, he knocked at the door of a dressmaker. It was opened. His designs were bought—and changed into clothes.

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It is Monday morning, August 3, 1914— the second day of mobilization for the great war.

We go to the Salons of Poiret, in Paris. We find him dressed in soldier's clothes. He is surrounded with weeping crowds of devoted helpers. "I go to join my regiment," he says, "an artist is nothing when a soldier is wanted. France needs men today, not artists. My atelier is closed, and will remain closed until I return, *if I do return.*"

And so Poiret disappeared for nearly three years.

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SENATE BATTLE OVER CLOTURE

Leaders Determined to Put End to Filibusters.

WILSON STUDIES ARMED SHIPS

President and Advisers Seek Full Authority to Put Guns on American Merchantmen Without Contravening Old Statutes—Hope to Avoid Call For Extra Session by Discovering Legal Power.

Washington, March 6.—Determined *to protect American rights at sea,* President Wilson today is seeking to fix the exact status of his power to arm and convoy American merchant vessels to brave the German submarine zone. At the same time administration leaders *in the senate* planned their fight to so alter the rules of that body that an opposing minority could not prevent the enactment of legislation to extend and amplify the president's powers to deal with the international situation.

Secretary of State Lansing and Attorney General Gregory are making a close, detailed study of the constitution and all of the statutes from the inception of the government bearing on the question of armed ships.

There is a clear conviction that the cabinet law officers, who expect to call on experts in international law from private life to aid their researches, would hold that the constitutional powers of the president were sufficient to allow him to act.

Wants Early Report.

Mr. Wilson urged the cabinet members for an early report on the matter, and if they upheld his authority, it was *stated, there would be little delay in* placing government guns and government gunners aboard the ships of the American line and such other American vessels as request similar protection.

Meantime Democratic leaders in the *senate immediately after the new* upper house organized in special session called a caucus of senate Democrats to take up the question of altering the rule of unlimited debate, which allowed eleven senators to defeat the armed *neutrality authorization demanded by* the president.

Following the president's denunciation of the filibuster which prevented action on the measure, the Democratic leaders sought to arrange for an immediate change in the senate rules. The caucus which will name a majority leader to succeed Senator Root, who retired from the senate yesterday, will consider sidetracking all other business before the senate and concentrating Democratic efforts in a fight for cloture.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma, who has been fighting for cloture for years, will endeavor to obtain a caucus indorsement for his resolution, reported to the last senate by the rules committee. Under this resolution the senate by a majority vote could limit each senator to a one hour speech on the pending question. This rule would undoubted*ly clear the way for the passage of an* authorization resolution in an extraordinary session of congress should the president deem it necessary to call one.

Often Fought Before.

How far the president's denunciation of the senate filibuster rule has strengthened the support of cloture troubles administration leaders. In the past cloture has been vigorously opposed by both Democrats and Republicans, particularly among the older members of the senate. Sporadic attempts to amend the rules in this regard for twenty years have met with failure. Senators express grave doubt that a cloture measure could be forced *through even in the present emergency.*

The first fight is expected in the senate today when the cloture supporters will seek to prevent the automatic operation of the rules of the past congress. Heretofore it has always been held that the senate was a continuing body and the rules automatically continued.

Several senators, including Owen and Walsh of Montana, one of the legal authorities in the body, have contended, however, that the rules must be formally adopted by the senate at the beginning of each congress. This contention, if sustained, would open the way for a general revision of the rules and the adoption of a cloture proposal.

Ready to Arm Ships.

The navy department is ready to move at once to arm American ships. While no definite orders have been given for placing guns aboard the vessels, *all preliminary steps* have been taken. The guns and mounts have been assembled, and twenty-four hours after the order is issued the big American line ships will be fully protected.

The probability of a break between the *United States and Bulgaria* looms up as imminent. Reports from abroad that Bulgaria was prepared to withdraw her representatives from Washington were received without surprise in diplomatic and administration circles. It was stated that since the break with Germany it has become increasingly apparent that Bulgaria was prepared to support the German submarine campaign to the limit.

Defense League For Madison.

Madison, March 6.—A meeting will be held here Thursday night in the small hall of the James building to organize a Madison home defense league. *Judge Alfred F. Skinner* will be in charge. The meeting will be open to women as well as men. The committee expects to begin work at once to name committees and arrange to work out plans for immediate preparation for any emergency which may arise.

$12,500 For Loss of an Ear.

New York, March 6.—A verdict for $12,500, chiefly for the loss of an ear, was awarded by a jury in the supreme court in a suit of Patrick Martin against the American Express company. The plaintiff was run down by a truck. He asked $50,000.

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RECREATION FIVE IN A ONE-SIDED DEFEAT

The Plainfield H. S. seconds put one over on the Recreation Five yesterday afternoon on the high school court, the final score being 36 to 16.

In the first half the high school boys tried to make certain their victory and rolled up 18 points, while the second guards, Fawcett and Lee, held their opponents to 4 points, which Cline scored. The game, nevertheless, was fast and exciting throughout.

The final period of play saw the Recreation Five doing better work. It made 12 points, while the Red and Blue boys repeated their performance of the first half and again scored 18 points.

The score:

P. H. S. SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
O'Donnell, f	2	0	4
McAfee, f	6	2	14
Keating, c	2	0	4
King, g	1	2	4
Fawcett, g	1	0	2
	14	4	36

RECREATION FIVE	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, f	0	0	0
Townley, f	4	0	8
Kline, c	2	4	8
Lee, g	0	0	0
Corbin, g	0	0	0
	6	4	16

Referee, Snyder; scorer, Loizeaux.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL BOYS GO DOWN TO DEFEAT

The Grammar School first team in their first defeat of the season at the hands of the St. Mary's five. Deady of the St. Mary's team showed up well, while Kyle had the jump on his opponent. There was no individual star for the Grammar School, each player doing his best.

The Grammer School first team is expected to meet the same team next Monday on the high school court.

The score:

PLAINFIELD G. S.	G.	F.	P.
Davies, f	7	0	14
Bellis, f	0	0	0
Adelman, f	0	0	0
McCusker, c	0	0	0
Hadley, g	0	0	0
Hubbard, g	2	2	6
	9	2	20

ST. MARY'S	G.	F.	P.
Sullivan, f	5	0	10
Connolly, f	8	0	16
Kyle, c	2	0	4
Deady, g	10	0	20
Storey, g	2	0	4
	27	0	54

Referee, Starry; timer, Randolph; scorer, McVoy.

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HOPE GIRLS WIN OVER SOCIAL CLUB

Sunday School Players Outclass St. Mary's Club Team on Fourth Street Court

The Hope Chapel girls made sure of their superiority over the basketball aggregation of the St. Mary's Social Club, defeating them by a score of 9 to 3. The contest was originally booked for the chapel court, but owing to lack of proper lighting on account of the storm, the contest was shifted to the T. A. B. S. court by mutual agreement.

This is the second defeat the Hope girls have handed to the Social Club five this season, the previous one having been taken by a score of 7 to 5. Miss Overbaugh, of the Hopes, put up an excellent game, securing seven of her team's eight points, while Miss McCauley chalked up the bulk of her team's points. Both teams put up good games, and the Hopes had to keep playing all the time in order to maintain the lead which they secured early in the game.

SOCIAL CLUB	G.	F.	P.
Miss McCauley, f	1	0	2
Miss B. Gill, f	0	1	1
Miss M. Gill, c	0	0	0
Miss Greene, sc	0	0	0
Miss Rinchart, g	0	0	0
Miss Barry, g	0	0	0
	1	1	3

HOPE CHAPEL	G.	F.	P.
Miss Snyder, f	0	1	1
Miss Overbaugh, f	3	2	8
Miss MacMillan, c	0	0	0
Miss I. Peterson, sc	0	0	0
Miss J. Peterson, g	0	0	0
Miss Marsh, g	0	0	0
	3	3	9

Referees, George E. Leighs and John Denny.

Bowling Challenge

The Trinity team of the Westfield Sunday School and Church League, champions for this season, has issued a challenge to any Sunday School team in New Jersey for a home-and-home series, games to be rolled on the alleys of the parochial school building of Holy Trinity church. Any team desiring to accept this challenge should communicate with John C. Tobin, the captain.

PLAINFIELDERS IN ELIZABETH SHOOT

John Terry and George Ord, of Climax Club, Take Part in Events at County Seat

Johnny Anthes, Jr., successfully defended his title as Union county champion against Robert J. Maurer on the Meadow Lane traps of the Duane Rod and Gun Club Sunday afternoon. For a time it was doubtful whether the match would take place, owing to the heavy snow, but both gunners were willing they banged away at the discs and of the fifty birds thrown for each gunner, Johnny busted forty-two and Maurer forty.

Another number on the program which proved interesting was the shoot for the Isaac trophy, which was won by Paul Woltman, who broke eighteen "tar hawks," and with a handicap of seven, recorded a perfect score. A special match between two members of the Climax Gun Club of this city was won by John Terry, who scored fifteen straight, as compared with George Orde's thirteen.

The results of the other events were as follows: Ten-bird sweepstake, won by John Anthes, Jr., 8; Robert J. Maurer, 7; William Anthes, 6; Charles Gibson, 5; Paul Woltman, 5. Fifteen-bird sweepstake, won by John Anthes, Jr., 12; Paul Woltman, 11; William Anthes, 10; Robert Maurer, 9; Charles Gibson, 8. Ten-bird sweepstake, John Anthes, Jr., 8; Robert Maurer, 8; Paul Woltman, 8; William Anthes, 7; Charles Gibson, 6. Ten-bird sweepstake, John P. Terry, 9; Percy Terry, 9; John Anthes, Jr., 9; Geo. Orde, 8; Robert Maurer, 7. Fifteen-bird sweepstake, John Anthes, Jr., 13; George Orde, 12; John P. Terry, 11; Percy Terry, 11; Robert Maurer, 10.

A good gallery, which included several members of the Climax Gun Club of this city, saw the match.

N. P. H. S. AT WESTFIELD

For some unknown reason the N. P. H. S. basketball squad has been unable to bring the Westfield H. S. basketeers here for a return game, so will do the next best thing and go there this afternoon. The first game played at Westfield resulted in a 40 to 22 defeat for the locals after an exciting game.

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CITY LEAGUE RACE IS GROWING TIGHT

Official Standing of Teams Show Outcome of Season Still Uncertain

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

With the schedule of the City Bowling League now well on the way of its last half, the fight for first place honors among three of the teams is growing to proportions unknown up to this point of the season. The Elks have the slight advantage of a full tilt over the Imperials for the honor position, while the latter aggregation has a full game grappling with second place over the Knights of Columbus. The Total Abstainers have still and unthreatened possession of the cellar position, but judging from their walloping of the league leaders last Friday evening in a complete series of tilts they will yet be able to throw a scare or two into the camps of one or two of the other three combinations.

Taylor of the Knights, Vail of the Elks and Gates of the Imperials still remain the "big three" in the individual average line of endeavor. Voorhees of the Imperials and O'Keeffe of the Abstainers, however, are sufficiently well up in the race for average honors and hold a position where they might threaten the upper places before long.

The complete set of latest averages of the league, as given out this morning by Secretary George Howe, are noted below. The figure to the left of the name of the individual indicates the position he held when the records were last published.

Team Standing

	W	L	Ave	HS
B. P. O. E.	25	14	874.23	975
Imperials	23	16	866.17	965
K. of C.	21	18	857.32	992
T. A. B. S.	9	30	825	951

Individual Records

	G	Ave	HS
1 Taylor, K. of C.	39	185.31	248
2 Vail, Elks	36	182.4	230
3 Gates, Imps	39	181.4	244
5 Voorhees, Imps	36	179.34	214
4 J. O'Keeffe, Tabs	39	179.6	245
7 Waldorf, Elks	23	176.3	215
6 Causbrook, Elks	29	175.36	215
8 Kiely, Elks	39	175.13	220
11 Duffy, K. of C.	39	174.4	221
10 Blatz, Elks	6	174.1	212
16 Connolly, Imps	33	173.31	219
13 Skinner, Tabs	38	173.17	214
14 Meunzenbach, Imps	31	173.8	192
15 Howe, K. of C.	39	173.30	204
12 Conover, Imps	22	172.4	209
17 Smalley, Imps	4	172.3	208
18 McKenzie, Imps	25	169.9	216
19 Nash, Elks	33	167.26	202
20 Wilson, K. of C.	39	165.31	210
22 Sullivan, K. of C.	21	165.17	200
23 Force, Tabs	28	163.13	215
27 Townley, Elks	6	162.3	181
24 Lawton, Tabs	27	161.4	221
25 Cullen, Tabs	6	159.5	189
28 Kyle, Tabs	15	156.16	195
26 McInerney, K. C.	17	156.5	206
29 Mahoney, Tabs	16	152	198

PARK CLUB AND ELKS WILL CLASH TONIGHT

The Park Club alleys will be the scene of the second of the home-and-home series of bowling matches between them of that organization and the Elks aggregation, both teams are in the prime of condition and in readiness for the fray, and the old-time rivalry between the line-ups may be anticipated.

Mention is again made that members of the two organizations are expected to bring their wives, mothers, sweethearts and other members' beaus to witness the contest. A social time will follow the matches, and the women folks need have no fear that their interests will not be cared for in the proper way.

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BLOOMFIELD BOYS WALLOPS BOROUGH

North Plainfield Players Prove No Match For Their Hosts Yesterday

The North Plainfield H. S. basketeers are still in the throes of defeat, the strong Bloomfield H. S. five administering a 41 to 18 beating to the boroughites on the Bloomfield court yesterday afternoon. North Plainfield played miserably, with Billy Ahern nursing a sprained ankle and Andy McDonough suffering from a heavy cold. The Bloomfielders were never in danger of defeat.

The home team started off with a rush, scoring five two-pointers before Ahern dropped one in for the locals. For the next few minutes N. P. H. S. showed some real life, McDonough finding the ring once and Ahern twice. The half ended 22 to 10 in favor of Bloomfield.

Benhurn, the Bloomfield star, after being held to no field goals by Willett in the first half, switched over to right forward in the second and found the basket six times. Clay and Barry were injected into the fray after ten minutes had been played and put up a fine article of basketball.

The score:

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Ahern, f	4	6	14
Force, f	0	0	0
McDonough, c	2	0	4
Seidel, g	0	0	0
Willett, g	0	0	0
Clay, f	0	0	0
Barry, g	0	0	0
	6	6	18

BLOOMFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Benhurn, f	5	7	17
Milhoffer, f	6	0	12
West, c	1	0	2
Clatnick, g	2	0	4
Wessner, g	3	0	6
	17	7	41

Referee, Burdict, Glen Ridge H. S.; scorer, Barry; timer, Ellison.

WESTFIELD CLUB HAS ITS NEW COMMITTEES

President Arthur D. Tuttle of the Westfield Golf Club has announced the standing committees of the club for the coming year:

House—H. W. T. Hunting, chairman; M. H. Phillips and F. C. White. Gun Club—F. W. Smith, chairman; A. I. Nichols and F. S. Slater. Membership—P. B. Scarff, chairman; D. C. Arnold, R. E. Perry, F. C. White and C. E. Halsted. Publicity—B. L. Rice, chairman; H. Aronson, D. J. Morgan, W. H. Maxwell and F. W. Smith. Handicap—R. H. Aronson, chairman; W. M. Townley, Shin Inouye, D. Smythe and O. R. Graham, Jr. Greens—W. R. Davis, chairman; A. I. Nichols, T. H. Ludwig, S. Armstrong and R. H. Aronson. Entertainment—W. H. Maxwell, chairman; H. C. Nichols, A. A. Jackson, J. H. Hunt, W. Morrison and G. W. Randall.

Mr. Tuttle has named G. J. Mogan chairman of the tennis committee and will appoint the other members at a later date.

A meeting of the club will be held this evening to take action upon the proposed changes in the dues for the several memberships and to consider purchasing additional land to increase the golf course to eighteen holes.

WEINMAN'S CAFE

CLIMAX GUN CLUB SHOOT

The Climax Gun Club held a series of six events at its traps Saturday afternoon, with a number of shooters participating in the various events. In the big 25-bird shoot Foster and Parcell took the first and second honors, making twenty-three and twenty-one targets each.

The scores:

Birds	(10)	(25)	(10)	(35)	(20)	(100)
Tingley	9	18	7	13	7	19
Seidler	8	10	9	10	12	18
Foster	8	11	8	18	15	23
P. Terry	8	13	10	8	15	18
G. Ord	10	13	8	12	19	18
Latham	8	12	8	8	18	18
C. Randolph	9	10	8	14	15	17
Parcell	9	13	9	14	13	21
Nottingham	5	12	9	13	14	21
Gerlicks	9	14	8	12	6	17
J. Terry	8	14	8	13	18	18
Ginhass			7	10		
D. Randolph			7	10		16

"MASKED MARVEL" IN INITIAL APPEARANCE

The fears of the T. A. B. S. house tourney took two last evening from the Tigers, the feat having been made possible largely through the inspiration of the "masked marvel" of the local bowling circles. The "masked marvel" did some good work as his own hook in the first tilt, chalking up a score of 202, and manages to maintain an average of 179.

Mahoney did the heavy work of the evening, working the lanes for an average of 190.1, while O'Keeffe of the Tigers came second in this line with an average of 185.1. Mahoney's 224 in the second tilt was the high mark of the games.

The schedule for the remainder of the week follows: Tomorrow night, Leopards vs. Foxes; Friday, Bulls vs. Lions.

Last evening's scores:

BEARS				Ave
Masked Marvel	202	152	183—179	
Winzenried	103	109	141—117	
Blimm	124	153	159—145	
*Donnelly	160	160	160—160	
Mahoney	148	224	199—190	
Total Pins—2,377.	737	798	842—792	
*Average.				

TIGERS				Ave
Kyle	164	150	148—158	
Larew	127	198	160—161	
Shuck	171	121	146—146	
Diakin	123	147	145—139	
J. O'Keefe	201	172	182—185	
Total Pins—2,372.	786	788	795—790	

SECOND NIGHTERS ON WRONG END OF SCORES

The Second Night Club, which operates one night a week, needs to get into action about two or three evenings during the course of the next week or two in order to get into trim. The pinners of this organization visited the Somerset alleys last evening, where they were properly walloped by the St. Joseph's Club in a clean sweep of three tilts.

The Second Nighters never appeared to have a chance in any of the games, the boroughites taking all three by substantial margins.

The scores:

ST. JOSEPH'S CLUB				Ave
J. Miller	156	165	129—150	
Virilli	179	178	205—187	
Connolly	162	169	194—175	
Ferraro	164	190	181—178	
Gates	185	152	154—157	
Total pins—2,534.	846	845	863—844	

SECOND NIGHT CLUB				Ave
Regan	159	145	165—156	
Kyle	154	122	137—138	
Garry	136	167	127—143	
Fitzgerald	145	162	137—148	
Coffee	196	173	190—176	
Total pins—2,285.	760	769	756—762	

HUNTERDON COUNTRY CLUB HOLDS FORTH

The monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Hunterdon Country Club was held last night at the clubhouse near High Bridge, when arrangements were made for a smoker to be held next Tuesday night, at which time the bowling team from the Pomfret Club of Easton will compete against the Hunterdon Country club five in a match.

The following is the schedule of the bowling teams for the remainder of the month: Tonight, High Bridge, 3, vs. Annandale; tomorrow night, Glen Gardner vs. Clinton, 1; Thursday night, High Bridge vs. Clinton, 2; March 12, Whitehouse vs. High Bridge, 3; March 14, Hampton vs. Clinton, 2; March 15, Glen Gardner vs. High Bridge, 3; March 19, Clinton, 1, vs. High Bridge, 1; March 20, High Bridge, 2, vs. Annandale; March 21, Hampton vs. High Bridge, 3; March 26, Glen Gardner vs. Clinton, 2; March 28, Hampton vs. Clinton, 1; March 29, High Bridge, 1, vs. Whitehouse.

SNYDER COPS AVERAGE CUP IN THE ROLL-OFF

The question of who should have a clear title to the individual average honors of the Bound Brook Firemen's Bowling League was settled for all time at Klinger's alleys of that place last evening when Snyder defeated Hodge in the best of seven games. Snyder averaged 190 as against 181 for Hodge, the former also securing high score of 223 in his first set-to. The best Hodge could do was to secure an even 200 in his second round.

By virtue of his bowling last evening Snyder secures the handsome loving cup for high average offered by George Bonger, of Bound Brook, who was father of the league.

The scores:

Snyder—222, 192, 213, 178, 160, 190. Average, 190. Total pins, 1,355.

Hodge—174, 200, 180, 167, 189, 163, 188. Average, 181. Total pins, 1,271.

HIGH SCORES MADE IN HOUSE TOURNEY GAMES

The individual house tourney of the Somerset alleys, the borough, was resumed last evening with four sets of games being staged. Several rattling good scores were set up during the course of the evening, with Mantz securing the high average for a trio of games at the chalk mark of 214.3. It was left to Voorhees to secure high individual score at 238, this pinner coming in second in the averages at 198.1.

The scores:

				Ave
Van Zandt	177	153	183—171	
Jonap	159	172	185—172	
Voorhees	147	170	199—172	
Mantz	219	184	181—194	
Mantz	205	230	209—214	
Jonap	185	194	164—181	
Voorhees	194	238	183—198	
Jonap	151	181	174—168	

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In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

So many inquiries have reached me lately, in regard to preparing the different varieties of salad dressings, that the household article this evening will be devoted to that topic. Several novel formulas are given, in addition to the ordinary French, mayonnaise and boiled varieties, as well as directions for making green mayonnaise, sauce tartare, etc.

In mixing salad dressing, have everything as cold as possible, and stir and beat it constantly from the moment you begin to mix it until it is finished. If these directions are followed, and the ingredients used in the correct proportions, there will be no difficulty in the mixture curdling or separating.

French Dressing

Perhaps this dressing is best blended by pouring the ingredients into a bottle and then shaking rapidly. If mixed in a bowl or soup plate, have the receptacle chilled. First, put in a half teaspoonful of salt and a dash of white pepper. Then add four tablespoonfuls of olive oil, stir with a fork until slightly thickened and add one tablespoonful of lemon juice or vinegar. This same dressing may be blended with the addition of a teaspoonful of French mustard, or omit the vinegar and add *two tablespoonfuls of chili sauce.* Either of these latter varieties are excellent to serve with green salads, or those composed of beans.

Vinaigrette Dressing

Blend together one-quarter of a teaspoonful each of salt and pepper, add two heaping tablespoonfuls of finely chopped chives, parsley, tarragon and chevril, six tablespoonfuls of olive oil and three tablespoonfuls of vinegar. This dressing is recommended for asparagus and other cooked vegetable salads.

Roquefort Cheese Salad Dressing

Beat one-quarter of a cupful of the cheese to a cream (use a wooden spoon). Then gradually beat in five tablespoonfuls of olive oil, one-quarter of a teaspoonful each of salt and paprika and two and a half tablespoonfuls of vinegar. This dressing is very good with lettuce, endive, sliced tomatoes and cold boiled cauliflower. Serve with crackers or brown sandwiches, but not with meat or fish dishes.

Mayonnaise Dressing

Beat the yolks of two eggs until light and lemon colored. Add half a teaspoonful of salt, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of pepper and half a teaspoonful of ground mustard. Beat vigorously and add two tablespoonfuls of acid—lemon or vinegar, or half of each, as preferred. When the mixture is smooth, beat in half a teaspoonful of olive oil. Continue beating in the oil, increasing the quantity to a tablespoonful until a pint has been added, and lastly, beat in two scant tablespoonfuls of boiling water. In making the dressing, use a Dover egg beater and beat steadily from the start. If the dressing is to stand any time before using, cover the bowl with a plate and set aside in a cold place. Beat the full quantity of acid into the yolks at first, otherwise the oil cannot be added in the quantity given.

Chantilly Dressing

To a pint of mayonnaise, add half a cupful of double cream, whipped solid, and omit the mustard. This is excellent to serve with fruit salads.

Boiled Salad Dressing with Whites of Eggs and Cream

Mix half a teaspoonful of mustard, half a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter of a teaspoonful of paprika. Add the yolks of two eggs and beat thoroughly. Blend in one-quarter of a cupful of butter and one-quarter of a cupful of cider vinegar. Set the saucepan over hot water and stir until the mixture becomes smooth and thick. Then remove from the fire and beat in the stiffly whipped white of one egg. When the mixture is cold, beat again. Just previous to using with the salad, fold in half a cupful of double cream, beaten solid.

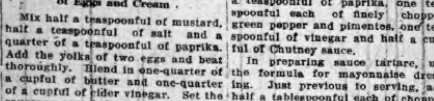
Russian Salad Dressing

Start the dressing with one cupful of plain mayonnaise and gradually beat into it an additional half cupful of olive oil. Then add one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, half a teaspoonful of paprika, one teaspoonful each of finely chopped green pepper and pimentos, one tablespoonful of vinegar and half a cupful of Chutney sauce.

In preparing sauce tartare, use the formula for mayonnaise dressing. Just previous to serving, add half a tablespoonful each of chopped olives, capers and minced pickle.

For a green mayonnaise, chop one tablespoonful of parsley very finely. Put it into a bowl and rub with the back of a spoon until it is reduced to a paste. During the process add two or three drops of pure alcohol (no more) and blend in with the regular mayonnaise.

Do not use cream with the dressing in either of the above recipes.



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THE KING'S PLAIN DAUGHTERS—Part II

The sisters were too sleepy and tired to reply to their husbands, and they stretched themselves out on the beds of boughs and were soon fast asleep. But not so with the dwarfs; they kept awake and watched, peering into the darkness of the forest with expectant looks.

By and by something could be heard moving among the trees and bushes, and then two lights were seen like two fires with streams of flames running up among the trees.

"Here he comes," said one brother. "Our wives must be protected; remember that, even if we lose our lives in saving them."

The sisters had awakened at the first sound and heard what the brave dwarf had said, and before the sisters could ask what was to happen out of the dark depths of the forest came a roar that shook the ground, and two fiery eyes came upon their astonished gaze.

By the light of the eyes the sisters saw a huge dragon with a green body and tail which slapped the ground as it crawled, and its mouth, wide open, looked large enough to swallow all of them at one mouthful.

The sisters huddled together, too frightened to cry out, and the dreadful dragon, without giving one look at the three dwarfs, made straight for the sisters.

Not until he was close to them did the dwarfs make a single motion; but just as the hot breath of the dragon came upon the sisters and they were sure they were lost, their husbands sprang at the monster.

One dwarf caught it by the lower jaw and another by the upper jaw at the same time springing upon the head of the creature so that he could pull well. The third brother began throwing rocks into the open mouth of the dragon, which he swallowed as fast as they were thrown.

After awhile the sisters could see that the monster could swallow no more, and the rocks piled up in his mouth, and when it was full the dwarfs sprang to the ground beside their brother.

"Now comes your part," they said to their wives.

"Oh! what can we do?" they asked. "You have saved our lives; we will do anything you ask of us."

"You must take the monster by the tail and pull with all your strength—all three of you," said one dwarf.

The dragon was slapping his tail about and shaking his head, trying to get the rocks out of his mouth, but they were packed in his mouth so tightly he could not be rid of them.

The sisters tremblingly approached the tail; three times they tried to grasp it, and each time it struck one of the sisters in the face. The fourth time they held the tail of the monster firmly and pulled.

A mighty roar went up from the dragon and at the same time the rocks began to fly out of his mouth, and as they fell they landed on the head of the monster and killed him.

Then the three dwarfs set to work taking out the rocks that still remained in the dragon's mouth, and when it was quite empty they stepped into his huge mouth and disappeared.

The sisters screamed with fright, for they had grown to love their husbands for all they had risked to save them.

They ran to the mouth of the dragon and looked in, but before they could call to their husbands the dragon disappeared and in its place stood three handsome men.

They bowed low before the sisters and one said: "We are your husbands; will you live with us and love us now?"

The three sisters knew how plain they were and replied: "You will not want us; we are so plain; you will want handsome wives."

"Look in the river and see what it reflects," they told the sisters.

When the sisters looked they found they were beautiful; their plain features had disappeared, as well as the hideous forms of their husbands, and they ran back to their husbands, who stood waiting for them with open arms.

And while they rode back to the palace the three brothers told their wives the story of a wicked witch who had changed them into dwarfs because their father, the poor king, had lost all his money, and could not give her three bags of gold for them after they were stolen by his enemies.

"And the only way we could ever be released from the dreadful forms," said one brother, "was to marry the daughter of a king; then we were to fight a dragon in a forest to save the lives of our wives, and you know all that has happened."

"And was that what you meant when you spoke of the watching for the enemy?" asked one sister.

"Yes," replied her husband, "and it was worth all the danger to gain three beautiful wives."

"The things we prize most are those dearly bought," said the sisters, and we prize our handsome husbands no less than you do your wives."

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RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room will be open tonight.

Boy Scout Troop, No. 17, meets in the Washington school this evening.

The dancing class meets tonight in the Washington school auditorium.

The P. E. G. S. will have a game in the High school tomorrow evening.

There is to be a Guild of Play in the Washington school Wednesday afternoon.

Athletic games will be held in the Evergreen avenue school tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Scarborough and the dressmaking pupils are to meet in the Washington school kindergarten this evening.

The West End Boys' Club has scheduled a basketball game for tomorrow evening in the high school.

The Alumni Men's Club will play against a basketball team from the Y. M. C. A. in the High school gym Wednesday evening.

FORMER CONGRESSMAN TUTTLE IMPROVING

Former Congressman William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, who recently underwent an operation in Muhlenberg Hospital, is reported to be getting along nicely today.

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WOMEN WHO FADE EARLY

How often we hear the expression, "How she has faded!" or "How she has grown old!" Her friends see it. Her husband sees it. She realizes it herself with a pang. Often she knows the reason, some female derangement has fastened itself upon her and makes it almost impossible for her to drag around from day to day. Such women should remember there is one tried and true remedy for their condition, and that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for more than forty years has been restoring women to health and happiness. Try it!—Adv.

REPLIES ON PROTEST AGAINST REP. MANN

Trenton, March 6.—Three favorable, three adverse and two non-committal replies have been received from Republican State Committeemen to a letter sent out by Hamilton F. Kean, of Union county, asking that the committee forward to Washington a protest against the selection of Congressman Mann as Speaker of the House. The partial result was announced by State Chairman Buchee, who requested the expressions of opinion.

Among the answers was one from former Governor Stokes, who said he was in sympathy with Mr. Kean's view, but doubted the wisdom of a protest. Harry P. Thorn, committeeman from Burlington, protested that he had full confidence in the New Jersey Congressmen, while Albert H. Darnell, of Atlantic county, advised against any act that might destroy Republican harmony.

HUSBAND DISAPPEARS, WIFE'S MONEY ALSO

Perth Amboy, March 6.—Mrs. Frank Huss has asked the aid of the police in locating her husband, who has been missing from his home in this city for a week. Since he left, says Mrs. Huss, $1,100 belonging to her and boarders has been also found to be missing.

The wife is left destitute and City Attorney Leo Goldberger is endeavoring to find a way to convince the postal authorities that $400 deposited in the savings department of the local office is actually her money, although it was deposited in her husband's name.

At the Plainfield Theatre Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10, matinee both days.

OLCOTT TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Chauncey Olcott and Ruth Sinclair in a scene from "The Heart of Paddy Whack" at the Plainfield Theatre tonight

There is a rare, unforced atmosphere of optimism and good will that is really appealing in "The Heart of Paddy Whack," which Chauncey Olcott will present at the Plainfield Theatre tonight. It is one of those cheerful, heart-reaching plays that makes one happier for having seen it. It is a sort of Irish "Daddy Long-legs." A fund of humor, more wit and romance and a deeper heart grip. Chauncey Olcott as Dennis O'Malley, called "Paddy Whack" by his vivacious ward, in this role is on a level with the foremost of our American players. His tenor voice, schooled under great masters of oratorio and song, has few equals even on the concert stage. Years have ripened his art and his rendition of "A Little Bit of Heaven," "Who Knows," "A Broth of a Boy" and "Irish Eyes of Love," is a treat that few can afford to miss.

HOWE'S MOVING PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

In these days when a world war seems imminent and our own fair country seems to be about to plunge into the fray, it is only fitting and proper that a timely spectacle like "Civilization" should appear before the public throughout the land.

Proctor's Theatre has arranged for a farewell appearance of this spectacle in Plainfield starting to-day and continuing tomorrow and Thursday. From the opening of the film play the visualization on the screen takes us from the happy, care free working people of humanity to the first intimation of war. In the big battle scenes Ince has photographed *graphically the terrible devastation* that follows in the wake of the canon's belch—buildings are blown to atoms, aeroplane raids, with the terrible destruction of buildings.

The visionary effect of the submarine, which is now occupying the centre of attention by all the world, the appeal of the mothers to stop the war, and other scenes are made gripping in their intensity.

TWO SUBMARINES SINK FIFTEEN STEAMERS

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 6.—Two submarines which recently returned to their home bases reported that they sank fifteen steamers and seven sailing ships of a total gross tonnage of 64,500.

"CIVILIZATION" REPEATED AT PROCTOR THEATRE

Lyman Howe's moving pictures will be shown in the Plainfield Theatre Friday and Saturday of this week. In this program you have real pictures of the world, big, vital, worth while, not posed for dramatic purposes.

A most pleasing diversity of other subjects will also be presented, including spectacular automobile races over the steep and winding course of Giant's Despair, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., as well as a liberal measure of quaint humor and merry-making provided by Howe's exclusive "comics" which are cleverly interspersed throughout the program.

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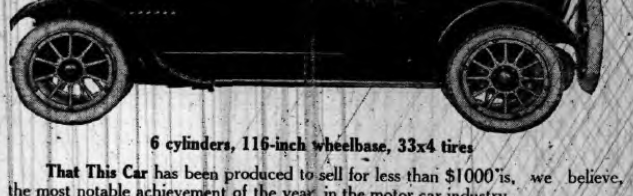

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CASE AGAINST THE SALOON

An Address Delivered by Hon. W. O. Stewart, of Flying Squadron

IN TRINITY CHURCH

Declares Problem Has Two Sides, Economics and the Question of Good Government

The Hon. Oliver Wayne Stewart, of Indianapolis, Ind., spoke last evening in Trinity Reformed church under the auspices of the Flying Squadron, on "The Case Against the Saloon." The Rev. John Y. Broek presided, and prayer was offered by the Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Gardiner. A. L. Titsworth presided at the organ and Theodore G. Davis sang "Calvary," by Rodney.

Mr. Stewart said in part:

"There are two phases of the fight against the liquor traffic which it is my purpose to emphasize at the outset. There are two counts in the indictment against the saloon, upon either of which it must stand condemned, because upon neither is it able to offer an adequate defense.

"The *first at these is economic.* Those who speak upon the question, are compelled constantly to reiterate the arguments against the saloon as an industrial menace on account of the fact that the liquor traffic seeks to defend itself as an economic blessing.

"The saloon will plead guilty to almost any charge made against it as ethical or moral grounds, and then, having so plead will justify itself with the claim it is a benefit to business. Since it makes that claim, we are compelled to meet it.

"It is easy to see why the saloon selects that ground for its defense. There are certain facts which unconsidered appear to be on the side of the saloon. For example: It is obvious that saloons employ bar-keepers. It is equally plain that distilleries and breweries furnish employment to workmen. No one ever denied that. But our liquor friends seize upon these undenied facts and make the claim that since saloons employ bar-keepers, and since breweries and

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MISS RICHARDS SPEAKS TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Tomorrow afternoon at 3.15 in the Hartridge Auditorium Miss Janet Richards will give the eighth in the series of ten talks on the "Public Questions of the Day."

Events have been moving rapidly since the last talk two weeks ago, and matters of greatest importance both at home and abroad are ripe for discussion.

Single admission (price $1.00) may be obtained at the door. The unprecedented number of admissions at the two February talks testifies to the wide-spread and steadily growing interest in Miss Richards' earnest and vigorous presentation of these vital matters.

It may be of interest to know that in addition to the Plainfield subscribers a large number of members come regularly from Westfield, Cranford and Somerville. This season's list also includes subscribers from Bound Brook, Fanwood, Roselle, Rahway, Woodbridge and Perth Amboy.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Frances Smith, of 127 Edgecome avenue, New York city, announces the engagement of her daughter, Lillian, to David X. Clarin, formerly of Manchester, England, now residing at 97 Fairview avenue, North Plainfield. Mr. Clarin is a member of the firm of F. A. Dunham-Clarin Company, civil engineers, this city. No date has been set for the wedding.

Patriotic Spirit Prevails at Proctor's

On entering Proctor's Theatre during the showing of "Civilization," one gets that patriotic spirit from National airs that are being played on a Victrola in the lobby entrance to the Mathusbek Piano Co. show room through the courtesy of their manager, A. E. Willard. Also the decoration of banners and the Stars and Stripes decorating the entire lobby and turning the presentation of the photoplay, the smell of powder from real guns which are used to effect, makes one think he is witnessing a real battle.

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JUDGE CRANE TAKES BENCH

Began His Term as Presiding Judge of District Court This Morning

GETS MANY FLOWERS

Speeches Made by Retiring Judge Hetfield, Judge Newcorn and Others—New Judge Will Strive to Dispense Justice Equitably

With a beautifully sentimental ceremony, Judge James Henry Crane took his place as judge of the Plainfield District Court this morning. The courtroom was filled with members of the local Bar Association when Judge Crane and retiring Judge Walter L. Hetfield, Sr., entered the room and walked to the bench. On the table before the judge were a floral horseshoe, presented by Italian citizens, and a handsome bouquet, the gift of other admiring friends.

The Bar Association also presented Judge Crane with a beautiful floral horseshoe. The presentation speech was made on behalf of the association by former Judge William Newcorn. City Court Judge William G. DeMeza presented Judge Crane with a handsome rosewood gavel, suitably inscribed. The gift was a personal token.

Before the opening of the court session Judge Hetfield arose and said: "When I assumed the duties of judge of this court five years ago I realized that I was not possessed of a knowledge of all the law that existed, but I felt that many years of experience as a practitioner had endowed me with common sense and the ability to deal impartially with all matters brought before me.

"Now that the time has come for me to retire, I do so with the knowledge that I have always performed my sworn duties in accordance with law and equity.

"The legal question arising in this court are the same as those arising in the higher courts of the State, and while it is true that there have been times when, could I have decided cases as I personally felt they should be decided, a different verdict would have

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APPOINTMENTS FOR GRACE CHURCH

The Rev. George A. Oldham has been announced as the preacher at Grace church on Sunday evening next at eight o'clock. Mr. Oldham has the reputation of being one of the leading preachers of the city of New York, and as he has never before preached in Plainfield, a large congregation may be expected to hear him.

The official paper of the parish also announces the coming of Bishop Woodcock, of Kentucky, towards the end of March. The Bishop will spend but one day in Plainfield, and writes the rector of Grace church that he is anxious to repeat the special service for men which was such a memorable feature of the Mission conducted by him last spring. Should there be a demand for such a service, intimation should be made to the proper authorities without delay.

GERALD LINKE PASSES EXAM FOR ANNAPOLIS

Gerald Linke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Linke, of this city, is among the 101 candidates who successfully passed the examination for entrance to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, held under civil service regulations. Mr. Linke, who was graduated from the Plainfield high school last year, pursued a preliminary course of studies in preparation for taking the examination for Annapolis and he passed with a high average.

Mr. Linke will be the fourth Plainfield representative in the United States Navy, the others being Richard McCullough, Fred Van Auken and Murray Burtis. F. G. Clay, H. L. Derivera and H. W. Taylor, also of New Jersey, successfully passed the recent examination.

MRS. JACOB BOICE DIED IN HARLINGEN

Mrs. Sarah A. Fitz Randolph Boice, the widow of Jacob Boice, died Sunday, February 25, in Harlingen. She was the mother of Mrs. E. L. Irvine, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Boice were well-known residents of Plainfield in the sixties. Mr. Boice died last March. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Boice leaves one granddaughter and three great-grandchildren. She was eighty-four years old.

UNION ASSEMBLYMEN FOR SMALL BOARD

Runyon, Pierson and Morgan Lined Up in Favor of Roberts Bill

Believing that there is widespread sentiment throughout Union county favorable to a smaller board of freeholders, through a districting plan, which would provide adequate representation for all the municipalities the members of the Union county assembly delegation are working with Assemblyman Emmor Roberts, of Burlington, for the passage of House Bill No. 34, introduced by Roberts. The bill, which was referred to the committee on the revision of laws, has passed the House on first and second readings.

In the Senate it is expected that the measure will have the support of Senator Carlton B. Pierce. The fact that the bill has no mandatory provisions is expected to work in its favor when it comes up in the House for third reading.

Assemblyman Arthur N. Pierson, speaking for the Union county Assemblymen, declared that Runyon, Morgan and he were backing the Roberts bill and proposed to do everything possible to have it enacted into law. "We believe it is a good bill. It overcomes what I believe has been the chief obstacle in the way of the adoption of a small board of freeholders in Union county—the lack of a districting plan. This bill has a districting clause. It provides adequate representation for all the municipalities of the county. I believe the people of Union should be given an opportunity to vote for a smaller board as provided for in the Roberts bill."

Assemblyman Runyon approves the measure. "Union county has asked for a small board act with a districting clause," said Runyon, "and that is provided for."

The Roberts bill provides:

That the county clerk of each county in which an act shall be adopted shall certify the same to the judge of the Court of Common Pleas and sheriff of the county, and that all three shall act as commissioners to divide the county into seven (the number of freeholders Union county will have under the act) districts, *such districts to be of contiguous* territory and so constituted as to comprise as nearly as practicable the same population according to the last preceding Federal or State census. In making such division no village, township, borough or ward of any town or city shall be divided.

Salaries of members of the board in counties having between 135,000 and 300,000 inhabitants shall be $1,800, such salaries to be payable in equal monthly installments, and to be in lieu of all fees or other compensation and expenses except actual disbursements for traveling expenses to an amount not exceeding $200 a year. This amount may be allowed and paid when a fully itemized statement thereof, duly sworn to, is presented to the board. And it shall be unlawful for any member of the Board of Chosen Freeholders to receive any compensation, fee or reward for his service other than his annual salary.

BIBLE STUDY AT CRESCENT AVE. CHURCH

This evening, at 8 o'clock, in the *parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church*, the Rev. J. Gresham Machen, assistant professor in the New Testament at Princeton Seminary will begin a series of five Wednesday evening Bible studies. The general subject for the five will be "The Way of Approach to Jesus."

These Wednesday evenings with the Bible are open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to any who care to attend.

BOROUGH YOUNG MAN BACK FROM BORDER

Philip Weisbecker, of Somerset street, a member of the 12th New York regiment, returned yesterday with his organization from the Mexican border. The regiment took part in the inaugural ceremonies at Washington, and upon reaching New York city received a great ovation. Mr. Weisbecker has been on the border since last July.

JUNIORS TO ATTEND REVIVAL

Members of Benevolent Council, No. 256, Jr. O. U. A. M., of this city, will join with other councils of the order throughout Union county in attending the evangelistic service in the tabernacle at Rahway tomorrow night. It will be "patriotic night" and the subject of the discourse will be appropriate to the occasion.

GAVE TALK ON INDIANS

The Plainfield High School Commercial Club had the pleasure of listening to a very entertaining and instructive talk by Mr. Van Dusen, Tuesday morning on the subject of "Indians."

DOES MUCH FOR BELGIAN AID

Plainfield Association Has Sent 21,010 Garments Since Sept., 1914

LETTERS OF THANKS

Notes of Appreciation Give Many Details of Terrible Sufferings Borne by Children, Aged Men and Women

The regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Association was held yesterday morning at the home of Mrs. Frederic W. Wallace, of Hillside avenue.

The chairman reported that as a result of the garment campaign, conducted by Miss Corey, 2,732 articles of clothing had been collected, of which 2,620 were new, and as a result of the handkerchief campaign conducted by Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Stevens 9,218 handkerchiefs had been collected, 10,000 in all guaranteed. These are for the 4,000 Belgian children in school now in Havre.

Mrs. Wallace stated further that 3,827 garments, exclusive of the handkerchiefs, had been collected this year, making a total of 21,010 sent by Plainfield since September, 1914. Three boxes were shipped on the Chicago last month and have arrived. Two boxes left on last Saturday's steamer. The ten still on hand will be shipped at the rate of two a week.

It may be of interest to the people of Plainfield to know that the French Government receives free shipments 56,000 cubic feet on each of the three French steamers that are scheduled to sail weekly so that the transportation to Europe costs us nothing. The cases sent to the Appui Belge go via the Vacation War relief, those to the Second Duryea through the New York Clearing House, those to La Panne by the English boats, also without cost.

Appreciative letters from Miss Glaenzer and Mrs. Duryea were read. The latter included a note from Mrs. Hobart Tutle, who is working at the Paris depot. It reads as follows:

"Paris, Jan. 17, 1917.

"We felt yesterday that all the agencies in France could not cope

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CONVICTION IS SET ASIDE BY COURT

Judge Newcorn Wins in Supreme Court Appeal of Dr. Finkel's Case

The Supreme Court has set aside the conviction of Dr. Israel S. Finkel, formerly of this city, of assault on Mary Grant, which sustained William Newcorn, counsel for Dr. Finkel, in his objections to Judge Connolly's conduct of *the case in the Court of Quarter Sessions* about a year ago. Prosecutor Alfred A. Stein represented the State in the Supreme Court when the appeal was heard. The opinion is written by Chief Justice C. J. Gummere.

The indictment charged that Dr. Finkel, a dentist practising in this city, tried to assault Mary Grant, colored, when she visited his office to have a tooth extracted. Following the jury's *verdict he was fined $200.* In conducting the trial Judge Connolly permitted the State, over objection by defendant's counsel, to show that a similar charge of assault had been made against Dr. Finkel by a Mrs. Bettock, and that this charge had not been pressed because the defendant and his wife asked Mrs. Bettock not to do so. According to the opinion, this testimony was irrelevant and incompetent, and created a wrong impression in the minds of the jurymen.

Judge Connolly's charge to the jury in which he questioned the veracity of the defendant while on the stand is called "harmful to defendant" by Chief Justice Gummere. The part of the charge which was criticised, was as follows:

"Of course, in denying this charge the defendant has everything at stake. His practice, his family, his reputation, his future are all tied up in the verdict in this case. Will a man under whose circumstances tell a story that would incriminate him in the eyes of the jury, or would be rather tell a story that would make his case appear in the best light in the eyes of the jury?"

"We thing this instruction was harmfully erroneous," reads the opinion. "While it is true that the trial court may properly call the attention of the jury to facts which are of importance in determining the credit to be given a witness, the instruction complained of did far more than that."

SAURER MINSTRELS A GREAT SUCCESS

Fine Program Presented at High School by Local Talent

An audience that nearly filled the auditorium of the Plainfield High School last night enjoyed the first Saurer minstrel benefit given under the direction of the concert band, which is composed of employes of the local plant of the International Motor Company. The greater part of the program, was presented by local talent, and considering that it was the first public appearance of a number of the cast, the performance was a creditable one, reflecting much credit on all taking part in the entertainment.

The program opened with a selection by the band, "International Quickstep," composed by George S. Dufford, band director, and the singing of "Under Southern Skies" and "Down Where the Suwanee River Flows" by the entire company.

Bernie Colvin, who acted as interlocutor, then introduced the end men, Thomas Agar, Thomas Ricketts, Harold Lunger and Arthur Perrin, who greatly amused the audience with their original witticisms. This was followed by the singing of the following songs: "How Agar Got His Job," Thomas Agar; "She's Dixie All the Time," Thomas Ricketts; "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling," James Jamieson; "Watching the Dog," Harold Lunger; "Pray for the Lights to Go Out," Arthur Perrin; "There's Someone More Lonesome Than You," Theodore Glaser.

The olio, or part second, was opened with an original sketch of singing and dancing by Tessie Tambo and Bessie Bones, entitled "Come On Down to Ragtime Town," the impersonations being made by Miss Dolly Zoll, of this city, and Miss Florence Hartman, of Westfield. Each was presented with a bouquet of flowers by admirers.

The Musical Stewarts then entertained with playing on bells, one-string fiddles, tin cans and the banjo, receiving several encores. The latter part two of the program was devoted to a tumbling act by *Herbei Hansen, songs and mono*logue by George Pearson, a Scotch comedian; humorecque black-rope walking by Blondin Bragger, violin selections by Frank Pentz, cornet solos by Messrs. Dufford and Warne.

The Jerbius Quartet, comprising C. G. Hunt, Walter Marienhek, Peter Benson and Benjamin Dodwell, pleased the audience with harmony numbers, impersonations and eccentric dancing, which was followed by the following solos: "Black-eyed Susan," Elmer Barrett; "Way Down Iowa," Richard Schott; "Tonight In Dreamland," Patrick Powers; "I Wasn't Scared," Andrew Crozier; "Over the Billow Wave," C. G. Hunt; "Old Black Joe," Joseph Gilbert, and H. H. Wickham as the funmaker.

The grand finale, during which the audience sang the "Star-Spangled Banner," represented a tableaux, entitled "The Spirit of '76," in which Edward Rowland was Uncle Sam and Miss Ruth Hallard was Liberty. Others taking part were Jose Ryan, Robert Hinvest and Rolland Agar.

Dancing was then enjoyed by the audience until a late hour. J. W. Hallard was manager for the entertainment, with Benjamin Dodwell as assistant. C. G. Hunt was director and George S. Dufford director of the band.

Much credit for the success of the minstrels is due Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hunt, of this city, who staged and personally supervised the production.

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TOMORROW NIGHT

A large attendance at the concert of the Damrosch New York Symphony Orchestra at the High School Auditorium tomorrow evening is assured, judging from the advance sale of tickets at Miller's pharmacy, Park avenue. The orchestra appears here under the auspices of the Dutch *Arms Band, of Trinity Reformed* church.

This will be the last opportunity in some time to hear this famous organization, as on March 18 Walter Damrosch, the conductor, will take his musicians on a ten weeks' tour to the Pacific coast. The demand has been so great everywhere for the orchestra's return that engagements to play in other sections of the country have had to be postponed.

PLAN CHURCH CANVASS

Fifty members of the First Baptist Church divided into teams of two will visit the entire membership of the church Sunday afternoon in the interest of next year's budget. The plan is to have every one pledge a certain amount for the maintenance of the church. The workers will meet Friday night at the home of Arthur M. Harris on Central avenue, to discuss details of the work to be done on Sunday.

GOVERNMENT MAY SEIZE SHIP-YARDS AND BUILD BATTLESHIPS

By United Press:

Washington, March 7.—The Government will seize private shipyards if a survey of ship-building facilities does not show that the building of warships can be speeded up under present conditions.

Secretary Daniels said today he would use the powers granted under the new naval bill, if it became necessary.

SENATE FILIBUSTERS "ROASTED" AT HOME

By United Press:

Cleveland, March 7.—Calling for a national movement to oust Senator Stone as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, Cleveland newspapers today declared such a move is necessary as a "preparedness measure."

Pictures of the twelve "wilful men" were run alongside that of Benedict Arnold.

By United Press:

Lincoln, Neb., March 7.—A resolution branding Senator Norris, of Nebraska, as traitor to the people of his State and of the U. S., will be considered by the Nebraska Senate today.

By United Press:

Denver, March 7.—Strongly condemning the act of the 12 filibustering Senators who defeated the armed neutrality bill, a new resolution will come before the State Senate today, in place of the resolution passed by the Assembly yesterday, members wishing to voice a more emphatic disapproval of the filibusterers.

By United Press:

Oklahoma City, March 7.—Copies of resolutions adopted by both houses of Legislature, condemning the filibuster by twelve Senators who defeated the armed neutrality bill and commending Senator Owen for his proposal to establish a rule to prevent filibustering, were telegraphed today to President Wilson and to Oklahoma representatives in Congress.

INTERNATIONAL PLACE FOR EX-SENATOR KERN

By United Press:

Washington, March 7.—Former Senator John W. Kern, of Indiana, Democratic floor leader in the recent Congress, is slated for nomination as member of the joint international committee to fill a vacancy expected soon.

President Wilson is understood to be ready to nominate Kern as soon as the vacancy occurs. The salary is $7,500 a year. The nomination handles Canadian matters.

CALLS AUSTRIA'S NOTE "AN IMPUDENT FRAUD"

By United Press:

Rome, March 7.—"An impudent fraud," was the characterization of Austria's note to the United States, voiced in the Italian Idea Nationale today. Practically the same attitude was shown by all the Italian newspapers.

BERNSTORFF NEARING HIS NATIVE SHORES

By United Press:

Copenhagen, March 7.—The Scandinavian liner Frederick VIII., bearing former Ambassador von Bernstorff, is expected to reach here Saturday, according to wireless messages today.

SUBMARINES SANK 204,000 TONS

By United Press:

Berlin, March 7.—From March 1 to March 5 reports of submarines indicate that ships totaling 204,000 gross tons have been sunk, the official Press Bureau says today.

ELECTED PRESIDENT FOR EIGHTH TERM

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Methodist church at the annual meeting yesterday afternoon re-elected Mrs. J. S. Darby president for the eighth year. The other officers elected are: First vice president, Mrs. W. J. Conroy; second vice president, Mrs. Charles Lippincott; secretary, Mrs. George A. Nelson; treasurer, Mrs. C. Barnes.

The annual reports submitted by the secretary and treasurer were very encouraging, showing the society to be in excellent standing. It was planned to hold a birthday social in the church during the coming month, the date and time to be announced later.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE FOR BELGIAN MILK FUND

A delightful and beautifully illustrated lecture on various parts of this country, and particularly of California, was given last evening in the Y. M. C. A. building by J. Erwin, for the benefit of the milk fund for children of Belgium. The attendance was large and the total amount contributed was most satisfactory.

Mr. Erwin spoke and described incidents concerning the pictures that he showed. These pictures were works of art and were fine examples of photography. The picturesque views of the mountain scenery and landscapes of California were especially pleasing.

BITTER FIGHT AGAINST RE-ELECTING STONE

By United Press:

Washington, March 7.—A bitter fight against re-electing William J. Stone as chairman of the Foreign Relations committee will be made by members of his party, despite the heretofore inviolable seniority rule that has always prevailed in such matters. One of the most prominent Democratic Senators, who was one of the leaders in the fight to pass the armed neutrality measure, is authority for this statement.

GERMAN WAR LOAN WILL SOON BE ISSUED

By United Press:

Berlin, March 7.—The German war loan will be issued at 98, with five per cent. return, according to particulars furnished today by the press bureaus. It will be redeemable until 1924, the same as Treasury bonds mature. These are issued at 98, with four per cent. interest. Subscriptions will be opened March 15 and April 15.

TO TRAIN AN ARMY OF 500,000 MEN

By United Press:

Washington, March 7.—With a view of training an army of half a million men, if needed, the War Department has issued orders to regimental commanders on the Mexican border, to prepare lists of sixty men in each command, who could be appointed to officers' places in high as captain, to do training work.

ORGANIZED TROUP OF BOY SCOUTS

A Boy Scout organization was instituted at Grace M. E. church last night a number of members enrolling. William Van Sickle is the scoutmaster and the new organization will meet every Tuesday evening.

NOTICE.

Dating from next Monday, March 12th, the subscription price of the Courier-News will be advanced from 10c to 12c a week, and from $5.00 to $6.00 a year. The yearly subscription price of the Supplies, as heretofore, to PAID IN ADVANCE SUBSCRIBERS ONLY.

While we have been forced to pay an increase of more than 100% for white news print paper we have shrunk from making this change in our subscribers until the present moment.

We do not expect either the subscriber or advertiser, or both combined, to assume the entire expense. Only a small part of it can be allotted to them. We must stand the loss ourselves. If this was our only trouble the situation could be much more comfortable than it is. But it is deficiently worse; we cannot buy enough paper for our needs at any price. At this time the Courier-News is being printed on paper of such poor quality that under normal conditions it would not be accepted from the manufacturers.

The unusual conditions make it necessary that we keep the number of copies printed at the lowest possible figure. For this reason we request that, under upon prompt payment from subscribers. As a precaution to be paid in advance and prompt paying subscribers, we will be compelled to discontinue sending the Courier-News to those who fail behind in their payments.

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DECISIONS BY SUPREME COURT

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 7.—The Iowa workmen's compensation law, voluntary upon employers, was upheld as constitutional by the Supreme Court. The Court also affirmed State decrees compelling the Mountain Timber Co. of Kalama, Washington, to contribute to the State compensation or insurance fund.

The United States Supreme Court decided that the Texas anti-bucket-shop law does not apply to contracts made in New York for the future delivery of cotton.

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TWO MORE PLOT CASES REVEALED

One For India Rebellion, Other to Wreck Plants.

New York, March 7.—A plot extending from this city to China and India was disclosed, the authorities allege, in the arrest of a German physician and chemist and a Hindoo scientist.

The German is Dr. Ernest Mathias Sekunna, a scholarly looking man of early middle life. His companion is Dr. Chandra Chakraberty, a young Hindoo. The two were seized at 304 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, one of the two handsome brownstone houses in the residential district which they own. They were released in $25,000 bail each when arraigned on a charge of inciting insurrections in India and alleged violation of the federal statute forbidding the fomenting of a "military enterprise against a country with which the United States is at peace."

Two valises of documents were seized. One official made the statement that the government as a result of the seizure was in possession of information as sensational and important as the Zimmerman note.

Federal agents, the Hoboken (N. J.) police and private detectives are seeking more evidence against Fritz Kolb, arrested Monday in Hoboken. It is charged he was engaged in plots to destroy munition plants and ships. Hans Schwartz, said to be an accomplice of Kolb, was arrested and is said to have confessed that a plan had been devised by Kolb and himself to repeat the Black Tom munitions explosion on March 5.

SUMMIT LICENSES CUT.

Only Two Left in Borough Now, and They Are Warned.

Summit, March 7.—The board of excise has warned wholesale and retail liquor dealers they must not violate the law. At the same time the board refused to grant a saloon license to the Spring Lake hotel, conducted by George J. Summers.

The refusal of Summers' license cuts the number of saloons to two. Charles H. Wulff, proprietor of the Summit House, and Frank Griffin of the Halcyon House were warned that if they sold to minors or to intoxicated persons their licenses would be revoked.

TWO GUARDSMEN MISSING.

Disappeared After Patrolling Bridge at New London, Conn.

New London, Conn., March 7.—Privates John Maloney and William Potts, Ninth company, C. A. C., C. N. G., stationed at Thames river bridge, have been missing since Saturday night. Both left the bridge and said they were coming into the city, and nothing has been heard of them since.

The police here and at Stamford have been notified to be on the lookout for them. Sergeant Vogel said that both had considerable money.

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ELIZABETH PROTESTS EDGE ROAD TAX BILL

Elizabeth, March 7.—"It seems incomprehensible that our representative in the Legislature not only did not consult the financial authorities of the city, but, on the contrary, declared that he did not care what the city thought."

This was the statement in a letter sent to City Council by Mayor Victor Mravlag in condemning Assemblyman Charles L. Morgan, of Elizabeth, for not opposing the Edge State road tax bill, House 2, now in the Senate and passed by the lower house, after being introduced by Assemblyman Oliphant.

The council, in executive session, carried out the Mayor's desire, and asked Senator Carlton B. Pierce to arrange a hearing for the city on the measure. The Mayor declared that the Edge bill, if it becomes a law, would raise the Elizabeth tax rate ten points yearly. He added that Passaic, Newark and Jersey City had also protested against the bill.

Carrying out Mayor Mravlag's suggestion, Councilman John Dravis introduced a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee to look into the matter of procuring a municipal lighting plant. The resolution was adopted, as was also a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate a municipal water plant proposition.

Council voted in favor of engaging an expert accountant to establish a tax arrearage bureau, and passed the ordinance increasing the salary of Assistant City Attorney John J. Griffin from $1,500 to $2,000. Griffin was again chosen for the office for a term of three years. Republicans endeavored to replace Griffin with Peter J. Olde, but were defeated by a party vote of 7 to 4.

JERSEYITES TO TALK ON CITY PLANNING

A conference on city and village planning, at which representatives from organizations interested in that work in New Jersey will speak, will be held in the City Club of New York at the club house, 55 West Forty-fourth street, Saturday afternoon and evening.

At the afternoon session, Harry Metzell, Jr., assistant secretary of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce, will speak on "City Planning in New Jersey" and at the night session David Grotta, a member of the Newark City Plan Commission, will talk on "Newark."

Invitations have been extended to many Jersey men to attend both sessions. A dinner will be held in the grill of the club at 6:30 o'clock. The work of the Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission will be discussed by W. H. Noyes, a member of that body. Arthur N. Pierson will tell of the city planning work done in Westfield and W. Reginald Baker will speak of the work in Madison.

It is hoped that out of this conference will grow sufficient enthusiasm to bring about the formation of an interstate program for co-operative planning throughout the metropolitan district. In addition to the New Jersey speakers, there will be many representatives from the different sections of Greater New York.

BILLS PAID BY COMMON COUNCIL

The Common Council Monday night authorized the payment of claims for the last half of February as follows:

Salaries, $864.59; claims on account of general fund, $53,116.39; sewer extension pay roll, $209.50; sewer extension claims, $2,832.53; pay for clearing snow and ice, $111.10; pay roll for storm sewers, $232.58; claims on storm sewer account, $7,890.43; pay roll shade tree commission, $63.71; pay roll streets department, $921.71; street appropriation claims, $228.40; pay roll sewer department, $175.65; claims on account of sewer appropriation, $136.28; pay roll police department, $1,212.08; claims on account of police appropriation, $209.72; pay roll fire department, $1,683.12; claims on account fire department appropriation, $488.86; pay roll poor department, $113.17; claims on account poor department appropriation, $553.05.

PACIFISM IS MURDER SAYS F. R. COUDERT

Famous New York Lawyer So States in Letter to Henry Ford

Frederick R. Coudert, of New York, an official of the National Security League, has written to Henry Ford that the peace propaganda he and other pacifists were spreading through the country might well, in case of war, make the pacifists accessories to murder before the fact. Mr. Coudert's letter read:

"I have the literature which you kindly sent me on the question of peace. You are a man of ability, very successful in the great business you have established, and I believe you mean to be a good American citizen.

"Has it occurred to you that your propaganda in delaying, obstructing, impeding military preparedness may, yet, in the near future, result in the death of hundreds, perhaps thousands, of Americans? The work in France of well-intentioned but misinformed sentimentalists, sharing your views, has caused that country the loss of probably half a million men. The efforts of the pacifists had resulted in lack of artillery, of machine guns, of ammunition, and uniforms, all of which had to be supplied after the Germans had crossed the frontier, and this necessitated the loss of the very best blood of France. The philosophy of pacifism had made itself accessory to murder before the fact, and French people of all parties and shades of belief realize it today.

"The great champion of pacifism, Jaures, basely shot on the eve of the war, had yet had time before his death to recognize that the conflict was inevitable. His tens of thousands of followers recognized that his apparently humane ideas had led to the useless slaughter of their children.

"It seems sad that Americans, like yourself, with such an example before them, should persist in the endeavor to keep America disarmed in the presence of a nation of Germany's power, whose spear knows no brother, and to whom truth is synonymous with contemptible weakness. You who place human life above all else should be the first to deplore the fact that the success of your theories in your own country would mean the loss of our best blood.

"It is for this reason that the pacifist, however sincere, and often in proportion to his sincerity, is more dangerous than the pro-German plotter whose war upon our country is notorious and may be met.

"Even the benefit which we have all derived from your industry can not in any wise compensate for the vast injury to the nation which your propaganda is sure to cause. In view of the fact that the literature you sent me was obviously intended for general circulation it can not be considered indiscreet on my part if I make this letter public."

GERMAN SOCIETY PLAN SHORE FESTIVAL

A committee of the Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein is arranging for a novel entertainment to be given by the society at Saengerbund hall, on the evening of March 22. It will be known as a "Shore Festival" or a mid-summer affair in the "good old winter time." The hall is to be appropriately decorated and those invited are expected to don Palm Beach suits or similar summer attire. The ladies will also be dressed in white or summer lingerie. Dancing will be the main feature. Oscar Ahnert is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements.

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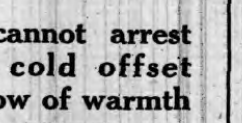

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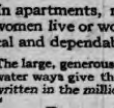

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Penalties For Individuals Under Sherman Law Are Year In Prison and $5,000 Fine, While Corporations Would Be Fined a Total of $544,000. Coal Used by Navy Boosted to $3 a Ton, Is One Charge.

New York, March 7.—The special federal grand jury, which is conducting an inquiry into the high cost of food and fuel products, returned two indictments charging 108 corporations and sixty-four individuals with violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

They are charged with having formed a combination in restraint of trade to increase the price of the semi-bituminous coal produced in the Pocahontas and New river regions of West Virginia.

According to the indictments, the defendants by agreement among themselves last January, were able from time to time to fix and increase the price of 22,000,000 tons of Pocahontas and New river smokeless coal, with an increased net profit to themselves of $34,000,000 a year.

The indicted corporations include some of the largest coal distributors and operators in the east. Among them are the American Coal company, Gauther Curran & Hallitt, Inc.; the Pocahontas Fuel company, the Smokeless Fuel company and the Chesapeake and Ohio Coal company.

Face Year In Jail.

Of the individual defendants a number live in New York—Thomas F. Farrell, general manager of the Pocahontas Fuel company; John A. Renahan, president of the Algonquin Coal company; *W. Ile L. Waldbridge*, president of the American Coal company; John J. Tierney, president of the Crozer Pocahontas Coal company; Lawrence E. Tierney, president of the Elk Ridge Coal and Coke company, and George C. Clausson, president of the Peerless Coal and Coke company.

If convicted the individual defendants would be liable to $5,000 fine or one year imprisonment, or both. The corporate defendants are liable only to the fine, which would bring to $870,000 the total amount of fines possible in the event of the conviction of all the indicted defendants.

Navy Hit by Increase.

The alleged combination, according to the indictments, dates back to a meeting held some time in January at the Waldorf-Astoria, when fifty-five men, representing the coal corporations and practically controlling the soft coal *industry in West Virginia, agreed to* raise the selling price of their product at the mine from $1.25 a ton to $3 a ton. The new rate was to take effect with all contracts during the year beginning April 1.

This coal is used largely for steaming purpose and is much in demand by the United States navy, manufacturing plants, steamships, railroads, schools, hospitals and other institutions.

It is mined only in the southern, southeastern and southwestern counties of Virginia, so that the elimination of competition from this region is said to have left the defendants in a position to fix and increase the price of the coal at will.

Railroads, factories and other consumers, the indictments state, have been deprived of the benefits of competition and are now paying $3 per ton at the mines and purchasers of spot coal are paying a great deal more than the contract prices. This coal was selling in Boston recently at $13 per ton.

APPAM A BRITISH SHIP

Supreme Court Rules She Is Not German Prize.

Washington, March 7.—The British ship Appam, brought into Newport News, Va., a year ago by Captain Berg, a German prisoner, today was held *to be the property of her claimants by* the supreme court. The court in sustaining the British libel attachment suits held the Germans had violated American neutrality, as treaties between the United States and Germany do not entitle German prisoners unaccompanied by the captor ship to indefinite asylum in American ports.

Justice Day said the Germans followed neither of the two normal courses—to take the Appam to a German port or to the nearest neutral port, but brought her thousands of miles across the seas to a port of the United States. Justice Day stated that to rule otherwise would convert American harbors into refuges for belligerent ships thus destroying the government's neutrality.

PRINCETON'S SAD 27

NEVER KISSED A GIRL.

Princeton, March 7.—Twenty-seven members of the senior class of Princeton university have never kissed a girl. Their confession was made in a record of statistics of the class now published.

Here are some of the reasons advanced for this condition: The high cost of loving, high collars, sanitation and hygiene, adherence to the policy of "watchful waiting," etc. One admits he had never found a *fair lady worthy of the honor of a* kiss from his lips. Several unfortunates say that they have lacked the opportunity, but not the nerve.

Forty-one members of the class declared kissing to be morally wrong. One hundred and eighty-seven confess they have kissed girls.

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It is believed that thousands who wear *glasses can now discard them in a reason*able time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by the use of this prescription at home. Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and let it dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start, and inflammation and redness will quickly disappear. If your eyes bother you even a little it is your duty to take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind *might have saved* their sight if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Yes, the Bon-Opto prescription is truly a wonderful eye remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. I have used it very successfully in my own practice on patients whose eyes were strained from over-work or need glasses. I can highly recommend it in case of weak, watery, aching, smarting, itching, inflamed eyes, red lids, blurred vision or for eyes injured from exposure to smoke, sun, dust or wind. It is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." Bon-Opto, referred to above, is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy. It is an ethical preparation, the formula being printed on the package. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is sold in this city by L. W. Randolph.

SENATOR G. A. THOMPSON.

He Calls Riverside Railroad Plan Illegal.

Photo by American Press Association.

SUGAR SOLD TO POOR.

Six Tons Distributed at Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., March 7.—More than six tons of sugar were sold at cost to the poor at a special sale held by the South Side Taxpayers' association in the city hall, Mount Vernon. Harry Kolbe, vice president of the association, was in charge, assisted by his brother, Charles Kolbe.

There was such a rush of buyers that Mayor Fiske assigned a policeman to prevent disorder.

AMBOY'S NEW HOTEL OPENING

The new Packer house at Perth Amboy, of which Peter Floersch, formerly of this city, is manager, will be dedicated this evening with a banquet, by the Board of Trade of Amboy.

*The committee in charge have arran*ged for a number of speakers of prominence to address the Trade Board members and guests.

The toastmaster will be Oliver W. Ramsey, president of the Trade Board. The speakers include Mayor John F. Ten Broeck, of Perth Amboy; Judge Peter F. Daly, Rev. Harlan G. Mendenhal, Congressman Thomas J. Scully; U. S. Senator-elect Joseph S. Frelinghuysen; Robert Carson, president of the local Trade Board; Senator W. Edwin Florace; Prosecutor Joseph E. Stricker; John Pfeiffer, county chairman of the Republican party; Adrian Lyon and W. G. Besler president of *the Central Railroad of New Jersey.*

Among the guests who have been invited to be present at the affair include George A. Viehmann, president of the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce; Alfred S. March, recent appointee to the Public Utilities Commission; F. M. Yorston, secretary, and Charles A. McCormick, ex-president of the local Trade Board and Usal H. McCarter, president of the Newark Trade Board.

PLANT GUILD MEETING ON FRIDAY EVENING

The Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild *will hold its* regular meeting *in the* Friends Meeting House, corner Watchung avenue and Third street, on Friday night at 7:45 o'clock.

The opening devotional service will be in charge of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church, led by Mr. Lounsbury.

Rev. J. Y. Brock, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church, will make *a short address.*

The music will be in charge of the Guild orchestra, led by Mrs. J. C. Evans. All are cordially invited to attend.

MARTIN IS DEMOCRATIC FLOOR LEADER

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 7.—Senator Martin, of Virginia, was elected Democratic floor leader of the Senate yesterday by the Democratic caucus. Senator Saulsbury, of Delaware, was nominated for president *pro tempore.*

APPEAL OF WERNER HORN DISMISSED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 7.—The Supreme Court has dismissed the appeal of Werner Horn, who claims to be a German army officer, who is under *indictment* in connection with an explosion which damaged the Canadian Pacific international bridge at Vanceboro, Me., last year. Horn contended that as a German military officer he is immune from arrest and punishment for carrying out an act of war against British property. The indictment was brought under the Federal statute prohibiting interstate transportation of explosives on passenger trains.

INGERSOLLS TO GUARD PLANT

Phillipsburg, March 7.—To protect the plant, the Ingersoll-Rand Company is having erected a number of small shanties which tower above the fence surrounding the factory, and armed guards will be constantly on duty.

William Coleman, of Sitgreaves street, who recently returned to his home here after serving two enlistments in the United States Army, has been put in charge of the watchmen. Searchlights are employed at night, throwing their rays about the plant.

DISCUSSES NEED FOR WOMEN'S COLLEGE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 7.—That there is a definite need for a woman's college in New Jersey is the finding of Professor Robert W. Scoon, of Princeton University, in his report on the subject, which is printed in the March Education Bulletin, issued by the State Department of Public Instruction, out today.

The report is the result of the arrangement made last summer by the Federation of Women's Clubs with Professor Scoon to undertake a survey on the subject. His report has just been presented to Mrs. Charles W. Stockton, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

PATERSON RAISES LICENSE FEE

Paterson, March 7.—By a party vote—five Republicans to four Democrats—the Board of Aldermen Monday night raised the retail liquor license fee from $200 to $490 per annum. The increase *will be effec*tive beginning May 1 next.

Efforts to have the fee boosted to $1,000 were made by delegations of citizens, backed up with a petition from the law and order committee of the Paterson Ministerial Association. It was suggested that the raise proposed was mere "sop."

INCIDENTAL REFERENCE TO INAUGURATION

President Woodrow Wilson, who was inaugurated Monday, is the twenty-eighth to be inaugurated to that office, although the twenty-seventh different man to hold the office. President Cleveland is counted twice, he having been elected twice, but not consecutively.

President Wilson is the tenth to be inaugurated for a second term. The others were: Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Lincoln, Grant, Cleveland, and McKinley. Roosevelt served two terms, but the first term by succession as Vice- President, after McKinley's death.

Thomas Riley Marshall is the first Vice-President to be re-elected to that office, since party conventions came into practice.

President Wilson makes the eighth native of Virginia, to become President, and thus helps keep that State the lead as the mother of Presidents. The others were: George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, William Henry Harrison, John Tyler, and Zachary Taylor. Local interest attaches to the fact that two of these, Washington and Monroe, were born in Westmoreland County, Va., which was the home of former Councilman Richard *A. Claybrook, of this city.*

Ohio follows Virginia in the number of Presidents, having been the birthplace of U. S. Grant, R. B. Hayes, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, William McKinley and William H. Taft.

Nineteen of the Presidents were lawyers; two were soldiers, two were farmers. Seventeen of them were college graduates, and one from West Point. Fifteen were of English ancestry; six Scotch-Irish; three Scotch; one Welsh (Jefferson), and one Dutch (Roosevelt).

Roosevelt was the youngest at inauguration, being forty-six years old. *The oldest at the time of inaugura*tion was William Henry Harrison, aged sixty-eight. The one who lived to the greatest age was John Adams, who lived to be ninety.

LINER ORDUNA REACHES LIVERPOOL

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 7.—The Cunard Liner Orduna, which left here on February 24, for Liverpool, arrived there at 11 o'clock yesterday, according to a cable received at the office of the company here.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 7.

Germans made successful flank attacks at Verdun. West of the Meuse they captured Forges; also took the village of Fresnes, southeast of Verdun.

Officially announced that the British navy had increased by 1,000,000 tons since the beginning of the war.

Two Years Ago Today.

Turks defeated British and Indian troops on Tigris river.

Austrian troops captured Hill 902 in the Carpathians during a heavy storm.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917.

TO THE PRESIDENT

(Editorial from the Chicago Tribune of March 2, 1917.)

You were not surprised by the discovery that Germany tried to form an alliance with Japan and Mexico against the United States. The people of the United States were astonished, very disagreeably, when their government made public the facts, because the people of the United States, owing to their fancied isolation and ignorance of realities, think that such dangers are mythical, but you knew that they were real and close.

You knew that Germany not only would do this, but that for her own protection she must do it if she could. What else could the United States expect if the United States and Germany went to war? A clear-headed child would know that if a nation fights it takes all the help it needs and can get.

Mexico was, is and will be, until we change conditions, the exposed flank of the United States. It is the hole in the wall. It is the open postern gate of the fortress. It can admit the enemy.

You knew that the Mexican government which the United States virtually created was disposed to intrigue with Germany against the United States. Evidences of German influence in Mexico were numerous. Cabrera of the American-Mexican joint commission revealed that Germany was working through Mexico for an embargo on all supplies furnished by American countries. That was last summer.

You had information which the people of the United States never were given. You knew why Boy-Ed and Von Papen were sent home. The people do not know now.

The danger of a German-Japanese-Mexican alliance may not be great at this time. The Japanese may not want to enter it at this time. Germany has tried to form it. Mexico would be willing to accept the proposal. It is only Japanese unwillingness which protects the United States now.

Such an alliance, if Germany were free, would be irresistible. The United States, unequipped as it is, could not stand before it. Our fleet would be destroyed if it could not escape. American cities would be ruled by enemies and American citizens would have to accept the terrible humiliations imposed by conquerors. These truths, Mr. President, you know.

The American people may think these possibilities unreal and grotesque. They probably thought that no such document as that signed "Zimmerman" could possibly exist, and even when they saw it published in the newspapers may have doubted its authenticity until you authorized Senator Swanson to tell the Senate and the nation that it was textually correct.

This may open the eyes of the people, but the government of the people has known for a long time that just such dangers might threaten and that if they do not take form now they may take form later. The affairs of nations may not be like those of the Lord, to Whom a thousand years are as a day, but neither are they like the affairs of an administration, to which four years may be an eternity.

What Germany suggested to Japan and Mexico now, when Germany and Japan are enemies in theory, if not in fact, and when Germany has many other enemies, may be suggested again when Germany and Japan are friends. They then may use Mexico as the hole in the wall. They will if it is not stopped. This has been said time and again, until repetition has become wearisome and despairing, but the Zimmerman document justifies an "I told you so" if ever one were justified.

The United States can resist a combination of Germany, Japan and Mexico only by adopting universal military service. It can anticipate by putting Mexico under control now. If Dr. Zimmerman has not given this nation a warning to call out its young men of 19 and train them for the defense of their country, then the American nation is beyond the reach of warning. Its ears are closed. Its fate will be upon it.

You cannot afford to be tender to the feelings of people who are appalled by plans for protecting the United States. You are about to begin another term of four years and the influence of your next administration may be a benefit or a blight to the country. You are directing the affairs of this nation in contact with a real world and not with a world of illusions.

The Zimmerman document came out of a real world. Under your leadership the people of the United States may turn about and face that world.

GREAT BRITAIN AND GERMANY

Great Britain has not been sinless, but Great Britain stands for law on the high seas and fights for it. Germany is not the only wicked empire in history, but Germany runs amuck, and proclaims a freedom of the seas which is anarchy, pure and simple. Seeing this issue clearly, we need have no difficulty in perceiving further what is wrong with the argument that the starvation of noncombatants in Germany is as indefensible as the drowning of noncombatant passengers that have not been given a chance for their lives. Germany has the option to save her women and children by surrender. She is not denied quarter.—From "Our Challenge to Germany," by Franklin H. Giddings, in March 3d Collier's.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Compliments the Police

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

Sir:—Please allow me space in your valuable paper to express my gratitude to the Chief of Police and his cabinet of officers for the plain straight-forward way in which the record of one of my race, James Austin Saunders, retired police officer, has been given to the public. I speak the sentiments of the negro race in these congratulations.

We are proud of Mr. Saunders, his efficiency and persistence. The unbiased way in which he has been given the honors due to such tenacity ought to, and I hope it will show to my people that we are blessed in being citizens of a State and city in which real manhood counts, and not race or color. We as citizens are proud of the many opportunities given us as a race.

Thanking you in advance I am yours respectfully,
READER OF THE COURIER-NEWS.

Japan and America

In the editorial article, "Japan and America," of the issue of Mar. 6, the Sun speaks of the increased confidence between them resulting from the recent exposure of German duplicity. The Sun might have gone further and brought out more clearly the deeper and firmer ground of assurance that America can have now no reason whatever to fear the possibility of a quarrel with Japan.

In general, editorial and other writers having occasion to comment on the relations between the United States and Japan have continued up to the present time to refer to the issues between the two nations as though they still retained a degree of importance and to speculate concerning the probability that Japanese feeling might lead to action injurious to us. It is odd that our citizens should be so slow to recognize the new situation in which our country finds itself, and the tardiness is evidence of our want of familiarity with the simplest requirements of belligerent diplomacy.

From the outbreak of war, with the possibility always before the Entente Allies that the most powerful and resourceful of the neutral nations might be induced to enter the conflict, it was to be doubted that any of them would fail to do anything possible to hold the good will of America. And now, most certainly, the requirement of distinguished consideration toward the United States has become imperative. By the President's act of February 3, severing our relations with Germany, our country has assumed the status of a neutral rather more than benevolently disposed toward the allied cause, has become, in fact, a new and valuable convert almost surely won over. To conceive, therefore, that any one of the nations with which presumably we are about to co-operate with the full power of our resources could make the mistake of antagonizing us deliberately at this juncture is to impute to that nation a capacity of blundering stupidity surpassing even that lately displayed by Germany in her intrigue against our territorial integrity.

We know the Japanese to be not only extremely intelligent, but even more notably a tactful people. Whatever defects we may attribute to the Japanese character, foolishness is not one of them, nor is there a lack of racial pride and deep solicitude for the good repute of their country. They would be the last we may be sure, to earn the resentment of their associates and the charge and possible punishment of treachery by being so grossly inept as to interpose an obstacle in the way of a full and effective employment of America's vast potential strength in support of the allied nations, of which Japan is one.

Let us dismiss from our minds, then, the last remaining suspicion that we need fear Japan in the present circumstances. Not at any former time in many years have we been guaranteed so securely against the danger of Japanese aggression. So long as the possibility remains that the United States may join forces with the allies of Japan, and so long afterward as our Government may continue in close understanding with them, it will be quite incredible that the Japanese people should offer to our own the least suggestion of seriously unfriendly purpose. The "yellow peril" for the time being certainly has ceased to exist.

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MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 83 Somerset street, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 24-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

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STRONG colored boy to make himself useful in factory. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-7-2t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow, etc., a good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

WANTED — First-class bookkeeper; must have best of references. Apply by letter Box B, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

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WANTED TO RENT—Two or three connecting rooms furnished, one room as a sitting room, others bed rooms east of Park avenue preferred. "W. B.," care Courier-News.

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 224 Clinton avenue. 3-6-4t

WANTED — Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good location and reasonable. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

WANTED TO RENT — House, about 7 rooms, near Plainfield station; rent not over $30. Address John Bermann, 1110 South avenue. 3-5-3t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; two in family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

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FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 2-27-1m

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

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TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

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TO LET—HOUSES

FOR RENT—House, 6 rooms, all improvements. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

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TO LET—Five-room house, part improvements. 112 Jackson avenue, Borough. 3-7-tf

FOUR ROOMS, 1432 West Third street, $13.00; 6 rooms, all improvements, 972 Arlington avenue. Inquire Israel, 423 John street. 3-7-6t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Manson place. Jacib Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 110 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-5-3t

TO LET—Furnished front room, in private family, North Plainfield; reference required. "Jackson," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. T.," care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

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FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield; opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 2-20-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR. (Scandinavian) wishes position; good, careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N.," care Courier-News. 3-1-6t

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FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1575. 2-26-tf

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of ground, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-26-tf

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

AT MURRAY'S Auction Rooms—Just a few of the bargains we are offering for this week, viz.: New fold towel racks, worth 50c each, now going at 15c, two for 25c, not more than two to one customer; 50 and 60c books now going at 5c, 10c, 15c and 2 for 25c; magazines and periodicals, etc., and also books going at 3 for 5c. We have on hand over half a ton of wall paper; we are going to dispose of it quick to make room for goods coming in, and we buy books of all kinds in small or large lots, or anything pertaining to the household, including merchandise, bric-a-brac, etc. Our storage rates are very reasonable; trunk and household furniture, and separate rooms for every one. We also do crating and packing and guarantee our work. Robert Murray, general auctioneer and appraiser. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching, 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—$50 oak hat rack for $10. 981 Union street. 3-7-3t

FOR SALE—Horse, surrey, wagon, two sets harness, plow, harrow and cultivator, all for $85.00; a bargain; near New Brunswick avenue school. F. W. Tallman, S. Ninth St. 3-7-3t

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

COOKING RANGE for sale, cheap; also gas range. 37 De Kalb avenue. 3-5-3t

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

HORSE, runabout and harness for sale; horse always driven by lady; cheap to right party. Box 123, care Courier-News. 3-5-3t

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order, no use for same. $40 cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-tf

JERSEY family cow, very rich milker; heifer, and 150 White Leghorn hens; lot of second-hand lumber and sash for sale cheap. S. H. Arens, 1061 Rahway road. Tel. 1633-M. 3-5-3t

EGGS White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE—Copying press, $6.00. J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., 620 North avenue. 3-6-tf

FOR SALE — Very reasonable, cash or terms, fine Hardman concert upright piano, like new, as used mostly for recitals. Call 830 West Sixth street. 3-6-4t

FOR SALE—Ninety-quart capacity ice cream freezer in good condition; reasonable price. Address Sugar Bowl, corner of Broad and Prospect streets, Westfield. 3-7-3t

ROLL TOP DESK with chair, handsome china, pictures and curtains. Address "Occasion," Courier-News. 3-7-3t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—New brass bed, complete, $10.00; New Perfection oil stove, $3.00. 305 Orange place, City. 3-6-2t

HATCHING EGGS—S. C. W. Leghorns and Barred Rocks setting, 100 or 1,000. Leon L. Chevannes, Bonnebrook Farm, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-6-3t

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00, 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE—Leghorn eggs, $6 a hundred, $1 per setting; Young strain. F. Holland, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-3-5t

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 2-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-3-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn sheller, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-12t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Peerless Hondan setting eggs, from Blue Ribbon Winners, $1.00. 28 Stone street. 3-2-6t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 245 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

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HOUSE and two lots for sale, 316 East Third street. Price twenty-eight hundred. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-room house and bath; all improvements; good outbuildings; elegant shade; large variety fruit in quantity; main street, ten minutes' walk from station, Plainfield. Address "Sale," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Country home of 30 acres on River road, main auto road, three miles from Bound Brook; 800 feet frontage, Raritan river rear boundary; 11 rooms; 2 baths, all improvements; in excellent condition and partly furnished; barns, poultry houses, modern machinery, etc. Ideal for country club, boarding house or road house; ideal location; price, $18,000; terms; closed for winter. Koelle, 49 Third street, Weehawken, N. J. 2-28; 3-2,7,9,14,16,21,23

FOR SALE—Farm 80 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton. Augustus Duryea, Somerville, N. J. 1-31-2taw-2t

FOR SALE—Small farm, five acres, house, outbuildings; ideally located, nine miles Plainfield station, in Watchung; transportation; improvements. Details and terms, William Delaroche Anderson, Plainfield, N. J. 3-5-7-9

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. D. A. Reed, 916 South avenue, city. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—$60 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-8-tf-e

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT — Flat, 312 East Front, 6 rooms, all improvements; rent $25.00. C. D. Manning, 106 Depot avenue. 3-6-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 2-6-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements, on trolley line, for small house; also two lots in Garwood, 50x150, for a small house. Inquire 1430 East Second street. 2-5-1m

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

WANTED—Board and room by couple in private family; terms and particulars. Address "Reasonable," care Courier-News.

MISCELLANEOUS

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MUST SELL seven-room house, all improvements. 19 Essex street. 2-23-10t

FOR SALE—House seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-7t

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FOR SALE—Bungalow, 7 rooms, all improvements; $500 down, $30 per month; price $5,000. Address "Bungalow," care Courier-News. 3-7-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-11-tf

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TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 915 South avenue. 2-16-tf

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WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY—House, 7 or 8 rooms, with improvements. Apply 402 East Fifth street. 3-6-6t

WANTED—1913-1916 model motorcycle, standard make, twin, chain drive. Mr. B., 726 Richmond street. 3-7-4t

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TO LET—Store, 130 Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug or grocery store. Inquire 130 Somerset street. 12-30-tf

TO LET—Store and rooms, 143 East Fifth street. S. Meisaner. 3-7-6t

STORE TO LET in North avenue, near Park avenue, formerly Daley Bros. Inquire 96 Watchung avenue. 3-7-tf

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MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

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MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 958. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT.
12-28-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Operators, also learners; steady work; good pay. Schiller Bros., 329 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

WANTED—Milliner's apprentice. Mme. Louise, 309 Park avenue. 3-2-tf

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Pat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

OPERATORS WANTED on Singer sewing machines. Hecht Co., 318 West Front street. 3-5-3t

GIRL for upstairs work, two hours daily; wages $18.00. Address "Pocket Money," care Courier-News. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family, good wages; references required. Apply 718 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED — Maid for general housework. 909 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1095-J. 3-5-3t

WANTED—Woman to cook and wait on table in apartment. 138 Crescent avenue. 3-6-tf

WANTED—Cooks, waitresses and general house workers. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Laundress (white) by the week, to take washing home. Apply 825 Hillside avenue. 3-6-2t

WANTED—Young white girl to assist with general housework, in family of three. Apply 1048 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 517-J. 3-6-3t

WANTED — Chambermaid and waitress. 723 Central avenue.

WANTED—Young white girl as chambermaid-waitress in family of three; must be experienced and have good references; wages $30; Swedish preferred. Call after 7:30 p. m. at 97 Mercer avenue. 3-7-2t

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

WANTED—Competent cook and laundress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 3-7-2t

WANTED—Child's nurse white, with good reference. Apply in evening, 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-7-2t

WANTED—Young girl to assist with general housework. 423 Central avenue.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; reference required. Apply 502 West Seventh street. 3-3-tf

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Mill hands and girls for pneumatic work. Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-5-6t

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-20-tf

TO LET—Seven-room apartments, all improvements. Inquire 313 Grant avenue. 3-7-tf

TO LET—$17.00 apartment, 7 rooms and bath, all improvements, block from Saurer's. Inquire 1031 Sherman avenue. 3-5-3t

HALF of two-family house with up and down stairs, 7 rooms, all improvements. 421 West Second street. 3-2-6t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-1m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White French poodle, Friday. Liberal reward if returned to A. C. Thompson, 730 Sherman avenue. 'Phone 2228-M. 3-3-tf

FOUND—Black hound, white on chest, forelegs and hind feet. 202 Leland avenue. Tel. 2049-M. 3-7-2t

LOST—Silver cigarette case with initial "B" on face. Finder please return to Courier-News office.

LOST—Gold neck chain with amethyst and pearl pendant, between Madison avenue, Plainfield, and Westfield station. Reward if returned to Courier-News. 3-7-2t

LOST—Black hand bag, pocketbook inside, with owner's address, also stamped letter. Leave at Courier-News. Reward.

LOST—Tool box and tools off Mark truck. Address L. Eisner, 224 Somerville street, or International Motor Co. 3-7-2t

LOST—Weed chain. Return to Courier-News office. Reward. 3-7-2t

LOST—Dark brindle bull dog, white on head, neck, chest and feet; name Roger. Reward for return to 945 Central avenue. 3-6-3t

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REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT
Election of Officers
Next Rehearsal of "Land of Mystery" Thursday Night in Lodge Room

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

MARRIAGE OF THOMAS HICKEY

Just before the members of the Pi Sigma Kappa Fraternity were about to leave the West End Hotel last night after their banquet, each was given an announcement of the marriage of Thomas Francis Hickey, of Raritan, and Miss Helen Gertrude Howard, formerly of Lynn, Mass. It was an absolute and thorough surprise. The marriage took place at the Church of Nativity, Brooklyn, on Oct. 31, but no one in the borough had learned of it.

During the evening it was announced that because no toastmaster was present each one would be expected to make a short address in alphabetical order. And that was done, at about the conclusion, the announcement was made.

Mr. Hickey, who has law offices in the Second National Bank Building, is a graduate of Lehigh University and New York Law School. He is one of the popular members of Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, B. P. O. E., and the Pi Sigma Kappa.

Among those present last night: E. L. Keenan, C. H. Mathews, A. V. DeHart, J. Harry Wyckoff, W. S. Woodruff, F. D. Woodruff, George A. Gaston, George R. Nevius, C. W. Hoffman, H. F. Wilson, L. W. Hoagland, C. Harry Ten Eyck, and T. F. Hickey.

School Election March 20

The annual election for members of the Somerville Board of Education will be held in the high school assembly room, Tuesday evening, March 20. The present board consists of C. H. Bateman, Judge D. H. Beekman, John D. Case, Joseph Fitzgs, L. P. Gaston, William Hardgrove, S. A. Kenney, Dr. W. F. Naylor and F. S. Vander Veer.

There will be five vacancies to fill at the election. The three-year terms of D. H. Beekman, W. F. Naylor and F. S. Vander Veer expire. J. D. Case was appointed to the board to succeed L. M. Coddington, who resigned a year ago, and S. W. Kenney to succeed Dr. F. S. McConaughy, who resigned recently. There will, therefore, be a two-year and a one-year vacancy to fill.

F. S. Vander Veer has announced that he will not be a candiate for re-election.

Lamerson Buys Streeter Business

Amal Lamerson, who for a number of years has been engaged in the painting and decorating business in Somerville, has purchased the business formerly conducted by H. K. Streeter, adjoining the Somerville garage on West Main street and will take charge April 1. Mr. Lamerson will continue his painting business and in addition will do decorating and paper-hanging and deal in window shades.

To Build Parish House

The residence now occupied by Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Lawion on West High street, has been purchased by Mrs. J. Harper Smith. It will be removed to a lot on Doughty avenue and rebuilt into a two-family house. On its site a modern parish house, similar in architecture to St. John's Episcopal Church and the rectory adjoining it on the east. Work will be commenced at an early date.

To Change Masonic Quarters

At last night's meeting of Solomon's Lodge, F. & A. M., it was decided to engage the whole of the third floor and part of the second floor of the Kenney building, now in the course of construction. The lodge rooms at present are in the Struve building.

Surprise Party for Joseph Lake

About 20 friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lake surprised "Joe" at his home at South street and Doughty avenue, Saturday evening, in honor of his birthday, which occurred early this week. The evening was spent at cards, in dancing and other merriment. Refreshments were served late in the evening.

Advertised Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local postoffice: Clement C. Allen, Master David Bers, R. F. D. No. 1; Miss Sarah Hall, Miss E. Huff, 13 Cliff street; Miss Lillian Jackson, Davenport street; Mrs. J. Vander Wende, Rocco Yemmo, Garrol H. Young, Davenport street.

Walter Brant Engaged

The engagement of Walter Sargeant Brant, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brant of East Main street, to Miss Mildred Eleanor Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas, of Newark, has been announced. No date has been set for the wedding.

Big Dinner Tonight

Over 100 tickets have been sold for the dinner tonight of the Merchants' Association in the Cawley Hotel, where every governing body of the various municipalities of the county is expected to be represented.

WHITEHOUSE

The Readington Township Committee has decided to refer the matter of having a tax map made of the township to the voters at the next general election. As soon as the weather is favorable the committee will take up the matter of improving the road from Dreshook to Wyckoff's Corner and the road from Pleasant Run to Stanton under the Herrick Act. Three other roads have been applied for to be improved in the same way.

Peach growers of this section are planning to spray their trees soon with a solution of lime, salt and sulphur for the purpose of preventing the San Jose scale.

Nelson LaTourette, nine years old, is suffering with a severe attack of bronchial pneumonia at his home at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Joseph H. Lindsley, of East Whitehouse, is visiting Mrs. J. F. Vosler at Flushing, Long Island, for a few days.

Miss Olive Dilley, of Somerville, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ethel Dilley, at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. David L. Lare is suffering with an attack of grip at her home at Whitehouse Station.

GERMAN VALLEY

The monthly business meeting and social of the Lutheran Christian Endeavor Society was held last night at the home of Miss Grace Anthony. Mrs. George N. McLean and Miss Edna A. Delp had charge of the social hour.

Mrs. George D. Walters returned today to her home at Branchville, following a visit to Mrs. Margaret C. Miller and Mrs. Leroy C. Hall.

The monthly business meeting of the Music and Literary Circle was held last night at the residence of Miss Julia L. Swackhamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ader have for their visitors Mrs. Ader's sister, Miss Jennie Stiff, and Miss Helen Dalley, of Hackettstown.

Mrs. Lewis Bird, of Pleasant Valley, is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene T. Trotter, of Brooklyn.

Snow fell here to a depth of more than ten inches and the finest sleighing of the season is being enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lance are entertaining their grandson, Archie Lance, of Califon.

A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cressman.

HIGH BRIDGE

Owing to the illness of the principal, Fireman Cox, of Mountainville, Mrs. Annie Pace, of Farmersville, will teach the Fairmount School the balance of the term.

"Much Ado About Betty" will be reproduced March 23 in Apgar's hall, Califon, by members of the senior class of the High Bridge High School.

Frank Sutton, of Califon, has gone to Westfield to become ticket agent and operator for the Central Railroad.

Mrs. Susan N. Wise, of Califon, was summoned Sunday to Flanders owing to the death of Winfield Sharpe.

Edward D. Dewitt, of East Orange, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Apgar at Woodglen.

The Misses Sarah and Frances Jowitt, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday at their parental home at Woodglen.

Mrs. Mary C. Miller, of Schooley's Mountain, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Milham at Anthony.

Jacob Walne, of Woodglen, will operate the Kirby farm near Spring Valley.

Mrs. Irwin Sharpe, of Pleasant Grove, is spending the week in Newark.

Charles Hockenbury, of Spring Valley, is ill from pneumonia.

Joseph Lawson, of Mt. Airy, has recovered from an illness.

Miss Etta Apgar, of Anthony, is at Washington, N. J.

Mrs. Clark Burrell, of Farmersville, is ill.

SCOTCH PLAINS

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League, which was to have been held tonight, has been postponed. The president of the league, C. W. Slocum, was unexpectedly called to Detroit.

Clarence Sharkey, the enterprising local butcher, has purchased a new automobile delivery car to take care of his business.

For the first time this season coasting is good on Spencer's hill, and last night a number enjoyed the sport.

Pastor Hare will be in charge of the weekly prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight.

D. H. Roberts, of Union avenue, is detained at home by illness.

BOUND BROOK

GIVES UP OFFICE OF COLLECTOR

The resignation of J. J. Maier as borough collector was received last night by the council, but no definite action was taken. Upon motion of Councilman Fetterly, it was decided to lay the matter over until the next meeting. Mayor Robinson, who arrived after the matter had been disposed of, declared that he did not believe Mr. Maier had the right to resign because he agreed to accept the position for the year.

Ex-Chief Edward Fellows, representing America Hose Company No. 2, asked the borough fathers to amend the ordinance under consideration relative to the new gasoline apparatus soon to be procured. The ordinance declares the engine to be the property of the borough, and the Hose Company wants it amended so that the ordinance specifically grants it the custody of the engine. Mayor Robinson and Councilman Bohner spoke in favor of the change, which will doubtless be made.

Following the report of the committee that it had been unable to agree with William Greasheimer, of Manville, as to a price for the land he owns on Drake street, which the borough required in order to widen it to 34 feet, upon motion of Councilman Bell it was decided to have the commissioners of assessment assess the benefits and damages which will be occasioned by the condemnation proceedings. It was stated that Mr. Greasheimer would probably try to restrain the borough from doing this.

The ordinance for the pavement with vitrified brick of that portion of Main street from the subway on the east to the Shunpike road on the west was passed on first reading. The proposed pavement is to extend on the east over all of Main street, including the Monument Square, as far as the brick pavement under the subway. It is with some little exception the same portion of Main street which the council during former Mayor Packer's term had decided to pave with asphalt.

A communication was received from the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. in answer to a letter from Clerk Reed, stating that it will give the matter of drainage its consideration.

Chief of Police Naas reported 15 arrests; Recorder A. D. Flamer reported $51.05 collected in fines, and Clerk Reed reported $57 received for license fees.

An invitation to attend the Merchants' Association banquet in Somerville tonight was received. The councilmen were urged to attend.

Bound Brook Hose Company No. 1 reported three new members—Harry Kohler, Harry Burns and J. P. Cullen.

Upon motion of Councilman Du Four, it was decided that a telephone be installed in the office of Chief Nash at a cost of $2 per month.

Recommendations to relieve the stoppage of the Talmadge avenue sewer were made in a lengthy communication from Engineers Dunham & Clarin, who suggested that a larger pipe is necessary.

Members of Pioneer Council, No. 58, Jr. O. U. A. M., are requested to be present tonight at the regular meeting, when arrangements will be made to attend in a body on Friday evening the dedication exercises of the Watchung School in the borough of Middlesex, when this Council will present a flag to the school.

Mrs. A. W. Covert, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Harrelson at Linden Cottage Farm, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Thomas Young, Jr., of Harris Lane, has been spending several days in Atlantic City.

Dr. John T. Leahy was the guest for several days of relatives in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. William Fritts, of Hamilton street, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

The Building Loan Association will hold its monthly meeting tonight.

WATCHUNG

The famous Carlisle-Pierpont Wet and Dry Dialogue Debate given last evening in the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society hall was listened to by a large crowd. It was very interesting and enjoyed by all those present. The bad condition of the roads prevented a great many from attending and it is hoped that this debate will be repeated in the near future.

The Dunellen Christian Endeavor will lead the Christian Endeavor meeting tonight in the chapel. Miss May Tway, president of the society, will have charge of the service. A social hour will follow the meeting and a cordial invitation is extended to all. The auto-bus will leave Front and Somerset streets at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Agnes B. Davis, of "Two Brooks," will entertain the Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society Thursday afternoon.

Miss Agatha Sweeney, of Peapack-Gladstone, is visiting her sister Mrs. Harry B. MacWade, of Hillcrest road.

The Township Committee will hold a regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening at township rooms.

DUNELLEN

FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY E. HARRIS

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Harris, widow of B. T. Harris, was held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon privately from her late residence in Greenbrook. The service was conducted by the Rev. Davis W. C. Ramsey, of the Methodist church, this place, of which society the deceased was affiliated. Many beautiful floral tributes from relatives and acquaintances surrounded the bier. The remains will be taken to Palmyra, N. Y., for interment in the family plot. The deceased died on Monday night in her 87th year.

Mrs. Harris was a native of Palmyra, N. Y., moving early in life to Brooklyn. The deceased with her late husband were among the seven founders of the New York Avenue Methodist church in Brooklyn. Mr. Harris passed away several years ago. Mrs. Harris was devoted to her church and its many activities, and when she moved to Greenbrook in 1902 brought her letter to the Dunellen church. She had served as president of the Ladies' Aid Society of the local church. Previous to her last illness, which began five weeks ago, the deceased had been very active for one of her years.

Surviving the deceased are five children. They are: William Harris, of Denver, Col., and John M. Harris, of Montclair; Mrs. W. Day, of Globe, Ariz, and the Misses Mary Elizabeth Harris and Hattie D. Harris, who reside at home. There are several grandchildren.

$4,300 Increase in School Budget

The Board of Education at its meeting last night made arrangements for holding the annual school meeting here on Tuesday evening, March 20th. There will be an increase of $1,300 this year in the school budget, the total amount asked for will be $24,125. The increase is due principally to engaging an additional teacher, and a ten per cent. increase in sending pupils to Plainfield High school. The retiring members of the Board are: Paul Carpenter, Theodore W. Day, F. R. Wyncoop, and W. S. Frederick.

Principal Guy H. Rentschler reported the enrollment during the past month, 517 divided as follows: Whittier, 293, and Lincoln school, 314. There was a 9½ per cent. attendance. Two cases of truancy were reported and the Board authorized the committee to take court action if necessary to bring the parents to terms. The matter of employing a visiting nurse was referred to the committee with power.

The local schools will observe "Go-to-school Week" next week when the parents and other friends of the schools will be invited to visit the local institutions of learning.

Miss Mabel Noyes, teacher in drawing, was reported ill. Miss Kelly, of New Market, is substituting in her place.

Cottage Prayer Meetings Begin Tonight

The union evangelistic services beginning next Sunday night in the local Presbyterian church will be preceded by cottage prayer meeting tonight, Thursday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock, held in various homes throughout the community. The meetings tonight will be at the following homes: Mrs. Thomas Titus, Front and Jefferson streets; J. F. Feaster, Washington avenue; J. G. Walton on Walnut street, and C. T. Voorhees on Lincoln avenue. Further announcements of the meetings will appear in this column.

P.-T. Association Held Successful Affair

The "Squiggles Family" entertainment held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association was well patronized, about forty dollars being realized. Besides the playlet the entertainment was interspersed with folk dancing. The children creditably executing the many pretty maneuvers. The members of the association served refreshments.

The Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the local Methodist Episcopal church will hold their regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon, March 8th at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Furman Gise on Front street. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the same time at Mrs. John Peters.

The domestic infelicities of a local family came near being aired in the borough court on Monday night. The matter was subdued only through the fatherly advice of Recorder Campbell, who appeared in the role of mediator.

Workmen have enclosed the Fenner house on Walnut street and work is progressing rapidly on the structure.

Constable C. Wesley Blaine, who was reported very feeble last week, is convalescing slowly.

Mrs. Cornelia Van Benschoten was a recent visitor in Philadelphia.

Richard Pennock has recovered from an attack of pneumonia.

W. H. H. Hardingham is on a trip through the South.

NEW MARKET

LOCAL JUNIORS WIN THE BANNER

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., won the attendance banner on Monday night at the Past Councilors' gathering at Milltown, the local Juniors sending a good delegation to the meeting. The hammer went to the Mechanic Home Council of Jamesburg for being the nearest council without a representation. Friendship Council has had the honor of winning the attendance banner the greatest number of times in the history of the Past Councilors' organization.

It was Vice Councilor's night and five Vice Councilors of the county occupied the seats of honor, representing Goodwill, Good Intent, Chas. L. Walters, Riverside and Joel Parker Councils.

The next meeting of the association will be held in New Brunswick with Good Intent Council on Thursday, April 5th.

The New York Telephone Company construction gang has been busy in these parts making repairs since the storm. Fred Dougias is in charge of the gang.

Richard Warnock, who is employed by C. S. Day, grocer, has been a victim of pneumonia at his home in North Plainfield.

Le Roy Scandell, of this place, is now employed by Joseph Harrigan on Somerset street, North Plainfield.

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., is planning for a ladies' night on the evening of March 22.

The Township Committee met last night at the Hotel Nelson and transacted routine business.

The choir of the First Baptist church will meet for rehearsal this evening.

Miss Zella Kelly, teacher, has been substituting of late in the Dunellen schools.

FANWOOD

Beginning next Monday, March 12, and continuing throughout the week, parents of local pupils of Fanwood Township School No. 1 are extended the privilege of visiting the school to observe their children at work. Nothing unusual will be added to the regular school work, but this will be an opportunity for interested parents to witness the regular daily schedule.

Next Sunday afternoon A. L. Johnson, superintendent of the public schools of Union county, will speak at a gathering of the Men's Forum in the Scotch Plains parish house. He will talk on "Educational Progress in Union County," which will undoubtedly prove to be of direct interest to local citizens.

A meeting of the War Sufferers and Red Cross Society of Fanwood and Scotch Plains will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Miss Sarah I. Kyte. Sewing for French children will be the business of the meeting.

A meeting of the Bible Class will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. John H. Thompson, on Martine avenue.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Bonnell, on Forest road, this afternoon.

The Fanwood Bowling Club will meet on the Westfield bowling alleys Friday evening next at 8:15 o'clock.

CLINTON

Death of a Little Child

Arnold, the one-year and three-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Howell, of Center street, Annandale, died yesterday morning. Death was caused by convulsions which followed an attack of pneumonia. The funeral will be held Friday at the home. Interment will be made at Fairmount.

The funeral of William Hann, fifty years old, will be held tomorrow morning at his home at Hamden. Burial will be at Lebanon. Mr. Hann died at his home Tuesday of heart trouble. He leaves two sisters and three brothers.

NORTH BRANCH

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Reformed Church will give an entertainment tomorrow and Friday nights in the chapel here. Two plays, "The Greatest Plague in Life" and "Plunegan and Finnegan," will be presented by local talent. Refreshments will be sold at the close of the program.

The members of the North Branch Pinochle Club will be entertained at a dinner by Mr. and Mrs. James L. Stillwell at their residence near here Tuesday evening.

Miss Anna Cooley is spending a few days with her aunt, Miss Laura Cooley, in East Whitehouse.

George Duffield, of Harlingen, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David Danbury, near North Branch Depot.

Miss Helen Brown, of Reading, Pa., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton, near South Branch.

WESTFIELD

SCHOOL BOARD ANNOUNCES BUDGET

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Education held last night, the budget which the voters of the school district will be asked to vote upon at the annual meeting on March 20th was presented by W. H. Orr, of the finance committee, and adopted and is as follows: For current expenses, $51,900; for buildings and repairs, $8,000; for manual training, $7,699; for interest on bonds, $11,877.50; for redemption of bonds, $6,000; total $114,177.50. The amount that will be received from the State is $46,640, making the total amount to be voted for $67,537.50, an increase of $8,672.88 over last year.

The resignation of W. A. Dempsey as a member of the Board was received and accepted and a committee consisting of Messrs. Zabriskie, Orr and Malmar was appointed to draft a set of resolutions on the leaving of Mr. Dempsey from the Board and a set to be presented to him and one to be inserted in the annual report. The offer of awards for the best essays on approved subjects by the pupils of the eighth grade by the members of the W. C. T. U. was accepted by the Board. The question of what disposition to make of the Prospect street school building was discussed and it was decided to lay the matter over for one year.

The committee to select a candidate in place of Mr. Dempsey to be voted for at the annual meeting named Frank W. Perkins. The teachers' committee announced that it had secured Rev. Fred Clare Baldwin, pastor of Calvary M. E. church, East Orange, as the speaker for the commencement exercises. After several bills had been approved and ordered paid the meeting adjourned. President Dempsey presided and all the members of the Board were present.

Westfield School Notes

Dr. J. J. Savitz, superintendent of the schools, made a report on the commission of pedagogy before the New Jersey Council of Education held at the Essex County court house in Newark last Friday afternoon and Saturday morning.

Principal Sprague, of the Newark Normal School, has been conducting a conference of the State Normal teachers who have been doing practice work here during the past week.

Superintendent H. C. Krebs and Miss E. Suydam, of the Somerset county schools, visited the local schools during the week-end.

Herbert W. Clarke, the manual training director of the high school, who has been ill for the past week, has returned to his duties.

Miss A. Harris, who has been substituting for Miss Stockton in the high school drawing department, has been made supervisor of drawing in the Orange schools.

Miss Leslie Moore, of the Arts and Drawing Department of the Beechwood school at Jenkintown, Pa., was a visitor at the high school this week.

The dance of the Westfield High School Glee Club will be given in the high school on the evening of April 13.

Planning to Boost Town

A meeting was held in the town hall last night at the call of Mayor Evans for the purpose of formulating plans for beginning a campaign for the boosting of this town and bringing more people here. The meeting was attended by a number of the business and real estate men and the plan was discussed from all angles, and it was the opinion of everyone that it would be a good thing and if conducted along right lines would mean the settling of many new families in the town.

After considerable discussion Mayor Evans appointed the following committee to go ahead and start the campaign: Harold Gordon, A. B. Hutchinson, H. H. Griswold, H. R. Welch and Howard Clise.

Meeting of Medical Society

The monthly meeting of the Westfield Medical Society was held last night at the home of Dr. L. G. Newman, on East Broad street, and was attended by nearly all the members of the society. The paper of the evening, which was "Statistics on the Recent Epidemic of Infantile Paralysis in New York," was read by Dr. G. S. Laird. After the reading of the paper there was an informal discussion which was followed by the serving of refreshments by the host and hostess.

Discussed Graduating Dresses

Mrs. S. A. Emery, of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Board of Education, met the Senior class girls of the high school yesterday morning and discussed the graduating dresses of the girls. Each year the Woman's Auxiliary gives two awards to the girls who make their own dresses and furnish the material at a cost of not over $5. The girls of the class of 1917 have all agreed to the plan set forth by the Auxiliary.

Killed on the Railroad

Ballardino Susano, thirty years of age, a member of the Cranford section gang of the Central Railroad, was struck and killed this morning by the 4.30 express out of New York, as he was walking on the tracks. His home was on Spring street, Westfield. The body was removed to the Plainfield morgue. He leaves no relatives.

The annual business meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Baptist church will be held at the home of Mrs. Alexander Hunt, Sr., on Rose place, tomorrow afternoon. The annual missionary dinner of this society will be held in the church parlors on Friday night.

On Tuesday evening of next week Rev. Milton S. Littlefield, D. D., will deliver a lecture in the Baptist church on the subject of "Music in the Sunday School." Dr. Littlefield is the secretary of the Congregational Board of Sunday School Work.

Hon. William E. Tuttle, Jr., has been a patient in the Muhlenberg hospital at Plainfield for the past few days, where he underwent a slight operation of the throat. He is now on the road to recovery.

M. B. Dutcher, of Dudley avenue, will make an address before the members of the Men's Club of the Madison Avenue chapel at the meeting tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Alleger, of North avenue, have returned from a visit of several days in Washington, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ellsworth, of Harrison avenue, have gone to Tennessee for a visit.

Alfred Budell, of Fourth avenue, is on a pleasure trip to Cuba.

P. J. Windfeldt, of Elm street, is enjoying a trip to Virginia.

CHESTER

The Woman's Club will give a novelty entertainment in the club house tomorrow afternoon. Miss Takeo Minami, of Tokio, Japan, will entertain by introducing Japanese dancing, writing and singing. The entertainment will be repeated in the club house next Saturday night, with many new features added.

Fish and Game Warden William E. Young will receive within a few days 108 more rabbits from Delphos, N. M., which he will liberate throughout Morris county.

Mrs. Frank H. Hughson ended yesterday a visit to her daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. and Mr. George Whitehead, of South River.

Mrs. Preston Pace will soon return from the hospital, where she recently underwent a successful surgical operation.

Eggs in the local stores have dropped from fifty cents to thirty-four cents a dozen.

Hezekiah House has moved his family to Naughright, where he has taken employment.

MIDDLE VALLEY

George M. Alpaugh, entertained over the first of the week his daughter, Miss Emma Alpaugh, of Cokesbury, and Holt Farley, of Lebanon.

George Reach and children, of Herman, N. Y., are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Beam.

Miss Jeannette and Frank Maxwell, children of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Maxwell, have pneumonia.

Miss Beatrice Maxwell, of Plainfield, is spending a few days at her home in this place.

Miss Helen Force is recovering from grip.

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THINK FIRE VICTIM FORMER PLAINFIELDER

A man whose name is thought to have been John Moran or John Moore, formerly of this city, was burned to death in a barn on the farm of H. L. Coleman, at Cheshire, Conn., last Sunday night. Joseph Stronick, who was the victim's companion, is now held by the police of Cheshire, awaiting an investigation.

Chief of Police Kiely received a letter this morning, telling about the death of Moran or Moore, and asking him to locate the relatives of the dead man.

If anyone can give Chief Kiely information that will lead to *the identity of this man's relatives, he would* be glad to have it.

The dead man is thought to have been a graduate of Cornell University. These facts were learned from Stronick, who says his companion told him that his home was in this city.

WILL MEET EVERY FRIDAY

The Junior branch of the National Special Aid Society for girls between the ages of 10 and 16 years will meet every Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at the headquarters of the National Special Aid Society, 175 East Front street.

HENRY E. BOWEN IMPROVING

Henry E. Bowen, of Watchung avenue, who has been *ill of bronchial grip*, is convalescing.

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SPECIAL AID PLANS COURSE OF LECTURES

Dr. H. D. Corbusier to Talk on "Emergency Care of Wounded"

Plans for a series of lectures and demonstrations on "Emergency Care of the Wounded" to be given by Dr. H. D. Corbusier, were approved at a meeting of the directors and chairmen of the National Special Aid Society held this morning at the Hartridge Auditorium. Information regarding the course may be obtained at the society's headquarters which has just been opened at 175 East Front street.

The directors also adopted a resolution offering the services of the members in time of need to Governor Edge and to Mayor Leighton Calkins. Mrs. J. M. Charles, chairman of headquarters, reported that the headquarters were opened on March 1, and that the following program of work was being followed:

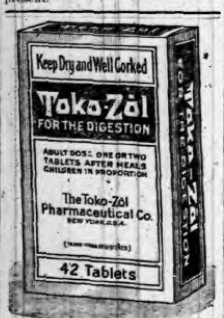
Monday, surgical dressings; Tuesday, hospital supplies; Wednesday, King's Daughters, sewing; Thursday, distributing, receiving, etc.; Thursday evening, surgical dressings; Friday, junior surgical dressings; Saturday, program to be announced later.

All surgical dressings are made according to Red Cross standard under registered nurses. The ultimate aim of the society is to make enough dressings and supplies to equip a base hospital either here or where it is most needed. In case no emergency arises the supplies will be sent wherever there is the most need for them.

JESSE BOYLAN VICTIM OF BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

A surprise was tendered Jesse T. Boylan, Jr., last evening, by about *forty-five of his friends, at the home* of his sister, Mrs. Cornell Ammerman, of Westervelt avenue, the occasion being in honor of his twenty-ninth birthday.

The evening was spent in enjoying vocal and instrumental music, dancing, and "500." Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the affair. Mr. Boylan received the congratulations of the many friends *present.*



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"Pape's Diapepsin" is the Quickest and Surest Stomach Relief

You don't know what upset your stomach—which portion of the food *did the damage*—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little *Pape's Diapepsin* to neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, *and they eat their favorite* foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion: *If your food is a damage* instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only *fifty cents for a large case* at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily, that *it is really astonishing.* Your stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.—Adv.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

A large gasoline tank is being placed in position in front of the garage, 108 Somerset street, North Plainfield.

Street Commissioner Barret in the borough has been busy this week cleaning the snow from the crosswalks *and also on the* line bridges on the borough side.

MONROE AVENUE CHURCH NOTES

The Ladies' Aid Society met yesterday afternoon and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. J. J. Praed; first vice-president, Mrs. Theodore Van Pelt; second, Mrs. Anna M. Wenzel; secretary, Mrs. Walter M. Manning; treasurer, Mrs. E. V. Voorhis.

A birthday party will be given by the Ladies' Aid Society tomorrow afternoon in the Epworth house at 2:30 o'clock.

Seven new members were received into the fellowship of the church.

POLICE COURT

Peter Kyper, Henry Lewis, John Shlanski, Charles Paulioski and Frank Lobrisky, charged with fighting at 729 South Second street, on Sunday last, were arraigned in the *city court this morning and were* each sentenced to pay a fine of $10.

John Moran, of Westfield, charged with vagrancy, was sent to the county jail for sixty days.

Joseph G. Carty, chief clerk of the local telephone office, returned today after spending the past few days visiting Francis McDonough and James Nooman at Georgetown University. During his stay in the South, Mr. Carty visited Washington, D. C., to witness the inaugural parade on Monday of this week.

Dyspepsia Spoils Beauty

Makes the Dark Rings Around Eyes, Caves in the Cheeks and Ruins the Complexion. How to Get Rid of Dyspepsia.

Try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Free

Digestive troubles ruin the complexion. The sour, fermented, gassy contents poison the blood, draw the corners of the mouth, rob you of

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DOES MUCH FOR BELGIAN AID

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with this new crowd of poor which floods to this depot; people sent from Germany through Switzerland because not useful. They have borne too much. *They speak rarely, re*spond slowly to kindness as though they could never again know how to smile. They have known every insult, wrong and sorrow. One man, eighty-two, had gone mad from suffering. His wife of seventy-two is his sole stay against starvation. She showed me photographs of her five sons, four killed and one disappeared and their pretty home amongst its flowers, since burned and pillaged. Mary could not clothe them for crying. Can't you make happy Americans understand? We never have enough though *we clothe over 2,000* a month of these piteous creatures."

The Belgian reports showed that the society has on hand $1,424.82. One thousand dollars of this is for 200 cases (5,600 cans) of condensed milk which has not yet been shipped. The society decided to send 125 cases to La Panne to Queen Elizabeth for her orphanage there and 75 cases to the Appui Belge for Belgian refugees in France.

Mrs. Wallace then took up the matter of the supplementary meal planned by the Hoover commission for Belgian children in its conquered district and read a letter from the Commission asking that the society help with this work. She ex*plained that Mrs. Richard Boardman* who is interested in the movement and who has planned a talk by Mrs. Kellogg for tomorrow afternoon, has asked that her work be done under the auspices of the Plainfield Belgian relief. It was resolved that the society accede to the request of the Hoover Commission and also to that of Mrs. Boardman, and that Mrs. Boardman be appointed chairman of a committee to work for the supplementary meal planned for the Belgian children, that this campaign be conducted by Mrs. Boardman and *her committee on which another* member appointed by Mrs. Wallace will also serve, the proceeds to be sent to the Hoover Commission by the *Plainfield* Belgian Relief. Mrs. James R. Joy was appointed by Mrs. Wallace.

The letter from the Hoover Commission to the Belgian Relief explaining the need of the supplementary meal and the method will be printed later. Plainfielders who think of their own children and then read the description of the meal that in addition to what the Belgian chil*dren receive at home 150 per cent* of a normal average daily ration; is to save them from tuberculosis and all other evils of mal-nutrition, may *be glad to give a dollar a month* to the cause.

Miss Phillips then spoke to the meeting of the committee in France which asks that Americans "adopt" little Belgian refugees. At present the committee cares for 900 who are under the charge of Sisters of Mercy. Miss Draper, of New York, is chairman and she stated that $1.50 a week or $6 a month is adequate for the support of a child. Miss Phillips has already found many names for a number of these children and she kindly consented to serve as chairman of a committee in Plainfield to *answer questions and receive* subscriptions for "adoptions."

Warm gratitude was expressed for the generosity of the Plainfield gentleman who made himself responsible for all the expenses of the delightful talk to be given by James Erwin, and who donated to the Belgian Relief milk fund the collection taken at the lecture.

Recent contributors to the work of the society are the Rev. W. E. Honeyman, Mrs. John Gray Foster, Mrs. D. S. Greendyke, Mrs. Allen Cowperthwait, Mrs. Pond, A. A. Tilney, Rev. E. Vicara Stevenson, E. T. Barrows, Mrs. Howard Williams, Miss Gwendolin Gough, Mrs. James M. Charles, Miss Mary B. Wells, Miss Simpson, Miss Alice Joy, Miss Rebekah Lipscomb, Miss Tevis Voorhees, Miss Muriel Porter, Mrs. Samuel Carter, Jr., Mrs. L. M. Miller, Miss McCutchen, Miss Charlotte Ly'on, Mrs. Howard C. Tracy, Miss Frances Morton, Pierre Parrell, Miss Mary R. Tweedy, Howard C. Tracy, Mrs. Mabel Franklin, a friend, Howard Williams, *Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, Mrs. Richard* S. Campbell, Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, Mrs. William Stillman, Scott Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Foster, T. J. Mumford, *Miss Dorothy Jewett*, Mrs. Hooley, J. Hegeman Foster, Miss Jane G. Foster, George P. Mellick, Mrs. Edward V. Cox, Mrs. Bernhart, Mrs. Megrew, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Foster, Miss Zaidee Boskerck, Mrs. John Gray Foster, Mrs. S. J. Hegeman, of Germantown, Anonymous, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Pierce, Mr. Moore of New York, Alan Fox, Mrs. F. C. Cox, Mrs. R. V. Pierce, of New York; The Hartridge School Kindergarten, Polly Wallace, the Platz family, Mrs. J. Sperry Hanson, Mrs. Wallace, the 4th and 5th' elementary grades of the Hartridge school and the *Academic*, Bartlet and Dick Wells, Bertha, Elizabeth and Peggy.

DR. GRAYSON UP AGAIN.

President Sends Name to Senate For Rear Admiral's Place.

Washington, March 7.—The nomination of Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the White House physician and naval aid, to be medical director in the navy with the rank of rear admiral, was again sent to the senate by President Wilson. The nomination failed of confirmation in the senate of the Sixty-fourth congress, and the storm of opposition provoked resulted in the holding up of hundreds of other presidential appointments.

President Wilson also sent in the names of Brigadier General Hunter Liggett to be major general and Colonel F. J. Kernan to be brigadier general.

BREAKS A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the Little Liver and Bowels and They Get Well Quick

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; *give the little stom*ach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, feverish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the undigested, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy, because *they know its action on the* stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grownups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

BULGARIAN GIRL SPEAKS BEFORE P.-T. SOCIETY

The chapel of the Bryant school was filled yesterday afternoon when Miss Reba Pavlova, a Bulgarian girl studying at the Protestant school of her country, addressed the Parent-Teacher Association of the Bryant-Lincoln-Emerson schools. Miss Flora M. Griffin presided.

Miss Pavlova was dressed in one of the costumes used by brides of Bulgaria. It was a rich costume, with white foundation and band embroidered throughout. Miss Pavlova said that it took one year to embroider the sleeves alone, and that Bulgarian brides have from five to seven gowns. *She spoke of the customs of her coun*try people and graphically depicted the sufferings and atrocities they had experienced in four wars that had *taken place in her own lifetime.* The speaker's subject was "An American School in the War Zone" and she told her audience that the American flag and school were honored by all nationalities in Bulgaria. She was able to escape to this country by saying that she was a Protestant.

The pupils of the Fifth Grade sang and gave an exhibition of physical training. A social hour, with refreshments, followed.

DELINQUENT SNOW SHOVELERS ARRAIGNED

Twenty-seven residents of the Borough stood before Recorder Fred Hand in court this morning charged with neglecting to remove the snow and ice from the sidewalks in front of their premises. The recorder briefly reprimanded the delinquent snow shovelers and then fined each $1.

There were several who received summons but failed to appear in court. Those who dodge the summons will be dealt more severely with when they do appear in court.

PRIVATE FUNERAL OF ERNEST L. RANSOME

The funeral of Ernest L. Ransome, who died on Monday, was held this morning at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Lawrence, of Denmark road, and was private. The interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

The Ransome concrete plant was closed during the hour of the funeral.

GREAT CHIEFS TO ATTEND

Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order of Red Men, at its meeting tonight will have class adoption of twenty-five candidates, three of whom will be *from Somerville*. It is expected that the board of great chiefs will be present together with delegations from Westfield, Cranford and Somerville. The adoption degree will be conferred in amplified form.

LECTURE ON SOUTH AMERICA

An illustrated lecture on South America will be given at Hope Chapel this evening at 7.45, the usual hour of the mid-week prayer *meeting. Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger*, pastor of the chapel, will deliver the address, and will show about seventy stereopticon slides. An offering will be taken for the Women's Missionary Society of the chapel.

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IS RECOGNIZED THE WORLD OVER AS A FOOD OF RARE FLAVOR AND EXCEPTIONAL MERIT
"THERE'S A REASON"

JUDGE CRANE TAKES BENCH

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been rendered, but in such circumstance I had to be guided by what the law decreed, and I should have been in error *did I do otherwise.*

"Inclosing, I wish to say that my successor has my sincerest wishes for a successful administration of this court. I am proud to have had this honor; it is an honor of which any man may well feel proud."

Judge Hetfield then presented Judge Crane, who said:

"I am deeply impressed with the honor that has been accorded me in selecting me for this important position. Most of high standing at Trenton told me when I was given this appointment that this is an important branch *of the administration of justice* in this State.

"As my distinguished predecessor has just told you, cases involving legal technicalities are presented here for solution, and it is essential that the presiding judge exercises due care to see that justice is equitably dispensed. That is what I shall strive to do.

"As for Judge Hetfield, I wish to say that it has been my privilege to practice before him, and there never was a time when common sense and justice were not displayed in his disposition of cases."

Judge Newcorn, in presenting the floral horseshoe to Judge Crane, spoke of the high regard in which he and his predecessor are held by members of the local bar.

"It was my privilege to have been appointed the first Judge of this court," said Judge Newcorn, "and I know that *questions of great importance* are presented here for legal interpretation.

"This is the poor man's court—the tribunal to which those who have differences with their fellow men may come for justice.

"The bench and the bar are, to my mind, like the small rivulets that wend their way through the western part of this country, all bearing upon the great Mississippi river, which carries half the commerce of the nation to its proper destination.

"The bench and bar of this court do the same thing. Questions which are brought here for determination are either settled or carried from here to higher tribunals where they terminate."

Directing attention to the white carnations in the floral horse shoe the speaker said, "These white flowers are *typical of the immaculate character* of the judge. He must be of good character or confidence in the court is lost. Like Caesar's wife, the Judge must be of unimpeachable character.

"I congratulate you, Judge Crane, upon your ascendency to the bench of this court, and I also congratulate your predecessor, Judge Hetfield, upon the completion of a term during which I am sure he gave a maximum of satisfaction to the members of the Plainfield bar and the litigants of this court."

When Judge Newcorn finished speaking Judge DeMeza arose and presented Judge Crane with the gavel.

Michael Pistachio, an Italian lawyer, then addressed the court, saying that on behalf of the Italian citizens of the city he wished to extend congratu*lations* and to present a floral token as an evidence of their esteem. A floral piece ordered for former Judge Hetfield did not arrive at the court on time for *presentation. A testimonial dinner* will be tendered to Judge Hetfield next week. The date and place will be announced later.

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THE FUNERAL OF MRS. MARTHA BROWN

The funeral of Mrs. Martha Brown, widow of James S. Brown, who died Saturday, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Wierenga, of East Fifth street, the Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson of the First Methodist church officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

During the service the Hymns "Lead Kindly Light" and "Nearer My God to Thee" were sung by Mrs. T. W. Derrick.

The bearers were Morris and Norwood Lunger, John and Stanley Pinhero, Harry Wierenga and Charles Brown. Interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

CLIFFT GETS THE TAX BOARD JOB

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 7.—John W. Clift, Republican, of Summit, Union county, was appointed by Governor Edge yesterday afternoon as a member of the Union County Tax Board to succeed William A. Coddington, Democrat, of Plainfield. The terms is *three years and the salary $2,000.* Mr. Clift was journal clerk of the Senate from 1907 to 1916, inclusive, except in 1913 and 1914, when the Senate was controlled by the Democrats. This year he was succeeded as journal clerk by William S. Stiles, of Salem county.

C. R. B.

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The meal consists of 1 Biscuit 4 inches square, made with flour, lard and sweetening, and 1 cup of Cocoa.

Franklin, Pa., with 10,000 people, has pledged one meal to 5,000 of their children for 1 year.

Evanston, Ill., with 40,000, has pledged one meal to 40,000 of these children for 1 year.

Oyster Bay, L. I., has taken 2,400 children.

The State of Pennsylvania has taken over the entire province of Antwerp, including the city of Antwerp.

Committees are trying to get each city, town and village in America to assume the giving of 1 meal a day to all the children in some one Belgian town. When the committee has received our pledges, Plainfield will be assigned its town. Every cent contributed goes for food. All other expenses are provided otherwise.

The German Government still recognizes the C. R. B. as the only channel for the relief of Belgians within the lines, and since Feb. 1, 1917, has again agreed to let the work go on. Send the above coupon to one of the undersigned.

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, 508 West Eighth St.	Mrs. Laurens H. Van Buren, 823 Madison Ave.
Mrs. Thomas R. Van Boskerck, 1332 Prospect Ave.	Miss Helen Harman, 505 West Eighth St.
Mrs. C. Boardman Tyler, 521 West Seventh St.	Mrs. James R. Blake, 1017 Madison Ave.
Mrs. Francis W. Frost, 1811 Madison Ave.	Mrs. Richard M. Boardman, 915 Madison Ave.

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Leave Stirling Sunday
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For Newark—5.05, 6.27, 7.02, (through to Newark) (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.38, 9.12, 10.26, 11.27 a. m., 12.12, 12.39, 1.48, 2.39, 3.45, 4.39, 5.07, 6.05, 6.38, 8.27, 9.37, 10.36 p. m. Sundays—7.23, 9.42, 10.14 a. m., 12.12, 12.39, 12.53, 2.17, 2.39, 3.55, 5.17, 6.38, 8.27, 9.37, 10.36 p. m.
For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.21 (except Mauch Chunk, 8.20), 9.46, 11.37 a. m.; 2.09, 5.44, (6.59 to Easton) p. m. Sundays—9.19, (8.44 to Allentown), 10.37 a. m.; 1.54, 4.44, 7.05 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—5.21, 9.46 a. m., 5.44 p. m. Sundays—5.19, 10.57 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
For Asbury Park—7.50—2.41, 9.12, 11.31 a. m.; Saturdays only, 12.39, 4.12, 4.36, 6.08, 6.27 p. m., 11.59 p. m. For Red Bank only—6.36 a. m.; (12.39 Saturdays only), 3.12 p. m.
For Atlantic City—3.41, 8.36 a. m., (12.39 Saturdays only), 4.11 p. m. Sundays—9.40 a. m., 4.36 p. m.
For Philadelphia—5.38, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 11.58 a. m.; 1.12, 2.46, 3.45, 4.36, 5.21, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48 p. m.; 1.20 a. m.
Sundays—9.02, 9.29, 9.57, 10.39, 10.43, 11.43 a. m.; 1.12, 2.46, 3.46, 4.36, 4.45, 6.08, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48 p. m.; 1.20 a. m.
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WILSON WAITS SENATE ACTION

Modified Cloture Expected to Be Voted.

EXTRA SESSION ALTERNATIVE

Democrats and Republican Leaders In Upper House Practically Agree on Abrogation of Unlimited Debate Rule. Cloture May Be Used Only In Present Crisis—Owen of Oklahoma Starts Fight.

Washington, March 7.—The calling of an extraordinary session of the Sixty-fifth congress today looms up as a possible solution of the difficult problem confronting President Wilson in his efforts to arm American ships and protect American rights at sea in the face of the German submarine campaign.

With the executive power of the president to arm ships still in question, the administration is encouraged by definite steps taken in the senate toward a limitation of debate, which would clear the way for immediate action in an extra session on the armed neutrality bill, which died in the closing hours of the last congress.

An expected statement as to the exact extent of the powers of the president under the constitution to arm merchant ships is withheld, while the administration watches closely the efforts of the senate to overthrow the traditions of a century and impose a form of cloture on the upper house of congress.

President Wilson called off a cabinet meeting which was expected to say the final word on his authority to arm ships, although an opinion on the subject had been prepared by Attorney General Gregory.

Caucuses on Cloture.

Meantime the cloture campaign had made great strides. A conviction that a fight to change the senate rules was doomed to defeat had changed to an apparent feeling that action in that direction was extremely probable. Both Republicans and Democrats of the senate met in caucus and discussed the cloture question. Each caucus named a committee to take up the subject, and their members joined in a bipartisan discussion of the international crisis which confronts the country and its relation to the senate rules.

"I think we will get somewhere," said one member of the committee after the conference. "The discussion was entirely informal, but conditions look favorable."

Senators James, Owen, Reed, Hoke Smith and Swanson, Democrats, and Senators Lodge, Borah, Penrose, Cummins and Brandegee, Republicans, formed the joint committee. After the discussion in both party caucuses it was stated that a clear majority of the Democrats favored cloture and that a substantial majority of the Republicans, led by Senator Lodge, would support a modified cloture proposal.

Temporary Cloture Plan.

One suggestion made after many conferences among senate leaders was that elimination of the debate designed only to meet the present crisis might be adopted. Under this plan the senate might agree to impose cloture just long enough to put through the president's armed neutrality bill at an extra session or impose a cloture rule to extend only until the beginning of the next regular session of congress.

This plan, it was stated, would meet the present international emergency and at the same time would not entirely eliminate the senate's fabled unlimited debate privilege.

When the president called off his cabinet meeting Washington had been convinced he was ready to move at once to arm ships. Secretary of State Lansing and Attorney General Gregory had submitted their views on the legal phases of the question. It was learned that Secretary Lansing, before the president in his original address to congress had expressed his confidence that he had the necessary authority without congressional affirmation, had digested all of the legal precedents.

This included the statute of 1819, which has since been used to demonstrate that the president has not the needed authority. But the dismissal of the cabinet changed the outlook. The expected order to the navy department was not forthcoming.

President Wilson went to the state department early in the morning and nearly an hour conferred on the situation with Secretary Lansing. He then went to the navy department, where with Secretary Daniels he discussed the final technical details of the plan to arm ships when the order is given.

Deny They Filibustered.

The fight over armed neutrality began as soon as the senate met. Senators who had been denominated by President Wilson as "a little group of willful men," who had "made the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible," began their defense. Senator Knox of Iowa in a voice that shook with passion arose to brand as false the statement of any one who says I filibustered against the bill."

"The plan seems to be," he said, "to include in the filibuster all who refused to sign a paper supporting the bill. I did not talk one minute against the measure. I would have voted for it in its final form, trusting to the president not to arm munition ships. The statement that I attempted to block a vote on the bill is unqualifiedly false."

Senator Vardaman of Mississippi disavowed any intention of filibustering, saying he had used only sixteen minutes of the senate's time on the bill. He offered to co-operate to secure cloture.

A complete indorsement of the president's attack on the filibuster was voiced by Senator Williams of Mississippi, who said that the filibuster had "made the country contemptible before the world in a great crisis."

The cloture supporters made their first open efforts when Senator Owen of Oklahoma sought to prevent any rules of the previous congress enforced in the present senate.

"The senate as a legislative body is not continuous," he said. "It is not bound by the rules of any previous senate."

The dispute that followed was finally settled by a unanimous agreement to pass the resolution which started it, naming a committee to notify the president that the senate was ready for business.

ACCUSE SOLDIER AS SPY.

Minnesota Guardsman Gets Five Years in Military Prison.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 7.—Officers of the First Minnesota infantry returning to Fort Snelling from the Mexican border announce that Paul L. Schaffenberg of St. Paul, a private in L company, First Minnesota infantry, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 5, by a court martial at San Antonio, Tex., for furnishing military information to Germany.

A letter addressed to relatives in Germany asserting that 10,000,000 Germans in this country were ready to rise up against the government in the event of war with Germany was intercepted by British authorities and turned over to Washington officials, according to statements by the officers. Schaffenberg is a native of Germany.

RULES DOCTOR GUILTY.

New Jersey Supreme Court Affirms Montclair Man's Conviction.

Trenton, N. J., March 7.—The supreme court here affirmed the conviction for manslaughter of Dr. John H. Young, a well known Montclair physician. He was tried in connection with the death of Mrs. Emma S. Truesdell, wife of Dr. Paul E. Truesdell, a Montclair dentist.

Dr. Young was sentenced to a year in jail and a fine of $1,000 after his conviction in the Essex county court. He performed an operation on Mrs. Truesdell. She died on the operating table.

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Premier Who Says Japan Will Not Fight United States.

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PENSIONS THEME OF METHODISTS

Annual Conference Opens at Atlantic City.

EXPECT FEW PULPIT CHANGES

Many of the Larger Churches Have Asked Pastors to Remain For Another Year—Institute on Educational Lines Now Feature of Gathering—Talk Consolidation of Retirement Funds.

Atlantic City, March 7.—The subject of chief interest at the New Jersey annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which opened here this morning, is the fund being raised for retired preachers and their wives. For two years attempts have been made to interest laymen in the creation of a fund that will eventually amount to $400,000. During this time subscriptions totaling $70,000 have been obtained.

Efforts are now under way to unify the interests of the retired preachers. At present there are virtually three funds—the board of conference stewards, the conference claimants' endowment fund and the Preachers' Aid society. It is the belief of the leaders of the conference that so many organizations to handle funds for the one object interfere with the success of each one, hence a sentiment prevails for consolidation by which there will be only one invested sum from which to pension ministers.

The opening sermon of the conference was preached last evening by the Rev. Dr. H. D. Ketcham, pastor of the State Street church, Trenton. This morning the business sessions began, with Bishop Berry of Philadelphia presiding.

At the morning session a memorial service was held for the pastors who have died during the year. These include the Rev. G. S. Goff at Farmingdale, the Rev. I. S. Yerks at Pitman church, New Brunswick; the Rev. Newton Nelson at St. George's church, Camden, and the Rev. William Stone, who was engaged in Junior Epworth league work.

The conference will witness an innovation by the introduction of an institute at which educational leaders of the church will deliver addresses. This afternoon Professor John A. Faulkner of Drew Theological seminary speaks on "Ritschl versus Wesley." On Thursday afternoon the Rev. Dr. Harry Ward of Boston will speak on "The Modern Church and Its Work" and will continue the subject on Friday afternoon.

There is much speculation as to the appointments of the preachers for next year. The Rev. E. F. Hann, pastor of the Cookman church, Philadelphia, has been invited to the pulpit of the First church, Trenton. His appointment will depend upon the exchange of a man from the New Jersey conference to the Philadelphia.

A singular condition of affairs prevails this year in that all the large churches of the conference have invited their pastors to return. This makes it particularly hard to give the younger men an opportunity for advancement, and it has made both churches and pastors reticent about asking for a change.

CONTEMPT RULE SET ASIDE.

Supreme Court Upholds Atlantic City's Chief of Police.

Trenton, March 7.—The action of Judge Shinn of Atlantic county in adjudging Robert C. Miller, chief of police of Atlantic City, guilty of contempt of court has been set aside by the supreme court upon the ground that the court of common pleas lacked jurisdiction to punish for contempt alleged to have been committed against the juvenile court.

Miller's alleged offense consisted in disbarring a boy named Ralph Watring, who had been committed on a charge of larceny by Judge Shinn, awaiting consideration of his case by the juvenile court. Several weeks intervened without judicial action, and Miller finally released him.

Wills $20,000 to Hospital.

Hackensack, March 7. The sum of $20,000 is provided in the will of William A. Linn, who died Feb. 23, for the establishment of a nonsectarian hospital in the place of his birth, Russex borough, in Russex county. The testator directs in the will that the executor is to use this amount for founding, establishing and maintaining the institution, which shall be called the Alexander Linn hospital in memory of his father, who gave his professional life to the community.

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M'CLELLAN MOST POPULAR PROFESSOR

Princeton, March 7.—Geo. B. McClellan, former Mayor of New York, has been voted the most popular professor at Princeton University by the seniors of the university, as shown by results of balloting given out Saturday. He is lecturer in European economic policy and is personally acquainted with almost every member of the graduating class.

KILLED AND INJURED IN RAILWAY COLLISION

Special to the Courier-News:

Philadelphia, March 7.—Two freight trains collided at a cross-over on the Pennsylvania Railroad, at White Marsh Junction, near Norristown, Pa., yesterday resulting in the death of a fireman and a brakeman. Seven other employes were injured.

KAISER COMMUTES DEATH SENTENCE

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 7.—Kaiser Wilhelm has commuted to a prison sentence the death sentences of the Belgian woman, Madeline Pouterlingne and her accomplice, Henri Bayans, it was announced today. A field court martial ordered the pair executed.

FAMOUS INDIAN FIGHTER DIES

Special to the Courier-News:

Lexington, Ky., March 7.—Col. W. D. Pickett, the Indian fighter of national note, died yesterday. Owing to a peculiar contraction of the muscles of the throat and the stomach, Col. Pickett had been unable to take any nourishment for a week. He knew he was certain to die from his affliction, but was cool and conscious until the end. He was ninety years old.

HOLLAND STOPS SENDING BREAD TO BELGIUM

By United Press:

London, March 7.—After Saturday Holland will be compelled to prohibit the export of bread to Belgium on account of the German submarine warfare, according to announcement made here from Dutch sources.

STEAMER APPAM IS RETURNED TO OWNERS

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 7.—The supreme Court of the United States affirmed a decision of the Federal Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, awarding the steamer Appam to its British owners. The court held that it would be unneutral for the United States to permit either belligerent to bring prizes into American ports and that Germany could not claim such a right under existing treaties, and there was a clear breach of American neutrality for Hans Berg to bring the Appam into Hampton Roads. The cargo was also returned to British owners.

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

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COUNTY ATTORNEY'S ACTION A PUZZLE

Union Freeholders Fear Codington May Not Resign as He Promised

A perplexing situation confronts the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county in the matter of straightening out the county attorneyship tangle. Although County Attorney Codington was renominated with the understanding that his resignation would take effect April 1, the approach of that date leaves the board still in doubt as to whether or not they must name his successor.

Before the board, or rather the eleven insurgents, would consent to the renomination of County Attorney Codington at the beginning of the year, a written resignation was procured, according to one freeholder, which stated that the county attorney would leave office April 1. This resignation is said to have been given to Freeholder Henry Krouse.

Last Thursday's caucus disclosed that there was some doubt as to the county attorney's willingness to retire, especially since his trip to Florida has improved his health greatly. Consequently, no action was taken and a special meeting will be held March 22, at which something must be done to provide for the future. What that must be the board does not know.

If a successor is chosen, and if the county attorney does not resign, Union county may have two county attorneys, while, if there is no successor chosen, and the county attorney does resign, there will be no county attorney following April 1. As the insurgents want to see the agreement lived up to, while some of the older members would like to continue Mr. Codington in office, the board is in a quandary as just what can be done.

No doubt exists now that Francis J. Blatz, of Plainfield, and Mr. Codington's law partner, has been picked as the next county attorney. For the past few years he has been performing many of the duties of the office.

Mr. Blatz was practically decided upon as the next county attorney long before the present situation arose, according to one freeholder this morning. There were two reasons, he claimed, why the freeholders' majority were willing to permit Mr. Codington to be renominated for this year, with the agreement that he should resign after three months. One was that he might not seem to leave office under fire of the recent investigation. The other was that, by performing the duties of his senior law partner, Mr. Blatz might easily and naturally follow Mr. Codington into the office.

RETURNED TO UNIVERSITY

Elton Greenleaf, son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Greenleaf, of this city, who is a freshman at Princeton University, has returned to his studies after being detained at his home for more than a week with measles.

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1 teaspoon flavoring

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RECREATION NOTES

The Boy Scout troops meet in Lincoln school tomorrow night.

The Alumni Men's Club will oppose a basketball team from the Y. M. C. A. tonight in the high school gym.

The West End Boys' Club will have a game in the high school tonight. The club will use the gym tomorrow evening also.

The meeting night for the P. E. G. S. has been changed to Wednesday. All members are requested to be present in high school tonight.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Franklin and Bryant schools and a guild of play in the Irving school Thursday afternoon.

The ladies of this city, who wish to learn to swim or enjoy the sport, are reminded of the class which meets in the high school pool every Friday evening. Miss Marian Snyder is in charge to give any instructions required. There is room for new members in the class.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., conferred the initiatory degree on two candidates at its meeting Monday night.

WILL HOLD A FREE ART EXHIBITION

Beginning next Monday, and continuing for two weeks, an art exhibition, free of admission, will be given by Miss Edith Van Boskerck, the interior decorator at the "Rookery", on Sycamore street, opposite Grace Church.

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The exhibition is regarded as one of unusual educational value, not alone to artists, but to lovers of art, among whom are included school teachers and others.

WILL SEND $5,000 TO FRANCE

Paterson, March 7.—Within a few days Mayor Amos H. Radcliffe will transmit to Mayor Edward Herriot, of Lyons, France, $5,000 to be applied toward the maintenance of the hospital founded by the silk manufacturers of Lyons for the care of the sick and wounded of the city.

The money held by Mayor Radcliffe as chairman of the American committee for the hospital represents the contributions of silk manufacturers and related industries in this country.

ARE GENEROUS TO STRICKEN BELGIUM

England and France Give $14,000,000 Monthly for Relief

How many comfortable Americans now prospering directly or indirectly from Europe's war, appreciate that while they are giving generously to the afflicted abroad, the English and French, many of whom are enduring real privation and financial disaster, and burdened with heavy taxes, such as we have never known, have been for months past, and are now, contributing at the rate of $14,000,000 monthly, as compared to America's total contribution of the last two years of but $9,000,000.

How many who read this realize that of $250,000,000 spent for Belgian relief, and this contributed mostly by the Allied governments, over $150,000,000 was spent in the United States, yielding a profit of approximately $30,000,000 to Americans? Does not our $9,000,000 in two years seem almost paltry?

There are 1,200,000 destitute growing children in Belgium. These must be provided with adequate fats, which are not contained in sufficient measure in foods now distributed to maintain the growing child.

The commission for relief in Belgium, of which Herbert Hoover is chairman, is the only commission authorized by the German Government through which relief is permitted to reach the Belgian people. The medical staff of the commission has reported that one biscuit and a cup of cocoa each day, in addition to the bowl of soup and a piece of bread, now allowed each child, will sustain bodily health, enough to prevent an increase of rickets, scurvy and tuberculosis, now alarmingly prevalent, and will safeguard the coming generation.

One dollar a month will save a child. Many cities in the United States have separately undertaken the cost of supplying the supplementary need for the children of various towns in Belgium.

Here is an opportunity for the city of Plainfield to figure among the American cities who have so generously undertaken to support Mr. Hoover in his campaign, raise $1,000,000 a month in America.

This afternoon in the parish house of the Congregational church Mrs. Kellogg and Mr. Rickard of the commission gave a graphic account of their work in Belgium and encouraged Plainfield to undertake this great work in America.

STIRLING ALIENS TAKE OUT PAPERS

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To Samuel M. Reasoner:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a certain cause wherein Dalia M. Reasoner is petitioner, and you, Samuel M. Reasoner, are defendant, you are required to appear, and read, answer or demur to petitioner's petition on or before the 28th day of April next, or in default thereof, such decree will be taken against you as the Chancellor shall think equitable and just.

The object of said suit is to obtain a decree of divorce, dissolving the marriage between you and the said petitioner.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Maria P. Gardner, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parvel, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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HOWE'S MOVING PICTURES FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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At the Plainfield Theatre Friday and Saturday, matinee daily

Sir Douglas Mawson's Expedition to Antarctica is one of the features presented by Howe's moving pictures at the Plainfield Theatre, Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10, matinee and night. The Philadelphia Inquirer says of it: "The living records of the animals and birds in this desolate region, the sea-lions and sea elephants, the giant penguins and the sea petrels are beyond price."

Voicing the sentiment of educational authorities, President Cavanaugh of the University of Notre Dame, states: "The greatness of the theme, the inspiring heroism of the explorers, the wonderful opening up of great, new vistas, the strange sights, and especially the human achievements coming near to the sublime, makes it such a thrilling experience to witness these scenes as one does not often have in life. It would be a great joy to me to know that every important school in America could see them."

LONDON BELLES MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Rose Sydell's Famous London Belles will appear at the Plainfield Theatre next Monday, matinee and night. The cost of costumes, scenery and electrical effects has totaled up an amount equalled to the cost of equipping four ordinary burlesque companies.

The opening musical burlesque "A Trip to Washington," is a concoction of hilarious episodes, mingled together with a song here and there, forming a bright, breezy entertainment. The closing act is a roaring farce, introducing catchy songs, medleys, and musical ensembles. The gowns worn are perfection of the latest Parisian workmanship.

The cast is our old favorite Johnnie Weber playing the title role; Bill Campbell, Frances Cornell, Lew Thall, Ward Caulfield, Grace Tremont, Franklin Sinclair, Miss Pullman, Billy Smith, Harry Waltjen, Ed Wright, and the Queen of Burlesque, Rose Sydell herself.

Johnnie Weber, with "London Belles," at the Plainfield Theatre, March 12, matinee and night.

VAUDEVILLE TWO DAYS AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

"Up and Down the Strand," an excellent comedy sketch with several charming girls is the headline offering on the vaudeville bill at the Plainfield Theatre for today and tomorrow. Four other excellent numbers are included on the regular bill.

As an added feature there will be "tryouts" tomorrow night with four of the best amateur acts obtainable. "Pearl of the Army" will also be shown today instead of Friday. Tonight will be "Country Store."

"CIVILIZATION" DRAWS CROWDS TO PROCTOR'S

Unusual interest centers in the farewell appearance of Thos. H. Ince's "Civilization" at Proctor's Theatre which comes to an end tomorrow evening. Aside from the many spectacular features with which the mammoth battle drama abounds there is also a sweet love story, which aids in developing and accelerating the action and builds up the theme which Producer Ince found in his work—the theme of world-wide peace, which is the propaganda that "Civilization" teaches.

"Civilization" is perhaps the most eloquent argument ever presented in favor of world peace. Whole towns are seen to be destroyed by aeroplanes, and battles on land and sea have been reproduced with fine realism. The most impressive group of scenes is that which represents the sinking of a passenger ship by a submarine, paralleling the torpedoing of the Lusitania.

About 40,000 persons were used at various times, as many as 5,000 appearing in one scene. Two armies of infantry, 8,000 horses, battleship fleets, aeroplanes and submarine flotillas all combine in enacting the diabolical business of wholesale murder and devastation.

At Proctor's Theatre Today

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IN FIELD OF SPORTS

ELKS AND PARKS IN SOME COMEDY

Some Bowling, Mostly Splits, Presented in Second of Home and Home Series

PARKS TAKE THREE

Rotten was no name for it. And what is more, members of both teams admit that such was the case. One does not have to prove it, for they all admit it. And the scores conclude the evidence to be introduced in the case.

The sum and substance of the whole affair is that the Park Club pinners took the entire set of three games from the Elk maple smashers —and a clean sweep it was! But, then, the Park boys are not doing a whole lot of bragging about what they ought to have done.

Splits and misses were the order of the evening, both sides running into these features of the lanes with something of a regularity. There did not appear a man on the floor but what struck into his share of this part of the inside work. Even Jake Waldorf did his part in keeping up the good work of the evening.

Long, anchor of the Parks, was about the only man to come through with any sort of a showing, securing a high score of 217 and high average of 193.2. He was the shining light of the occasion. Both Lyman and Nash secured double century scores, but the splits managed to split up their averages for the evening. Strong, the champion split-zetter of the evening, topped the booby prize with an average of 147.1.

By virtue of the three straight wins the Parks claim the championship of the two organizations. A few weeks back, on their own alleys, the Elks copped two of three games.

Dancing and a general social hour followed the bowling, special instrumental music having been furnished for that portion of the evening. The members of both organizations, their wives and lady friends, the latter having been invited to witness the bowling, enjoyed a full evening of dancing.

The scores:

B. P. O. E.

				Ave
Vail	170	201	192—181	
Causbrook	142	148	783—157	
Kiely	136	154	151—157	
Nash	205	153	125—163	
Waldorf	136	181	148—153	
	789	847	802—812	

Total pins—2,428.

PARK CLUB

				Ave
Barlow	191	177	170—179	
Lyman	148	268	209—175	
Strong	118	171	153—147	
Daniel	147	151	173—158	
Long	217	195	169—193	
	821	862	879—854	

Total pins—2,562.

COOPERITES WIN OVER BOROUGH BARBERS

John Cooper and his team of pinochle players put another victory over on the speedy barbers in the borough last night, winning two out of three games. The barbers, however, still lead the series of games, having won ten to Cooper's eight.

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N. P. H. S. DEEEATS WESTFIELD TEAM

Winning Basket Shot in During Last Minute of Play by Dunning

The North Plainfield H. S. basketball team obtained sweet revenge on the strong Westfield High quintet on the Washington School floor, Westfield, yesterday afternoon. The final count was 28 to 26. This victory evens up the series between the two schools, West field having won the first game played at Westfield 40 to 32.

Yesterday's fracas was some game from the blow of the whistle in the first half. The final count was made by Dunning, who took McDonough's place in the last in the last ten minutes. Dunning's basket came just before the call of time with the score 26 to 26 on a pass by Force under the broughtest basket.

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Ahern, f	0	8	8
Force, f	5	0	10
McDonough, c	2	0	4
Seidel, g	0	0	0
Willett, g	1	0	2
Dunning, c	1	0	2
	10	8	28

WESTFIELD H. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Stevens, f	4	8	16
Barry, f	3	0	6
Jesperson, c	0	0	0
Johnson, g	1	0	2
Coen, g	0	0	0
	8	8	26

Referee, Abrams; scorer, Lowrie; timer, Burner.

The second period opened with Westfield increasing its small lead. From then on the N. P. H. S. lads ran wild. Force coming through with three more and Seidel and Willett each casing one. With five minutes to play McDonough was forced out via the personal foul route. Substitute Dunning taking his place, and caged the final two-pointer.

P. H. S. SENIORS IN FOR GOOD BEATING

Y. M. C. A. League Team Sets on Them in Some Fast Contest

The P. H. S. Seniors, who have reached that point where they are of the opinion that they know everything, were set down yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. gym in the High School League team of the latter institution by a score of 45 to 41. Of course, that is not to infer that the Seniors did not put up a great game. They did, but in the final analysis of the score it availed them nothing for the league boys had an edge on them.

Snyder, who divides his attention between Hope Chapel, the Y. M. C. A. and high school, was the star of the afternoon, piling up some twenty-one points for his aggregation. Kyle also did some good work in the scoring, while Kline and Townley, playing guard for their respective teams, also put up some good work.

P. H. S. '17.	G.	F.	P.
Kyle, f	7	2	16
Coudray, f	4	2	10
Hooper, c, g	0	0	0
Kline, g, c	6	1	13
Swackhamer, g	1	0	2
	18	5	41

HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, c	10	1	21
Fullerton, f	6	0	12
Brower, c	1	0	2
Townley, g	3	2	8
Fagg, f, g	1	0	2
Hammann, g	0	0	0
	21	3	45

Referee, T. Snyder; Umpire, S. Day; timer, Boyle; scorer, Blimm.

COMMUTERS HAVE BEEN GETTING INTO SHAPE

The Commuters' Social Club of Westfield and this city, an organization which has been in existence for the past year, has been having its members on the alleys of the Westfield Theatre Hall during the course of that time. The rolling up to this week has been considered more or less as mere practice, but the work on the alleys of this past Monday evening produced some fairly good scores and the folks now feel that they are regular pinners.

The secretary has presented the most recent of the scores as proof positive of the padding, which are published herewith:

H. Schindler	178	162	194
Florence Lutz	156	142	121
Estelle Barry	156	120	171
Pearl Barnett	135	142	139
R. Toole	154	146	163
J. Johnson	156	178	192
Florence Barry	158	142	130
Laura Christenson	121	116	132
Mary Young	146	131	152
C. Schindler	192	154	180

OFFICIAL FIGURES OF COUNTY LEAGUE

Final Averages of Union County Circuit Show Long Leading Park Club

ROSELLE BOWLER HIGH

Just one series separated Harry Gathman of the Elizabeth Elks, from the first individual prize in the Union County Bowling League for the season now ended. Harry leads the list of active pinners, for in 27 games he had an average of 191.15, but as the qualifying rule of the league requires that a contestant bowl at least thirty games, he is one match shy.

Therefore, Cox of Roselle Casino corrals the honor with a 186.29 figure for 42 games. Moller, of Elizabeth Casino, leads the list with a 203 mark, but as he has pinned but one series his record is all for naught, and a like fate is suffered by Burke of the Elks, who rolled a single game.

Ira B. Wheeler, captain of the Elizabeth Town and Country Club outfit, champions last season, wins the high score prize with a big crack of 266. On the same evening Iss busted 'em in another set-up to the tune of 256.

As a team, the Elks cleaned up the prize for the best average and for high score, with marks of 903.35 and 1,029, as well as nailing the Journal trophy for having the best percentage in games won.

The following final standings of the league have been compiled by Secretary Alfred DeW. Halsey:

Team Standing

	W.	L.	Ave	HS
Eliz. Elks	26	16	903.35	1029
Roselle	25	17	875.12	995
Ilderan	23	19	860	1001
Jr. O. U. A. M.	21	21	870.23	1015
E. T. & C. C.	21	21	853.36	983
Park Club	20	22	856.24	1000
El Mora	19	23	858.25	970
Cranford	13	29	831.7	915

Individual Records

	G	Ave	HS
Moller, Cran.	3	203	209
Gathman, Elks	27	191.15	248
Burke, Elks	1	190	190
Cox, Roselle	42	186.29	236
Kirkland, E.T.&C.C.	21	185.16	241
Woodward, Cran.	3	184.2	190
Keller, Elks	42	184.1	254
McCaffrey, Elks	40	180.26	231
Alioth, Ilderan	42	180.16	256
C. Husbands, Elks	42	180.14	223
McNair, Juniors	33	178.30	226
Barber, El Mora	9	178.1	201
West, E.T.&C.C.	38	178.31	229
G. Clough, Juniors	35	177.24	224
Long, Park	42	177.24	224
King, Elks	34	177.19	226
Ryan, El Mora	39	177.15	246
Howe, Roselle	39	177.4	210
Stumer, Juniors	39	176.30	226
Vanderweg, Juniors	12	176.5	212
E. W'wright, E. M.	36	176.2	209
Barlow, P. C.	42	175.27	238
Southard, Cran.	21	175.12	205
Jones, Ros.	32	175.4	219
Dunham, Ilderan	42	174.38	245
E.Kirkland, E.T.&C.C.	3	173.2	185
Potter, El Mora	33	173.19	221
Wright, Ros.	42	173.18	245
Mason, Cran.	39	172.8	222
J. Clough, Juniors	33	171.25	226
Erxleben, Juniors	25	171.16	195
Daniel, P. C.	42	171.14	219
Lyman, P. C.	39	171.12	215
Martin, Ilderan	39	171.4	233
Keys, E.T.&C.C.	39	170.34	214
R. Husbands, Elks	19	170.14	214
McGiffert, Roselle	39	170.7	211
Richters, El Mora	42	170	222
H. Randall, E'T&C	21	169.2	207
Wheeler, E.T.&C.C.	42	168.40	266
Plummer, Cranford	25	168.11	207
Harrison, E.T.&C.C.	39	167.27	222
L. W'wright, E. M.	36	167.5	216
Grundy, E.T.&C.C.	1	167	167
Black, Ilderan	42	166.39	212
Strong, Park	25	165.21	196
Hopkins, Cran.	39	164.12	215
Groppe, Juniors	11	164.3	203
Butler, P. C.	9	159.1	201
Martin, Juniors	6	158.5	187
Weber, Elks	5	158.3	200
Patterson, Roselle	3	158.1	163
Farr, Cranford	9	157	191
Dobbins, Ilderan	6	157	172
Saphar, Cranford	6	156	193
Rodgers, Cranford	29	155.12	189
Corbet, El Mora	9	155.2	177
Earle, Roselle	3	154.1	185
Earl, Roselle	3	154.1	185
Berry, E. Mora	3	153	174
Gildersleeve, Jrs.	3	151	167
Littell, E.T.&C.C.	3	150.1	172
Blancke, P. C.	7	150.2	204
Durrie, E.T.&C.C.	3	141	157

USED CAR SHOW NOW ON AT NEWARK HALL

Yesterday's attendance at the combination Used Car and Motor Truck Show now in progress at the Palace ballroom, Newark, was another step forward to prove that a used car show can be a success.

The nightly auction sales are a feature of the show, and a large crowd took an active part in the lively bidding.

As a special feature the management has secured the services of the Roiay Hawaiian Orchestra, brought direct from the Cleveland exposition. This Hawaiian orchestra has made a great hit wherever it has appeared and is among the best musicians that ever visited these shores from the much-sung-about Hawaiian islands.

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GIRLS' CITY CHAMPIONSHIP IS THE BIG QUESTION OF THE HOUR

P. H. S. Correspondent States City Side of the Argument—Not Too Late Yet for Representatives of the Two Teams to Get Together

Apropos of the recent discussion on the question as to whether the P. H. S. or the N. P. H. S. girls' basketball team is entitled to the title of champions of Greater Plainfield in the basketball world, S. Wright McAneny, P. H. S. correspondent of this paper, submits the following as the city side of the argument.

The communication is printed as presented by the writer, and it is hoped that representatives of the teams may get together, arbitrate their differences, giving and taking, and settle their local differences as to which team is entitled to the championship upon the basketball floor.

The public press is certainly no place to settle such a dispute as this, but should be settled upon the basketball court. The argument properly belongs the latter place in the form of a series of three games under conditions and regulations which both teams can meet if they will.

Local fandom demands that the question be settled in a rightful way and that games be played. The spirit of each of the schools demands that the games be played. Public opinion demands that the games be played. Plainfield and North Plainfield sentiment for clean sports demands that the games be played. The question can never be settled otherwise. No printed word or heated argument can ever bring about a definite conclusion on the matter. Come, let us reason together.

Mr. McAneny's communication is as follows:

Sporting Editor, Courier-News:

The following will prove to be of great interest to the members of the North Plainfield High School.

As a member of the Plainfield High School and a representative of that school for this newspaper it is my desire to submit the following facts that have to deal directly with the girls' basketball title of this city.

Who has ever heard of the absurdity of claiming a basketball title without first asserting the truly sportsman-like ability to win it? Anyone might ask this question, and in reply it might make the general admission that no basketball team of any character has ever won the mere claim for a title without first contending for it, for has any team of sportsman-like calibre ever laid a claim to a city title without first having contended for it.

Last Saturday evening an article expressing North Plainfield's desire to lay claim for the city title appeared in this paper. Then it went on to say that "early in the past season the managements of both the Plainfield and North Plainfield high schools convened to arrange a series of games for the city title" and that "everything was agreed upon as far as the borough girls were concerned." Continuing, it stated that "a week later the Canadians (presumably North Plainfield) were informed by the city high school coach, Miss Ruth Wean, that the games would be played under certain new conditions." Then it claimed that North Plainfield wanted to compromise.

The above quotations cover the principal parts of the article as it appeared. I wish to correct these statements not merely from the Plainfield High School point of view, but simply to be more accurate. Early in the basketball season a meeting was held to make arrangements for a series of games for the city title. At this meeting everything was agreed upon favorably, but shortly after the meeting the manager, Miss Elsa Palmer, of the city team, recalled the hitch that has arisen in former years, namely, the question of using five or six players. The North Plainfield manager was called to the telephone and told Miss Palmer that they would be perfectly willing to play with six players. The following day Miss Lillian Spencer, of North Plainfield, spoke to the Plainfield management over the telephone and broke off the arrangements that the North Plainfield manager had made the day before and said that North Plainfield would not play unless the side-centers were left out of the game. In previous years Plainfield has always been willing to conciliate and play one half of a game with six players and the other half with five. Miss Ruth Wean, who coaches the Red and Blue team, interviewed the Plainfield High School principal, Lindsey Best, who expressed his opinion that the use of only five players would tend to make the game too strenuous for girls. Miss Wean then conversed with Principal Albert Earley, of North Plainfield, for the purpose of coming to a friendly agreement, whereupon he said he wouldn't consider the question of using six players. Then, because North Plainfield was not willing to settle the question by arbitration, as has been done in previous years, Plainfield High School broke off basketball relations with the school across the brook.

Can it now be said that North Plainfield has any right to the city title? If so, I fail to see it, and so does every member of the Plainfield High School. North Plainfield is doing itself a great injustice by laying a claim to a title which it has not won. It is also apparently endeavoring to establish a failing precedent of securing a basketball title without winning it.

A basketball team of sportsmanlike qualities would not lay any claims to a title unless it won it, and this sportsmanship demands. *A victory is a thing to be proud of*, an object to attain and an honor to cherish, but what's a claim? Possibly the prospects of some day holding it, but North Plainfield can not hold its claim. As the North Plainfielders state, it is only "laid," and I hold that it has not been honorably won. Upon what do they base their claim to the title? Nothing!

The young ladies of the Plainfield High School team have their own free right to lay claim to the city title, but they realize that they have not won the title. No physical contest has been fought, and laying an unfounded claim lacks a spirit of true sportsmanship. That quality of the city team has been admired by many during the past season, and they propose to retain that honor.

If deciding who deserved the title to the claims would be the way to determine who the lady champions are, which is now apparently North Plainfield's method, I can readily show by statistics that the city girls have the better right to the claim. The Plainfield team has had a brilliant basketball season this winter. It has lost only two out of twelve games.

Now, if a city title must be made by claim, which is not a physical victory, but which, nevertheless, seems to be North Plainfield's method of settling the situation, Plainfield has won the claim, both by its desire to offer to arbitrate early in the season and because of Plainfield's superior basketball qualities, as shown by a fair comparison of records.

The Plainfield High School team is still desirous of winning the victory and not to make claim of it. If North Plainfield is willing to arrange a series of games Plainfield is willing to consider it. Plainfield's claim to the city title, I conclude, is based on better accomplishments and their offer to arbitrate, which was declined. Now, if North Plainfield is anxious to win the interscholastic basketball title of the city I suggest it play the game after friendly arbitration or under the conditions which Plainfield has already made clear and which conditions alone can bring a girl basketball team throughout the State.

Let honor come after victory and not before!

S. WRIGHT McANENY, JR.,
P. H. S., '20.

RAMBLERS BOWL AT WESTFIELD TONIGHT

The third bowling match of the season between the Ramblers and Westfield will be contested on the Playhouse alleys, Westfield, tonight. Each team has won a series and the odds in tonight's set of games appear to favor the home bowlers.

The Rams will line up as follows: Dunn, Koechlein, Betzenberger, Taylor and Worrall. Westfield will probably use Kepper, Davenport, McMahon, Hyslip and Donnelly.

BROWN FOR COLUMBUS

Terre Haute, Ind., March 7.—Mordecai Brown, three-fingered twirler, announced yesterday that he had cast his lot with the Columbus American Association club and will join the team Saturday for the spring training trip. Brown has signed a contract offered him by Manager Joe Tinker and will assist the former Chicago National League club manager in conditioning the Columbus pitchers.

HOW TO ORGANIZE PATRIOTIC MEETING

Mayor Calkins has managed to have the New Jersey League of Municipalities, of which he is vice-president, send a circular letter to the mayors of all cities and boroughs in the State, describing the recent patriotic meeting here, and the way it was organized, giving the call for the meeting and the letter sent to the President, pledging support in the defense of American rights and lives. This is done to provide the communities with a form of organization, to facilitate similar public expressions of patriotism.

PERSONAL

Edward DeGraw, of Philadelphia, who has been spending the past month here with his brother, Charles DeGraw, is much improved in health and expects to return home soon. He has been connected with the Holman Bible House, of Philadelphia for twenty-three years.

BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts at first sign of Bladder irritation or Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then be fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

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CHAUNCEY OLCOTT DREW A LARGE AUDIENCE

Chauncey Olcott in one of his best plays, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," entertained a large audience in the Plainfield Theatre last evening, in his usual versatile way, pleasing his hearers fully as well in this bit of Irish romance as in any of his former plays here. A feature of his play is his singing in a clear lyric tenor voice by which he has made his plays famous.

His support was excellent, particularly by Miss Ruth Sinclair, his protege in the play, who is the sprightly blue-eyed young girl who he brought up by the lawyer after the death of her father. The love-making is done by the young girl in the exuberance of youth, in spite of the resistance of her guardian, whose only wish for her is her happiness. When she makes him very sure that he can make her happy, he yields to the love he has left for her, and then both are very happy.

One of the comedy features is the part taken by James Gilles, a boy, and his old grandmother, who is deaf and loquacious.

UNIFORMED RANK ADVANCES OFFICERS

Company H, of the Jr. O. U. A. M., Uniformed Rank, held a drill last night and made two minor changes in its officers. William Rutledge was advanced from Corporal to First Sergeant, and Walter Stewart was elected Corporal.

Tomorrow evening Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a pinochle in the headquarters on Front street.

Open up a Health Account by eating foods that make you fit for the day's work without overtaxing the stomach, kidneys or liver. The continued eating of indigestible foods with large percentage of waste means diseased livers and poisoned intestines. Keep your stomach sweet and clean and your bowels healthy and active by eating Shredded Wheat Biscuit. It is easily digested. It contains all the material needed for the nourishment of the human body. Open a health account for you to draw upon. For breakfast or any meal with milk or cream. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

SOCIAL CLUB TOO SLOW FOR BOROUGH

Sophomore Girl's Win Easily Over St. Mary's Feminine Aggregation on Court

The Sophomore class girls' team of N. P. H. S. handed the St. Mary's Social team a fierce quintet a terrible beating last night on the T. A. B. S. court, the final score being 18 to 5.

The Fourth street representatives were never in the running with the Canadians, who held their opponents to no points during the last period, scoring nine points themselves during that period of time.

N. P. H. S. 1919

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	5	0	10
Miss Hughes, f	2	4	8
Miss McDonough, c	0	0	0
Miss Doughty, g	0	0	0
Miss Clark, g	0	0	0
	7	4	18

ST. MARY'S S. C.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Gill, f	2	1	5
Miss K. Rinehart, f	0	0	0
Miss Greene, c	0	0	0
Miss McCauley, g	0	0	0
Miss Barry, g	0	0	0
	2	1	5

Referee, McDonough; scorer, Barry; timer, F. Seidel.

TWO-MAN TEAMS WILL FIGHT IT OUT TONIGHT

There has been booked for Elmer's alleys at Bound Brook this evening a two-man match, when teams representing that town and Somerville will clash for some post-season bowling. At the Central Jersey League match at Bound Brook last Thursday night some discussion arose as to the relative bowling ability of the pair of two teams and the managements agreed to place two-man teams on the lanes to fight it out and settle the argument for all time.

A complete set of twenty-one games is to be rolled off, eleven of which will be staged at Ellinger's alleys this evening and the other ten to be put on at Somerville tomorrow evening. The teams will be composed as follows: Bound Brook, P. Koechlein and Snyder; Somerville, Roller and Mathews.

Babe Adams A Minor

St. Joseph, Mo., March 7.—Chas. B. (Babe) Adams, formerly pitching star for the Pittsburg Nationals, has signed a contract with the St. Joseph Western League team, it was announced here yesterday.

HOT FIGHT IN COUNTY MASONIC LEAGUE SOON

What looks like the big series of the season for the Masonic League wheel will be pulled off Thursday night on the German Lutheran alleys, Elizabeth, where the leading Essex Lodge team, of Elizabeth, will mingle with Rahway's representation, the Lafayette Lodge bowlers, present champions of the league. This match has been anxiously awaited for some time and the rolling promises to be fast and furious from start to finish.

League leaders almost from the beginning of the F. and A. M. season, the Essex bowlers have been pretty generally picked to carry off the championship. Of late, however, the Lafayette contenders have been rushing to the front with great long-leaps until they are now close on the heels of the pace-makers. Lafayette's great spurt has caused a number of the league rooters to lose some of their Essex enthusiasm and they are inclined to believe that titular honors will again go to Rahway. Thursday's match may go a long way toward unraveling this new tangle.

If Essex can get away with honors this week they should not have a whole lot of trouble crossing the goal line a winner, but a continuation of Lafayette's clean-up stride will give the race an altogether different complexion.

Other Masonic League matches scheduled for this week sent Orient and Tyrian lodges into action last night, and Thursday night Washington's men of might will hike out to Roselle Park for a session with Azure.

GALLIA STRIKES OUT

Beeville, Tex., March 7.—Marvin Gallia, member of the Washington and Lincoln League baseball team's pitching staff, was married last Saturday at Refugio, Tex., it became known here yesterday. His bride was Miss Ethel Harrerve, of Woodsboro, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Gallia left immediately for Washington, where Gallia will join his team.

Dodgers Release Rookie

Oakland, Cal., March 7.—The Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League has sold First Baseman Mal Barry to Milwaukee in the American Association. To take Barry's place Warren Adams, drafted by the Brooklyn club from Winnipeg, has been secured.

John Wilson Retires

St. Paul, March 7.—John Wilson, the outfielder traded to St. Paul by the St. Louis Cardinals for Walter Cruise, has decided to quit the game. Wilson plans to spend his time on his ranch at South Austin, Tex.

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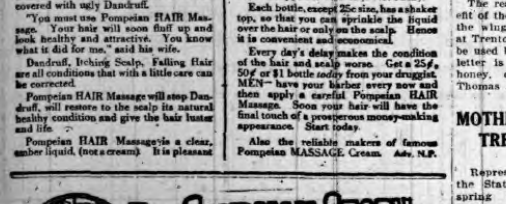

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PUSSIE AND THE MICE

Pussie was the terror of all the mice, for she was as quick as a flash, and seldom a mouse ventured out of his hole to return again.

But one day Pussie grew tired of catching mice, she saw cream and milk on the shelves and knew she could not have it, and she did not think it quite fair that she should work so hard and get so little for her trouble.

One night a mouse, who was bolder than his brothers, came out on the pantry shelf right over where Pussie was standing on the floor.

"I won't harm you, my pretty creature," said Pussie very sweetly. "I want to send a message to all your brothers and sisters, and if they will agree to help me I will not harm any of you."

Mr. Mouse said he would be glad to listen to anything Pussie had to say if she would keep right on the floor.

Pussie promised she would and told him her plan. "I want all your brothers and sisters to come out tonight and eat all you want in the pantry. I will not touch one of you, and all I ask in return is that just before you return to your holes you will dip your tales in the cream and milk and let them drag after you."

"That is a very simple thing to do in return for my "kindness. I am sure," said Pussie, "and I am not all sure but that the cream will make your tails grow longer."

Mr. Mouse said it sounded very nice to him and he would run right home and tell his father and mother and his brothers and sisters.

In a few minutes he came back, followed by all the family, who looked down at Pussie and asked if she really meant they were to eat all they wanted, and she would not hurt them.

"If you will do what I ask just before you go to your holes," said Pussie.

They all said they would, and away they ran to the cheese at the end of the shelf; they ate the frosting off the cake and they ate the meat in the plate by the milk, but Pussie didn't care; all she wanted was the cream and milk.

"There, you have had enough," she said, after awhile. "Now, dip your tails, every one of you, and run, for I will be after you."

It did not need a second warning

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FAVOR THE TRANSFER OF WOMEN PRISONERS

Bernardsville, March 7.—Letters have been sent to all the ministers in New Jersey by the chaplains of the New Jersey State Reformatory for Women at Clinton Farms, urging the removal of the women prisoners now at the State prison in Trenton, to the Clinton Farms institution.

The letter, in part, reads: "We are asking if you will be good enough to bring the subject of this letter to your congregation. Please give them the names an addresses of the Senators and Representatives of your county and ask them to write a letter, no matter how short, to your representative, urging the removal of the women now in the State prison at Trenton to Clinton Farms.

"From our knowledge of the excellent work at Clinton Farms we believe all the women prisoners should have the opportunities of the reformatory."

The reasons given are "for the benefit of the women themselves and that the wing with the most sun and air at Trenton, now used by women, could be used by tubercular prisoners." The letter is signed by Rev. Joseph Mahoney, of High Bridge and Rev. Thomas A. Conover, of Bernardsville.

MOTHERS TO ATTEND TRENTON CONFERENCE

Representatives from all parts of the State will attend the annual spring council of State officers, chairmen and club presidents of the New Jersey State Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations to be held Saturday, March 17, at the Prospect Street Presbyterian church, Trenton.

Mrs. Wellington Bechtel, of Haddonfield, president of the congress, will preside.

There will be no formal program and no business will be transacted, but a general conference of special benefit to the individual clubs of the State will be held. It will be an all-day session, opening at 10.30 o'clock in the morning. A box luncheon will be enjoyed, and tea and coffee will be on sale.

BORO P-T ASSOCIATION TO HOLD SALE

The standing committees of the Parent-Teacher Association will hold an apron, cake and candy sale on Saturday next in the Somerset street school. The hours of the sale will be from one to five o'clock p. m. The members have just completed some very attractive aprons which will be offered for sale. The cake and candy will also be homemade. The public is cordially invited to attend this sale.

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BEQUEST TO CHURCH IF DAUGHTER IS CHILDLESS

Freehold, March 7.—Provision is made in the will of Mrs. Phebe M. Chew, widow of Sylvester N. Chew, just probated, that should her daughter, Phebella P. C. Woolston, die without children, the residuary estate devised to her shall be used for the erection of a Methodist Episcopal Church or some society locally within the bounds of the Philadelphia Conference, to be paid to a committee appointed by that conference in the same manner as her husband directed in his will. The daughter is appointed executrix. Mrs. Chew died at Ocean Grove recently. The will was made May 19, 1915.

Besides the request of the residuary estate to her daughter, an annuity of $100 is provided for the testator's sister, Harriet M. Hitchner, and $1,000 is bequeathed to each of her grandchildren, Florence C. Woolston and Ernest F. Woolston.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY TO HAVE BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue Methodist church will hold a "first group" birthday party in the Epworth house of the church tomorrow afternoon from 2.30 to 5 o'clock for those members whose birthdays fall on either of the three months of the year. All members and friends of the society are cordially invited to attend. There will be a pleasing entertainment and a social hour.

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YOUNG WOMEN TO AID IN CAMPAIGN

Will Devote Two Weeks in Work for Y. M. H. A. Building Fund

Again the Young Men's Hebrew Association building campaign committee calls the attention of Plainfield's citizens that its campaign is on with more ginger than ever before. It is their desire that, if possible, the local school building be taken over free and clear of any indebtedness, and to accomplish that, the committee is counting on contributions from each and every Jew in this city and from the many other friends of the Jews of other denominations. The day for any antipathy toward the Jew has long since passed, and it is hoped that the newly acquired building, with its contemplated improvements, will be a monument not only to the Jewish spirit, but a credit also to the community and a blessing to our growing manhood.

The directors of the movement have been working hard to realize the plan mapped out in Friday's issue of the *Courier-News, and they again call the* attention of the vast number of readers that without their aid, their contemplated project with all its improvements can not be accomplished. It is interesting to note that a number of the Jewish young women have offered their services toward the collection of funds for the acquisition of the building, and two of them have volunteered their time in a clerical capacity toward expediting the publicity end of the committee's work. So earnest have been their wishes to co-operate to the full extent, that they have offered to give up their evenings for the next two weeks to see the women of the community and solicit their subscriptions. *The committee desires* at this time to announce again that anyone so desiring may send their contributions direct to any member of the committee, or to the Y. M. H. A. Building Fund, Plainfield, and they will receive immediate acknowledgment as soon as received. A very important meeting of the building campaign committee is scheduled tonight at 8 o'clock, in the office of the chairman at 119 West Front street.

"SAVE THE BABIES"

These are authentic quotations from the pamphlet on babies by Dr. L. Emmett Holt, of Columbia, and Dr. Henry L. K. Shaw, of Union University:

"At 15 months the baby may have at first one teaspoonful and later a tablespoonful of rare scraped beef, mutton or chicken. When 18 months old he may have one-half of a mealy baked potato daily. When two years old he may have most of the fresh green vegetables when thoroughly cooked and finely mashed.

Woman Win in Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., March 7.—The Arkansas house of representatives by a vote of 54 to 27 finally passed the Riggs suffrage bill, which gives women the right to vote in primary elections. Governor Brough signed the bill at a suffrage mass meeting.

REFUSED 1,000 TIMES. HE'LL WED GIRL AT LAST.

Boston, March 7.—The prize for persistence has been awarded to Hiram Gorham Farnum of 440 Riverside drive, New York, a real estate broker, who is to be married on Monday to Miss Viola Evelyn Trueman, sixteen, of Roxbury.

Farnum, who is thirty-four, became engaged to her when he was a student at Cornell and she was only five. He says her father refused his consent at least a thousand times. Mrs. Trueman sanctioned it from the beginning, however.

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HEBREW WOMEN DANCE FOR CHARITY

Social Affair Well Patronized Last Night at Abrams' Auditorium

The Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Association gave a very successful dance and whist in the Abrams auditorium on West Front street last evening. About two hundred guests attended and had an enjoyable time.

Twenty different prizes were awarded for the highest scores and the victors were agreeably surprised by the utility of the awards. The prizes were the gifts of the local merchants who had voluntarily contributed merchandise from their stores to aid in making this charitable affair a grand success.

To the committee is entirely due the great success of the affair. Mrs. Harry Dreier and Mrs. J. Abrams were the committees that had charge *of the arrangements and they performed* the work in a noteworthy manner. The refreshment committee was composed of Mrs. H. Adelberg, Mrs. J. Zechendorf and Mrs. Morris Abrams, who worked incessantly for the financial success of the whist and dance.

Plans are already being made for the next social event which the committee is arranging for the entertainment of its many members, and all of the society are unanimous in the sentiment that if the next event's success can be guaged by this one, they are determined that the same committee shall continue its good work and so increase the funds of *the association, the aims of which* are charitable and in the interest of the Plainfield Jewish citizens.

MYSTERY STILL HIDES DEATH OF MRS. VON SALDERN

Tokio, Mar. 7.—The mystery of the recent murder of Mrs. von Saldern, wife of Lieut. von Saldern, a German war prisoner, and daughter of Vice Admiral von Capelle, the German Minister of the Navy, has not yet been solved.

It is understood that Mrs. Von Saldern desired to leave Japan, but that her husband prevailed on her to remain. After the murder of the woman, Lieut. von Saldern committed suicide owing to remorse.

LADIES' AID TO HOLD MEASURING PARTY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Netherwood Reformed church will hold a measuring party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. There will be a prize awarded to the shortest and to the tallest. Refreshments will be served.

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CASE AGAINST THE SALOON

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distilleries employ workmen, we must admit our fight for nation-wide prohibition is ill-considered and ill-advised. Of course, we are not required to admit anything of the kind. It does not follow that, because a saloon employs a bar-keeper to do a bad thing, therefore, the saloon itself is a good thing, nor does it follow because a distillery or brewery furnishes employment to men to do something harmful to society that, therefore, the distillery and brewery are a benefit to society. Exactly the opposite would follow, but relying upon us not to see the fallacy, the saloon presses home its seeming advantage on the industrial side of the case.

"Our prosperous friends would be decidedly impatient with us if we made the same argument in favor of bank burglary that they make on behalf of the saloon. Yet it could be done. We could insist that bank burglars are a benefit industrially because directly and indirectly they furnish employment to men.

"The second phase needing quick emphasis is the good government side of the case. Coming at it from the other direction, it can be stated in this way: The saloon is an institution which cannot succeed without special protection under the law. It is not prepared to exist as does a legitimate business; it must have special protection or it is lost. It cannot get that protection on its merits. It has no merits. Protection must be had by devious processes, by the gilliances it forms by the partnerships in which it engages. But it cannot form an alliance with decent people. It has nothing good to offer the community in return for the protection desired.

"In one sentence the difficulty can be stated as it presents itself to the saloon. The liquor traffic produces no good thing; the saloon turns out nothing beneficial to the country.

"How can we get together against it? That question comes naturally to mind. Here is a nation of a hundred million people. How will we get right action from them with reference to the saloon? A quick answer is—by getting right thinking. Right thinking must precede right action.

"The problem is not so difficult as it appears. The mind of the Nation acts as does the mind of the individual. All intelligent action by the individual results from certain mental activities, embracing Intellect, Sensibility and Will. Including the act, four words will describe the process: Knowing, Feeling, Willing, Acting. These cannot be reversed nor interchanged. One does not act before he wills. He does not will before he knows.

"We will get together by burying our non-essential notions while we agree upon the essential things. When we get to the essentials we will discover that we are a unit in every local fight.

"The saloon shall never have free breath on any square inch of American soil. Also, we will keep up every county and State fight. While we do all that, we will further agree that down the road, at the end of the journey, we will stand together for a Nation-wide policy that will close the distilleries and breweries which make the stuff and shut the Customs House against it. Upon that national policy we will will stand agreed.

"The saloon is a dying institution. It would be a mockery to say that a Nation devoted to education, enlightenment and religious freedom must remain under the control of the liquor traffic."

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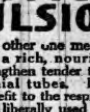

Ogdensburg, Wis.—"I suffered from female troubles which caused piercing pains like a knife through my back and side. I finally lost all my strength so I had to go to bed. The doctor advised an operation but I would not listen to it. I thought of what I had read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it. The first bottle brought great relief and six bottles have entirely cured me. All women with any kind of trouble of any kind should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. ETTA DORION, Ogdensburg, Wis.

Physicians undoubtedly did their best battled with this case steadily and could do no more, but often the most scientific treatment is surpassed by the medicinal properties of the good old fashioned roots and herbs contained in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If any complication exists it pays to write the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special free advice.

RAISED $1,000,000 BY RED CROSS SEALS

New York, March 7.—The National Tuberculosis Association has announced the holiday sale of Red Cross Christmas seals and raised $1,000,000 for the tuberculosis campaign.

"Without the co-operation of the newspapers these tremendous results from the Red Cross seal sale would have been impossible," said Dr. Chas. J. Hatfield.

The association is proud of the fact that the slogan of the campaign, "One seal for every inhabitant of the United States," has been realized. The last fall amounts to a voluntary tax of one cent for each man, woman and child in the country, except the insular possessions.

Seals were sold in every State and territory of the United States except Guam, Tamiti and Samoa. Counting the school children, who sold seals numbering approximately 300,000, the total number of agents approaches 500,000. This includes school teachers, merchants, storekeepers, professional men.

The association says the little Christmas tokens have been responsible, not only for the control of tuberculosis, but also for tremendous advances in the whole field of public health work.

Open windows the whole year through are today the rule rather than the exception. Tuberculosis is today generally recognized as curable and preventable, while ten years ago a vast number of people still held to the theory that it was inherited, incurable and unpreventable.

YOUNG JUDAEA SOCIETY MAKES AN APPEAL

Young Judaea, the Junior Branch of the Zionistic organization, has organized a campaign enlisting the aid of all the Jewish school children of America to help the children of Palestine maintain their schools in this world crisis.

An appeal has been issued and the co-operation solicited from all the Hebrew daily and Sunday schools all over the country for one week, beginning *last Sunday. This date being appro*priate as it falls on Purim. Purim is a day traditional with Jewish peoples to send "Shalachmonos," meaning presents, distributed to the poor and also to friends who in return do likewise. A very appropriate leaflet in English has been distributed to all the Jewish children in the schools making a direct appeal to them to deny themselves of some little luxuries and to put their coins in the little paper safe which has been distributed for that purpose.

The local Hebrew school, which is conducted under the direction of the local Zionist organization, numbering over one hundred children have received this campaign with a great deal of enthusiasm, and it is expected that a goodly little sum will be raised for the cause.

MLLE. GALANTA IN "THE WANDERER" TONIGHT

Mlle. Ekaterina Galanta, the Russian dancer, who came to America with the Ballet Russe last October, and who will remain in America to become a dramatic star under the management of William Elliott, F. Ray Comstock and Morris Gest, will make her first appearance tonight in "The Wanderer" at the Manhattan Opera House, as premier ballerina of the Jerusalem ballet in the second act. Mlle. Galanta will continue as a dancer, the balance of this season while she is studying English in preparation for her dramatic debut next season.

TO HOLD PRAYER SERVICE IN INDUSTRIAL HOME

Mrs. Gilbert Van Nest, evangelistic superintendent for the W. C. T. U., will hold a prayer service in the Industrial Home tomorrow afternoon. All who wish to accompany her should take the 3 o'clock trolley from the station.

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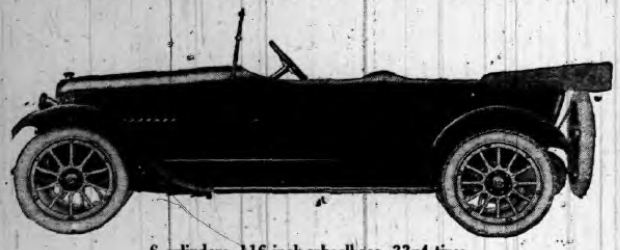

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Pin Head Oatmeal, 6c lb.; 5 lbs. 25c	Choice Santa Clara Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c	Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour 10c
White or Yellow Meal, 5c lb.; 6 lbs. 25c	Fancy Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c	Tiger Buckwheat, large pkg. 17c
Wheat Farina, 9c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c	Extra Fancy Apricots, a lb. 25c	Hecker's Flap-Jack, 12c pkg., and 22c
Rolled Oats, 6 lbs. 25c	Not-a-Seed Raisins, a pkg. 15c	Teco Pancake Flour, pkg. 10c
Fresh Hominy, 5c lb.; 6 lbs. 25c	Premier Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs. 25c	Albert's Mush California Wheat, pkg. 15c
Blue Rose Rice, 7c lb.; 3 lbs. 20c	Dromedary Dates, a pkg. 12c	Saxton or Cracked Wheat, pkg. 15c
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PRICE TWO CENTS

MAYOR ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY

Has Directed Police to Enforce Ordinance Relating to Snow Removal

WANTS TO BE FAIR

Those Who Fail to Clean Sidewalks Do an Injustice to Citizens Who Show Proper Regard for Users of Streets

Discussing the failure of certain householders to remove snow and ice from sidewalks in front of their premises and the subsequent arraignment of police court, Mayor Calkins this morning said:

"It is natural to be annoyed when invited to appear before the City Judge for violation of the snow-removal ordinance. But really it is stretching a point to show resentment. The judge and the officials who report the violations are entitled to some sympathy. They are but performing a disagreeable duty, in a manner wholly impersonal, and are in no way responsible for the predicament in which worthy citizens occasionally find themselves — not so much through intention as oversight. I wish to share whatever unpopularity attaches to the vigorous campaign which we are prosecuting this winter for cleared sidewalks. In fact, I will assume the whole blame.

"A considerable effort was made last winter to improve conditions. Not only did we advertise the ordinance, but in several statements to which the local papers gave prominence, I carefully summarized the requirements and gave notice of our purpose to enforce the law. If ice unless ice to be covered with sand, ashes or sawdust within 4 hours of daylight after it forms, and snow and ice to be removed within 12 hours of daylight after it falls or forms. Owners and tenants are both liable. A fine is the penalty for violation.

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THE DEATH OF MRS. GEORGE MUIR

Mrs. Ethel May Muir, the wife of Policeman George Muir, died yesterday after a short illness. In the twenty-fourth year of her age. The funeral will be held at her late residence on Rimwood place on Sunday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside Cemetery.

Mrs. Muir was the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Edwin E. Vail; her father is captain of No. 1 Fire House. She was born in this city and had lived here all her life. Much sympathy is expressed for her family in their sad bereavement. Mrs. Muir was well-known and much beloved in Plainfield. She was a member of Trinity Reformed church and interested in all its departments. She leaves besides her husband and parents, two brothers, Ira and Russell Vail, and four sisters, Mrs. George E. Volk; Mrs. Russell Hustes, Theodosia and Grace Vail, all of Plainfield.

WILLIAM B. HOWLAND LEFT $10,000 ESTATE

The will of William Bailey Howland, of New York, who was president of The Independent Corporation, publishers of magazines, and who had a country home at Westfield, was offered for probate in the surrogate's court, New York, yesterday. It distributes an estate of "over $10,000" in personal property among a large number of relatives living in New York and this State.

Mr. Howland, who was 69 years old, dropped dead in his New York office on February 27 last. He was a native of Ashland, N. Y., and the greater part of his life was spent in publishing newspapers and magazines.

TURN IN YOUR OLD TELEPHONE BOOKS

The Telephone Company began the distribution of the new directories today through the agency of D. H. Keiderling and it is requested that all old directories be handed to Mr. Keiderling's men when they call, as they are accountable for the old books and the company imposes a charge on them for every book they do not bring in. The company is most particular at this time because of the shortage of paper. The public is urged to have the old books in readiness for the men when they call.

—Second-hand cars bought. We want to buy several used cars. Laing Auto Co.—Adv. 3-8-3t

J. A. FASS BUYS HAND PROPERTY

Has Purchased Building Opposite Postoffice and One Adjoining Rink

FOR AN INVESTMENT

May Add Two Stories to One of the Structures—Sees Watchung Avenue a Business Thoroughfare in the Future

The most important real estate deal that has been made here in many years was put through yesterday, when the brick building, located at 202-12 Watchung avenue, opposite the new post office, and the three-story structure, adjoining the Crescent rink building, on Watchung avenue, south of the railroad, belonging to Charles H. Hand, was purchased by Jacob A. Fass, owner of the Paris cloak and suit store, in West Front street.

The deal was put through by Morris Abrams and his son Jacob. The consideration paid for the properties could not be learned.

When Mr. Fass was seen this morning by a representative of the Courier-News, he said that he and some one of town parties had purchased the properties for an investment.

The building opposite the new post office is partially of one-story, but it is likely that the new owners will add another story, or perhaps two, in the near future, and they may also construct an addition to the rear of the building.

Charles H. Hand, the former owner, erected both of these buildings several years ago. They are two of the many buildings which he constructed in different parts of the city.

Mr. Hand has undoubtedly constructed more buildings here than any other man who has been a resident of the town.

During the past few years he has been in ill health and unable to look after his realty holdings as he formerly did, and that is why he has disposed of these business properties.

Mr. Fass sees the possibility of Watchung avenue becoming one of the important business streets of the city in the near future, and he has let it be known that it is the intention of himself and his associates to maintain these properties in good condition for business and apartments.

The location of the post office and the new city hall on this thoroughfare, and the probable construction, in the near future, of a large terminal and office building for the Public Service Corporation, on the vacant lot adjoining the railroad, seems to justify the expectation that a thriving business section will be developed between East Front and East Fifth streets. There is already considerable business located within this area.

Mr. Fass, some years ago, bought the Compton building on West Front street, and after remodelling it, removed his business there.

DR. MATHEWS SPEAKS HERE AT 2 P. M., NOT 3

Rev. Dr. Franklin K. Mathews will speak in the Plainfield High School Auditorium Wednesday next, March 14, at two o'clock, on "Regional Reading for Children." The previously printed postal cards sent out announcing the meeting, state that the hour will be three o'clock, but on the contrary it will be two o'clock for this meeting.

CRESCENT AVENUE CHURCH TO UNDERTAKE CANVASS

This evening in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church there will be a dinner served by the ladies of the church, under the direction of Mrs. Frank D. Warren, for the teams of canvassers who will, on Sunday afternoon, conduct the house-to-house every-member canvass when all the families of the church will be visited for the purpose of securing their pledges for the great missionary and philanthropic work of the church during the coming year.

The men will be addressed by a speaker who is an expert on this work and the assignments will be made to the members of the teams.

CONCERT AT HIGH SCHOOL THIS EVENING

All preparations have been completed for the appearance of Walter Damrosch and his New York Symphony orchestra at the High school this evening. The concert will open at 8.15 o'clock and will be under the auspices of the Dutch Arms of Trinity Reformed church. There has been a large advance sale of tickets.

—Make your Ford into a heavy hauling truck. Reed & Robins have a chassis in their show room at 180 East Front street.—Adv. 3-8-3t

ERRORS COURT SUSTAINS DECISION

Verdict Obtained by Irving Kunzman is Upheld by High Tribunal

Attorney Irving Kunzman has just received word from Trenton that the decision obtained by him in the Supreme Court in the case of Chrissafides vs. Brunswick Motor Company has been affirmed by the Court of Errors and Appeals.

The plaintiff in the case, whom Mr. Kunzman represented, is Stratto Chrissafides, who is connected with the New York Lunch. The case arose out of an automobile accident which occurred December 23d, 1915. Plaintiff was riding in a Ford automobile from Plainfield to Perth Amboy, and while going around a curve at Pumptown he was run into by the passenger-carrying bus of the defendant company, which is engaged in operating a bus line between Plainfield, Metuchen and New Brunswick.

As a result of the collision, the plaintiff's face was bruised and he sustained severe internal injuries. A suit for damages for personal injuries was commenced in the Supreme Court and the case was tried last May before Circuit Court Judge George S. Silzer and a jury at Elizabeth. The defendant contended that the plaintiff was guilty of contributory negligence and also that plaintiff did not sustain the internal injuries as a result of the accident, but from other causes. After a two days' trial the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for $1,100.

The defendant company took the case up on appeal to the highest court in the State, and that court in an opinion in which all the judges concurred, sustained the judgment of the lower court. William E. Holmwood, of Newark, represented the defendant.

NO RELIEF FROM PAPER FAMINE

Will Cost $2.50 a Hundred Pounds, But Supply is Far Behind the Demand

Scarcity of news print paper which has been so keenly felt in the United States for the past several months, is felt also so keenly in England that London newspapers say they must cease printing unless the public will be content with fewer papers. The circulation departments are fighting harder to reduce the circulation than they ever fought to increase it. There is some talk of reducing the circulation of the London Times so that one copy will have to supply half a dozen homes. The war is doing one good thing, during the high price of paper.

Announcement has been made that the Federal Trade Commission is the United States had succeeded in getting a working agreement between buyers and manufacturers of paper, at a price of $2.50 per hundred pounds, a price which was also agreed to in Canada. But before this price can become effective the supply of paper will have to be increased, and that will take a long time. The present consumption of paper is forcing the mills to run to full capacity, but they have not caught up with the demand.

It is one thing to make a price for an article, and quite another to get the article if there is no available supply. It is the scarcity of paper that drove the price up to a prohibitive figure, but even at the maximum price there was no paper to be had in any amount that would assure publishers of their ability to continue publishing. There will be no prospect of reducing the paper famine under some months so that any advantage can be taken of the price agreed upon. The demand will simply have to wait the supply before publishers can be assured of getting paper, not to speak of any price consideration.

SECOND REHEARSAL OF ELKS' SHOW TONIGHT

The second rehearsal of "The Land of Mystery," the comic opera to be given at the Plainfield Theatre on April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks, will be held at the Elks' clubhouse tonight at 8 o'clock sharp.

There are still needed about seventy-five singers for the chorus and those who would like to join are requested to attend tonight's rehearsal and meet Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, the authors and producers of the opera.

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FRANCIS J. BLATZ EXALTED RULER

Selected at Annual Meeting of Plainfield Lodge, B. P. O. E., Last Night

Plainfield Lodge B. P. O. Elks held its annual election in the Watchung avenue club house last night. These officers were chosen: Exalted ruler, Francis J. Blatz; esteemed leading knight, Dr. Chalmers L. Crist; esteemed loyal knight, E. J. Harding, Jr.; esteemed lecturing knight, Vincent William Nash, Jr.; secretary, Louis H. Starker; treasurer, Frederick Hayes; tiler, Edward C. Searing; trustee for three years, Samuel P. T. Wilbur; representatives to grand lodge, Walter S. Marder; alternate, Louis A. Bellis; representatives to State convention, Lewis A. Bellis, J. P. Wessner and John H. Cose; alternates, William Mulvey, Richard J. Harrigan and Frank McInerney, Jr.

William R. Townsend, for many years secretary of the lodge, retired because of the pressure of his personal affairs, and his inability to give the time necessary to the duties of secretary.

CO-OPERATION OF PARENTS IS URGED

Miss Addie Parker Jackson Gives Parent-Teacher Association Timely Advice

"What the public schools aim to do for the children," was the subject of a practical talk given by Miss Addie Parker Jackson, physical director of the Plainfield public schools, at the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Franklin-Stillman-Whittier schools held at the Franklin school yesterday afternoon. She pointed out that what the schools aim to do for the children will amount to little if the parents fail to do their part in their development and training at home.

Miss Jackson emphasized the importance of a well-ventilated home with proper attention given to the physical training of the child, explaining that the parents can do a great deal in co-operating with the school teacher in looking after the welfare of their children.

Following Miss Jackson's talk, Miss Noel J. Bullock, principal of the Franklin school, informally addressed the association, following the same line of thought in the first talk. Some of the members of the association feel greatly discouraged because of the apparent lack of interest and the fact that a number of them have transferred their membership to the Evergreen School Association. However, the association has been doing excellent work in providing lunches for the children, as many as 150 lunches being served some days. Owing to the high cost of living it has been found necessary to increase the prices a few cents and the association will probably not be able to show a profit this year as they did last year when there was a balance of over $80 in the treasury. Slow progress is also being made in furnishing the rest room for the teachers at the William school and it is hoped to complete this soon.

Mrs. S. Frederick Smith is now acting president of the association, the members refusing to accept her resignation as president, but she has decided to give up her position at the end of the present school year, because of a pressure of other duties.

WILL MEET EVERY FRIDAY

The Junior branch of the National Special Aid Society will hereafter meet every Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at the society's headquarters, 175 East Front street.

NOTICE.

Dating from next Monday, March 12th, the subscription price of the Courier-News will be advanced from 10c to 12c a week, and from $5.00 to $6.00 a year. The yearly subscription price applies, on application, to PAID IN ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS ONLY.

While we have been forced to pay an increase of more than 100% for white paper, no other increase in price has been made to our subscribers until the present time.

We do not expect either the subscriber or advertiser or both combined, to make up the added expense. Only a small part of it can be shifted to them. We must stand the loss ourselves. If this was our only trouble the situation would be much more comfortable than it is. But it is decidedly worse; we cannot buy enough paper for our needs at any price. At other times the Courier-News is being printed on paper of very poor quality; that under normal conditions it would not be accepted from the manufacturers.

The unusual conditions make it necessary that we keep the number of copies printed at the lowest possible figure. For this reason we must insist upon prompt payment from subscribers, as a protection to our paid in advance and prompt paying subscribers, we will be compelled to discontinue serving the Courier-News to those who fail behind in their payments.

COURIER-NEWS PUB. CO.

CONTRIBUTE $125 TO BUILDING FUND

At Meeting of Y. M. H. A. Last Night This Sum Was Subscribed

At an enthusiastic meeting held last night in the rooms of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, the sum of $125 was added to the association's building fund.

After the regular meeting a collation was served, by the entertainment committee, which had charge of arrangements, and of which Alex Goodman is chairman. The president of the association called for a report of the Building Campaign Committee, to which Harvey Rothberg, the chairman, responded. So great was the enthusiasm of the young men present that the following men voluntarily contributed the amounts annexed to their names: Harry Bronston, $50; Victor Miron, $20; Reuben Rabinowitz, $10; A. Zeckendorf, $10; Cohen & Pariser, $10; Edward Marks, $7.50; visitor, $5; Louis Genisman, $5; Alex Goodman, $5; Edward Jass, $5; Arthur H. Richards, $5; Robert Rubin, $5; Isidor Schneider, $5; and Samuel Wirth, $2.50. A number of the men went on record as promising to contribute one week's salary to make a better and bigger club house for the association, and if the animated spirit manifested at last evening's meeting is significant of the association's future success, Plainfield will undoubtedly have occasion to be proud of the work these young men are trying to do.

A new committee was appointed to revise the constitution, so that a board of trustees and directors will have control of the organization and discipline of the association.

Samuel H. Schwartz was selected as the chairman of the committee to secure estimates for the necessary improvements which are to be made to the building immediately after occupancy by the club. Any further donations to the association may be mailed to the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Campaign Committee, 119 West Front street, this city.

RED MEN HELD BIG CLASS INITIATION

Miantonomo Tribe of This City, Hosts to State Officers Last Evening

Twenty pale faces received the adoption degree and one member was reinstated last night at the class initiation of Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, I. O. R. M., held in the West Front street wigwam. The local degree team of Red Men did the work in excellent shape.

It was also the occasion of the visitation of some of the State officers and a general pow-wow followed the business session of the Tribe. Among the visitors were: Great Chief Sachem, John Meyers, of Lakewood; Great Senior Sagamore, Allyn Thompson, of Morristown; Great Keeper of Wampum, Osborn Spofford, of Bayonne; Great Sannap, Dr. Kurtz, Asbury Park; Great Guard of the Forest, C. L. Holstein, and Vice-Great Sachem, Judge William Newcorn, both of this city. Following the serving of the corn and venison, pipes were lighted and a general social session concluded the meeting.

Delegations brought greetings from Naraticong tribe, of Somerville; Menno Tribe, of Westfield; Tonaluka Tribe of Cranford, and other nearby places. The pow-wow broke up about midnight.

Miantonomo tribe will hold another class initiation on the first meeting night in April when it is planned to have the adoption degree performed by Pamrapaugh Tribe team of Bayonne. The local Red Men's organization is now in its twenty-eighth year and has a membership of over 265.

MISS M'KENZIE WILL SPEAK HERE MARCH 20

Invitations are being sent out for an address to be given at the home of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, of West Eighth street, Tuesday, March 20, at 2.30 p. m., by Miss Elsie McKenzie, on "What women are doing in the War".

When plans for the meeting were first discussed it was suggested that the date be made for March 9, but ultimately was made for March 20.

Miss McKenzie comes from England, and brings a story of personal observations of work in the trenches, and what women are doing to aid the soldiers and to provide comforts that are so much needed in the hardships that the men in the trenches are enduring, in the cause of duty.

Sacrifice

1915 Cadillac for sale; must sacrifice. Address "W," care Courier-News.—Adv.

PATRIOTISM IS APPARENT FROM RECORD-BREAKING ENLISTMENTS

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—Patriotism, stirred by international developments, was given by the War Department today as the reason behind the February record recruiting, viz., 4,852.

This figure will be increased by field enlistments and reenlistments at posts and stations.

WAR COUNCIL CRITICISES DARDANELLES EXPEDITION

By United Press:

London, March 8.—The British War Council, which decided on the Dardanelles campaign, "failed adequately to investigate the availability of troops with which the joint naval and military attack could be undertaken," according to formal reports of this Dardanelles Commission, issued today.

"Mr. Winston Churchill's advocacy of a purely naval attack was based on a certain amount of half-hearted, hesitating, expert opinion," the report said, "the practicability of which was apparently not directly supported or directly opposed by such responsible naval and military advisers as Lord Fisher or Sir James Murray."

The report did not spare even the late Lord Kitchener, England's idol. "Lord Kitchener," it says, "did not sufficiently utilize the services of the General Staff, and this resulted in confusion and lack of efficiency."

ALLOWS AMERICANS TO LEAVE BELGIUM

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—Germany is permitting Americans to leave Belgium freely, Minister Whitlock, at Brussels, informed the State Department today. No one is detained, although after the break with Germany subordinate officials in Belgium did detain some Americans, inasmuch as the officials had no orders whereby to govern their actions.

WAR SECRETARY TO VISIT MILITARY POSTS

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—Secretary of War Baker is planning an inspection trip to all military posts of the United States. The trip will take him as far as Alaska, Danish West Indies and Panama.

LAST OF THE GUARD LEAVES BORDER MAR. 25

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—The War Department said today that schedules of departure have been so arranged that the last National Guard organization will leave the Mexican border March 25.

AMBASSADOR GERARD IS NEARING HOME

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—The State Department said today that Ambassador Gerard and party are due in Havana Saturday or Monday, on their way home from Germany.

PRESIDENT'S ILLNESS HALTS ARMING QUESTION

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—President Wilson's illness has delayed announcement of his decision on the armed merchantmen question. Evidence increased today, however, that orders to Secretary Daniels providing for arming American merchant vessels at once will not be postponed much longer.

Assurance is given that the President's cold has developed no complications and is not serious, but every care is being taken so he can soon be at work again. He was in bed today.

CUBAN REVOLUTION IS APPARENTLY ENDED

By United Press:

Havana, March 8.—The revolution in Cuba is apparently ended. Capture of ex-President Jose Miguel Gomez and his whole staff, leaders of the insurrection, was reported today, to be followed by sentence to death of these conspirators.

At the same time there were reports that the remnants of the rebels in Camaguey had been forced to capitulate.

WOULD SAVE $3,000,000 YEARLY ON MAIL RATES

By United Press:

Washington, March 8.—Postmaster-General Burleson today sought a reduction in railway mail rates in a statement filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission. By the plan he has worked out the Government would save more than $3,000,000 a year. The railroads have until May 1 to reply.

THINK FIRE VICTIM WAS JOHN MOORE

Lived Here Some Years Ago —Father Owned Queen City Hotel

It is the belief of the local police, that the man whose dismembered body was found in the ruins of a burned barn, at Cheshire, Connecticut, on Monday morning, and who was said to have given his name as John Moore to a man named Joseph Stopnick, who was traveling with him, and who is now held by the police at Cheshire, is John Moore, son of the late William Moore, who at one time owned the Queen City Hotel, in this city, and the County Hotel at Somerville.

John Moore who about 55 years old and was a college graduate. He visited here some years ago, then disappeared, and he is not since been heard from by friends in this city.

The condition of Moore's body has led the police of the Connecticut town to believe that he was murdered and that the barn was then set on fire to cover the crime.

Stopnick is held for a further investigation. He professes ignorance to how Moore's head and arms were severed from his body.

DEATH OF A LITTLE SON

Howard William Tenmann, three years old, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Tenmann, of Lyman place, died yesterday. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon at 1.30, the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. The interment will be made in Fairview Cemetery, Westfield.

COUNTY ATTORNEY TO RESIGN APRIL 1

W. R. Codington to be Succeeded by F. J. Blatz, According to Report

Whether County Attorney William R. Codington, who is now in Bradentown, Florida, intends to resign his position on April 1, as he promised, appears to be giving some of the Union County Freeholders considerable anxiety. It was learned today from an authoritative source that Mr. Codington will retire on April 1, and his law partner, Francis J. Blatz, is scheduled for the appointment. It is said that he has sufficient votes in the Board of Freeholders to insure his getting the position.

Before Mr. Codington went away he placed his resignation in the hands of Freeholder Henry Krausse, with the understanding that it was to be presented at the April meeting of the board. It is reported that there has been no change in this plan, and that the resignation will be acted upon at the time fixed by Mr. Codington.

There was a report in circulation this week that Mr. Codington had been so greatly benefited by his southern trip that there was somedoubt as to his retirement, and that he was likely to finish out his term.

Improving After Operation

Martin Whelan, of 625 East Second street, who underwent an operation in Muhlenberg Hospital last Saturday, is reported as doing nicely.

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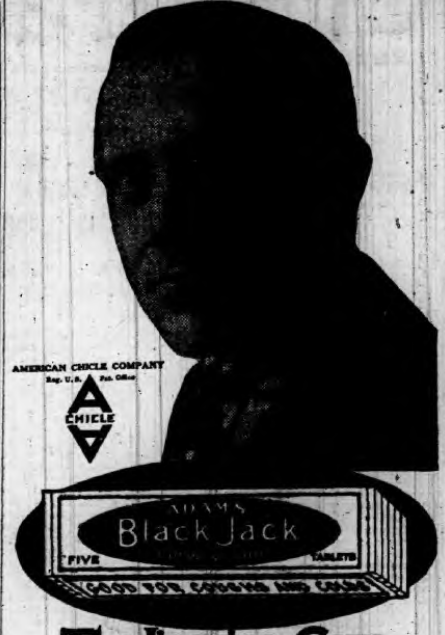

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MOUNTAIN AVENUE TO BE IMPROVED

Union County Freeholders Receive Word of State's Approval of Project

State approval for the improvement of Mountain avenue, from Mountainside to Springfield, was given Tuesday and this section of road covering a distance of 3¾ miles will be built this summer of concrete with a tar covering. It will be 22 feet wide and will be a continuation of the long stretch of road constructed last year leading up to Mountainside.

Bids for this work will be received at the Court House, Elizabeth, on Monday afternoon, April 2, at 2:30 o'clock. The supervision of this work will be in charge of the road committee from the Union County Board of Freeholders, of which S. P. T. Wilbur, of this city, is the chairman. The committee has also secured an appropriation of $2,500 for repair work on St. George avenue, between Elizabeth and Rahway and on North and South avenues, between Plainfield and Elizabeth. During the temporary absence of George G. Teller, director of the Board of Freeholders, and at the request of the latter, Mr. Wilbur will be the acting director in road matters.

Mr. Wilbur stated today that he had received from Arthur E. Smith, the local contractor, a sketch for lamp standards to be placed on the new Westervelt avenue bridge, four in all, which he has offered to erect for $320. This work will be done within the near future.

$25,000,000 CHINA LOAN.

Chicago Bank Considering Plan For Bond Issue.

Chicago, March 8.—The Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings bank of Chicago may float another huge Chinese loan. It was announced that J. J. Abbott, vice president, and Henry Platt, an attorney for the bank, will leave for China Saturday to determine whether conditions there warrant landing the republic $25,000,000.

This proposed loan, if made, will be in the form of long term government bonds. The money raised is to be used in the industrial development of the country. The bank lent China $5,000,000 recently.

BROOKLYN TEMPLE BURNS.

Famous Baptist Edifice Destroyed, Loss Fully $200,000.

New York, March 8.—Fire destroyed the Baptist temple at Third avenue and Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn, with a loss estimated at $200,000. The fire had gained such a headway before it was discovered that the firemen realized the structure was doomed.

Members of the congregation said there had been a prayer meeting in the basement. The firemen think the fire started near the basement, where the meeting was held.

NEW MOVE IN CASE AGAINST WEST VIRGINIA

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 8.—E. T. England, attorney-general of West Virginia, has filed in the Supreme Court on behalf of the State of West Virginia a motion to discharge the application for a writ of mandamus sought by the State of Virginia to compel the State of West Virginia to pay a judgment of approximately $13,000,000 held to be due by West Virginia to Virginia.

MANY LOCAL MEN SEEK NATURALIZATION

The office of County Clerk Col. W. B. Martine was literally besieged Tuesday by those who desired to declare their intentions of becoming American citizens and those who applied for final papers. There were fifty-six of the former and ten of the latter from this city.

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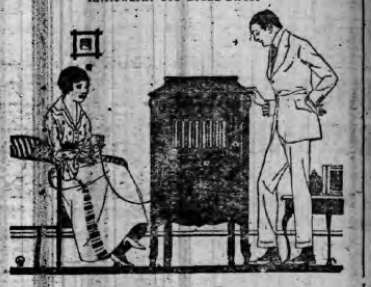

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High Grade Cocoa, per lb.	18c
Shredded Cocoanut, per lb.	20c
Norway Mackerel, 4 for	25c
Extra Fancy Cape Breton Mackerel, lb.	20c
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Extra Fancy Jersey Tomatoes; per can, 15c; per dozen	$1.65
Standard Corn and Peas; can, 10c; doz.	$1.10
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LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union, with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a concrete foundation:

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 27525 square yards.

Of foundation, 37529 square yards, and opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bower, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 120 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and blue prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper notice and payment of cost of preparation. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated thereon and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING, Clerk.

3—8, 9, 12-14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 ...

NOTICE

All members of the Hodcarriers' Union, No. 221, Local of Plainfield, N. J., are requested to be present at the meeting rooms, 224 West Front street, on Thursday night, March 8, 1917. Business of importance to transact.

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Plate, Fresh or Corned, lb.	10c
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"THE HOODOO" A SIDE-SPLITTING FARCE

That "The Hoodoo," the farcical comedy to be presented by the Chi Gamma Chi, in St. Joseph's hall on Monday night next, will be long remembered, is the prophecy of those who have attended rehearsals.

The play is quick in movement, replete with genuine humor, has a number of powerful situations and each act closes with a strong climax.

From the opening of the first act until the fall of the last curtain the audience will be held in excited expectancy as to the outcome of the plot.

Miss Elsie Moulton, as "Aunt Paradise," a colored cook, is proving her versatility in character portrayal.

Miss Ann-Veronica Daley, as "Dodo" is displaying unusual ability in the interpretation of her role. Miss Mary O'Connor is coaching the play.

PERSONAL

A baby boy arrived yesterday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gildes, Jr., North Plainfield.

Miss Margaret Applegate, of East Fifth street, a student in the State Normal School at Newark, has been confined to her home the past week ill with tonsilitis.

Supervising Principal D. F. Aungst, of the Borough schools attended a conference of Somerset county principals held in Superintendent H. C. Krebs' office, Somerville, Yesterday.

NOTABLE DECREASE IN DISEASE IS REPORTED

There were 54 births, 9 marriages and 28 deaths during February, according to the monthly report of the Plainfield Board of Health. Of the 54 births there were five non-residents. The following is a summary of inspections made.

Milk supply, 136; food supply, 205; communicable disease, 145; disinfections, 19; general work, 764; nuisances, 270; plumbing, 126; water supply, 2; making a total of 1,667.

The morbidity figures for February shows following diseases reported: Diphtheria, 1; scarlet fever, 4; tuberculosis, 4; whooping cough, 2; chicken-pox, 11; German measles, 3; epilepsy, 1, a total of 26 as against 232 for the same period last year.

ARTIFICIAL COAL TO CUT FUEL PRICES

By United Press:

Chicago, March 8—First American factory for manufacture of "artificial coal" in commercial quantities may be erected in Chicago, members of the Chicago Realtors' Association said today.

A committee appointed by the association to seek a solution of the fuel famine menace, which has threatened this and other cities all winter, has reported that they have a formula for manufacturing "coal substitute" from tar, chemicals, and by-products, at a cost far below that of coal.

The committee's report shows that tests which they have made, show the artificial product to be higher in heating units and more efficient generally than the mined product.

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NO TIDINGS OF MISSING SON

J. E. Forgerson, the Lincoln place blacksmith, who has recently endeavored to find some evidence regarding his son, Private Edward Forgerson, who has been missing since an engagement with his regiment in France, has just received a letter from the Canadian military authorities. Young Forgerson, who was a member of a Canadian regiment, has been missing since October 9th, when his regiment was engaged in battle "somewhere in France."

The letter that was received yesterday from the adjutant general's office at Ottawa, Canada, states that no further trace of the soldier Forgerson has been furnished by the officer of Estates in England, who had been instructed to make a search. Whether Forgerson was taken prisoner, wounded or killed in battle is still a query.

INCORPORATION PAPERS FILED

Incorporation papers for the W-N Company, ladies waist manufacturers, were filed yesterday in Elizabeth. Robert Heyman, of East Second street, is one of the incorporators; the others are Max Herzog, of New York, and Samuel Dorman, of Elizabeth. The stock is $50,000 with $4,000 paid in. The shares are $100 par.

GRAND LODGE TO MEET

The annual session of the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., will be held in the rooms of Newark Lodge, over the New Jersey Central terminal, Newark, tonight. Among the Plainfield members who will attend are: V. W. Nash, William Newcorn and Theodore Martin.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in Lincoln school tonight.

The West End Boys' Club is to use the high school gym tonight.

A piano class meets Friday afternoon in the Whittier school.

The ladies' swimming class is to use the high school pool Friday evening.

The Dunbars are to have their regular dance in the Washington school tomorrow evening.

The Recreation Five first and second teams meet in the high school gym Friday night.

The night school men's gym club will have a game in the high school gym tomorrow night.

The International Motor Company Band is to rehearse in the Washington school Friday evening.

There will be Athletic games in the Irving school and a Guild of Play in the Stillman school tomorrow afternoon.

MEETING AND BANQUET

The regular weekly session of the Men's Club of the Church of the Heavenly Rest will be held at the parish house this evening at 8 o'clock. The entertainment committee of the organization has arranged for a special banquet to follow the formal business meeting. All members are urged to be present.

FIVE HUNDRED PARTY

Plainfield Council, United Commercial Travelers, will give a progressive "500" party in the council rooms, Babcock building on Saturday night, March 24, to which the members have invited a large number of guests.

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Fancy California Prunes—In sanitary cartons, 1 lb. each; 40-60 size; extra fine fruit; pkg. 15c; 50-60 size, pkg. 13c

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A jump in Flour has not made us take advantage. We quote on Gold Medal, one of the best all-round family Flours, a price that every housewife who does her own baking should take advantage of now—

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Layer Figs—Large moist first choice California Figs, lb. 22c; 3 lbs. $1.00

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Oranges—Floridas; fancy thin skinned juicy fruit; 13 for 25c; dozen 85c, 60c, 45c

Premier Salmon—Finest cuts Columbia River; large can 25c; Small can 15c

Maple Syrup—Our own brand; we guarantee it to be strictly pure Sap Syrup.

Gallons $1.60
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Teco Pancake Flour—Wheat or Buckwheat mixture; a regular 12c package of goods; we offer for Friday and Saturday, plus 9c

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$1 will give 1 Child 1 Meal a day for 1 month.

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The meal consists of 1 Biscuit 4 inches square, made with flour, lard and sweetening, and 1 cup of Cocoa.

Franklin, Pa., with 10,000 people, has pledged one meal to 5,000 of these children for 1 year.

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Oyster Bay, L. I., has taken 2,400 children.

The State of Pennsylvania has taken over the entire province of Antwerp, including the city of Antwerp.

Committees are trying to get each city, town and village in America to assume the giving of 1 meal a day to all the children in some one Belgian town. When the committee has received our pledges, Plainfield will be assigned its town. Every cent contributed goes for food. All other expenses are provided otherwise.

The German Government still recognizes the C. R. B. as the only channel for the relief of Belgians within the lines, and since Feb. 1, 1917, has again agreed to let the work go on. Send the above coupon to one of the undersigned.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 8.

British attack on Tigris front repulsed by counterattack of Turks. British lost 3,000 killed and wounded.

Russians advancing on Trebizond.

Germany declared war on Portugal because of the seizure of German merchant ships in Portuguese harbors as the climax of a long series of breaches of neutrality.

Two Years Ago Today.

Greek mobs in Athens demanded that Greece join the entente allies.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE AND LIVING COSTS

The Domestic Science schools say there is a great demand for lecturers to go out and talk to clubs on these subjects. But there is as yet no great demand among married women for the formation of classes in which they shall take them up in a thorough way. To get the technique and the methods of good domestic science in a few club lectures is about as if a girl tried to learn stenography in a half dozen lessons. Housekeeping is a trade requiring just as thorough preparation as office work. There will be waste and high living costs and bodily fatigue until women get that thorough preparation. However, thousands of domestic courses in public schools are making a splendid beginning. Many young brides of the next few years will begin their married life knowing far more of housework than their mothers did at a similar age. For women who formerly kept servants, new methods have made it possible to eliminate the wasteful and ill-trained maid of all work. With good tools and properly fitted kitchens they have saved servants' wages and food, and eliminated waste, besides enjoying better health from their active life. For women who have been doing their own housework, domestic science shows more efficient ways of working, less physical and nervous strain, ability to perform more work with less effort. This gives them more time to study many means of economy, some of which were suggested in a previous article. After all, the vital question is the woman's personal relation to her home tasks. If she gets interested in them, if she comes to look at them as a problem just as well worthy of her brains and initiative as the tasks her men take up in factory and office, she will find plenty of ways to make her home more efficient and economical.

BISHOP AND NEWSPAPERS

"No American need blush for the moral tone of the newspaper that goes into his home."

Thus spake Joseph F. Berry, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church and himself a former editor, in a recent address. It was a clear-cut, manly tribute to the wholesomeness of the average American newspaper. For, of course, the bishop did not intend to convey the idea that every newspaper in the land was clean and inspirational. He gave praise to the press as a whole, and he added that the newspapers are growing ever better with the passing years.

"It attach tremendous significance," Bishop Berry declared, "to the remarkable change in the tone of the American newspaper. A sign of the times, too, is the rising quality of the American newspaper editorial. The change is a monument to the onward progress of American ideals."

There is a thought in connection with the statements of Bishop Berry which may not occur to the average critic— friendly or otherwise—who is commenting upon the moral standing of the press. This is the fact that the newspapers of America have always stood for the best things. As many newspapers have in the past failed because the ideals which they advanced were too wholesome to receive general public indorsement and support as have gone into bankruptcy from all other combined causes. Fewer publications are nowadays meeting this fate, however. May it not very properly be held that public sentiment is at last rising to the place occupied so long by the press? If this be admitted, what vast credit must be given journalism for the development of morals thus occurring!

ADVOCATE OF DEFENSE

Congressman Thomas S. Crago's twenty-five years' connection with the National Guard of Pennsylvania has served to make him a most influential member of the Committee on Military Affairs of the House, and when he speaks on matters connected with that subject his remarks are closely followed by his colleagues. After completing the arduous work of drafting the army appropriation bill in the closing days of the last session, Mr. Crago gave it as his opinion that all members of the committee had worked on the matter solely with the future welfare of the country in mind. He deprecates the assertion that increased military preparation is for the purpose of involving us in complications with other nations, but declares that, on the contrary, an adequate defense tends to prevent our being drawn into the European conflict.

A. O. U. W. CONVENTION IN NEWARK TODAY

The State convention of the Ancient Order United Workmen is in session in Newark today. Plainfield is represented by Judge William Newcorn, V. W. Nash, J. W. K. Bauersachs, Herbert Mason and Edward Van Winkle.

ROCHAMBEAU ARRIVES

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 8.—The French Line steamer Rochambeau arrived at quarantine about 9 o'clock this morning.

O'CONNOR WINS SUIT AGAINST STEAMSHIP CO.

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 8.—A jury before Judge Manton in the United States District Court today brought in a verdict for the defendant in the suit of Michael J. O'Connor against the International Mercantile Marine Co. for $100,000 damages for keeping him a prisoner on board the American Liner St. Louis in the port of Liverpool in November, 1915.

O'Connor is a liquor dealer in Harlem, and it is said he owns the Lord Leitrim estate in Ireland, and he went over there to look after the property, but the British authorities refused to allow him to land because of pro-German utterances while in New York.

THE KING'S DAUGHTERS JOIN THE SPECIAL AID

At a meeting of the trustees of The King's Daughters' Union, held this morning, it was decided that the Union should join forces with the local branch of the National Special Aid Society. Every Wednesday has been given to the Union by the Special Aid Society for sewing. The work will be done at the headquarters of the latter body, on East Front street.

TUCKABATCHEE CLASS PLANNING TOURNAMENT

Twelve entries for the members' quoit tournament of the Tuckabatchee class of the Congregational Church have been received. Games will start early next week. The winner will be awarded a silver cup emblematic of the class championship. Practice has been going on for some time and contests will be close.

GOVERNOR TO SPEAK

With the Governor of New Jersey and one of the State's representatives in the United States Senate as speakers for its annual dinner on March 17, the Society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of Montclair, expects that its celebration of St. Patrick's Day this year will be one of the most interesting it has ever conducted.

Governor Walter E. Edge and Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen have both accepted the invitation of the Friendly Sons to attend the dinner and deliver speeches.

ELLENBERGS 50 YEARS WED

Phillipsburg, March 8.—Mr. and Mrs. John Ellenberg yesterday celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home, 364 South Main street. Because of the ill health of Mrs. Ellenberg the observance was a quiet one. It had been planned to have a large celebration. Children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present. The couple were married in Phillipsburg by the Rev. Mr. Freeman, pastor of the Upper Harmony Presbyterian church.

PECK AT WASHINGTON SCHOOL

Arthur L. Peck will lecture on Italy at the Washington school, Darrow avenue, tonight. These lectures have heretofore been held in the high school but tonight's lecture will be given at the Washington instead.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian church will lead the service in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

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KITCHEN INSISTS THAT WAX VISITED HIS HOTEL

William Kitchen, former proprietor of the Kensington Hotel, in this city, was a witness yesterday in New York, in the trial of Rae Tanzer, for perjury, in connection with the suit she brought two years ago against Assistant District Attorney James W. Osborne, for breach of promise, claiming that he was the man who came to this city with her and registered her as his wife in October, 1914.

Mr. Kitchen identified Charles Wax as the "Oliver Osborne" who came here with the girl. Several other witnesses testified that Wax was the man they had known as "Oliver Osborne."

The testimony went over some of the same ground that was covered in the trial of Franklin D. Safford, who as employe of Mr. Kitchen, and clerk of the hotel at the time the Tanzer girl is said to have come to this city, was tried and convicted of perjury some weeks ago, on his testimony that Assistant District Attorney James W. Osborne was the man who came here with the Tanzer girl. Frank Lapp, formerly employed at the Hotel Kensington, testified yesterday that James W. Osborne was not the man who visited the hotel.

FEASTER IS CHOSEN MEMBER OF COMMISSION

New Brunswick, March 8.—Through a union of the Democratic and Republican forces, Recorder Joseph J. Feaster was elected city commissioner Tuesday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Commissioner James Mershon. Feaster is a Republican and the City Commission stands as it did before, three Democrats and two Republicans. Feaster received 2,452 votes on first choice, or a majority of 1,426 over George F. Baier, the closest opponent. Charles A. McCormick, Jr., received 166 votes and F. Randolph Stout 122.

It is said the choice of the commissioners for city recorder will be either John Watson, a Republican, and former city clerk, or Edward Tindy, a Democrat, who ran for commissioner at the first election.

URGES OBSERVANCE OF "VISIT-THE-SCHOOLS"

Calvin N. Kendall, State commissioner of education, in letters addressed to local Boards of Education, superintendents of schools, principles and teachers, recommends that Monday to Friday, March 12 to 16, inclusive, be observed throughout the State as "Visit-the-schools week," a week during which parents and others are invited and urged to visit the schools.

The object of this observance is that there may be more co-operation between homes and schools, so that parents may know the teachers of their children and teachers become acquainted with the parents.

REV. ARTHUR CRANE IS GUEST OF HIS SON

Rev. Arthur Crane, of Jamaica, L. I., spent yesterday with his son, Judge J. Henry Crane, of this city, and was present at the impressive ceremonies in the District Court, when the latter became the successor of Walter L. Hetfield, Sr. Mr. Crane is a Baptist minister and for several years has been engaged in evangelistic work, having given up pastoral duties.

EX-CONGRESSMAN TUTTLE IS DOING NICELY

Former Congressman William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, is said to be getting along nicely at Muhlenberg Hospital where he recently underwent an operation for an affection of the throat.

TO RE-SUBMIT NAMES OF JERSEY POSTMASTERS

Washington, March 8.—In addition to former Governor John Franklin Fort, whose nomination for the Federal Trade Commission was among the many not acted upon by the Senate at the last session, President Wilson will resubmit the following nominees for postmasterships in New Jersey:

Edward F. Lonergan, Millburn, now holding by recess appointment, and whose confirmation was prevented by the opposition of former Senator Martine; Frank C. Carle, Madison; William Jardin, Kenvil; Frank R. Crater, Lake Hopatcong; George E. Opdyke, Landing; John Boyd, Greystone Park; Horace L. Stonaker, Riverton.

DRAKE DIVORCE DECISION AFFIRMED

The Court of Errors yesterday affirmed the decision of the Court of Chancery granting a divorce to Charles L. Drake, of this city, from his wife, Elizabeth. The case was originally tried about one year ago, when the decision was granted to Mr. Drake on the strength of a report of the case made by the late former Chancellor William J. Magie. Robert Newton Crane was counsel for Mr. Drake.

MRS. FRAZEE SUYDAM DIES IN OAK TREE

Mrs. Nettie L. Suydam, the wife of Frazee Suydam, of Oak Tree, died last night of pneumonia, after a long illness. She was about forty-five years of age and had lived in Oak Tree for the past twelve years, coming from Rahway. Besides her husband she leaves two brothers. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

TROLLEY BREAKS MAN'S SKULL

Phillipsburg, March 8.—Struck by a trolley car Tuesday night at Alpha, Samuel Warman, real estate dealer, of this place, is in the Easton Hospital in a serious condition. Mr. Warman's skull was fractured.

The accident occurred as Mr. Warman was walking along the trolley tracks to his home after visiting the postoffice. The motorman of the car, John Derringer, of Easton, said he was unable to see the victim because of frost on the platform window. Mr. Warman was taken to the hospital in the automobile of M. S. Willever, his business partner.

PERSONAL

Peter Young, of East Second street, who has been detained at his home several weeks by illness, is improving slowly.

Edward A. Laing and family, of Richmond street, will leave tomorrow for Atlantic City, where they will spend several days.

Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, who has been quite ill for some time, does not improve as it was hoped, and it may be necessary for her to undergo an operation.

ENROLLMENT IS URGED

Those who wish to take advantage of Dr. C. B. Loffburrow's instructive course of lectures on "first aid" should enroll not later than before 8:15 o'clock tomorrow night at the First Methodist church. Those who enter now will find no difficulty in making up the first lesson by referring to the text books used. The change in the evening from Thursday to Friday is for this week only on account of the Damrosch concert.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT GARWOOD

Augustus Districk, seventeen years of age, while fixing bolts on one of the machines in the George C. Monn wire rope factory at Garwood last night, was caught by the machine belt and so terribly mangled that he died in half-an-hour. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Districk, and two sisters, Madeline and Anna Districk.

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Sico Bouillon Cubes, 12 to box	25c
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Evaporated California Peaches, 2 lbs.	25c
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Mother's Oats, large pkg. with a piece of china in each	28c
Fancy, Pure White Clover Honey in comb, 1 lb box	22c
Beer Rabbit Molasses, a can 10-15c	
California Fancy Asparagus, No. 1 can, special, 2 for	35c
California Peaches, extra fancy heavy syrup, 15c can	20c
California Green Gage Plums, 25c cans	20c
Hawaiian Fancy Sliced Pineapple, 2 for	35c
Jersey Pack Fancy Pears, in heavy syrup, large can	15c
High Grade Baked Beans, in Tomato Sauce, No. 2 can 15c; No. 1 can	10c
Evaporated Apples, fancy 1 lb pkgs, 12c; or 2 for	25c
Herring Roe, No. 2 cans, worth 30c, special at	15c
Fancy Smoked Bloaters, each 5c; or 6 for	25c
Boneless Herring, reg. 25c, spec.	20c
Lennox Laundry Soap, 6 cakes for	25c
Argo Laundry Starch, 2 lb box special	15c
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FISH LIBEL CASE WILL BE APPEALED

Counsel for Former Mayor of Roselle to Go to Court of Errors

Codding & Oliver, attorneys for Harwood Fish, former Mayor of Roselle Park, whose appeal from his conviction in the Court of Quarter Sessions on the charge of having libeled William E. Johnson, a grand jury member, was denied by the Supreme Court, announced yesterday that they would take the case to the Court of Errors and Appeals.

"We have just received a copy of the opinion of the Supreme Court in the State against Harwood Fish and have only had time to make a hurried examination of it," the attorneys state. "The court disagrees with us as to Mayor Fish's right to have the circular explained of in the criminal action instituted against him. As we read the opinion it makes an person or any newspaper responsible for the truth of any statement that would, if untrue, be libelous which is published about a candidate for public office, no matter if the statement was published in good faith, for a good purpose and in the belief that it was true. We have never understood this to be the law. With regard to the conduct of the trial below the opinion states that errors were undoubtedly committed, but also indicates the belief of the court that these were not of sufficient damage to the defendant to require a new trial.

"We feel that our duty to our client requires us to carry the case to the Court of Errors and Appeals, which will be done at the earliest moment. It would, of course, be improper for us to comment upon the opinion of the court outside of the proper tribunal for the review.

BATTERY C EN ROUTE FOR HOME STATION

Battery C, New Jersey Field Artillery, of which Alfred Seals and Raymond Manley, of Plainfield, are members, left Douglas, Ariz., yesterday for its home station in East Orange. The battery will make the trip east in tourist sleepers.

The delay in the arrival of the transportation will allow Private Mercer Skidmore, of Rahway, who has been suffering with pneumonia in the camp hospital, to return with the battery. The only man to be left behind will be Corporal August Reiger, who is recovering from a broken leg. Captain J. R. Starkey will welcome the battery home and muster it out at East Orange.

M'ALL AUXILIARY ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

The McAll Auxiliary held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Young Women's Christian Association building, when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Duncan Taylor; vice-president, Mrs. Isaac Miller; treasurer, Mrs. John G. Foster; secretary, Mrs. Howard Craig; secretary of literature, Mrs. Isaac Field.

An interesting address was delivered by Dr. Berry, secretary of the National McAll Association.

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Funeral services from her late residence, 120 Elmwood place, on Sunday afternoon, March 11th, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in family plot in Hillside cemetery. 3-8-10

ISENMANN—On Wednesday, March 7, 1917, Howard William, son of William F. and Jessie V. Isenmann, aged 3 years.

Services at the parents' residence, 1117 Lyman place, on Saturday, March 10 at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Westfield, N. J.

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Miss Berenice Thomas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomas, of 821 Richmond street, was married to Charles Carmen, at the bride's home on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, by the Rev. A. D. Jones.

The color scheme was pink and white and the house was tastefully decorated. Miss Alberta Gordon, organist of Mt. Olive church, played the wedding march. The bride was dressed in a cream satin gown with point lace. Her veil of white net was caught up with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white carnations. Her bridesmaid, Miss Katherine Copeland, was gowned in gray chiffon and taffeta and carried pink carnations. The flower girls were dressed in white. Ivan Shipley was best man.

About fifty guests from New York city and New York State and this city were present. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

The bride received many handsome presents. Mr. and Mrs. Carmen left for Virginia, and on their return will reside with the bride's parents.

STATE HIGHWAY BILL PASSES SENATE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 8.—With the passage in the Senate yesterday afternoon of Governor Edge's State Highway Law Mill, introduced in the Assembly by Mr. Oliphant, of Mercer, the series of three State highway bills are now through the Legislature and only await the Governor's approval to make them laws. The Legislature has adjourned for the week and sending them to the Governor, so he will not receive them until next Monday evening. He is ready to sign them as soon as they reach him, and they will give the State the most important highway legislation in its history.

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HOT DEBATE OVER NEW FRANCHISE TAX

Trenton, March 8.—With the Republicans and Democrats going at each other "hammer and tongs" in a lively partisan debate, during which it was charged that James R. Nugent, as a Democratic boss, was the "Colossus" who kept a public utility franchise tax plank out of the Democratic platform, the Democrats replying with the allegation that the Republicans only put such a plank in their platform because of a desire to grasp something that would prevent the election of the Democratic candidate for Governor, the Senate yesterday afternoon passed the committee substitute for the Oliphant bill increasing the franchise taxes upon public utility *corporations other* than street railway companies. The bill was passed by all the Democrats present voting with the Republicans in favor of it. Senator McClennon, of Hudson, who was detained home by the death of his mother, was the only absentee.

LAKEWOOD TIMES DESTROYED BY FIRE

The newspaper plant of the Times and Journal at Lakewood, at one time owned by former Governor J. Franklin Fort, was destroyed yesterday by a fire of unknown origin. The loss is estimated at $50,000. The building was a three-story frame and burned like tinder. The Times and Journal was a weekly publication.

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TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

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FOR EXCHANGE — Nine-room modern house, large lot, finest location, for two-family house, or for sale on easy terms; no agents. "M. H.," care Courier-News. 3-6-8-10

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot, very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 7-1-t-f-s-t-f

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, *underground electric* and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

HOT DEBATE OVER NEW FRANCHISE TAX

Trenton, March 8.—With the Republicans and Democrats going at each other "hammer and tongs" in a lively partisan debate, during which it was charged that James R. Nugent, as a Democratic boss, was the "Colossus" who kept a public utility franchise tax plank out of the Democratic platform, the Democrats replying with the allegation that the Republicans only put such a plank in their platform because of a desire to grasp something that would prevent the election of the Democratic candidate for Governor, the Senate yesterday afternoon passed the committee substitute for the Oliphant bill increasing the franchise taxes upon public utility *corporations other* than street railway companies. The bill was passed by all the Democrats present voting with the Republicans in favor of it. Senator McClennon, of Hudson, who was detained home by the death of his mother, was the only absentee.

LAKEWOOD TIMES DESTROYED BY FIRE

The newspaper plant of the Times and Journal at Lakewood, at one time owned by former Governor J. Franklin Fort, was destroyed yesterday by a fire of unknown origin. The loss is estimated at $50,000. The building was a three-story frame and burned like tinder. The Times and Journal was a weekly publication.

NO NEED TO FEAR BALDNESS

Here's a Good Way to Stop Loss of Hair and Start New Hair Growth.

If your hair is falling or thinning out, don't wait another day, but go to L. W. Randolph, and get a bottle of Parisian Sage, the truly efficient hair grower.

Don't say: "It's the same old story: I've heard it before," but try a bottle at their risk. They guarantee Parisian Sage to grow hair, to stop falling hair, to cure dandruff, and stop scalp itch, or money back.

Parisian Sage contains just the elements needed to properly invigorate and nourish the hair roots. It's a prime favorite with discriminating ladies because it makes the hair soft, bright, and appear twice as abundant.

Parisian Sage is inexpensive and easily obtainable at all drug stores. —Adv.

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Herrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

GOOD laundress wants first three days of week, or first-class cook. 642 West Third street. 3-6-3t

YOUNG GIRL desires place as chambermaid. Loretta Salzman, 139 Seminary avenue, Rahway, or 'phone 142-J, Rahway. 3-7-3t

COLORED WOMAN wants place as General housewerker in small family; good reference. 202 Plainfield avenue. 3-7-2t

A LAUNDRESS wants washing to take home; reference. Telephone 216-M, 308 Fillmore avenue. 3-7-3t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 32 Somerset street, Plainfield. 6-18-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 34-36 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 2-1-12t

MILLING machine operators wanted. International Motor Co., Plainfield, N. J. 3-7-3t

WANTED—Boy, about 16 to 18, to drive milk wagon and help with cows. Address "Milkman," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Useful man not afraid of work; week's work consists of 5½ days; good pay; reference required. Address "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-5t

WANTED—Four non-union painters. Apply New Post Office. 3-6-3t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

CUTTING tool grinder wanted. International Motor Co., Plainfield, N. J. 3-7-3t

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 3-8-tf

WANTED — Automobile repair man. Apply 124 Madison avenue. 3-7-3t

STRONG colored boy to make himself useful in factory. Steaman, 138 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-7-3t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow, etc.; a good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

WANTED — First-class bookkeeper; must have best of references. Apply by letter Box B, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 188 North avenue. 12-9-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2386-M. 6-8-1y*

WANTED—TO RENT

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 224 Clinton avenue. 3-6-4t

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three connecting rooms furnished, one room as a sitting room, others bed rooms, east of Park avenue preferred. "W. B.," care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

WANTED—Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good location and reasonable. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; two in family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

TO LET—FLATS

TO RENT—Flat, 312 East Front, 6 rooms, all improvements; rent $25.00. C. D. Manning, 106 Depot avenue. 3-6-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

LIGHT manufacturing proposition of unusual interest; small amount of capital required. "F. B.," care Courier-News. 3-6-3t

WANTED—A good paying business proposition that can be bought right; no brokers. "C," care Courier-News. 3-8-2t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

CLASSIFIED AD RATES

One cent a word for each insertion. Lowest charge made is 15 cents an ad. By the month $1.00 a line. By the year 75 cents a line.

ANSWERS TO CLASSIFIED ADS.

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A M; Box B; Builder 101; Barn; C G; Collie; Coffee; Cash; Desirable; Box E; E M; Foreman; Garage; H E C; Helper; Hovers; I X L; J L E; Colored Laundress; Lady; M C R; Mountain; Owner; Occasion; Pocket Money; Position; Rooms; R G; Reasonable; Sale; S W; T D; Upholsterer; V S; Painting; Bakelite; Box 4; Box 732. Answers will be held 15 days only.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

AT MURRAY'S Auction Rooms—Just a few of the bargains we are offering for this week, viz.: New fold towel racks, worth 50c; cash, now going at 15c, two for 25c, not more than two to one customer; 50 and 60c books now going at 5c, 10c, 15c and 2 for 25c; magazines and periodicals, etc., and also books going at 3 for 5c. We have on hand over half a ton of wall paper; we are going to dispose of it quick to make room for goods coming in, and we buy books of all kinds in small or large lots, or anything pertaining to the household, including merchandise, bric-a-brac etc. Our storage rates are very reasonable; trunks and household furniture, and separate rooms for every one. We also do crating and packing and guarantee our work. Robert Murray, general auctioneer and appraiser. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business, thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, surrey, wagon, two sets harness, plow, harrow and cultivator, all for $85.00; a bargain; near New Brunswick avenue school. F. W. Tallman, S. Ninth St. 3-7-3t

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Chicken coops, brooder and wire. Address "Brooder," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Gun, beds, bedding, pillows, stands, chairs, etc. Inquire 311 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2569-W. 3-8-3t

FOR SALE — Parlor furniture, rugs, dishes, etc. 243 Somerset St. 3-8-6t

POOL TABLE for sale cheap for cash. Apply 60 Westervelt avenue. 3-8-2t

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

FOR SALE—Upright piano, good order; no use for same, will sell cash. Stanley Day, New Market. 2-24-tf

EGGS, White Legherns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, \$4.50 per hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE—Copying press, $6.00. J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., 620 North avenue. 3-6-tf

PERSIAN kitten for sale. 716 East Second street. 3-8-2t

FOR SALE — Very reasonable cash or terms, fine Hardman concert upright piano, like new, as used mostly for recitals. Call 830 West Sixth street. 3-6-4t

FOR SALE—Ninety-quart capacity ice cream cabinet in good condition; reasonable price. Address Sugar Bowl, corner of Broad and Prospect streets, Westfield. 3-7-3t

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

ROLL TOP DESK with chair, handsome china, pictures and curtains. Address "Occasion," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 2. 2-26-1m

HATCHING EGGS—S. C. W. Legborns and Barred Rocks setting, \$5.00 per 100. Leon L. Chesney, Greenbrook Farm, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-5-3t

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner cocks, setting of 15 \$1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE—Leghorn eggs, \$6 a hundred. \$1 per setting. Young strain. *F. Holland, Scotch Plains, N. J.* 3-8-2t

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1444 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—*Lot of farm implements*, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1763, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE — Peerless Houdan setting eggs, from Blue Ribbon Winners, \$1.00. 28 Stone street. 3-2-6t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. in Excelsior auto-cycles. Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1917; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 915 South avenue. 2-16-tf

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-23-tf

CADILLAC Limousine, electric starter and lights, perfect condition; sacrifice quick sale. Borough Garage. 3-6-3t

FOR SALE—1915 Scripps-Booth roadster, excellent condition throughout, $400.00. Apply Thompson's Garage. 3-6-3t

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers, Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. *J. H. De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit.* 54 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE and two lots for sale, 316 East Third street. Price twenty-eight hundred. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-*room house and bath; all improvements*; good outbuildings; elegant shade; large variety fruit in quantity; main street, ten minutes' walk from station, Plainfield. Address "Sale," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—100 building lots on Inglewood Park, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 335 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-s

TO LET—HOUSES

TO RENT—1054 Arlington avenue, modern house, improvements, steam heat; good surroundings; \$35 per month. Inquire 1049 Arlington, or 'phone 517-J. 3-6-3t

FOR RENT—Houses in South Plainfield. Apply N. Robustelli, South Plainfield. 3-6-3t

TO LET—Five-room house, part improvements. 112 Jackson avenue, Borough. 3-7-tf

FOUR ROOMS, 1432 West Third street, \$12.00; 6 rooms, all improvements, 972 Arlington avenue. Inquire Israel, 423 John street. 3-7-6t

"EAST END" house has been rented. 3-8-2t

TO LET—Six rooms; newly painted and papered, part improvements. Inquire 414 West Third street, or 317 East Second street. 3-8-3t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Wash's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to *furnish reliable help and good situations* for male and female; all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

TAXIDERMIST — T. W. Sidy, Carthams, Dunellen, N. J. Birds, fish, animals heads, robes, rugs, furs, tanning. 2-7-1m

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

MME. DE CRESCENZO, dressmaker and first-class lady-tailor; prices moderate. 196 Grove street. 2-7-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 220 Park avenue. 'Phone 949. 3-14-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Operators, also learners; steady work; good pay. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-3m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 329 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. Apply 716 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Young white girl as chambermaid-waitress in family of three; must be experienced and have good reference; wages $30; Swedish preferred. Call after 7:30 p. m. at 97 Mercer avenue. 3-7-2t

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

WANTED—Competent cook and laundress; small family. Plain, Myrtle avenue. 3-7-3t

WANTED — Competent white chambermaid and waitress for a short time; references required. Apply Mrs. F. D. Warren, 966 Hillside avenue. 3-8-2t

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; week work. Steinman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-3t

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WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing. 600 Franklin place. Tel. 1667. 3-8-2t

WANTED Chambermaid and waitress. 723 Central avenue. 3-8-2t

WANTED—A white maid for general housework; small family; good wages. 945 West Seventh street. 3-8-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse, white, with good reference. Apply in evening, 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-7-3t

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—White couple, wife as chambermaid and waitress, husband as useful man; no one without reference and experience need apply. 312 East Seventh street. 3-8-2t

WANTED—Mill hands and girls for pneumatic work. Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-5-6t

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

WILL SELL or exchange my bungalow with two acres of land for one or two-family house, near station. Hooper, Oak Tree, N. J.

TO LET—ROOMS

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet; small family; reference required. 91 Somerset street.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET

NICELY furnished house for rent; couple willing to take board for rent. "Board," care Courier-News. 3-3-6-8-10

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

HALF of two-family house with up and down stairs, 7 rooms, all improvements. 421 West Second street. 3-2-6t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-5-1m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White French poodle, Friday. Liberal reward if returned to A. C. Thompson, 730 Sherman avenue. 'Phone 2228-M. 3-3-tf

FOUND—Black hound, white on chest, foreleg and hind feet. 202 Leland avenue. Tel. 2049-M. 3-7-2t

LOST—Gold neck chain with amethyst and pearl pendant, between Mountain avenue, Plainfield, and Westfield station. Reward if returned to Courier-News. 3-7-2t

LOST—Wednesday evening, a traveling case with gymnasium suit. Reward at 318 West Front street.

LOST—Purse containing 2 tickets for "Century Girl," also name card. Return to Courier-News. Reward.

LOST—Tool box and tools on Mack truck. Address L. Esner, 224 East Fifth street, or International Motor Co. 3-7-2t

LOST—Weed chain. Return to Courier-News office. Reward. 3-7-2t

LOST—Dark brindle bull dog, white on head, neck, chest and feet; name Roger. Reward for return to 945 Central avenue. 3-6-3t

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Next Rehearsal of "Land of Mystery" TONIGHT in Lodge Room

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

BEEKMAN TALKS FOR NEW ROAD

Sentiment was unquestionably in favor of the proposed construction of the Chimney Rock road, at the dinner given last night at the Hotel Cawley, by the Somerville Merchants' Association. The assemblage was a notable one because the governing body of nearly every municipality in the county was represented. The purpose was to consider the construction of a road from Chimney Rock to Martinsville, a distance of about one and a quarter miles. The estimated cost is about $70,000, the amount being a large one probably because the proposed construction would necessitate a cut through the mountain.

Prosecutor A. M. Beekman, who hails originally from Martinsville, on behalf of his former townsmen, made an eloquent and masterful plea in favor of the road, outlining the benefits and advantages. Nearly every property owner of the Martinsville section was present at the dinner. Fred Thomas, president of the Merchants' Association, also spoke in favor of the road. Those representing the Bound Brook authorities let it be known that they, too, favored the improvement.

Frank Remsen, director of the Board of Freeholders, stated that he was not in favor of any more expensive roads until the county could care for the roads they now have undertaken. He added that the Freeholders are having their troubles because the State authorities have not been giving the county as much money as was expected.

Bedle Schoonmaker, former president of the Merchants' Association and a prominent property owner here, declared that he was opposed to the construction of the Chimney Rock road at this time on the grounds of expense. He stated that the cost of such an improvement was almost prohibitive at this time.

To Begin Sale of Reserve Seats

The sale of reserve seats for "The Runaways," the musical comedy to be presented by the Somerville A. A. next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, will commence Monday morning at nine o'clock at the box office of the Regent Theatre. No one will be allowed more than five tickets for any one performance.

Co. M Season Closed

The Company M basketball team has decided to discontinue playing Saturday night games. There will be no game this week. A deciding game between the Knights of St. Peter and the Plainfield T. A. B. Society is expected to be played on the armory court here in about two weeks.

Elks to Have Election Tonight

The election of officers and other important business will be taken up at the regular meeting of Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, B. P. O. Elks, tonight in the Strave building. The term of Chief Exalted Ruler William D. Nolan will expire tonight.

Rev. C. C. Silvester, of the Episcopal Church, will be the Lenten preacher at the Holy Cross Church in North Plainfield tonight.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold a supper in the Second Reformed chapel tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock.

The Charity Ball under the auspices of several Hebrew societies will be held tonight in Columbus Hall.

The fifth lecture in the season's course of the Public Education Society will be held tomorrow night.

Tonight will be Boy Scouts' Night at the Regent Theatre, when they will present their tableaux.

WHITEHOUSE

Although the mercury hovered around ten above zero and snow and ice to the depth of nearly a foot covered the ground the first bluebird of the season was seen yesterday by residents of East Whitehouse. This harbinger of an early spring sure arrived here in time for a cold reception outdoors, but the sight of it was welcome to the people who are eagerly awaiting the arrival of spring.

John H. Reed, as agent for the Pidcock Land and Improvement Company, on Tuesday sold Lamington farm of 190 acres to Mrs. Carrie R. Hicks, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, and also the former Morris Welch lot of six acres on the Ridge, near East Whitehouse, to Mrs. Charles McMurtry, of Vliettown. Consideration was not made public in either sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Welsh celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding at their home near Whitehouse Station on Tuesday evening by entertaining about twenty-five relatives and friends from Somerville, Readington, Lebanon, North Branch and this place. Dinner was served. Mrs. Welsh received many gifts.

An entertainment will be given in Bonnell's Hall, at Whitehouse Station, Saturday night by local talent to for the benefit of the Mission Band of the Reformed church. The play, "Much Ado About Betty," will be presented with musical numbers between the acts.

Harold C. Voorhees, son of Justice of the Peace Jacob C. Voorhees, of Whitehouse Station, has just recovered sufficiently from an operation for appendicitis in the Newark City Hospital to return to his home in Jersey City.

Eggs have taken a drop in price in the local markets, now selling at thirty-six cents a dozen. Sugar has also dropped to eight cents a pound. Potatoes, however, are still selling for $3 a bushel.

William J. La Tourette, of Pottersville, and William Rinehart and Postmaster William P. Fisher, of New Germantown, have been having electric lighting plants installed in their homes.

County Engineer Grant Davis, of Whitehouse Station, has been awarded the contract to survey and make a tax map of Clinton. He has agreed to do the work for $215.

The Cushetunk Dance Club is planning for a St. Patrick's dance in Bonnell's hall at Whitehouse Station Saturday evening, March 17.

Prosecutor A. M. Beekman, who hails originally from Martinsville, on behalf of his former townsmen, made an eloquent and masterful plea in favor of the road, outlining the benefits and advantages. Nearly every property owner of the Martinsville section was present at the dinner. Fred Thomas, president of the Merchants' Association, also spoke in favor of the road. Those representing the Bound Brook authorities let it be known that they, too, favored the improvement.

Frank Remsen, director of the Board of Freeholders, stated that he was not in favor of any more expensive roads until the county could care for the roads they now have undertaken. He added that the Freeholders are having their troubles because the State authorities have not been giving the county as much money as was expected.

Bedle Schoonmaker, former president of the Merchants' Association and a prominent property owner here, declared that he was opposed to the construction of the Chimney Rock road at this time on the grounds of expense. He stated that the cost of such an improvement was almost prohibitive at this time.

To Begin Sale of Reserve Seats

The sale of reserve seats for "The Runaways," the musical comedy to be presented by the Somerville A. A. next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, will commence Monday morning at nine o'clock at the box office of the Regent Theatre. No one will be allowed more than five tickets for any one performance.

Co. M Season Closed

The Company M basketball team has decided to discontinue playing Saturday night games. There will be no game this week. A deciding game between the Knights of St. Peter and the Plainfield T. A. B. Society is expected to be played on the armory court here in about two weeks.

Elks to Have Election Tonight

The election of officers and other important business will be taken up at the regular meeting of Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, B. P. O. Elks, tonight in the Strave building. The term of Chief Exalted Ruler William D. Nolan will expire tonight.

Rev. C. C. Silvester, of the Episcopal Church, will be the Lenten preacher at the Holy Cross Church in North Plainfield tonight.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold a supper in the Second Reformed chapel tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock.

The Charity Ball under the auspices of several Hebrew societies will be held tonight in Columbus Hall.

The fifth lecture in the season's course of the Public Education Society will be held tomorrow night.

Tonight will be Boy Scouts' Night at the Regent Theatre, when they will present their tableaux.

WHITEHOUSE

Although the mercury hovered around ten above zero and snow and ice to the depth of nearly a foot covered the ground the first bluebird of the season was seen yesterday by residents of East Whitehouse. This harbinger of an early spring sure arrived here in time for a cold reception outdoors, but the sight of it was welcome to the people who are eagerly awaiting the arrival of spring.

John H. Reed, as agent for the Pidcock Land and Improvement Company, on Tuesday sold Lamington farm of 190 acres to Mrs. Carrie R. Hicks, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, and also the former Morris Welch lot of six acres on the Ridge, near East Whitehouse, to Mrs. Charles McMurtry, of Vliettown. Consideration was not made public in either sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Welsh celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding at their home near Whitehouse Station on Tuesday evening by entertaining about twenty-five relatives and friends from Somerville, Readington, Lebanon, North Branch and this place. Dinner was served. Mrs. Welsh received many gifts.

An entertainment will be given in Bonnell's Hall, at Whitehouse Station, Saturday night by local talent to

BOUND BROOK

Y. M. A. MINSTREL PROVES TALENT

Amateur performances such as was given last night in the Palace Theatre by the Young Men's Association of South Bound Brook are indeed rare. And the hundreds of people from this vicinity who were able to take advantage of the opportunity to witness the Y. M. A. minstrel show are unanimous in commending the splendid and brilliant talent and the manner of the performance of last night.

The event was just one laugh after another. The musical part of the program was a great success and there were several encores to nearly every song. Philip B. Koechlein was interlocutor; the tambos were Messrs. E. Mathews, Merlett and Percy Koechlein; the bones were H. Harney, W. Mathews, N. Harney, Louis Ulmer and A. D. Galloway. The chorus consisted of the following: Percy Harney, Leon Walters, Walter Rugen, Edgar Creager, Herbert Hall, William Voorhees, Albert Wagner, Van Nostrand, J. Dibble, B. Morecraft, E. Stryker, M. Apgar, M. B. Mann, Johnson Smith, J. Mathews, Van Pattenson, R. Dibble, L. Wells, A. Schure and R. Apgar.

The program was as follows:

Part I.—Overture, orchestra; opening chorus, entire company; end song, "Mammy's Little Coal Black Rose," Mr. Merlett; end song, "She's Dixie All the Time," W. Mathews; solo, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," Mr. Stryker; end song, "Down Where the Swanee River Flows," Percy Koechlein; quartette, "Meet Me at Twilight," Messrs. Rugen, Stryker, Harney, Mann; end song, "Come on to Nashville," N. Harney; end song, "Mississippi," E. Mathews; solo, "Stein Song," M. B. Mann; end song, "Won't You Please Let Me Come Home," H. Harney; solo, "When Shadows Fall," James Burke; solo, "Sunshine of Your Smile," Lawrence Wells; closing chorus. Part I, entire company.

Part II—Impersonating and humorist, Wing Tabor Wetmore; musical selections, Rutgers College Quintette; impersonating and humorist, Wing Tabor Wetmore; grand finale, entire company.

Coach, J. E. Judson; pianist, Mrs. Walter Gillespie; violins, Mr. Judson, F. Casterlin.

Refuses to Take Up Debts of Contractor

So that their rights against the bondsmen might not be affected, the Borough Fathers have refused the request of Contractor Celentano that the borough pay for some of the cars of brick which have already reached here. The Council means to comply with their contract, which calls for payments only after certain work is completed, and will not make any payments unless in accordance with their contract. Any material change in arrangements with the contractor other than specified in the contract would relieve the bondsmen, it was declared at Tuesday night's meeting.

High Cost of Living Affects Poor Department

Overseer of the Poor Mrs. Heilman has informed the Borough Council that the high cost of living is making her problems in caring for the poor much more difficult. Mrs. Heilman has reported two cases which are being taken care of by the local authorities only because the father of each of these families has not yet been apprehended. Her statement also adds that the police authorities have been asked to help her force these men to support their families. Counselor Voorhees was instructed by the Council Tuesday night to aid her in this matter.

Mrs. E. L. Evans, of Maple avenue, is visiting with relatives at East Millstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Gillespie have gone to California.

DUNELLEN

The unsanitary conditions of many of the Union line trolley cars passing through this place should receive more than a passing notice. A woman was observed yesterday afternoon endeavoring to clean a spot with her handkerchief on the window so that she could locate the proper street corner to get off.

George Ahnert, of Lincoln avenue, is chairman of the entertainment committee of the Plainfield Germania Turnverein which is arranging for a special program on the evening of March 22d. The affair will be held at Saengerbund hall, North Plainfield. The program is said to be unusually attractive.

Robert Bogardus will be located beginning tomorrow with John Meiser, the druggist, where he will handle a full line of the Woodhull & Martin bakery goods. David Campbell, with whom Mr. Bogardus has been associated for some time, will continue the business at the old stand, No. 398 North avenue.

"Go-to-school" week will be held all next week in the local school at which time all parents are invited, urged to attend school and see for themselves the progress made and the methods used by the teachers of the borough schools.

Peter Ritter, of Prospect avenue, while employed at the Industrial Works, Lincoln, on Tuesday fell breaking two ribs and badly bruising his arm. After receiving medical attendance he was able to go to his home in this place.

Dr. Roger Cooley, of this Borough, addressed the teachers of the North Plainfield schools yesterday afternoon on a subject relating to the health of the pupils. Dr. Cooley is now the medical inspector at the North Plainfield schools.

The Plainfield Common Council has denied the application of the Standard Investment Company of this Borough, to have Emma street macadamized. The reason given was that the street has never been accepted by the city.

Post cards have been received from Edward Maurer, Jr., who is now en route to the Pacific coast. Mr. Maurer goes to the Island of Java to open up a branch of the business in which his father is interested.

Mrs. Alfred Osmun entertained the members of the G. E. Club at her residence on Tuesday evening. It proved a very sociable occasion, closing with the serving of refreshments.

Mrs. W. Day, of Globe, Ariz., is at the Harris homestead in Greenbrook having been called there owing to the recent illness and death of her mother, Mrs. M. S. Harris.

E. B. Leland and family have moved from Columbia street to a house owned by the Home and Investment Co., on Washington avenue, east.

Lenten services will be held tomorrow morning at 7:45 o'clock at Holy Innocents' Church. Services will also be held at St. John's Church in the evening.

Robert Fairbairn, of New Market, has been appointed by Gov. Edge as a member of the State Board of Conservation and Development.

The members of the Presbyterian church C. E. conducted the services last night at the Wilson Memorial chapel in Watchung.

The Epworth League of the local Methodist church met on Tuesday evening with Miss Hague on Jackson avenue.

The body of Mrs. Mary E. Harris, of Greenbrook, was taken to Palmyra, N. Y., today, for interment.

The Board of Health met in monthly session last night transacting routine business.

Enlistments for the National Special Aid Society are being received at Sauer's pharmacy.

Union cottage prayer meetings will continue tonight, Friday and Saturday night.

Lewis Vossler is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

D. E. Hamblin is to move to New York city early this spring.

John Case is suffering from an attack of erysipelas.

CLINTON

THE FUNERAL OF JACOB C. WEST

Funeral services of Jacob C. West, sixty-six years old, will be held tomorrow morning with services at the home of his son, Howard H. West, at Cherryville, near here, at 11 o'clock. Rev. David R. Greese, pastor of the M. E. church, at Quakertown, will officiate and burial will be at Quakertown.

Mr. West died Sunday night in a Trenton hospital, where he was taken about a month ago. He was formerly for a long time a farmer in the Cherryville vicinity and owned considerable property there. Later he conducted a grocery store in Annandale, retiring a few months ago owing to poor health. His wife died in Annandale two years ago.

Besides Howard he leaves these children: Linden F. West and Mrs. Leslie C. Elck, of Annandale, and Mrs. William A. Cook, of Pittstown. He also leaves two sisters.

A meeting of the Clinton Township Committee will be held tomorrow at the home of George N. Bonderman, in Lebanon, to consider road improvements for 1917.

Walter G. Stout, of Clinton, has grip.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

Funeral of Mrs. Vescelius

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Vescelius, sixty-five years old, was held yesterday in the Presbyterian church at German Valley, with burial in the cemetery there. She died while on a visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Dellicker, near High Bridge, after a short illness of complications. She was a native of Hunterdon county. She leaves the following brothers and sisters: Willard Apgar, of German Valley; Aaron Apgar, of Dover; Mrs. Catherine Blance, of Vienna; Mrs. William Dellicker, of High Bridge, and Mrs. William Anderson, of Little Brook.

The play, "Much Ado About Betty," which was given recently in Rialto Hall, High Bridge, by the members of the Senior Class of the High Bridge high school, will be reproduced in Apgar's Hall at Califon on Friday evening, March 23.

The Motor Vehicle Department will hold an examination for drivers' licenses at the American House at Hackettstown on Friday, March 16, and on Friday, March 30, between 9 and 4 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church at Bloomsbury will hold a bazaar in the basement of that edifice tomorrow night. Proceeds for the benefit of church work.

Miss Freda Rosenbury was tendered an enjoyable surprise party at her home in Bloomsbury. Music and games afforded amusement. Refreshments.

Mrs. Elmer D. Ramsey, of East High Bridge, was the recent guest of Mrs. David L. Lare at Whitehouse Station.

Recorder W. Lewis Lance, of New Germantown, is able to be about again, after a severe attack of pneumonia.

William McCathran will move from Annandale to New Germantown about April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinney have returned to Bloomsbury, after a visit to Milford.

WESTFIELD

RESERVE POLICE ARE SWORN IN

Last night there was an important meeting held in the town hall to form a reserve police force of forty private citizens, each man being sworn in by Recorder Springstead with the full authority of a regular police officer. These men are to be provided with badges, revolvers, night sticks and the full paraphernalia of guardians of the peace. The force is to be divided into squads of five men each and each squad will be under a sergeant with a lieutenant at the head as a whole. There are forty men thus far sworn in and quite a number are on the waiting list.

The new reserve force is patterned after the 20,000 men reserve in New York City. Many of the local reserves are expert or sharpshooter riflemen of the Westfield Rifle Club and few of them weigh less than 170 pounds. They range in age from 25 to 45 years and have been chosen because of their apparent fitness to discharge their duty in a calm, sensible manner.

The object of the reserve force is to back up the regular police system of the town in case of special need. They will also make life miserable for the auto speed maniac, the panhandler and the book agent. Should any emergency arise these men will hold themselves in readiness for instant service at the call of Chief of Police Rosecrans. Captain J. J. Thomas, ex-United States Army officer has been appointed as head of the reserve force with Kenneth R. Hare, as first sergeant, and Leigh M. Pearsall, secretary. The names of the reserve force are withheld because the authorities do not wish their names to become known to the public.

Busy Session of P.-T. Society

The Parent-Teacher Association of the McKinley school held its monthly meeting in the assembly room of the school yesterday afternoon and considerable business was transacted. The members decided to hold a poverty dance on Friday evening, March 30, and the committee in charge of the affair will be composed of Mrs. William Steuernagel and Mrs. James Purdy. The refreshments will be in keeping with the poverty end of the dance.

Mrs. J. S. Purdy and Mrs. E. W. Wilcox were named as delegates to attend the council meeting of the Mothers' Congress which is to be held in Trenton on March 17. A number of the members signified their intention of attending the council of Mothers' Congress which is to be held on Wednesday of next week at Plainfield, at which Rev. Dr. Matthews is to deliver an address on "Recreational Reading for Children" in the Plainfield High school in the afternoon.

The speaker of the afternoon was Rev. Dr. W. I. Steans and he gave an interesting talk on the "Cooperation of the Home and the Teacher." Mrs. Frank Moffett sang a solo accompanied by Miss Dorothy Pearsall and she responded to an encore by singing a Scotch song which was greatly appreciated by all. Four new members were received into the association: Mrs. William McNeeley, Mrs. O. W. Nicewonger, Mrs. William Saitta and Mrs. J. Chilton. The picture for the grade in the school having the most mothers present at the meeting was awarded to the sixth grade. After the business session and program of the afternoon a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

New Orchestra Formed

The McKinley orchestra is the name of a new musical organization which has recently been formed in the Fourth ward for the purpose of playing at any of the functions which may be held in the McKinley school. Those who comprise the orchestra are: Miss Ella Price, accompanist; Theodore A. Pope and O. W. Nicewonger, cornets; Charles Simpson and J. Chamberlain, violinists; Russell Wilcox, drum, and Emmett D. Teets, trombone.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Cosgrove, formerly of Mountain avenue but now of Jersey City, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Harriet Adelia, to Frederick William MacDonald. Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald will be at home to their friends at 120 Madison avenue, Elizabeth, after March 15.

Mrs. F. L. Decker, of Broad street, has returned from a visit in Whitehouse. Mrs. Decker entertained a number of friends at lunch yesterday. Her guests were Mrs. D. W. Rogers, of Plainfield; Mrs. Arthur Scott, of Newark; Mrs. Oscar Hutchings, of this town, and Mrs. Decker.

Hiram Mason, of Pleasant place, died at the Elizabeth General Hospital last night where he had been since Monday undergoing treatment. Mr. Mason was about fifty years old and had been a resident of this town for a year coming here from Jersey City. He leaves his widow.

A large number of the citizens of this town have been summoned by the police to appear before Recorder Springstead tonight to answer charges as to why they did not have their sidewalks cleaned of the snow as required by the town ordinances.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Phelps, of Pierrepont, have been in Washington for the past week attending the inaugural ceremonies of President Wilson. Mr. Phelps will go from there to Sanford, Florida, for the benefit of his health.

C. W. Harden, who for several years has been connected with the book-keeping department of the Westfield Trust Company, has resigned his position and will retire from active work.

Companion Court, Lady Foresters, will hold its next meeting which will be on the first Tuesday in April, at the home of Mrs. William Winkler, on Prospect street.

Miss Ella R. Ditcraft, of Harrison avenue, will sail on Saturday for Porto Rico, where she will visit relatives for several months at Yauco.

W. A. Gardner and family, of Fanwood, have leased the Gale house on Elm street and will take possession about the first of April.

Perry Jones, who has been ill of diphtheria at his home on Chestnut street, was released from quarantine by the board of health yesterday.

The engagement of Miss Dora Lee McGurk, a teacher in the McKinley school, and Allen Bishop, of Harrison avenue, has been announced.

L. B. Barber, of Maple street, has leased the Burtis house on Euclid avenue, and will occupy it with his family on April 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brodeur, of Austin street, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brodeur, of Boston, this week.

Miss Emma Hitchings and Miss Florence Lutes will spend the week-end with Mrs. O. W. Rogers, at Plainfield.

Mrs. E. R. Pearsall, of Ferris place, will leave on Saturday for a visit with her daughter in Lexington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilcox, of Cumberland street, returned today from a stay of several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Ferris, of Lawrence avenue, have returned from a five weeks' stay in Florida.

Mrs. E. L. Peddle and Miss Peddle, of East Broad street, are spending a few days at Atlantic City.

Mrs. J. C. Towle, of Elm street, returned today from a visit of several days in Washington, D. C.

Miss Lizzie Beer, of Chestnut street, returned yesterday from a visit to Florida.

Rev. C. S. Lewis, of South Amboy, will preach in St. Paul's church tomorrow night.

SCOTCH PLAINS

GAVE A PARTY FOR HER BIRTHDAY

Frances Frowery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Frowery, entertained a number of her friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of the first anniversary of her birthday. The children had a delightful time playing games. The dinners in the donkey game were Ruth Eberle and Billie Lindsay. Little Miss Eberle was presented with a doll and Billie received a large soldier. Louis Schnepel, of Elizabeth entertained the children with numerous piano selections. Mr. Schnepel is blind. The Misses Marion and Madeline Clark of the Plains, Miss Mabel Clark, of Iselin, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Pratt, of Elizabeth, gave vocal and piano selections which pleased the older people as well as the children. The party closed with the singing of "America" and each one present was presented with an American flag. Refreshments were served.

Those present were: Helen Smith, Billie Lindsay, Adelaide Lindsay, Robbie Ecker, Virginia Carolan John Sharkey, Lelia Sharkey, Edward Sharkey, Jack Bardolf, Marion Frowery, Francis Frowery, Herman Frowery, Florence Albert, Francis Ward, Edith Whitenack, Mary Procter, Alice Procter, Rose Procter, John Chandler, Marion Morel, Ethel Clark, Clifford Albert, Grace Meyer, Willie Meyer, Evelyn Johnson, of the Plains; Vera Vandekoogh and Ruth Eberle, of Fanwood; Marie Clark, of Iselin; Madaline Schwab, Walter Schwab, of Westfield, and Harold Frowery, of Elizabeth.

Buds of Promise to Entertain

The first anniversary of the "Buds of Promise" of the Baptist Sunday school will be observed in the Sunday school room of the church tomorrow night. The children have arranged a short entertainment which will start promptly at 8 o'clock, and they will have as their guests the boys of the Junior Department. The fathers and mothers and friends of the children are urged to be present and enjoy the evening with them. Refreshments will be served. An offering will be taken for the Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Walker and family removed today to their new home at Mercerville, N. J.

Rev. J. Madison Hare will address St. Paul's brotherhood at Trinity Reformed Church, Plainfield, Sunday afternoon.

FLEMINGTON

Miss Helen Venerable, a pupil nurse at the Methodist Episcopal Hospital, Brooklyn, is spending three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Venerable, Jr., of Sergeantsville.

Rev. M. N. Kalemjian, of Three Bridges, will occupy the pulpit of the Stanton Reformed Church Sunday morning and conduct the quarterly communion service.

J. Wardell Browne, bass soloist of the Emmanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Newark, will sing at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Dr. Edmund D. Soper, of Madison will make an address at a banquet by the Men's Club of the Methodist Church Tuesday night.

Ross Case has returned to Ringoes after spending several days with Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Fulper, of Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffith, of Three Bridges are spending two weeks in Philadelphia.

Communion services will be held at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

FANWOOD

The regular monthly meeting of the borough council, which was to have been held last evening, was postponed until this evening, when the meeting will be held in Fanwood Hall at 8:15 o'clock.

A number of local people will attend the New York Symphony Orchestra concert this evening in the Plainfield High School Auditorium.

Eugene Lidgate, of North avenue, is spending a few days at New Haven, Conn.

James Bevine, of Tillotson road, left here today for Lebanon, Pa., on business.

WATCHUNG

Sixteen members of the Dunellen Presbyterian Christian Endeavor conducted the Christian Endeavor service in the Wilson Chapel last evening, led by the President, Jean May Day. Miss May's interesting topic was "Service for Friends." The evening was concluded with a social hour.

The Township Committee will hold a regular meeting tonight in Township rooms.

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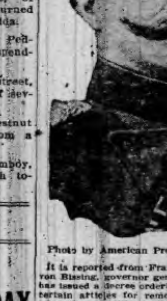

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It is reported from France that General von Bissing, governor general of Belgium, has issued a decree ordering the seizure of certain articles for removal to Germany when the quantities held by any owner exceed certain specified numbers or weights.

HARD FIGHTING ON FRENCH FRONT

British Gain on Ancre, Germans at Verdun.

London, March 8.—Hard fighting continues on the western front in both the Somme and the Verdun sectors, with considerable activity on a smaller scale at many other points. Above the Somme the British appear to be in contact with a part at least of the line which the Germans mean to defend. This is along the highway from Peronne to Busaume.

The British stormed front line trenches on the Bouchavesnes-Moislains road and held the advantage gained there, although repulsed elsewhere. This is along a high ridge, between Bouchavesnes and Sailly-Saillisel to the north lies St. Pierre Vaast wood, all of which is still held by the Germans except the western edge. If the British can drive a wedge through here and Vaux wood, directly beyond, they will convert Peronne into a dangerous salient as Mouchy, twenty-five miles away, at the other end of General Haig's great advance.

On the Verdun front the Germans are more fortunate. In addition to capturing trenches in the Caurieres wood, as acknowledged by the French, they also took an important point on the southeast edge of Fosses forest, with six officers and 572 men besides fifteen machine guns and twenty-five quick firers. The ground commands the Ornes-Brus road and greatly endangers positions held by the French to the east of this road in Caurieres wood. The French, however, hold a position a short distance to the south of Hardaumont, where at a range of 1,200 yards they are on a hill which commands the position thus captured.

In Macedonia British outpost patrols were active between Lake Doiran and the Vardar, and along the lower Struma, but nothing seems to indicate either a Teutonic offensive or an allied retirement in this mysterious region.

In Mesopotamia British cavalry pursuing the Turks defeated at Kut are within twenty-seven miles of Bagdad.

GENERAL SCOTT REAPPOINTED.

Chief of Staff to Retire in September Unless War Comes.

Washington, March 8.—Major General Scott was reappointed as chief of staff of the army by President Wilson. Because of his intimate association with the secretary of war the chief of staff has to be reappointed when a new administration begins office by law.

General Scott will serve until next September under the ordinary procedure, when his will reach the retirement age. In the event of war, however, he would continue in active service without regard to the age limit.

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For Newark—5.00, 6.47, 7.02, (through train to Newark), (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.36, 9.29, 10.36, 11.25, 12.05, 12.55, 1.49, 2.25, 2.29, 2.55, 3.11, 4.01, 4.13, 4.36, 5.00, 5.45, 6.00, 6.45, 7.21, 7.36, 7.41, 7.45, 8.30, 9.41, 9.59, 10.36, 11.18 p. m. Sundays—7.00, 8.54, 9.59, 10.37 a. m.; 12.29, 1.05, 1.41, 2.09, 2.45, 3.29, 3.54, 4.29, 5.09, 5.29, 6.15, 8.27, 9.45, 11.59 p. m.

For Easton, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—4.13 (ex-pt Mauch Chunk), 8.36, 11.25 a. m., 2.29, 4.36, 6.45 to Easton), 9.41 Sundays—10.37 a. m., 4.36 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—2.29, 4.36 p. m. Sundays—10.37 a. m., 4.36 p. m.

For Asbury Park, Etc.—4.41, 8.13, 11.17 a. m., Saturdays only, 12.29, 4.13, 5.16, 8.46, 11.45 p. m. For Red Bank only—2.16 a. m., 11.45 p. m. Sundays—11.45 p. m.

For Lakewood—4.41 a. m., 4.46 p. m. Saturdays only, 5.11 p. m. Sundays—11.45 p. m.

For Philadelphia—7.21, 9.02, 9.53, 10.37, 11.54, 2.45, 4.42, 5.37, 6.41, 9.45, 11.48 p. m. 1.07 a. m.

Sundays—9.02, 9.39, 9.57, 10.52, 10.45, 11.17 a. m., 1.12, 1.14, 2.45, 3.52, 4.52, 5.37, 6.41, 9.45, 11.48 p. m. 1.07, 6.40, 10.52 a. m.

For Baltimore and Washington 9.02, 10.42 a. m., 3.12, 3.46, 4.56, 5.47, 9.

HIGHER SALARIES, AIM OF PASTORS

Methodist Conference to Debate Resolution.

ACTION IS UP TO CHURCHES

Secretary and Treasurer Reappointed. Conference Is Now an Incorporated Body and Will Maintain Permanent Offices In Camden—Busy Sessions Today, With Bishop Berry Presiding.

Atlantic City, March 8.—Either today or tomorrow the annual New Jersey Methodist conference, in session here, will take up the question of a 10 per cent increase in pastors' salaries. The resolution urging the increase is before the convention, and the only difference of opinion is whether the conference should order the increase or leave it to individual churches. It is said the conference has no power to order, but can only urge the increase.

The resolution calls attention to the extraordinary advance in the cost of necessaries of life and to the fact that, while wages have generally advanced, salaries in the professions have not been increased.

The conference is now an incorporated body, articles having been filed under the law permitting incorporation of associations not for pecuniary profit. The principal office is to be at 317 Market street, Camden, and will be in charge of E. G. C. Bleakly, city solicitor. The following, all ministers, were designated as trustees: John Handley, Salem; Andrew B. Carlin, Pemberton; James B. Bills, Ocean Grove; Alfonso Dale, Haddonfield; Henry J. Zelley, Woodbury; Melville E. Snyder, Trenton; James W. Marshall, Ocean Grove; John B. Haines, Holmes P. Gravatt, John R. Mason, Alexander Corson and Fred De Maris, all of Camden.

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PERJURY TOO COMMON.

Judge at Passaic Will Try to Stop this Practice.

Paterson, March 8.—That perjury is a too common practice in the Passaic county courts and that he will make a supreme effort to stop it was stated by Judge Bilzer in circuit court here. The statement was made in charging the jury in a damage suit brought by David Fuchs, trading as the Savoy Silk mills, against Morris Geist.

"It is evident from the testimony," Judge Bilzer said, "that some one has been lying and committed perjury. I have never found so much of this sort of practice going on as is apparent *here in this county.*"

The jury returned a verdict of $500 in favor of the plaintiff.

Bone Dry Bill For Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., March 8.—A "bone dry" prohibition bill passed the lower house of the Nebraska legislature, 84 to 3.

GLASS OF WATER BEFORE YOU EAT ANY BREAKFAST

Wash poison from system each morning and feel fresh as a daisy.

Every day you clean the house you live in to get rid of the dust and dirt which collected through the previous day. *Your body*, the house your soul lives in, also becomes filled up each twenty-four hours with all manner of filth and poison. If only every man and woman could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "run-downs," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

Everyone, whether sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's *indigestible waste*, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds, and particularly those *who have a pallid, sallow complexion* and whose tongues are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.—Adv.

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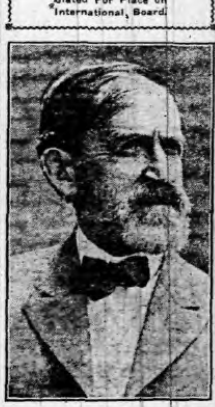

Photo by American Press Association.

CUBAN REVOLT LEADER TAKEN

General Gomez a Prisoner After Losing Battle.

Havana, March 8.—Ex-President Jose Miguel Gomez, leader of the rebels, and his entire staff are prisoners in the hands of Colonel Collazo, commander of the government forces operating near the dividing line between Santa Clara and Camaguey provinces.

The men were said to have been captured after a battle in Camaguey province lasting several hours, in which many are believed to have been killed or wounded. Machine guns played a prominent part in the defeat of the rebels.

Immediately following the news of the capture of Gomez an unconfirmed report spread that Rigoberto Fernandez, in Santiago de Cuba, had offered to surrender if allowed to come under the amnesty decree offered by President Menocal a few days ago. General Pino Guerra, a prominent rebel leader, and his brother Ramon are reported to have given themselves up to Colonel Carrillo in Pinar del Rio.

VARE SUIT CONTINUED.

Wife of Congressman Defendant in Chelsea Realty Case.

Atlantic City, March 8.—Vice Chancellor Leaming, at the request of counsel, has continued until April the suit of Archibald Lambert, formerly of Baltimore, who has large realty holding in Chelsea, against Mrs. Ida Vare, wife of Representative William S. Vare of Philadelphia.

Lambert is suing Mrs. Vare who holds the title to the handsome Vare mansion at the beach end of Berkley square, Chelsea, to quit the title of a lot between the Vare line and the Boardwalk, for which he is said to have paid $40,000. The defendant claims priority of title under a riparian grant.

New Pier For Stone Harbor.

Stone Harbor, March 8.—Borough council has accepted the plans of Mark R. Keyser for the $70,000 pier and pedestrian to extend from the boardwalk at One Hundred and Sixth street. This will have stores at the front, an assembly room 70 by 40 feet and seat 1,000, and a promenade to a pavilion 80 by 35 feet. The pier will be 1,120 feet out.

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That entertaining is an art, no hostess will deny, and the woman who would achieve success as a hostess must consider her guests, her cook and herself, when planning for her refreshments. In the article this evening suggestions will be given for those who, when entertaining, desire dishes that are attractive, appetizing, a little unusual and not to expensive or difficult to prepare.

Every cook and housekeeper knows the inconvenience of the ordinary "family" recipe when entertaining and the multiplications and additions that are always necessary. In these recipes, this difficulty is largely eliminated, for these are tried and true rules, which will be found reliable for a small dance, an informal tea, an auction party, or a chafing dish supper.

All recipes given will serve twenty-five persons.

Crab Meat au Gratin

Make a sauce of two-thirds of a cupful of butter, one-half a cupful of flour, one quart of rich milk, half a teaspoonful of paprika, one teaspoonful of salt and two tablespoonfuls of Worcestershire sauce. When the sauce boils and is very smooth (it should be stirred constantly), add two quarts of crab flakes, one quart of drained cooked peas and *half a cupful of minced peppers. Fill* buttered baking dishes with the mixture and dust the tops with dried bread crumbs. After dotting over with bits of butter, bake for twenty-one minutes in a hot oven.

Chicken a la King

Melt half a cupful of chicken fat, add two tablespoonfuls of grated onion, two small, green peppers (finely chopped and freed from seeds), three pimentos (cut into strips) and half a cupful of flour. Stir and cook for five minutes. Then add three cupfuls of milk, salt and nutmeg to taste and three cupfuls of cooked chicken (cut into small strips). Bring to the boiling point, add two cupfuls of saute mushrooms and four egg yolks mixed with two cupfuls of thick cream. Cook until well-thickened and, just before removing from the fire, add a generous half cupful of sherry. Serve with toast points.

Garden of Eden Salad

Peel six tangerines and four grape fruit, remove the sections and cut in small, even pieces. Then drain thoroughly. Shred one ripe pineapple. Pare, core and dice three tart apples and sprinkle with lemon juice to prevent discoloration. Peel two pounds of Malaga grapes and remove the seeds, cutting in halves lengthwise, and cut half a pound of fresh marshmallows into tiny shreds. Mix *all the ingredients together, moisten* with one quart of Chantilly dressing (a recipe for this was published last evening) and serve in individual portions, in small heart lettuce cups. Mask each portion with a little of the dressing and garnish with Maraschino cherries.

Newport Salad

The ingredients required are: Two quarts of tuna fish (flaked), one pint of diced, peeled cucumbers, half a cupful of quarters of the pint of peeled tomatoes (cut in small pieces) and one pint of shredded lettuce. Mix well and moisten with one quart of Russian dressing (a recipe for this will be found in last night's Courier-News). Serve on crisp lettuce leaves and garnish with slices of pickled beet and small pickles.

International Sandwiches

Four loaves of graham bread and half a pound of butter. In making these sandwiches the bread should be very lightly buttered. For the filling, cream one cupful of butter, add one and three-quarter cupfuls of Roquefort cheese, four chopped pimentos, two tablespoonfuls of *chopped chives and two tablespoon*fuls of sherry. Work the filling until very smooth, before using between the bread slices. Cut in rounds.

Nut Loaf for Sandwiches

Mix and sift two and a half cupfuls of graham flour, one cupful of white flour, one teaspoonful of salt, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one cupful of sugar. Moisten the dry ingredients with one and three-*quarter cupfuls of milk mixed with* one lightly beaten egg, beat vigorously, stir in one cupful of chopped nut meat and bake in a greased pan, using a moderately hot oven. When cold, cut in thin slices, use orange marmalade for the filling and spread the bread with sweet butter. Cut into rounds. The marmalade may be omitted and the bread and butter used alone.

Diplomatic Fruit Punch

Mix together the juice of six lemons, three oranges and two grape fruit and add one large cupful of sugar. Let stand on the ice for two or three hours to chill and ripen. Then add two quarts of iced, unfermented grape juice, the contents of a small bottle of Maraschino cherries and one quart of iced, carbonated water. Pour slowly over a small block of ice placed in the punch bowl.

Recipes tomorrow evening will comprise formulas for frozen dainties, cakes, etc. Miss Lee will be also very glad to furnish menus, or special recipes, for any occasion, if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is sent to her at the office of the Courier-News.

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THE PRINCESS' EARRINGS—Part I

Once upon a time there lived a Princess who had a very wonderful pair of earrings that had been given to her by an old witch.

The witch had met the Princess one day while she was riding through the forest, and because the Princess had been kind and thrown some gold to the old witch, she had given to her a wonderful pair of earrings made of dull gold and emeralds.

"Wear them, my pretty Princess," said the old witch, "and never let them leave your ears, for while they adorn your little ears, no evil thing *shall you hear.*"

So the Princess put the earrings in her ears and the birds began to sing more sweetly than she had ever heard them, and the wind sounded like strains of sweet music.

Everyone who spoke to the Princess said pleasant things, and never did she hear an unkind or harsh word or anything that caused her unhappiness.

Now it happened that one of the servants of the Princess was with her when the old witch gave her the earrings, and, thinking that they contained some magic power which would make her rich if she possessed them, the serving maid stole them one night while the Princess slept *and the maid stole out of the palace.*

The Princess wept herself sick when she found the earrings were gone, for all the sounds which came to her ears now were changed, and unhappiness came upon her. Search where they would, the servants of the King could not find the maid who had stolen the earrings, and at last the Prince said she would marry the man who would bring back her earrings, be he high or low of birth.

Every Prince that heard what the Princess had promised began to search, but the maid could not be found, and, after a while, a poor peasant youth said he would begin the search, and would promise to *bring the earrings if the Princess* would stoop to marry one of so lowly a birth.

"It matters not who he is, so that I have the carrings," said the Princess, and so the youth set forth to search for the servant who had stolen the earrings.

He looked in the cities and he searched in the towns, but no trace could be find of anyone with the earrings, and he was almost at the point of returning to the King and telling him of his failure, when he happened to be passing by a river one day and saw a big fish jump out of the water and look about, but the fish quickly disappeared when it saw the peasant.

"That is a queer thing," said the peasant to himself; "I'll just hide behind this tree and watch a while."

Pretty soon he heard some one coming, and, peeking out from his hiding place, the peasant saw a girl walking by the bank of the river.

She stopped and knelt on the ground and looked into the water.

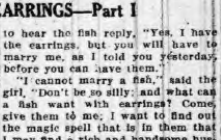
Just then up jumped the big fish he had seen, and when it saw the girl, it dropped into the water again and swam to the bank.

"Have you brought them?" asked the girl.

The peasant was greatly surprised to hear the fish reply, "Yes, I have the earrings, but you will have to marry me, as I told you yesterday, before you can have them."

"I cannot marry a fish," said the girl, "Don't be so silly; and what can a fish want with earrings? Come, give them to me, I want to find out the magic spell that is in them that I may find a rich and handsome husband."

"Marry me and I will help you to



all you wish for," said the fish.

"No, I will not," said the girl, "and if you do not give me my earrings, I will get some fisherman to catch you, and that will be the end of you. Oh! how could I have been so silly as to drop them into the water because a silly fish told me it would bring out the magic spell?"

"If you marry me, you will find the magic spell," said the fish.

"No; you may keep them," said *the girl. "I don't believe there is any* magic spell about them anyway, and I wish the Princess had her earrings back; I am sorry I stole them."

"I will give you one more chance," said the fish, "I will come again to-morrow; you may change your mind by that time. Remember that I hold the secret of the magic spell of the *Princess' stolen earrings, and, if you* wish to know it, you must marry me. There is no other way to learn it."

The fish swam away and out of sight as it finished speaking, and the girl got up from the bank and walked away, wringing her hands and weeping.

Tomorrow I will tell you the rest *of the story and how the peasant* helped the maid and the Princess out of their troubles.

Tomorrow's story—"The Princess' Earrings.—Part II.

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EXTRA SESSION BY JUNE 1 SURE

Senate Leaders Pave Way by Agreeing on Cloture.

WILL PREVENT FILIBUSTERING.

Bipartisan Pact on Limited Debate Rule Insures Adoption of Rule by Which Two-Thirds of Senate Can Halt Discussion—President to Issue Call For Extra Session Once Rule Is Adopted.

Washington, March 8.—Within a week, administration leaders say, a modified cloture rule will have been *adopted* by the senate and the way paved for a call by President Wilson for an extra session of the Sixty-fifth congress to act upon his armed neutrality bill.

A modified form of cloture has been agreed upon by both Democrats and Republicans in independent caucus.

The change in the senate rules was framed by a joint committee of the Democratic caucus and the Republican caucus and indorsed by both caucuses. The Democrats accepted the proposal unanimously, although some administration leaders urged a more drastic form of cloture. The Republican caucus voted (9) to 2 in favor of the cloture rule.

Expect Week of Debate.

"There will be some opposition to the cloture rule on the senate floor," said Senator Lewis of Illinois, whip of the Democratic organization, "but it will pass without a doubt."

It was stated that the leaders expected about a week of debate on the proposal and that it would be forced to a vote at the end of that time. If an effort is made to filibuster against the proposal the Democratic-Republican alliance is prepared to take drastic steps in parliamentary practice to halt the opposition.

The new rule as adopted by both caucuses, would allow two-thirds of the senate to limit debate on any pending measure. If the Democratic caucus Senator Hoke Smith tonight *has proposal to allow a majority of the* senate to fix the limitation, but was unsuccessful. There was some sentiment in the Republican caucus for majority cloture. The rule as adopted read:

That if at any time a motion signed by sixteen senators to bring to a close the debate upon any pending measure is presented to the senate, the presiding officer shall at once state the motion to the senate and one hour after the senate meets on the next calendar day but one thereafter he shall lay the motion before the senate and direct that the secretary call the roll and, upon the ascertainment that a quorum is present, the presiding officer shall, without debate, submit to the senate by an aye and nay vote the question as follows:

"Is it the sense of the senate that the debate shall be brought to a close?"

And if this question shall be decided in the affirmative by a two-thirds vote of those voting then said measure shall be the unfinished business to the exclusion of all other business until disposed of.

Thereafter no senator shall be entitled to speak on the motion or on the bill, the pending measure, the amendments thereto and motions affecting the same, and it shall be the duty of the presiding officer to keep the clerk of each senator who speaks. Except by unanimous consent no amendment shall be in order after the vote to bring the debate to a close unless the same has been presented and read prior to that time. No dilatory motion, dilatory amendment or amendment not germane shall be in order. Points of order, questions of consequence, relevancy and appeals from the decision of the presiding officer, shall be decided without debate.

Under this rule, after two-thirds of the senate vote to close debate, ninety-six hours of discussion will be allowed.

Walsh Hits at "Traitors."

The cloture proposal was discussed with the president by Senators Reed, Owen, Walsh, Swanson, Hoke Smith and James, Democratic members of the joint committee which framed the rule. The president indorsed the plan, and Senator Walsh of Montana was placed in the chair to conduct the proceedings.

Senator Walsh, when he returned from the White House, opened the rules fight by presenting a motion to adopt all of the rules of the last session except those which the cloture proposal will supplant. He made a speech which for vigorous language has seldom been equaled in the senate, in which he declared that a determined debate opened the way for "traitors" to bring disaster on the country.

"A genuine alarm pervades the country lest some enemy may in the near future attack us," he said. "Imagine the time at hand and the foe bearing down upon us, action—immediate action—by the congress is imperative. It *is scarcely conceivable that war should* be precipitated or be impending without an appeal from the president for some hurried action by congress.

"Such an appeal comes to this body. It finds ready response except from a small coterie of senators, who spell each other on the floor until the enemy thunders at the gates of our cities and the republic hears its death throes. They may be honest but misguided peace at any price men, who confuse

GREEK LETTER SOCIETY GUESTS OF MISS LEE

The Mu Eta Club spent an enjoyable evening on Monday as the guests of Miss Dorothy Lee, Grove street, North Plainfield. Following a brief business session the members spent the rest of the time in games and social conversation. Refreshments were served at the close.

Prohibition Leader Dead.

Collingswood, March 8.—George J. Haven, for forty years a leader in the prohibition movement in Camden county and for many years a plate glass paint manufacturer in Philadelphia, died from pneumonia at his home, 123 Linden avenue. He was seventy years old.

Taft's Nephew to Wed.

New York, March 8.—Mrs. Joseph A. O'Neill of 5th avenue, Pittsburgh, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marguerite Temple O'Neill, to William Howard Taft 2d, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waters Taft of this city and a nephew of ex-President Taft.

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GENERAL HUNTER LIGGETT.

Named Major General In Funston's Place.

Photo by American Press Association.

The name of General Liggett, now a brigadier and in command in the Philippines, has been sent to the senate by President Wilson. General Liggett is a Pennsylvanian, a West Pointer and has a fine army record.

to hope that the awful horror of armed conflict may be averted by further peaceful overtures.

Recalls Historic Incidents.

"Multitudes of sagacious men believed in 1861 that the south would not fight and others that the north would never resort to arms to preserve the Union. It is not inconceivable that the obstructionists—filibusters—may be actuated by traitorous sentiments. The Revolution had its Arnold. I trust I offend no sensibilities in referring to the fact that in 1861 ten or more members of this body were expelled for treason.

"A vice president of the United States who for four years presided over the senate was indicted and tried for treason, and a senator charged with *him for this capital offense escaped* expulsion by but one vote. The senate at that early day expelled one of its members for perfidious negotiations with the enemies of his country.

"What say you—can the senate make a rule under which it may be held at bay by treachery until a foreign foe shall have opportunity to cripple action? A rule for the senate the effect of which is to deprive it of the power under any circumstances of bringing debate to a close is void."

VILLA TAKES DURANGO.

Forces Also Reported to Have Won at Casas Grandes.

El Paso, Tex., March 8.—Villista troops have captured *Durango City* again, according to reports received here by federal agents. Systematic looting of the city is in progress. Villa is reported to have recovered from the wound in his leg and commanded the 1,300 men who entered Durango City.

Villa agents here claim that Villista troops were victorious in a thirty-six hour battle near Casas Grandes. The Chihuahua troops were in command of General Murguia. Women and children have begun to flee from Juarez following a demand for the surrender of the city by Villista troops.

FINED FOR KILLING WOMAN.

Albany Autoist Pays $500—Becomes Total Abstainer.

Albany, N. Y., March 8.—William Castle Herrick, accused of killing Mrs. Thomas Fazackerly on Oct. 28 last by running her down with his automobile, pleaded guilty to the indictment in the county court. Judge Addington imposed a fine of $500 upon Herrick, which was promptly paid.

The court then deprived Herrick of his citizenship and informed him that he could not have a new license to operate an automobile. Herrick, who was intoxicated at the time of the accident, told the court he had become a total abstainer and that reparation had been made to his victim's family.

ASSAIL O'GORMAN'S ACTION.

Woodrow Wilson League Says Ex-Senator Misrepresents State.

Albany, N. Y., March 8.—Former Senator O'Gorman was repudiated here by the members of the executive committee of the Woodrow Wilson league, a strong Democratic organization. The members charged that in failing to support President Wilson in the international crisis Mr. O'Gorman misrepresented the state and the Democratic party, which elected him.

The committee adopted resolutions urging the senators from New York to "support such amendments to the rules of the senate as will hereafter preclude a small minority from preventing legislation desired by the people."

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OPTIONAL MILITARY TRAINING BILL PASSED

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 8.—With 33 members voting affirmatively and 8 registering their disapproval, the House of Assembly yesterday afternoon passed the bill, introduced by Mr. Pierson, of Union county, providing a course of physical training in the public schools and an optional course of military training in the high schools for boys.

KENWORTHY GETS TAX BOARD JOB

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 8.—In the face of what is understood to have been bitter opposition from the Republican faction in Morris county to which Senator Harry W. Mutchler, of that county, is opposed, Governor Edge has sent to the State Senate for confirmation the name of Joseph Kenworthy, of Millington, to succeed Edward A. Quayle as a member of the County Board of Taxation of Morris county.

Milady and the New York Shops

To my mind, these are the best curtains for a summer home. They are simple and wash as easily as a linen handkerchief, and they are very durable, too. They come in many different figured designs, figuring in price from $1.75 up. Imagine getting a pair of curtains, from 2½ to 3 yards in length, for $1.75! I never knew before that one could get any sort of window length curtains there so cheap as that, and even some of these Spanish madras curtains were of the best materials.

There are, however, numbers of women who prefer their odd "stand-by" —imported Swiss muslins; and Altman's are showing a pleasing variety of different designs. There is a big demand, too, for scrim curtains, and Altman's sell them for as low as $1 a pair. The net and marquisette curtains are very inexpensive, too, and quite attractive.

But I know that you want to hear about Altman's novelty effects in curtains for summer wear. One pretty model was made of marquisette with a filet border, a faithful and scarcely detectable reproduction of the original. Very pretty, too, were their fine Brussel striped net curtains, in which style the stripes come in several sizes. Perhaps the daintiest of the lot were a pair of novelty curtains with a plain net foundation and a lace edging. While the point d'esprit was too alluring for words! Something unusual was Altman's embroidered net roulette curtains with a ruffle edge, or plain marquisette with embroidered ruffle.

"For a living room I can't imagine anything more suitable than a pair of Altman's colored Scotch madras. The backgrounds are either white or ivory, some having inset designs and some only with colored medallion borders. One model I particularly admired was ivory, with a hanging basket design. The color was furnished by the natural looking pink roses in the basket. For the dining-room, one might choose as a summer decoration a tan and green madras, which looked almost like tapestry.

"Specially designed by the head of the department were the Scenic net curtains with French designs, made in Switzerland.

"I know you wanted to hear about Altman's curtains, but I must tell you of their wonderful scrim door panels of French net with Marie Antoinette designs, and (of course this has nothing to do with my story) of their decorative work in making up real pieces of art for tablecloths, serving cloths, center pieces, pillows and the like by placing together selected pieces of real lace and hand embroidery. This department is one of the most wonderful in the entire store, and very few people know about it. All you have to do is to select your laces—wonderful laces, imported from across the seas—and they do the rest."

Milady Carryl

Summer Curtains and Some Are Not

"At Altman's, imagine!" Mrs. Jones exclaimed in surprise. "Of all places. I would not think of going to H. Altman & Co. for inexpensive curtains, and yet you tell me that you found such wonderful bargains in summer curtains there?"

"Bargains!" answered Mrs. Brown. "Well, I guess, I never saw such wonderful values in all my life. The question of summer curtains for a large country home is surely a big one and an expensive proposition on account of the number of windows. But I found that at this huge establishment one could clothe her home in summer garb in the best of materials for the least money. That curses me. I shall never go to a 'cheap' store for cheap goods, but shall rather look for good values at the best stores."

"Tell me about your visit to the curtain department at Altman's," requested Mrs. Jones, "and about the beautiful summer curtains you saw there."

And this is what Mrs. Brown told her friend:

"I was introduced to a gentleman in the curtain and lace department who had just returned from Europe, where he went expressly to buy stock for Altman's, and it was like being on a 'personally conducted' tour to have him show me his marvelous display of importations. There they were—that is, the samples—arranged artistically, so that one could view the entire assortment and then choose wisely!

"First of all, he showed me the Scotch madras, this year's importation.

GOVERNOR SIGNS MORGAN TAX BILL

Trenton, March 8.—The bill by Assemblyman Morgan, of Union county, repealing Section 1 of the supplement of 1915 to the unpaid tax act has just been signed by Governor Edge. The section repealed provides that if any purchaser of real estate at a sale of property for unpaid taxes shall fail to perfect his title within ten years, the property shall be free and clear from the lien and the certificate of sale shall be void. The purpose of the repealer is to make such certificates of sale good for twenty years.

The 1915 act would have become effective on April 8 this year, and as it was passed before its full effect was realized, it is now wiped off the statute books. It is claimed that loss of taxes would have resulted to cities had the Morgan act not been passed.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The monthly meeting of the Young People's Society of St. Peter's Lutheran church will be held tomorrow night in the Sunday school rooms.

MODEL FOR UNITED STATES.

Dr. Finley Says New York Now Leads in Preparedness.

Albany, N. Y., March 8.—John H. Finley, who as state commissioner of education is one of the heads of the Military Training Commission, has issued a statement, in which he says New York leads every state in the Union in preparedness measures.

Dr. Finley says the passage of the amendments to the Welch-Slater military bills of last year, which bring 225,000 boys between the ages of sixteen and nineteen under military training, will if signed by the governor give the United States a model upon which her general defensive training can be based.

Wants Cities to Seize Food.

Lansing, Mich., March 8.—Representative Arthur Wood of Detroit believes that municipalities should have power to seize fuel and food for the public. He has introduced a bill giving the mayor of a city, upon resolution of the council, the right to seize fuel and food held in storage.

KINDNESS TO STRANGER BRINGS $33,000 TO GIRL

Paterson, N. J., March 8.—Politeness was richly rewarded in the case of Miss Rose Champagne of 213 Hamilton avenue, Bloomfield, thought when three years ago she ran to help Mrs. Catherine Ward, an aged widow, of Detroit, who had slipped on the wet sand at Revere beach, Boston, that the kindly act would make her an heiress of $33,000.

Mrs. Ward died recently. Her will left her young friend $33,000 in trust, the income to be paid her from the date of Mrs. Ward's death and the principal to be turned over to her in three years if she were still single.

MAYOR ASSUMES RESPONSIBILITY

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lation, and in addition to imposing a fine the city may do the work and charge for it on the tax bills.

"In previous years the judge has been embarrassed in doing his part to back up the police, because the cases came before him on reports made by patrolmen during their night rounds, and owing to the fact that many houses are inaccurately numbered, or not at all, mistakes were frequent; and besides there was often a direct conflict of evidence between officer and defendant.

"This winter our plan has been for the Chief of Police to check all patrolmen's reports by a personal survey of the city the next day. He has been assisted by the Street Commissioner to connect violations with the right parties according to the city maps, and to avoid serving notice on non-residents, owning property here, who are registered with the Street Commissioner's office and pay for the service.

"By this means, except for an occasional mistake which the officials always stand ready to correct, the judge is furnished with ample proof to enforce the ordinance. As the purpose is not to acquire an income but to provide cleared walks for the public, the judge has announced a definite policy of one dollar for the first offense, two dollars for the second, and five dollars for each succeeding offense. In view of all the publicity given of the intention to enforce the ordinance, the judge will not suspend sentence for first offenses. He should be supported by all fair-minded citizens.

"We have been solicitous to make allowance for circumstances of peculiar hardship. While the law technically makes no distinction between those who violate it, officials who are charged with its enforcement may exercise a discretion justified by reason and fair-dealing. There is a difference between people of means who deliberately or carelessly ignore the municipal regulations and people who cannot afford to hire men to clean their walks and sometimes are unable to do the work themselves because of illness. It is right that allowance should be made in deserving cases, and that citizens should be first summoned whose only excuse is either open disregard of the law or indifference to it.

"The public safety, convenience and comfort call for a scrupulous compliance with this law. Property owners and tenants who observe the requirements are entitled in their use of the walks to have others equally observant.

"Perhaps irritation will give way to good nature if the matter is looked at philosophically; it is not an indignity to be fined for violation of a regulation of this sort, if unintentional or occasional. Nobody feels disgraced if fined for not attending a club meeting. Sometimes people elect to break rules and pay the price. Then, too, mistakes occur in the best regulated circles. The man regularly employed to shovel snow may fail to turn up, or the boy in the family whose job it is may forget.

"I visited in a home last summer where a ten-cent fine for adults and a penny fine for children was levied for every slang expression uttered at dinner. They were well trained not only in escaping fines themselves but in detecting violations. Visitors were not exempt, and I pretty nearly paid the price of an excellent dinner, although a guest. But near the end one little fellow first gave his mother a penny and then said, 'Gee! whiz. It's hard work.'

"Citizens, it would seem, have an opportunity to play the better part if instead of showing irritation they will step up and pay the fine cheerfully. If they feel like it they might occasionally thank the court for the gentle reminder."

High School Boys to Drill.

Asbury Park, March 8.—Three hundred boys in the Asbury Park High school have organized a military brigade and arranged with Captain Walter L. Auten of Company H, Third N. J. Infantry of this city, to use the armory once a week for drill. Captain Auten will assign a noncommissioned officer as drill master.

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HOME RULE FIGHT AGAIN IN HOUSE

Nationalists Withdraw After Heckling Premier.

Offers Self Government to Any Section That Wants It, but Refuses to Force Ulster—Irish Leader Praises President Wilson as Friend of Rights of Small Nations.

London, March 8.—The presentation by the Irish Nationalists in the house of commons of a resolution calling for the immediate application of the home rule statute to Ireland precipitated one of the most bitter sessions in months and threw the home rule question back into its old position of uncertainty.

The resolution forced the government into a declaration of policy toward self government—namely, that any part of Ireland that wished home rule could have it, but that no coercion would be employed to compel Ulster to accept. At the same time the proposal drew from the Ulsterites the ultimatum that they would not accept, which, coupled with the government's pronouncement, effectually pushed all hopes for a speedy settlement.

The Nationalists, headed by their leader, John Redmond, withdrew in a body from the house, and Mr. Lloyd-George was facing his first embarrassing situation since he assumed the premiership.

Call Premier "Turncoat."

For more than an hour before the Nationalists left the house the premier had faced a whirlwind of angry censures from the Nationalist quarter, which almost forced him to take his seat because he could not make himself heard. He was called "turncoat" on the home rule question, and one Nationalist exclaimed: "Hangman Carson! He is only fit to be a hangman, not first lord of the admiralty!"

The Nationalist resolution was introduced by T. P. O'Connor, who asserted that the manner in which the government had handled the Irish rebellion had transformed a friendly people into one filled with bitter hatred toward England. He pleaded that home rule should be put into operation immediately for the sake of Ireland and in the interests of England, the empire and its allies.

At the point in his address he paid tribute to the president of the United States, saying that President Wilson in his recent speeches and notes had shown the United States government recognized the rights of small nations and the principle of nationality.

Unionists Defiant.

Lord Lonsdale, speaking for the Unionists, threw a wrench into the machinery by declaring that Ulster wanted nothing to do with home rule of this sort.

Premier Lloyd-George followed with the pronouncement of the government and after stating that any part of Ireland that wanted home rule could have it suggested that a conference for the settlement of the differences between the Irish factions. One was a conference of Irishmen, and the other was the setting up of a commission of inquiry to report to the government and parliament. He offered an amendment to the Nationalist resolution to the effect that "this house would welcome any settlement which would produce a better understanding between Ireland and the people of the United Kingdom, but considers it impossible to impose by force on any section of Ireland a form of government which has not their consent."

Redmond Withdraws.

Redmond, Nationalist leader, declared he would have nothing to do with further negotiations. He and his followers, he said, had been fooled once before. After a brief speech he withdrew from the house with his adherents, and the Nationalists went into conference.

Another meeting of the Nationalists is called for today, and the deepest interest attaches to this, as there are many who still feel in view of the statements of the premier and Mr. Asquith concerning a possible settlement that any early opportunity should be taken to submit proposals in a more concrete form for the consideration of the parties concerned.

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IN FIELD OF SPORTS

BOUND BROOK WINS OVER SOMERVILLE

Two-Man Teams Did Some Great Work at Efinger's Alleys Last Night

Efinger's bowling alley galleries were not sufficient to entertain the fans of the indoor sport last evening who desired to witness the two-man team match bowling between Bound-Brook and Somerville. The galleries were crowded to their capacity, and they saw the Bound Brookers take eight of the eleven games rolled off according to the booking.

Snyder, of Bound Brook, struck the high water mark of the evening in his fifth tilt, chalking up a score of 253. This gentleman's average for his eleven games stood at 196, which was head and shoulders above the marks maintained by the other participants in the series.

The other ten games necessary to complete the series will be staged at Roller's alleys, Somerville, tomorrow evening, and it is expected that the galleries will again be taxed to standing room only.

Last evening's scores:

Bound Brook

P. Koechlein—143, 167, 171, 193, 192, 198, 194, 140, 157, 204, 189. Average, 176. Snyder—169, 208, 216, 186, 253, 213, 155, 182, 179, 182, 201. Average, 196.

Somerville

Roller—174, 157, 196, 188, 160, 133, 137, 162, 165, 162, 166. Average, 164. Mathews—189, 176, 178, 196, 169, 209, 189, 212, 150, 159, 165. Average, 181.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL WINS OVER ROSELLE PARKS

Using all sorts of talent in order to accomplish the trick, the Plainfield Grammar School lads just walloped the lives out of the Roselle Park Freshmen yesterday afternoon by the score of 29 to 11. The play during the course of the first period was fast and tight, the half concluding with the score standing 12 to 11 in favor of the Grammar School lads. The Roselle Park aggregation never had even the appearance of a chance to score a single point during the latter portion of the tilt.

PLAINFIELD G. S.	G.	F.	P.
Fuller, f	0	0	0
Chamberlain, f	0	0	0
D. Randolph, c	5	1	11
Hadley, g	0	0	0
Lambert, f	5	0	10
Brancati, f	3	0	6
Bowen, g	1	0	2
Edelman, g	0	0	0
McCusky, g	0	0	0
	14	1	29

ROSELLE PARK	G.	F.	P.
Stevens, f	0	0	0
Kitmeyer, f	1	0	2
Ebert, c	1	1	3
Humrich, g	2	0	4
Keller, g	1	0	2
Williams, g	0	0	0
	5	1	11

Score by periods:

Plainfield G. S.	12	17—29
Roselle Park	11	0—11

Referee, Starry.

EVERGREEN SECONDS WIN OVER WHITTIERS

The Evergreen Avenue School second string men succeeded in putting one across the Whittier School boys yesterday afternoon, although the score at the final whistle was close, 24 to 20. The contest was a spirited one, with both aggregations contributing a thrill or two to the controversy for points.

EVERGREEN SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Hunt, f	1	0	2
Martone, f	6	0	12
Knosko, c	0	0	0
Malcolm, g	4	0	8
Berse, g	0	0	0
Orieck, g	1	0	2
	12	0	24

WHITTIER SCHOOL	G.	F.	P.
Cartwright, f	2	0	4
Lambert, f	2	1	5
Kelso, c	3	0	16
Vanderhoef, g	0	0	0
Muldowney, g	0	1	1
	9	2	26

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UNION TEAMS WIN IN DOUBLE HEADER

Both First and Second String Men Take Tilts by Close Scores

The Union First, an aggregation of indoor players which struck the local courts about mid-season, managed to defeat the Employed Boys Brotherhood team of the Y. M. C. A. in a close contest at the high school gym last evening, with the score standing 28 to 24. When it comes to picking an individual star of either team or for the game as a whole the readers will have to pick their own star from the following score:

UNION FIVE	G.	F.	P.
Smith, f	5	0	10
Fawcett, f	2	0	4
Keating, c	5	0	10
Poling, g	2	0	4
Schlick, g	0	0	0
	14	0	28

EMPLOYED BOYS	G.	F.	P.
Burner, f	4	0	8
Conover, f	2	0	4
Compton, c	3	0	6
Walters, g	0	0	0
Miller, g	0	0	0
Singer, f	3	0	6
Chandler, g	0	0	0
	12	0	24

In the preliminary game the Union seconds defeated the Navy team of the High School League by but a single point, the final score standing 17 to 16. Chamberlain of the losers stood out as the star of the game, while all of the men of the Union seconds participated in the scoring end of the game.

The scores:

NAVY	G.	F.	P.
J. Fawcett, f	1	0	2
Enander, f	1	0	2
Chamberlain, c	4	0	8
Loiseaux, g	0	0	0
Hannigan, g	4	0	4
	8	0	16

UNION SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
J. Newell, f	1	0	2
Schlick, f	1	0	2
A. Smith, c	2	1	5
Connors, g	2	0	4
F. Newell, g	2	0	4
	8	1	17

A ONE-SIDED SCORE, THIS GAME'S RESULT

In a farcical contest the North Plainfield High School Seniors completely outplayed the girls' team of the class of 1920 on the Saengerbund Hall court yesterday afternoon, the final score being 24 to 2.

The ultimate winner was never in doubt after the whistle blew to start the game, as the graduating girls got a shot at will and came through with some great shots. Miss Shotwell made the lone two points for the Freshies on free throws from the foul line.

The score:

N. P. H. S. '17	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	7	0	14
Miss Chandler, f	5	0	10
Miss Smith, c	0	0	0
Miss Wyckoff, g	0	0	0
Miss Britting, g	0	0	0
	12	0	24

N. P. H. S. '20	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	0	0	0
Miss Shotwell, f	0	2	2
Miss R. McDonough, c	0	0	0
Miss Vail, g	0	0	0
Miss Pass, g	0	0	0
	0	2	2

Referee, Pasch; scorer, Lowrie; timer, Daley.

LOCAL GIRLS WIN AT WESTFIELD ALLEYS

The Columbian Bowling Club visited Westfield last night and captured three straight from the Westfield Social Club, winning all three by decisive scores.

Miss Alice McAfee registered high score and Mrs. H. S. Arnold won high average prize. There was a large crowd of rooters on hand, this being the first of a series of five games to be played.

The scores:

WESTFIELD SOCIAL CLUB				Ave
Mrs. Callahan	122	107	111	113
Miss Dittus	62			62
Miss Keppler	60			60
Miss N. Ortleb	112	115	125	117
Miss M. Ortleb	85	141	109	106
Miss Eller	70	74		72
Miss Gerry	51		69	80
	524	524	488	478

Total pins—1,426.

COLUMBIAN CLUB				Ave
Miss Doyle	88	128	135	117
Miss Harrington	77	71	84	84
Miss Schuck	98	91	103	104
Miss McAfee	146	105	122	124
Mrs. Arnold	116	145	136	132
	525	540	581	555

Total pins—1,666.

HOUSE TOURNEY IS GROWING TIGHT

T. A. B. S. Zoo Circuit Has Five Teams Fairly Well Bunched Near Top

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bears	13	8	887	.619
Bulls	12	9	959	.571
Lions	12	9	918	.571
Leopards	11	11	921	.542
Tigers	11	10	884	.524
Foxes	6	18	926	.250

The Leopards of the T. A. B. S. house tourney managed to take two of the three games last evening from the Foxes. May it be said that neither team showed the spirit of the type of animal they were supposed to be the namesakes, and for that reason the scores were somewhat loose. However, the leopards succeeded in breaking into the victory column again to sufficient extent that a few more of the same gait will put them nearer the top of the ladder than they are at the present time.

Mullin of the losers snowed the way through the blazed trail of individual endeavor, marking up an individual average of 173. Lawton of the winners was his nearest competitor in this respect, with a chalking of 165.1.

Friday evening is to be a big night in the tourney circuit, as the Lions and Bulls, at present tied for second place honors in the race, will clash.

The scores:

LEOPARDS				Ave
Smith	167	134	145	148
Hines	159	118	187	154
Gleason	167	135	126	149
Lyons	150	117	159	142
Lawton	169	169	158	165
	812	693	775	740

Total pins—2,280.

FOXES				Ave
Monahan	151	197	115	154
Markey	91	122	92	101
Lynch	136	159	153	149
McClinton	154	150	123	142
Mullin	166	195	158	173
	728	823	651	735

Total pins—2,207.

RECREATION FIVE WINS OVER ALUMNI PLAYERS

The Alumni Club five and the Recreation Five, both running under the auspices of the Recreation Committee, had it out last evening on the P. H. S. gym floor, with the Recreation aggregation securing a substantial victory by a score of 42 to 22. Kline, playing centre for the winners, put up an exceptionally good game, scoring 18 points for his team.

The Recreation Five is to meet the Y. M. C. A. at the latter's court Saturday evening.

Last night's score:

ALUMNI CLUB	G.	F.	P.
Kyle, f	5	3	13
Dunham, f	1	0	2
Wheelen, c	0	0	0
Gavett, g	0	0	0
Doane, g	3	0	6
Smith, g	1	0	2
	10	3	23

RECREATION FIVE	G.	F.	P.
Berse, f	6	0	12
Porter, f	4	0	8
Kline, c	8	2	18
Davidson, g	0	0	0
Debele, g	2	0	4
	20	2	42

WOW! RAMBLERS ARE BEATEN UNMERCIFULLY

The forecasted trimming of the Ramblers by Westfield last night on the Playhouse alleys, Westfield, did not go amiss, but the margin of victory was out of all proportion to that anticipated. It might be said that the same condition will continue to prevail in the Rambler ranks until Taylor et al. speed up their work and bowl real games, which they have demonstrated in previous series can be done.

As to the match the data is contained in the following scores:

RAMBLERS			
Dunn	154	141	135
Koechlein	122	129	115
Betzenberger	162	181	149
Taylor	152	167	130
Worrall	168	167	280
	758	705	729

WESTFIELD			
Keppler	181	170	157
Donnelly	167	172	189
Davenport	150	171	177
Hyslip	161	166	210
McMahon	219	178	225
	878	857	958

Ramblers vs. St. Josephs Tuesday

The next Rambler bowling match will be that with the St. Joseph's Club of North Plainfield next Tuesday night on Gates' alleys. Edward Hyslip will be in the local line-up that evening and also for the rest of the season.

ST. JOSEPH'S CLUB IS NOW PLANNING AHEAD

The St. Joseph's Club held a regular meeting last night in the parish hall for the coming bazaar of St. Joseph's church, in which the young men will take an active part, were discussed. The Saints plan to have special features every night of the bazaar week at their own booth and will run off many prizes.

After the meeting the baseball candidates were put through a short drill by Earl Moran. Eddie Haberman has been signed to play ball for the borough team and was present at the work-out last night.

The bowling team is still busy and would like to hear from teams of the City League, as well as other aggregations of this vicinity. George Gates is caring for the bookings of the club.

An effort has been made to sign up Eddie Stallings, the well-known diamond citizen he may consent.

An important meeting of the club will be held next Monday night, at which all members of the club are urged to attend.

HOBLITZEL SIGNS

Boston, March 8.—The signed contract of Richard C. Hoblitzel, first baseman of the world's champion Boston Americans, was received yesterday. Hoblitzel, who received $5,600 last year, was dissatisfied with a cut of $690 in this year's terms. He signed at $5,000. Hoopes, Lewis, Leonard, Foster, Mays and Greg are still unsigned.

ATHENIANS WOULD LIKE TO MEET TAB OUTFIT

The Athenians, Plainfield's representative colored basketball aggregation, is anxious to arrange a game with St. Mary's T. A. B. Society, but have been somewhat disappointed in arranging the details. A communication to this effect was received by the sporting editor this morning, signed by Jackson Hedgman and John R. Slater, managers of the Athenians. It appears that the Athenians have a guarantee desired by the Tabs held up all prospects of such a tilt.

The Athenian management cannot see it's way clear to put up a $25 guarantee for a tilt at the high school gym, but the managers still claim they would like to meet the Tabs, as well as the Hope Chapel and Y. M. C. A. aggregations.

LADS AND LASSIES IN A BURLESQUE MATCH

The annual basketball game between the girls' team and the boys' varsity team of the North Plainfield High School will be staged on the Saengerbund Hall court Saturday evening. The entire game will be played according to girls' rules and the male contenders will be obliged to don middy blouses and skirts around the floor in potato sacks.

Tickets for the game are now on sale, and accommodations for a big crowd have been arranged for by the management. Stands and bleachers have been provided in Saengerbund Hall, and those wishing to see the "best game of the year" should get their tickets at once, as the number is limited.

A five-piece orchestra will furnish music for dancing after the game.

Here's One of the Ways Malicious Lies were Circulated about CAMEL Cigarettes

In an effort to injure the wonderful sale of CAMEL cigarettes, many unprincipled schemes have been resorted to. The following is one of many ways such lies have been put into circulation.

An individual liar would approach a group of men, produce a newspaper, published in a distant city, and apparently become interested in reading. Suddenly he would exclaim, "What do you think of this?" He would then pretend to read an article about CAMEL cigarettes. In reality, the paper contained no such statement. The individual would at once walk away, carrying the paper with him. A newspaper from a distant city was always used in an effort to cover the tracks of the liar.

Would anyone voluntarily do this kind of unprincipled work? They must have been paid by someone to do it, and all of them should be exposed. An honest man will not knowingly work under the direction of a crooked superior, nor will an honest superior knowingly tolerate a crooked employee. However, some salesmen have told the trade that they had in their possession a newspaper containing a damaging article about CAMEL cigarettes. This was a malicious falsehood, as they had no such newspaper, and when asked to produce it, they were unable to do so.

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

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SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

Boston—Percy D. Haughton, president of the Boston Braves, yesterday received "Rabbit" Maranville's signed contract. Maranville will probably start for Miami next Monday.

St. Louis—Benjamin G. Brinkman, a local banker, has been elected president of the St. Louis Nationals. He will take care of the stock offering which will be made to the local fans.

Chicago—President Ban Johnson, a firm believer in preparedness, has offered $500 in gold to the best drilled team in the American League and $100 in gold to the sergeant who drills the winner.

Miami, Fla.—Yesterday Manager Stallings sent the Braves through the last practice session before the regular work-outs begin. The first of these battles start this afternoon.

Terre Haute—Pitcher Mordecai Brown, once the star pitcher of the famous Cub machine, has joined the Columbus American Association team, of which Joe Tinker is the leader.

Augusta, Ga.—Outfielder Sam Rice joined the Senators yesterday morning. The Milan brothers, Clyde and Horace, came in Tuesday night. The squad is now completed. Manager Griffith announced he will push the players to the limit from now on.

Hot Springs, Ark.—Pitcher Foster has accepted the terms of the Boston Red Sox and left his home in Bokoshe, Okla., yesterday for the training camp here. Barry said that the falling into line of Foster makes him feel that his twirlers will lead the team to another championship.

Hot Springs, Ark.—President Charles H. Ebbets, Manager Robinson, Gus Getz and Louis Malone, of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club, arrived here yesterday. On the same train were Jack Pfeffer, "Buck" Wheat and Casey Stengel, who are holding out.

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RIFLE CLUB MEN ARE GETTING BUSY

Indoor Range Practice Wednesdays and Saturdays Proving Quite Popular

Renewed interest in rifle practice under the auspices of the Plainfield Rifle Club has been manifested to a considerable degree since its inauguration a week or two ago. Many members of the club have taken advantage of the practice hours Wednesday nights and Saturday afternoons and evenings and it is expected that a capacity number of those who can be accommodated at the indoor range at Company K armory, which is being used by the club members, will be reached shortly.

A meeting of the club will be held at the armory tomorrow evening, at which time it is expected definite action will be taken on the matter of an outdoor range to be used during the coming summer months. A committee headed by Dr. C. W. Leonard, which has been looking over prospective sites, will make a full report at this meeting. Practice will follow the formal session. Captain Thomas of the Westfield Rifle Club is instructing on the Krag rifle.

The indoor rifle practice of the club members will be continued indefinitely and is open to the entire membership of the organization. Special attention will be given to beginners. The club is still in a position to receive a number of additional applications for membership, which may be presented at the meeting tomorrow evening.

NEW BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL HERE TOMORROW

The North Plainfield High School feminine quintet will entertain the "Tickiah" New Brunswick High School maidens on the Saengerbund Hall court tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Judging from the publicity these two fives received after the 17 to 7 victory of the N. P. H. S. girls last week at New Brunswick the game ought to be interesting.

JERSEY CITY TEAM HERE

An aggregation of basketball players hailing from Jersey City, composed of former stars of the various high schools of that place, is booked to appear against St. Mary's T. A. B. Society team on the local court tomorrow evening. The visiting team *has an enviable record for this season* and the fans can rest assured of a first-class exhibition of the indoor sport.

WARDLAW NOTES

The students at the Wardlaw *School* are now looking forward to the organization of a baseball aggregation, the first to play under the school's new name. A number of candidates were out for the various positions at the indoor practices already held. Mr. Bartshorne will act as coach for the aggregation. It is expected that Crescent Oval will be used in staging the home games.

Mr. Wardlaw, principal of the school, has selected the following students to care for the editing of the year book: Business manager, Albert Penn; upper class editor, A. Hawthorne; athletic editor, Alexander Milne; lower class editor, Harold Gillespie; comic editor, E. Jeffcott.

Six of the school's most prominent and best equipped athletes will be entered in the Penn State relay races to be held in Philadelphia some time in May. The team will shortly start its preparation for the meet.

An informal dance will be held under the auspices of the two upper classes Friday evening, March 30. The affair will be held in the school gym, which will be elaborately decorated with the national colors.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

The First Aid Class will hold its second session tomorrow night in Vincent Chapel, this city.

Dr. Howard E. Winters, a veterinary surgeon, this city, has been reappointed a member of the State Board of Health.

The remains of an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hansard Schierenbeck, of Westfield, were brought to St. Mary's cemetery this afternoon for interment.

The tea and grocery route of the Grand Union Tea Company, this city, operated by F. J. Perrot, of Perrot, has been sold to William J. Quick, who formerly conducted a delicatessen business in Somerville.

McILERY PLEADS GUILTY

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, *March 8.*—John McIlery pleaded guilty to an indictment for breaking, entering and larceny in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday afternoon before Judge Conselyea. He will be sentenced on March 16. The crime was committed in Plainfield.

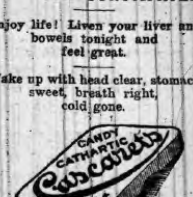
"COUNT ON ME'S" SOCIAL

The "Count on Me's" of Trinity Reformed church will hold the next social tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Lester Hamilner, 712 East *Second street. A short business ses*sion will take place before the social. All members are requested to attend.

DON'T BE BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK OR CONSTIPATED

Enjoy life! Liven your liver and bowels tonight and feel great.

Wake up with head clear, stomach sweet, breath right, cold gone.



Take one or two Cascarets tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand, your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath sweet, stomach regulated and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store now and get straightened up by morning. Stop the headache, biliousness, bad colds and bad days. Feel fit and ready for work or play. Cascarets do not gripe, sicken or inconvenience you the next day like salts, pills or calomel. They're fine!

Mothers should give a whole Cascaret anytime to cross, sick, bilious *or feverish* children and know they will act thoroughly and can not injure. —Adv.

P. H. S. NOTES

A meeting of the Oracle Contributors' Club will be held on March 3, Friday, in the afternoon.

The ushers who will be on duty this evening at the New York Symphony Orchestra concert in the high school auditorium will be as follows: Tickets, Horace E. Bunker and Caryl C. Dunavan. Door: Sheldon Condray and Mac Fullerton. Balcony: Howard Stelle, Harold Condict, John Calusebrook and Irving Manley, Russell Tomlinson and Louis Starkweather. Orchestra: Charles T. Todd, Leonard Lewis, Clinton Berrien, August Franke, Wallace Zimmerman, Rufus Searles, Monroe O'Donnell and S. Wright McAneny, Jr., chief, Louis Zeek.

Elections for the 1917-1918 *Oracle* Board are now in order. Nominees from each class have been selected as well as nominees for business manager. Elections will be held next Wednesday morning during assembly period. Tomorrow morning at chapel exercises anyone who chooses to, will be given the opportunity to give a campaign talk for the candidate, who in his or her opinion has the best literary and executive ability. The Junior nominees are the Misses Gora Bender, Constance Durrant, Margaret Hansen, Grace Fund. Also Mac Fullerton, Harold Lolzeaux, Monroe O'Donnell, Howard Stelle and Howard Bloomfield. Sophomores, Misses Ruth Buxton, Katherine Holt, Adele Krooks, Camelia Lyle, Dorothy Roberts, also Morris Stites, Chester Sours, Fred Rees, George Hipp and George Eick. Freshmen: The Misses Dorothy Byles, Katherine Wernig, Olive Hooper, Esther Loiseaux and Janet Marchant. Also Ranger Tyler, Neilson Sutton and Jerome Leary. Business Manager, Juan Babcock. Harold Condict and Romeyn Voorhees.

A meeting of the Omega Literary Society will be held next Monday, March 12, in the auditorium at 2 o'clock. The following program has been made out: Orations, by Clifford Tildon, Irving Manley and Jack Schoelle. Debate on the following question: "Resolved, That taxation of land values only forms the proper basis of taxation for the purpose of local government in the United States." The affirmative team will consist of Miss Irene Moy, Miss Ruth Pratt and Kenneth Lincoln. Negative: Miss Beatrice Pierson, Pete McDonough and M. Reidy.

MORE TIRED BOROUGH CITIZENS IN COURT

Another batch of borough citizens, nine in number, were arraigned before Recorder Hand in court today for neglecting to shovel their paths in front of their premises. Like yesterday's cases, they were all fined $1, which was paid. One man protested and he was informed if he did not pay the fine he would be locked up. He paid.

POSTPONES TALK AT WATCHUNG AVE. CHURCH

Mrs. Mary Davis, who was to address the Missionary and Aid Society of the Watchung Avenue church on March 16, on the subject of "The Pineys," has postponed her talk until some time next month. Nevertheless the meeting of the society will be held on the afternoon of that date and the members are requested to bear this date in mind.

SUNSHINE CIRCLE

Class 6 of Trinity Reformed church held a business meeting at the home of the teacher, Mrs. A. B. Cole, *Tuesday evening.* The class was organized and called "The Sunshine Circle." The following officers were elected: President, Alma Allegar; vice-president, Hazel Crevelin; secretary, Alice Voorhees; treasurer, Edith Kirkner.

After the business meeting, games, music and singing were enjoyed. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PARK AVE. BAPTIST

Departments Show Balances in Treasuries and Officers Are Re-elected

The annual business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, was held last evening in the lecture room, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Birney S. Hudson presiding. The attendance was large and filled the *lecture room.*

The following is an abstract of the reports of the departments:

There has been a net increase of membership during the year, to date, and the total membership is now 553. The benevolences are $487.

The Bible School has 300 pupils, 38 officers and twenty-six teachers. The average attendance, except during the infantile paralysis period, has been about 200. The amount contributed was $356, and the benevolences were $126.

The Young People's Society has grown greatly and now numbers ninety members. The disbursements have been $167 and there is a balance in the treasury. The society is planning important outside work.

There was a most encouraging report from the Women's Missionary Society, showing the excellent work that body has done for both home and foreign fields. The treasurer's report showed receipts of $446 and a balance of $78.

The Ladies' Aid Society has gained eleven new members. The receipts have been $333 and the balance in the treasury is $131.

The branches of the World Wide Guild, Nos. 452 and 1274, show increasing memberships and balances in their treasuries.

The Junior C. E. Society has 32 members on the roll and like all departments of this church, a balance in the treasury.

The following officers were re-elected: Deacons, for two years, Isaac H. Giles, Louis A. Schofield, Charles R. Vincent; treasurer of Benevolent Fund, Charles E. Hellyer; clerk of church, William F. Doane.

Two candidates for admission to church membership after baptism were presented and they will be baptized shortly.

SLIGHT GARAGE FIRE SUMMONS BORO' FIREMEN

A gasoline fire broke out at 10:55 o'clock this morning while the employés of the garage at 108 Somerset street were using a vulcanizer. Lafayette Rosenstiehl, who conducts a barber shop opposite the garage, happened to glance across the street and observed the flames fast making headway. He gave the alarm and the borough fire department quickly responded. By the time the department reached the scene the fire had been extinguished, but considerably scorching the woodwork on the interior of the building.

POLICE ASKED TO LOOK FOR HARTFORD GIRL

The local police have been asked by the police of Hartford, Conn., to look for Anna Lemenski, a Polish girl, 22 years old, who disappeared from that city last Sunday. It is thought that possibly she may have come here. She is described as weighing 150 pounds, dark hair and eyes and rather light complexion.

LENTEN SERVICES AT HOLY CROSS

Last evening the Rev. Clarence Silvester, of Somerville, was the Lenten preacher at the Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield. At 4:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon there will be special Lenten service for the young people, at which the adults are also invited.

MEETING OF BRIGHTSIDE CIRCLE

The Brightside Circle of The King's Daughters met yesterday afternoon and sewed for a poor family. The devotional service was led by Mrs. Daniel Clawson. During the meeting Mrs. Frank W. Jones read from "The Silver Cross."

BAPTISM TONIGHT AT CALVARY CHURCH

The Rev. D. Y. Campbell will administer the ordinance of baptism in the Calvary Baptist church tomorrow evening at 8.30 o'clock. The Rev. E. D. Crawley, of Asbury Park, will preach and the choir will render suitable music.

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N. P. H. S. NOTES

The Junior Class girls' team have received some very pretty ties made up of the class colors of yellow and purple for their work on the basketball court. Those who are now the *proud owners of the ties are the* following: the Misses Marjory Barry, Adele Demerest, Clara Cary, Mildred Weiss, Emily Pilger, Selena Cornwall and Mary Clark.

Principal Albert Carley gave an interesting talk on Class day after the chapel exercises this morning. Mr. Earley is well versed on this subject, having visited a number of glass factories of South Jersey recently.

The chemistry classes were visitors at the experiment station of the local Board of Health yesterday. The students witnessed a test on milk conducted by the health officer.

John Doughty of the Senior class delivered a recitation in class after the chapel exercises this morning.

Girls vs. Boys—This game will be played Saturday night in Saengerbund hall. Get your tickets now before it is too late and see the fun. The boys will wear sacks and middy blouses, and the play will be according to girls' rules. Tickets may be secured from any member of either team, and bleachers and stands have been erected to accommodate the large crowd.

GRAYSON WILL WIN.

Senate to Yield on Appointment as Admiral.

Washington, March 8. President Wilson will have his way and Cary T. Grayson, the president's physician and golf companion, will be promoted to a rear admiral as medical director of the navy.

The senate leaders have decided that they cannot afford to block the commission, whether the rules of the senate be changed or not. The Republicans will vote against confirmation to a man. It is expected that the Grayson nomination will come up soon after the senate gets properly organized and revises its rules and that after formal protests the nomination will be voted upon.

DENIES FORCING CHINA.

Japanese Envoy Calls Ultimatum to Jap's Allies Falsehood.

Washington, March 8.—Ambassador Sato of Japan today branded as equivocally false statements in newspapers that Japan had ordered the republic of China to abandon its neutrality and join forces with the entente allies against the Teutonic empires, Turkey and Bulgaria.

The ambassador refused to issue a formal statement, saying that such action on his part would give a dignity to the story which was altogether undue. "But I will personally deny it equivocally," he said.

JUNKMAN TOOK GOOD MATTRESS

A junkman who went through East Front street yesterday afternoon stopped at the home of Mrs. Nat Bernstein and bought an old mattress from a boy. Soon after the junkman had left Mrs. Bernstein discovered that a good mattress had been taken with the old one. She notified the police, but was unable to give a description of the junkman or his wagon, consequently the police could not act.

LOCAL POCAHONTAS VISIT NEW BRUNSWICK

Past Chief Pocahontas Mrs. C. L. Holstein, of this city, with a delegation of members of Iona Council, No. 14, D. of P., made a fraternal visit last night to the New Brunswick lodge. The local members had the pleasure of meeting the board of great chiefs of the order, and a very enjoyable evening was spent with the Middlesex county Pocahontas.

MARTINE SIGNED MANIFESTO

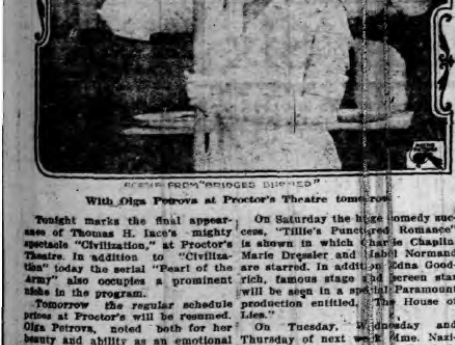
Former United States Senator James E. Martine, it is reported, was one of the signers of the manifesto setting forth that the Senate in the main was for the armed neutrality bill and was prevented by the minority from passing it. In the list made public Sunday Martine's name did not appear and he was erroneously reported as not having signed the manifesto when, as a matter of fact, his name was among the signers.

TEMPLE SHOLEM SERVICE

There will be a special service in Temple Sholom tomorrow night when the members of the Y. W. H. A. will attend in a body. Dr. Friedlander will deliver the address. All are invited.

The children of the Temple Sholem Sunday school will hold their Purim services on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

LAST OF "CIVILIZATION" AT PROCTOR'S TONIGHT



With Olga Petrova at Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

Tonight marks the final appearance of Thomas H. Ince's mighty spectacle "Civilization," at Proctor's Theatre. In addition to "Civilization" today the serial "Peart of the Army" also occupies a prominent niche in the program.

Tomorrow the regular schedule prices at Proctor's will be resumed. Olga Petrova, noted both for her beauty and ability as an emotional star will be seen in "Bridges Burned," and a comedy drama entitled "The Reward of Patience" in which Louise Huff is the featured player.

On Saturday the huge comedy success, "Tillie's Punctured Romance" is shown in which Charlie Chaplin, Marie Dressler and Mabel Normand are starred. In addition Edna Goodrich, famous stage star, between star will be seen in a special Paramount production entitled, "The House of Lies."

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week Nazimova will be presented at Proctor's in the stage success, "Other Brides," in eight reels, which scored a tremendous triumph at the Broadway Theatre, New York City.

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The towering beauties of Yosemite National Park will also be revealed in a delightful ride over winding trails, right through giant sequoias and past tremendous precipices over which crystal rivers tumble and swirl, and leap from cliff to cliff until they become great clouds of snowy whiteness.

Numerous other features will be presented as well as a series of those clever animated cartoons that contribute so much to the merriment of the program throughout.

"LONDON BELLES" WILL BE HERE MONDAY

Next Monday, March 12, at the Plainfield Theatre, comes the ever-popular Rose Sydell's famous London Belles full of fun and many musical ensembles introduced by two-score of handsome show girls in the richest of gowns, together with a lot of dancing "ponies" in the best burlesque show of this season. The two-act musical burlesque entitled "A Trip to Washington" serves to introduce Johnnie Weber in the title role assisted by William Campbell and the following cast: Frances Cornell, Ward Caulfield, Grace Tremont, Ed. Wright, Harry Walljen, Lew Thall, Wm. Smith, Miss Pullman.

The closing burlesque is full of fun and is a fitting final to a meritorious entertainment. The costumes are from the latest designs furnished by Parisian modistes. The electrical and scenic effects are the finest in stage craft.

Smith and Pullman, with the "London Belles," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

CIVIL SERVICE FOR ALL POSTMASTERS

President Said to Plan to Extend Rules.

Washington, March 7.—Members of the house said that Postmaster General Burleson had told them that the president had decided to put all first, second and third class postmasters under the civil service by executive order to become effective on April 1. The fourth class postmasters were put under civil service by President Taft, so that if this decision stands all postmasters hereafter will be appointed after competitive examinations instead of by political preferment.

The change will be almost revolutionary in its effect upon local political machines throughout the country. And, as explained by the postmaster general, the effect will be felt speedily, for the president's plan is not to include present incumbents, but to have examinations for each office as the terms of incumbents expire. Congressmen said they doubted if a tenth of the postmasters could pass the civil service examinations and that the effect of the order would be an immediate downfall of political forces throughout the country.

Congressmen discussing the matter *today are plainly disturbed at the ef*fect of the executive order on their political supporters. The postmasters here before have been regarded as the local political leaders of the party in power, or at least as the local workers. In a particular sense they were supposed to be workers for the congressman that procured their appointments. In congressional minds that is where the shoe pinches.

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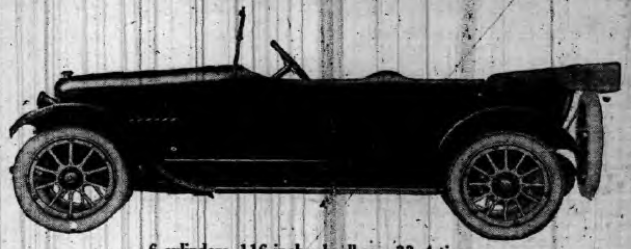

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The hold that music of a high order has on Plainfield is proverbial, but was no more surely attested than by last night's concert, for the audience was not confined to music lovers familiar with the great productions of the metropolitan stage, for it included not only them, but those whose ear is just as keen, and whose opportunities for hearing something unusual have been restricted to the local field.

The orchestra of sixty-five pieces played as one man a two-part program of nine numbers, all from the greater composers and some from the greatest. It was the one opportunity that Plainfield music lovers hearing this noted aggregation of players, for next week they leave for a tour to the Western coast for the season.

Each number was greeted with the heartiest appreciation, and it was difficult to determine which the su-

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LYMAN HIBBARD IN AMBULANCE CORPS

Local Man in Active Service on French Battle Front, Letter States

Henry D. Hibbard, of 144 East Seventh street, has received the following letter from A. Platt Andrews, head of the American Ambulance Corps in France, which Mr. Hibbard's son Lyman recently joined:

"I want to send you just a line in acknowledgment of the pleasant note which you sent with your nephew, Lyman Hibbard, and also in appreciation of your having helped to send him to us. I saw him this week in the little village of Dombasle, near Verdun, where his section is located. His car has already been pierced by several pieces of shell and he has evidently shown qualities of courage and pluck, which have won for him the respect and liking of the older men of the section.

"The boys were living in a little village in which there is scarcely a roof or a wall intact, a very unpromising habitation in the frightful cold through which France has been passing the past month. They had covered the second floor of a ruined house with tar paper and tacked up boards and blankets over what were once windows, and in a large old fireplace they had built the other night a roaring fire of pieces of bedsteads, chairs, armoires and beams from neighboring houses, and before this the fellows were gathered while an orchestra with violin, guitar, ukulele and mandolin (the latter played by Lyman) went through a long repertoire of American songs.

"It was a picture that appealed to one's imagination, this group of American youths, some from the University of Virginia, some from Harvard, some from Princeton, some from other universities, gathered in the ruins of a house in France and singing and playing American songs while the French and German guns rumbled outside."

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23d Chapter on Early Settlers in This Vicinity from Date of Land Purchase

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This Article, Written by O. B. Leonard, of This City, Continues Line of the Laing Family

This is the twenty-third article on the early settlers in Plainfield, written by Oliver B. Leonard, of this city. The earlier chapters were published on the twenty-two preceding Fridays:

1714—David Laing (of John, Jr.,) and Mary.

ABRAM LAING (of David and Mary) was born 1758, married 1790 Susannah Thorn and had the following children: Henry Laing, born 1791, married Martin Cutter; Webster Laing, born 1793, married Margaret Noe, and had Catherine, Mary, Augustus, Eden, Susan, William, Edgar; Emma, Noe; Susannah Laing, born 1796, married Daniel Osborn; Rebecca Laing, born 1797; Edith Laing, born 1799, married William Moore; Isaac Laing, born 1800, married Lockey Manning; Jerusha Laing, born 1802; Phebe Laing, born 1804, married Mr. Hutman Abraham Laing, born 1807, married Mrs. Jones.

ISAAC LAING (of David and Mary), born 1759, married 1782 Grace Moore or Webster, and had children—Edward Fed Miriam, born 1784; James, born 1787, married 1811 Betsy Webster, and had Mary, born 1815, who married Cyrus Isaac; born 1817, who married Mary Harned, and Edward, born 1822, who married Sarah Ramsey and Mrs.

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REPEATS STORY OF VISIT TO THE CITY

Wax Declares He and Rae Tanzer Were Here as "Oliver Osborne and Wife"

Further testimony was given yesterday in the second trial of Rae Tanzer for perjury in swearing that James W. Osborne was the man who accompanied her to this city, and promised to marry her. Frederick H. Wax, self-styled "Oliver Osborne," occupied the stand most of the day, and repeated his story, told at the trial of Franklin D. Sadler, former clerk at the hotel, of having taken Rae Tanzer to this city, and registered with her as "Oliver Osborne and wife, New York."

The defendant himself swept as he smilingly told his version of their alleged relations. Several letters alleged to have passed between the couple were read in court, and Wax was requested to give samples of his writing. James W. Osborne, who was in court, was called upon by Prosecutor Rand to write similar sentences to prove the character of the handwriting of each before the jury. Lewis T. Chanler, counsel for Miss Tanzer, objected and Mr. Osborne was neither allowed to write nor remain in the room while Wax was writing.

On cross-examination by Mr. Chanler, Wax admitted that he had been convicted of forgery. Then followed a lively battle of arguments between counsel. Wax insisted upon gazing at Miss Tanzer steadily, that the court, following objections raised by Mr. Chanler, told him that if he persisted he would be punished.

Henry Hartman, Christian Christiansen and Miss Anna Hall, all of New York, were called as witnesses and testified to seeing Miss Tanzer meet a man at Columbus Circle, whom they identified as Wax.

JOHN CORCORAN DIES IN BAYONNE

John Corcoran, who at one time resided in the west end of the city but left for Bayonne about twelve years ago, died on Wednesday night in that city. The funeral will be held in Bayonne tomorrow and the interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city. Mr. Corcoran was thirty-nine years of age.

—Second-hand cars bought. We want to buy several used cars. Laing Auto Co.—Adv. 3-8-3t

—Don't miss the auction sale at the Leader Store, Saturday, 10 a. m. —Adv.

Y. M. H. A. WILL MEET TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:15 there will be a meeting of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Building Campaign Committee, at the home of Samuel H. Schwartz, at 1129 West Front street. In talking to a reporter this morning Mr. Schwartz said:

"I am earnestly and sincerely interested in this campaign.

"The young Jewish men of Plainfield certainly deserve a home where they may congregate in a wholesome and clean atmosphere under the guidance of the older men, and where they may receive a training, which, under present circumstances, is not well within their reach. I am very enthusiastic about the providing of the quarters for the Jewish children so that they may receive their training in Hebrew history, language and traditions, supplemental to the public school training, which is so excellent in Plainfield."

The members of the Association are enthusiastic over Mr. Schwartz's help.

FORMAL OPENING OF STATE TRUST COMPANY BUILDING TOMORROW

Tomorrow, from two in the afternoon until ten o'clock in the evening, The State Trust Company will throw open its new banking house for the inspection of the public, and few will be prepared for the surprise that awaits them.

The building, as fine as it is exteriorly, is surpassed in its interior finish and equipment, and the public, we are sure, will not fail to appreciate the efforts that this institution has put forth to provide the community with a banking house of the most modern type. A great deal of taste has been displayed in selecting *the interior marble work and finish.* Botticino, a new Italian marble, buff in color, has been utilized for the counter screens, while Tennessee another Italian marble, harmonizing in color with the counter screens, has been used for the floor. Using this buff marble as the keynote, the decorations of the bank have been carried out in colors that harmonize completely, the only contrast being the mahogany cabinet work.

The company's round door Manganese steel vault, a product of Plainfield manufacture, has been installed at the rear of the public space, and is separated only by a large sheet of plate glass, so that upon entering the *building* the vault stands out in all its perfection.

In equipment, every detail has been carefully worked out. The company boasts a directors' room nearly forty feet in length; a fine gallery flanks the rear of the banking room, providing for future growth, clerks' locker rooms and lunch room, and, in addition, a fine large customers' examination room, opening from which are large new silver storage vaults. A pneumatic tube carrier has been provided to convey checks direct from the women's teller on the left hand side of the public space, to the bookkeepers, on the opposite side; an attachment *is to be installed,* which will make it possible for this teller to communicate with any of the bookkeepers.

Last, but not least, the women's reception room must be described, and this is a real feature of this splendid new banking room. The reception room is a picture; a perfect piece of Georgian decoration in style, beauty and usefulness; a room where a woman may stop and enjoy a half hour. Quiet is preserved by glass doors that separate this room from the main banking room. These doors are hung with substantial portieres of cloth curtains, and are closed softly after each person enters, by a self-closing device. An old Napoleon *printed chintz frames* the windows and shelters the exquisite dressing tables, which are hung in purple taffeta silk; over them are oval mirrors framed in silk to match. The tables are appointed with hand mirrors, powder boxes, and trays of old ivory; in fact, all the little accessories so delightful to a woman's comfort are provided. The Georgian and French styles are so nearly mated in finest detail that in this room they seem to meet in perfection. With all its fineness, the room is simple in effect, each piece of furniture and ornament having its particular place and use. The room is typical of Miss Edith Van Boskerck's ability of combining art with usefulness and fitness.

The public, generally, is cordially invited to be present tomorrow afternoon and evening, at which time an appropriate souvenir of the occasion will be distributed. At night, the building will be brightly illuminated; the indirect lighting employed will show the banking room at its best.

Above the banking room the company has provided ten large light offices for rent; here, tenants have janitor service, light, heat, and the convenience of an automatic electric elevator, the entrance to these offices being at the rear of the building on North avenue. The office floor will also be illuminated and open for inspection tomorrow evening.

SAYS GERMANY IS PERFIDIOUS

Miss Richards Points Out Relations Were Not Broken When Letter Was Found

SCORES ZIMMERMANN

Rakes Filibustering Methods and Explains Methods. Also Explains System of Closure

Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., commenced her "Talk on Current Events" in the Hartridge auditorium yesterday afternoon with a reference to the horrible condition of New Jersey prisons and urging her audience to take up with the State Legislature the matter of action on the prison appropriation and the continuance of the special commission, saying that the measures were in danger because the good people of this State, like those of other States, are unorganized while the bad people are always organized. In New York State, she added, under the magnificent leadership of Osborne, the political influences are being withdrawn.

Taking up the events of the last two weeks, the speaker reminded her audience that on February 26 Mr. Wilson asked Congress to arm the American merchantmen, now tied up because of the submarine menace, so that they might be released, and he asked for authority to use such other instrumentalities as might be *necessary in order to safeguard* this country. The latter clause was felt by many to be a blanket authority. The individuals of the United States navy, said Miss Richards, have proved themselves marksmen than whom there are none better or, indeed, equal in the world, but the trouble is that this country has not enough of these by many thousands.

Concerning the Zimmermann note, Miss Richards remarked that there were those who thought that Mr. Wilson had launched it and the details

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MR. M'VOY NOT ELIGIBLE FOR PENSION

There is a lot of loose talk on the part of superficially advised persons about the attitude of the Board of Health in retiring William Addis, Sr., on a pension after having served twenty years, and attained the age of seventy years, and appointing as his successor Isaiah McVoy, who is practically the same age, and who, it is popularly supposed, will also be retired on a pension soon.

For the benefit of those who feel concerned over the business judgment of the Health Board in taking the action it has, it should be borne in mind that under no circumstances will Mr. McVoy be retired as Plumbing Inspector of the Health Board on a pension.

Mr. McVoy is an old resident of this community, he is well qualified to perform the duties assigned to him. Mr. Addis retired on a pension of his own volition; he was not asked to do so, but his request for retirement was granted.

Mr. McVoy is a veteran of the civil war and so long as he was available for the position, and able to do the work, there should be no question of him or his employers, the Board of Health, until some action not in accordance with public policy, or detrimental to the efficiency of the department, is taken.

NOTICE.

Dating from next Monday, March 12th, the subscription price of the Courier-News will be advanced from 10c to 12c a week, and from $5.00 to $6.00 a year. The yearly subscription price applies in Plainfield and SOUTH AVE-NUE ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS ONLY.

While we have been forced to pay an increase of more than 100% for white news print paper no increase in price has been made to our subscribers until the present time.

We do not expect either the subscriber or advertiser, or both combined to bear the entire added expense. Only a small part of it can be shifted to them. We cannot stand the loss ourselves. If this new condition should continue the situation would be much more comfortable than it is. But it is decidedly worse if we cannot buy enough paper for our needs at any price. At this time the Courier-News is being printed on paper of less paper quality that under normal conditions it would not be accepted from the manufacturers.

The unusual conditions make it necessary that we keep the price of our copies printed at the lowest possible figure. For this reason we must insist upon prompt payment from subscribers. As a protection to our paid in advance and prompt paying subscribers, we will be compelled to discontinue serving the Courier-News to those who fall behind in their payments.

COURIER-NEWS PUB. CO.

STEPS TAKEN TO GET ARMORY SITE

Steps have been taken by the Union County Board of Freeholders to acquire title to the Boice property on East Front street, upon which an armory for Company K of this city is to be erected in the near future. Under the law, an appropriation of $20,000 for the purchase of land must be made by the Freeholders, following the approval of site by the State Military Board. This approval was made recently and the Freeholders were notified to that effect.

It is now the purpose of the Freeholders to advertise the sale of $20,000 worth of bonds, and it is anticipated that there will be little or no difficulty in selling the bonds. In addition to this amount for land, the State will appropriate $25,000 toward the erection of an armory. Not much of a building can be erected for that sum, it is said, and Capt. Charles A. Peterson is trying to secure an additional appropriation of $15,000 from the city.

A majority of the members of the city council, it is said, favor this action, and it is quite likely that the appropriation will be made. This would provide a fund of $40,000 for the building, which, it is believed, would put up a structure that would be a credit to Plainfield. Captain Peterson has offered to furnish free all the sand needed for the construction work, and this has been accepted by the State military authorities.

TO SPEAK OF WOMAN'S WORK IN THE WAR

Miss Elsie McKenzie, a Red Cross nurse from the French border, and belonging to the battalion of the war to the Women's Land Service Corps of Great Britain, will speak Tuesday afternoon, March 20, at 3.30 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, on West eighth street.

She will present facts that came in her experience and observation in England and France, during the two and a half years of the great European conflict. She will tell of the work two hundred thousand women are doing for agriculture, first aid in the trenches, and after battles and Zeppelin raids, the French hospital work, the munition making, and the substitution of women for men while men are at the front.

RECRUITING BOOTH AT STATE TRUST CO.

Through the kindness of E. F. Feickert, of the State Trust Company, the National Special Aid Society will conduct a recruiting booth to enroll male members tomorrow afternoon and evening, when the Trust Company will hold its formal opening for the public. The booth will be in charge of Mrs. Morris J. Dumont, Miss Elizabeth McGee and Mrs. Francis Olmstead.

All men can join the society as annual members for $1 a year. While the men do no actual work their rapidly growing membership lists show that they are encouraging women in this patriotic movement. All contributions will be gratefully received and spent on materials for hospital dressings.

SHOW HOW MOTOR BOATS CAN BREAK BLOCKADE

Henry A. Wise Wood, who spoke in Columbus Club here last October, on "Preparedness," made an address last night, to the Automobile Club in New York, showing how motor vessels could break a blockade.

He suggested building a thousand motor vessels of one thousand tons each, the cost to be approximately one hundred million dollars. These vessels, msatless, smokeless and of such diminutive size that they would have very low visibility, thereby having better chances of escape, would within a short time make the submarine blockade a joke, said Mr. Wood. The scheme Mr. Wood credited to F. Huntington Clark, an American engineer.

POSTAL CLERKS' CONVENTION

The State convention of the Postal Clerks will be held in Arcanum hall, Elizabeth, and following the meeting there will be a dinner in St. Michael's hall, East Jersey and Jaques streets, on May 26. This was announced at the meeting this week of Elizabeth Branch, No. 84, National Association of Postal Clerks, held in Kleinhans' hall, 1000 East Grand street.

There will be in attendance several hundred delegates and their friends and many of them will be women, for whom a theatre party will be given.

—Don't miss the auction sale at the Leader Store, Saturday, 10 a. m. —Adv.

CLANDESTINE GERMAN WIRELESS STATIONS ON BRAZILIAN COAST

By United Press:

Rio de Janeiro, March 9.—Clandestine wireless stations on the Brazilian coast are believed to be in operation by Germans.

On February 8 there was an engagement between British war ships and German vessels off the island of Fernando de Noronha, on the northern coast of Brazil. Within a few hours German interests in Rio de Janeiro circulated the story that the British cruiser Amethyst had met three raiders off the coast and had been sunk.

GERMAN PLOTTER ARRESTED IN LOS ANGELES

By United Press:

Los Angeles, March 9.—Alleged to be connected with plots to destroy the Welland Canal in Canada and guilty of unlawful acts in America, Capt. Alfred Fritzen, a German officer, was arrested today by agents of the Department of Justice in Alhambra, near here. The arrest followed a search of six months.

Revelation of activities in southern California and in northern Mexico are said to have caused the issue of orders for his arrest. A connection between Fritzen and German Consul Bopp, recently convicted in San Francisco, and Captains Boy-Ed and von Papen is also said to have been established.

By United Press:

New York, March 9.—Alfred A. Fritzen, arrested in Los Angeles, may be brought back to New York for trial as one of the plotters who attempted to destroy the Welland Canal. Fritzen was indicted in March, 1915, with Hans Tauscher and Horst von der Goltz, who subsequently were tried. Fritzen had never been brought to trial.

SENATOR STONE, SELF-SATISFIED, WILL NOT EXPLAIN

By United Press:

Washington, March 9.—"I never explain what I say or do in the Senate on a great public question," said Senator William J. Stone, today, when asked for a statement about the attack made on him throughout the country for his filibustering in the Senate. Stone will disregard the demand of newspapers for his resignation as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee. He is absolutely confident he will be retained in his position by the Senate organization.

"In due time I will better my speech of last Saturday, with additional remarks, which I am now writing, before the people of Missouri, from whom my commission comes. That will be my answer. To undertake an explanation would be to admit some explanation was necessary," he added.

VILLA CAPTURED CITY OF DURANGO, FEB. 28

By United Press:

El Paso, March 9.—Three thousand bandits commanded by Villa in person, captured the city of Durango, February 28, according to a letter received here today. The letter said the Carranza garrison, under Gen. Gavira, put up a stubborn resistance before being overpowered.

Villa's followers sacked the city and executed several citizens charged with aiding Carranza, the letter said.

Villa then ordered his forces to march on Torreon.

PRESIDENT STILL IN BED, DOCTOR ORDERS

By United Press:

Washington, March 9.—President Wilson was ordered by Dr. Grayson to remain in bed today. While he is more comfortable it is essential that he obtain complete rest, and cannot receive callers for several days. Today's Cabinet meeting has been called off.

SWEDEN'S CRISIS HINGES ON LONDON

Special to Courier-News:

Stockholm, March 9.—The settlement of the crisis in the Swedish Cabinet depends entirely upon the attitude of the opposition as to an Anglo-Swedish agreement, to be negotiated with London. The shortage of food is becoming more menacing in consequence of the German U boat blockade. So intense is the food situation growing that even the pro-German newspapers are now demanding that Germany shall allow Sweden unmolested passage for her ships through the North Sea.

ENGLISH GOVERNMENT TAKES OVER FOOD CONTROL

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 9.—Broomhall, in his cable from Liverpool this morning says the Government has assumed control of bacon, lard, butter and cheese, and prices will be fixed later. Lard was demoralized with heavy liquidation in May.

BETA ALPHA CLASS TO MEET

A meeting of the Beta Alpha Class of the First Baptist Church, will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. D. H. Lounsbury, on Helene avenue.

Bargain

1916 Hupmobile for sale at bargain price; run 3,000 miles. Address "W," care Courier-News.—Adv.

—You can always buy sugar cheaper at Van Dyk's. See ad on page 4.—Adv.

COUNT ZEPPELIN DIES AFTER AN OPERATION

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 9.—Arrangements have not been completed for the funeral of Count von Zeppelin, inventor of the airship bearing his name, who died last night. For some time he had suffered from internal troubles, and finally with an attack of mumps, for which an operation was necessary. While he was convalescing from the operation inflammation of the lungs developed, resulting fatally. (Other details on another page.)

SENATE CLOTURE MAY NOT AFFECT CONGRESS

By United Press:

Washington, March 9.—The Senate cloture rule may not apply to the new Congress, according to a view of parliamentarians today. Some hold that it will not commit to new Congress convening in December.

(Other details on another page.)

ENTENTE'S LOSS OF AIRPLANES

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 9.—Ninety-one aeroplanes were lost by Germany's enemies during fighting on the Western, eastern and Balkan fronts in February, it was officially announced today. Of this number 37 are in the hands of the Teutons, 49 were said to fall behind their own lines, and five were destroyed in the air, war office admits the loss of 24 German planes.

GERMANY ORDERS FACTORIES CLOSED

Special to Courier-News:

Amsterdam, March 9.—The Telegraaf announced that the Germans have ordered shutting down of all factories in Belgium that employ more than 150 men or that burn more than five tons of coal monthly.

HOGS MAINTAIN RECORD PRICE

Special to Courier-News:

Chicago, March 9.—Top hogs today again sold at the high record of $10.05, established on Wednesday. The market was strong.

GOVERNMENT SUITS TO DISSOLVE TRUSTS

Washington, March 9.—Hearings on the Government's suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation were begun today by the Supreme Court. An array of counsel for both sides appeared in the hearings, which are expected to last until the middle of next week.

—Ask to see "Town Topics," the Stetson feature hat for spring at De Meza & Bilhuber's.—Adv.

STORE OPEN 8.30 A. M.—CLOSES 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAY

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"THE WHITE STORE"

Correct Spring Fashions In Women's Suits, Dresses and Shoes

In an excellent assortment of models for Sport, Street and Afternoon wear. All the newest styles are found in these models, including the fashionable shades of yellow.

DAILY DELIVERY OUT OF TOWN—TWO DAILY IN TOWN

NEW SPRING FROCKS ON SALE SATURDAY

$19.75

In the most up-to-date materials, including the Khaki cloths designed rich silks, high class Georgette crepes, beautifully trimmed; all sizes.

A Great Selection of

SILK DRESSES

In this season's styles and materials—Taffeta, crepe de chines, crepe meteor; in all colors and sizes ..... $12.98-$14.98

NEW SERGE DRESSES

$10.98 $12.98

Handsome gold embroidered, braid embroidered; also plain tailored; made with the new pleated effects and large collars of contrasting shade or material; all sizes.

NEW SPRING SUITS on Sale

$14.98 $18.75

A large variety of styles to choose from; suitable for the small figure and the large as well. All made of high class materials, and this season's newest shades.

SUITS

$5.00

Only a few left in odd sizes and colors. Don't miss this opportunity if you want to save money. Materials: Poplin, serges, in black and blue, including 39, 41, 45, suitable for stouts.

DAILY DELIVERY OUT OF TOWN—TWO DAILY IN TOWN

New Spring Shoes for the Women

Women's Shoes in African brown kid lace, plain toe, with leather Louis heel. Special—
$6.00, $6.50, $7.00

Women's Shoes in dark gray kid; lace, plain toe, leather Louis heel, welted sole. Special $5.50

Women's Shoes in gray buck, lace, plain toe, leather Louis heel, welted sole. Special $3.00

Women's Shoes in dull kid vamp and gray buck top, lace, leather Louis heel, welted sole. Special $3.00

Women's Shoes in patent leather, gun metal calf, cloth and dull kid tops, lace and button, plain toe and tip, leather Cuban heel. Special ... $5.00-$6.00

Women's Shoes in vici kid, lace, plain toe and leather Louis heel. Special $4.00

Growing Girls' Shoes in gun metal calf, welted sole, low heels. Special ..... $3.00-$3.50

GREAT SHIRT SPECIAL

Of well known "Columbia Brand," specially priced at 98c for Saturday only. All sizes and very attractive patterns to select from.

Men's Four-in-Hand Ties—Regular 39c value, for 25c—Saturday only.

Rubber Door Mat—Special for Saturday 39c

STORE OPEN 8.30 A. M.—CLOSES 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAY

Saturday Special
25c Children's Black Hose 6½ to 9½ slightly imperfect
15c

ROSENBAUM'S BAZAAR

115-117 WEST FRONT STREET

Saturday Special
Boys' 50c Blouses
fast color; sizes 8 to 16
50c

SHOWING OF CORRECT STYLES FOR SPRING in

SUITS, COATS, DRESSES and MILLINERY

At PRICES LOWEST IN TOWN

Beautiful Collection of the New

Spring Coats

Are ready for your **approval** at moderate prices in all the new colorings: Gold, chartreuse, corn, Burgundy and navy and black. Made up in most becoming models, mostly belted with fancy large pockets, showing the influence of the military design, and very smart in appearance.

SPECIALLY PRICED FOR SATURDAY

$14.98 $18.98 $22.98

The NEW SUITS FOR SPRING

Are Lovely, Indeed

Showing of all the new shades now in vogue; strictly tailored or Fancy Sports Suits, pleated models; good selection of styles, from 16 to 46. Priced very reasonably—

$14.98 $19.98 $22.98

NEW SPRING MILLINERY

AT LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN.

Collection embraces assortment of the newest styles for Spring in fancy trimmed or the new Novelty Sports ready-to-wear—

$1.49 $1.98 $2.98 $3.98

New COLLECTION of BOYS' SUITS

Just received—All sizes from 8 to 16, in Fancy Wool Mixtures, patch pockets and very dressy styles. Very special—

$3.98 $4.98 5.98

Newest Shades in Novelty Silk and Shetland Floss

Ladies' Sweaters

Just Received

$5.98, $6.98, $7.50

Sizes 36 to 44

NEW MIDDIES

New collection just received of many sports styles, embracing the newest and best novelties in smocks and belted models, in rose, tan and green, from

$1 TO $1.98

THE LAST CALL

THIS WILL BE THE LAST CALL TO OUR

Great Heart To Heart Shoe Sale

We have now reached the time limit on the Biggest Shoe Sale we have ever conducted, and when we close our store Saturday evening, the sale will be over.

Saturday is the Last Day

There are still many Splendid Shoes left—Shoes that will cost you much more money later in the season.

Do not fail to Shoe up Every Member of the Family while there is yet time.

Look at these offerings, that are still open to late callers, and come in Saturday. **Don't Delay.**

WOMEN'S SHOES
$1.95, $2.45, $2.95 $3.45 to $5.55

MEN'S SHOES
$2.95, $3.45, $3.95, $4.45 to $4.95

SPECIAL PRICES ON CHILDREN'S SHOES

Stuart's Shoe Shop

215 WEST FRONT STREET

EXPRESS COMPANY SUES FOR $950,360

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Accused of Violating Its Contract

The introduction of the parcel post system by the Federal Government is said to be the direct cause for an action just brought in the Supreme Court by the United States Express Company to recover $950,360 from the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

In August, 1887, the express company alleges, it purchased from the railroad company its business, known as the "Baltimore and Ohio Express," together with a contract guaranteeing the exclusive right to use the railroad's lines for all express business for thirty years. For the purchased business and the privilege the United States Express Company paid $1,000,000 in cash and $1,500,000 in its capital stock to the railroad. It also agreed to pay forty per cent. of its gross receipts received on the Baltimore and Ohio system for the entire thirty-year period.

Since January, 1913, the complaint alleges, the railroad has permitted an increasing volume of business to be conducted over it by another agency, with the result that the United States Express Company was forced to discontinue its business on the lines June 30, 1914. The amount sought now is said to be due on the alleged breach of contract.

The United States Express Company is the one which operated offices in this city and along the line of the Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley railroads until it gave up business two years ago. It was succeeded by the American Express Company.

To Prevent The Grip

Colds cause Grip—Laxative Bromo Quinine removes cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c—Adv.

Mallory Hats

"Age cannot wither nor custom stale" the demand for Derby Hats.

Some men simply will not wear anything else, and, after all, there's no denying the fact that a derby is a "neat, trim-looking sort of a craft"—and there are times when no other hat is so appropriate for wear. Every man should have one.

The "Mallory" Derby for Spring is strictly in accordance with the accepted style tendencies.

We're showing them now at

$3.00

Stylish Reliable

ROTHBERG'S
"THINGS MEN WEAR"
206 West Front St.

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Applegate Quality Counts

Saturday Specials

The high prices have no terrors for those who do their trading at this Market. Quality and Service Guaranteed.

Strictly Fresh Nearby Eggs, doz.	42c	Rib Roast, blade cut, lb.	20c
Dixie Bacon, lb.	20c	Porterhouse Roast, lb.	26c
Legs Milk Fed Veal, 6-8 lbs., lb.	19c	Sirloin Steak, lb.	24c
Hindquarters Milk Fed Veal, lb.	20c	Chuck Roast, lb.	20c
Rumps Milk Fed Veal, lb.	22c	Loins Pork to Roast, lb.	24c
Loin Veal Chops, lb.	25c	Fresh Shoulders, lb.	19c
Veal Cutlets, lb.	30c	Jersey Pork Sausage, own make	27c
Prime Rib Roast, best cuts, lb.	25c	Fresh Killed Milk Fed Fowl, lb.	30c
		Potatoes, 16-qt. basket	$1.60

Special Attention Paid to Telephone Orders. All Orders Delivered Promptly.

CLIFFORD L. APPLEGATE
164 East Front St., Opposite Woodhull & Martin
Tel. 877

When Portugal Entered the War

One year ago today Germany declared war on Portugal on account of the seizure by Portugal of merchant ships anchored in the Tagus river.

VICTIM OF GREENHOUSE FIRE

New Brunswick, March 9.—Voorhees Tappen, son of Erastus H. Tappen, of Bonhamtown, was burned to death in his father's greenhouse there Tuesday night, it was believed accidentally fell into the furnace pit. His clothing was set afire by a lantern he carried.

Mr. Tappen, who was about forty years old, had been subject to fits since a child. When he failed to return Tuesday night his father found his charred body in the pit.

Tepper's for Gloves | Tepper's for Skirts | Tepper's for Millinery | Tepper's for Domestics | Tepper's for Men's Furnishings

Sports Apparel Still Growing In Popularity

A Brilliant Display of This New Vogue is Featured at Tepper's in Suits, Dresses, Coats and Skirts for Spring

In every city and at every resort where the most fashionably dressed women will be found, you will see these garments worn. This is not strange, when one considers their smartness of style, and adaptability for all-around use.

From point of exclusiveness and individuality these New Spring Styles will more than meet your expectations.

Come and see these new arrivals at Tepper's. Here you can gather the most instructive ideas of the season's newest styles which will help you in the choice of your own Spring attire.

Exclusive Sports Dresses for Spring Wear

Among the daintiest dresses for sports wear are those fashioned of the new and popular materials, such as Repp, Poupee, Khaki-Kool, Crepe de Chine, Jersey Silk and a variety of novelty stripes and plaid silks, with plain colored Georgette to match. Figured and plaid combinations are also in vogue. These are being shown in the most effective colorings for Spring.

The dresses in the coat effect are fastly growing in favor, the coats ranging from 37 to 45 inches in length, thus giving a suitable length for any figure.

Fancy belts, pockets and collars very prettily embroidered or trimmed, are smartly featured on most every garment. Prices range from

15.95 TO 45.00

Distinctive Styles in New Spring Suits

A remarkable gathering of ultra-smart models in sports, dressy and more tailored styles, around which clings the exclusive air that every well-dressed woman seeks. They depict the authoritative mode correctly.

The materials that are receiving most popularity are Serges, Gabardines, Poiret Twills, Vigeraux, Jersey Cloth, Cord Novelty Checks and Mixtures, in the fashionable shades of gold, chartreuse, apple green, sand, Copen and navy blue and black. Prices range from

15.95 TO 40.00

Spring Millinery

A New Collection of Very Chic Creations in a Splendid Variety

Our Milliners are now busily engaged making new creations, smart, stunning hats that will strike the fancy and the eye of the woman who appreciates exclusive style, becomingness, fine quality, combined with good value.

All the newest and most favored ideas of the most distinguished style creators are exemplified to the smallest detail in our present collection.

With a most complete and most varied assortment of trimmed and untrimmed millinery we are splendidly equipped to meet your most exacting needs.

The prices will please your pocketbook.

GIRLS' SPRING COATS

Their lines and coloring reveal a close relation to those in the smart apparel for their elders. Exclusive models are being shown in velour plaids, checks, wool velours, burella cloth, French serge and silk poplin. Sizes range from 2 to 6, 7 to 10, and 6 to 14. Prices

2.50 TO 18.95

GIRLS' SPRING HATS

Charmingly pretty hats in hemp and milan, in the newest Spring shades to match the coats on display here. There are also fine Pique and Lawn Hats, with ribbons, Swiss embroidery and lace trimmings. An array of becoming styles for children from 6 months to 10 years old.

Prices

98c TO 5.95

It Is Quite a Fad To Wear Inexpensive Jewelry

Not the coarse imitations, but the dainty bits of colored effects that display themselves very effectively with the new coloring of the Spring apparel. These are the kind now on display in our Jewelry Section. For instance:

Birthstone Brooches—of fine quality gold filled. Specially priced tomorrow at 59c

Cameo Rings—of sterling silver; special at.....50c

Regent Pearl Necklaces—Special at 59c

New Blouses

CREPE DE CHINES AND GEORGETTES

New, not only in the sense that they have just arrived, but in the truer sense that they were created and made immediately preceding this shipment to us. They embody the newest style features, and are being shown in the season's most popular shades. Styles are so varied that you'll be sure to find one to please you. Prices range from .....$3.98 to $9.00

CREPE DE CHINE BLOUSES

Special at $2.98

A splendid assortment of the newest Spring styles, in the popular shades of flesh, white, gold and chartreuse. Prettily trimmed with laces, embroideries and large hemstitched collars. Regular price, $3.49; special tomorrow at $2.98

Let Your Boy Choose His Own Spring Suit at Tepper's

He knows just what he wants, and delights in the pleasure of wearing it. Our Boys' Section is now complete with splendid assortments of new Spring Suits, in serges, checks, and novelty mixtures, in the most wanted shades. Pinch-back and belted models are still very popular. We carry a complete line of sizes for boys from 6 to 19 years old.

Prices .....

3.95 to 11.95

Boys' Spring Reefers

A generous assortment of belted and pinch-back models—in black and white checks, grey and brown mixtures, serges and covert cloth. Sizes 2½ to 9 years.

Prices .....

2.49 to 7.95

Mothers have been convinced that the full cut, fine quality and excellent workmanship of the "Mothers' Friend" blouses make them the most logical blouses for their boys. We have them here in a complete range of sizes. Prices, 50c to $1.50.

Spring Fashions Necessitate New Corsets

If you are particular that your Spring garments should fit with that stylish grace of figure so much desired—it is essential that you give the question of a correctly designed corset due consideration.

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SYNOPSIS OF LECTURE BY WALTER N. WESTON

The following is a synopsis of a lecture by Walter Newell Weston of the Society of the Inner Light, of New York, delivered at the residence of Howard A. Colby, 1405 Evergreen avenue, this city, yesterday:

People often wonder why they are compelled to suffer and contribute their sufferings to an angry or revengeful God. The real purpose of suffering is to compel us to balance up within ourselves, to bring forth certain dormant faculties or to curb others selfishly over-worked. When one non-resistantly and intentionally does this he awakens quickly to new realms of consciousness and ultimately enters into a realization that he is not a mere physical or mental being, but a spiritual being, possessing a body and a mentality for purposes of self-expression.

In the larger sense this is his "salvation," which was an accomplished fact all the time, though to him unperceived. He now discovers that the keynote of his greatness is the forgetfulness of selfishness, injury, loss, lack, failure, disappointment and their hell and the consequent liberation into a consciousness of unity with the One Source of all prosperity, health, poise, power, health, satisfaction and life. He discovers that the purpose of loving is not getting, but to love for the sake of loving. He discovers his own individuality and that the law of his own being is that he shall be himself. He discovers that the teaching of Jesus Christ is not the deification of suffering but the fullness of joy. He discovers that joy, the "beloved of all nations," is the greatest healing principle, is changeless and indestructible. He who keeps a joyous heart under adverse conditions has the sceptre of divine law and completeness. Living For the sole purpose of joy.

W. A. W. TO HOLD DANCE

The W. A. W. Club will give a dance tonight in the Improvement Hall, Watchung. A bus will leave the corner of Front and Somerset streets, Plainfield, at 8:45 o'clock, and will return at 1:30 o'clock.

SCHOOL TEACHERS AFFECTED BY H. C. OF L.

Phillipsburg, March 9.—Phillipsburg teachers are anything but satisfied with the proposed increase in salaries, as provided for in the report of the employes and salaries committee, as presented last Thursday night at the meeting of the Board of Education and laid over without action until next month. They expressed this displeasure at a meeting of the teaching corps Tuesday afternoon, when they formed an organization to be known as the Phillipsburg Teaching Club.

The minimum salary of grade teachers was increased $50 and the maximum $120 to $870; of women high school teachers to $1,000 and the maximum pay of special teachers is increased, as present, all the increases, however, are small.

The teachers make the objection to the schedule on the grounds that the increase in salary asked for is needed at present because of the increase in the cost of living, but should the schedule be adopted as presented, the provisions are too indefinite because the report of the committee provides that all increases shall first be sanctioned by the committee and the superintendent, and either could hold up an increase indefinitely.

At present the salaries of the teachers increase automatically each year until the maximum is reached. Fault is also found with the increases provided for, the contention being that they are not substantial enough. The club is expected to have another meeting this week. Michael Maloney has been chosen temporary chairman and Ralph Thomas temporary secretary.

CAT-NIP

The State of New Jersey taxes the dog, generally regarded as man's friend. It has neglected thus far to tax the cat, convicted by agricultural authorities as the most destructive enemy of valuable birds; condemned by sportsmen as a persistent slayer of small game, both in and out of season; labeled by State health authorities as an active disseminator of disease germs, says the New Jersey Fish and Game Commission.

THIS CONCERT A REAL TREAT

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dience liked best. The program was not arranged to save the best for the last, for after the overture "Mignon," by Thomas, the largo by Dvorak from "The New World," found spontaneous response. Lovers of Tschaikowski found a delight in the andante cantabile, the second part of the third number. The overture "Fingal's Cave," by Mendelssohn met a hearty reception, and lovers of Beethoven found complete satisfaction in the allegretto from Symphony No. 7. The Rakoczy March by Berlioz was highly appreciated, in which the 'cellos were conspicuous in some of the strains.

Other numbers were the Gavotte in E by Bach; "The Spinning Wheel of Omphale," by Saint-Saens; prize song from "Die Meistersinger," by Wagner; "Dance of the Sylphs," by Berlioz, and the concluding number a waltz, "The Artist's Life," by Strauss. All were most heartily received with unfeigned enjoyment.

By this concert the Dutch Arms Band has established a confidence in the local public for being able to bring here such an aggregation of musicians. There need have been no apprehension about a public response to the announcement of a Damrosch concert, but there was some surprise that a date could be obtained for its production here.

The name Damrosch is a synonym for the best in instrumental music, and to see him as a conductor of a concert was additionally pleasing to most of the audience.

The expense of bringing this concert here was something like $1,000, but the proceeds will net a satisfactory figure.

FIRST ACCOUNTING OF WM. L. LOEW'S ESTATE

The first accounting of the estate left by William L. Loew, father of Mrs. Eliza S. Taylor, of Westfield, made by his daughter, Ethel V. Loew, of New York, and the Title Guarantee and Trust Company, as executors, was today filed in the surrogate's court, New York. April 10 is the date set by the surrogate for approval or disapproval of the document. The estate is divided among a large number of relatives living in New York and vicinity and Westfield.

In their accounting the executors charge themselves with $190,012.52 of the principal, credit themselves with $125,000 of the real estate, $6,177.90 for funeral, administration and other expenses, and show a balance of $58,834.62 for further distribution, subject, however, first to the deductions of their commissions and the expenses of the accounting.

HEAVENLY REST MEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETING

The Men's Association of the Church of the Heavenly Rest held one of the largest meetings in its history last evening in the parish house of the church. During the meeting a resolution of sympathy with Russell Vail, one of the members, was passed on the death of his sister, Mrs. George Muir.

The matter of purchasing a pool table for the association was discussed and a committee was appointed to look after prices and particulars. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

LADIES' AID HAD BIRTHDAY PARTY

A birthday party was held yesterday afternoon in the Epworth House of the Monroe Avenue Methodist church by those members of the Ladies' Aid Society whose birthdays fall in one of the first three months of the year.

There were about forty members present. Mrs. Anna Wenzel and Mrs. John J. Fraed gave readings and the Victrola was played by Mrs. Humble. A pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which refreshments were served.

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Bouillon Cubes, Chicken or Beef, doz. **18c**

Mother's Oats or Quaker Oats, 3 for . **25c**

Fairy or Sweetheart Soap, 6 cakes for .. **25c**

Corn Starch—dozen, 9½c; pkg. **8c**

Potted Meat—Armour's; large can, 8c; small can **4c**

Bird Food—A treat for your canary; box.... **8c**

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Herring in Tomato Sauce—B. O. Brand; doz., $1.65; can **15c**

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Lemons—Fancy Messina; doz. **20c**

Cauliflower, ... **12c** and up

Fancy Table Celery ..... **8c** up

Onions—Yellow or Red; qt. **15c**

Lettuce, head, 15c; 2 for **25c**

Cranberries—3 qts. for **25c**

LENTEN FISH

Extra Fancy Imported Holland Herring—Special for this sale, keg **1.25**

Extra Fancy Mackerel—Special for this sale, lb. **18c**

Sardines in Oil—doz., 75c; can **7c**

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Capers—Fine imported Capers—Large bottle, 15c; small **10c**

Imported Boneless Anchovies in pure olive oil; a French appetizer; bot. **33c**

Pate de Fois Gras with Truffles; imported from France; can **23c**

Imp. Canton Ginger, crystallized; large can, 28c; small **13c**

B. B. Chicken Broth; doz., $1.15; can **10c**

Fr.-Am. Invalid Broth doz., $1.70; can **15c**

Worcestershire Sauce—Bottle, 9c; 3 for.. **25c**

Pepper Sauce; Red or Green; bot., 9c; 3 for **25c**

Chicory—Franks', 10 rolls for **25c**

Salt—Fine Table Salt—7 lbs. for **10c**

Blue Seal Soused Mackerel—dozen, $2.25; can **20c**

Kippered Herrings—In Tomato Sauce; heads and tails off; doz., $2.10; can **18c**

Fancy Boneless Herring; 1-lb. can **23c**

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Prime Rib Roast, Quality Beef; lb. **20c**

Choice Milk Fed Legs of Veal, lb. **18c**

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Pure Fresh and Sweet Hamburg Steak; ground every hour; lb..... **20c**

Boston Cut Hams; nicely trimmed; no fat, no bone; lb. **22c**

URGES A GREATER INTEREST IN S.P.C.A.

Henry Nicolay Compliments Boy Scouts and Mrs. Van Hoesen

The following letter from Henry Nicolay to the Editor of the Courier-News, is timely and interesting:

It is remarkable what an indifferent interest so many of our residents apparently take, in the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals with its splendid work, saving animals from abuse, prosecuting cases of cruelty successfully, through the indefatigable energy and devotion, of Mrs. Stephen G. Van Hoesen, the society's special officer, noble, self-sacrificing work, practically a labor of love.

I wonder how many of your readers were interested enough to have given any thought or attention, to the report of the society for the year of 1916, published by you at the time it was made, and if many did, if they realized that this efficient work had been accomplished with a total income for the year of but $227.95. Think of it! about 62 1-2 cents a day, certainly not much of a showing for the humane spirit of Plainfield, generous Plainfield, for the people of our city are generous, munificiently so, in their response to all appeals.

I believe it is only necessary to tell them about the S. P. C. A., through the Courier-News, to bring the help the society so much needs. It is a simple matter, increase its membership, let us begin right now. Let us get new owners of horses especially and members we can for them. Each new member means another dollar a year for their work, the dues are only one dollar per annum, but see what it would mean to the society if the membership could be brought up to 500 and that ought not be difficult.

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PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

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Avis L. Mosher; William, born 1790, married Rebecca Webster; Rachel, born 1792; Mary, born 1794; Edward, born 1796; David, born 1798.

JOSEPH LAING (of David and Mary), born 1762, married 1784 Sarah Marsh, and had Mary, born 1810, who married Isaac Laing.

SUSANNAH LAING (of David and Mary Thorn Laing) was born 1765, married 1787 William Webster.

Remaining children of David and Mary Laing: (2) David Laing (of John and Susannah) was born 1770. (3) Joseph Laing (of John and Susannah) was born 1773, married 1798 Anna Webster born 1777, and had four children: (1) Susannah, married Reuben Dunn. (2) John, born 1800, married Mary Marsh (of Samuel); had Ann Eliza, Margaret, Ka. (3) Rebecca, born 1802; married Abram Vail. (4) Nathan, born 1806; married Eunice Dunn; had four children: Susannah, born 1798; married Reuben Dunn; John, born 1800, married Mary Marsh and had Ann Eliza; Margaretta M., who married Jonathan H. Vail and had Lucretia M., who married Rufus K. Case, and had Anna, Kitty, Maggie, Emma, Rufus and Harold. Rebecca, born 1802, married Abram Vail, and Nathan, born 1806, married Eunice Dunn, and had Joseph, who married Margaret Smalley; Sarah Ann, who married Jacob G. Laing; Mary, Almira, who married Lewis C. F. Randolph.

John Laing, born 1775 (of John and Susannah); died young.

Elizabeth Laing, born 1777 (of John and Susan); died young.

Isaac Laing, born 1779 (of John and Susan, of David and Mary).

Jacob Laing, born 1780 (of John and Susannah, of David and Mary); married 1804 Mercy Pitt-Randolph, and had children: Randolph, who married Angeline Nodyne; Asa, married Henrietta Pitt-Randolph; Edwin, married Jane Smalley; Mary, married Isaac Campbell.

William Laing, born 1783.

Sarah, born 1784; married Stephen Kester.

Rachel, born 1786; married 1810 Samuel Thorn.

Anne, born 1789; married 1807 Samuel L. Pound, and had children: Mahlon, who married Hannah Barclay; George R., married Rachel Vail; Elizabeth, married Thomas Barclay; William, married Miss Jones.

Abraham Laing, of Jacob and Rachel, born 1786; married 1807 Sarah Webster (of John and Mary), and had:

Hugh Laing, born 1809, married 1835 Manuela Gutlener, of Mexico, and had Emilia and Maria.

Lucinda Laing, born 1811.

Ann Eliza Laing, born 1812, married William Edgar Mundy, and had issue: Robinson, Sarah, Susan, Mary, Althea and Wallace.

James S. Laing, born 1815, married Phileta Roll, and had children: Julia, married James H. Force; Hugh, Mary, married William L. Force; Emma, married N. Carmon Dunn, and had Carrie, Addie, Ray and Jennie; William, who married Rebecca McCarthy, and had Charles, Carrie, James.

John W. Laing, born 1817. Owner of Laing's Hotel.

MARY LAING (of John and Susannah, of John and Elizabeth), born 1768, married 1787 Isaac Webster, and had Laing Webster, Edmond Webster, Rebecca Webster.

Elizabeth, who married James Laing and had Mary, who married Lewis M. Force and had Sarah E. Force, who married David J. King and had Emma U.; James H., who married Julia Laing and had John, Minnie and Mabel; William L, who married Mary L. Laing; Albert L., who married Clarissa Bradshaw and had Lillie and Josephine; Susan W., who married Lewis A. Dunn and had Fred, Harry and Willie; Joseph Lindley, killed in the army; Isaac, who married Mary Harned and had Phebe, who married William Sandford; Amelia, who married Charles Sandford, and Smith W., who married Phebe F. Randolph; Edward, who married Sarah Marsh and Mrs. Avis L. Mosher, and had by first wife Rebecca, Ida, Augustus and Ernest.

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The festival will consist of the usual services by the children, a Purim sketch and vocal and instrumental selections. Presents will be distributed to the children. Everybody welcome.

Plan Rummage Sale

The Earnest Workers of Grace M. E. church, the borough, are planning to hold a rummage sale Thursday and Friday, March 22 and 23. The place for the sale will be announced later.

MAY CONSOLIDATE AEROPLANE PLANTS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 9.—While certain negotiations looking toward a consolidation of the Wright-Martin Aircraft Corporation and the Curtiss Aeroplane Corporation have taken place, interests identified with both companies say that it would be impossible to make any positive statement as to what would be the outcome of the situation.

A committee of three has been appointed by each of the two companies, making six representatives appointed to work out plans for such consolidation, but thus far neither committee has reported back to the directors of either organization.

EAT HALF POUND OF BON BONS WITH YOUR BREAKFAST

By United Press:

Los Angeles, Cal., March 9.—Eat chocolate for breakfast; half a pound of them will make you feel better and put you in cheerier spirits than a regular breakfast of bacon and eggs and grapefruit. That is what Miss Eunice Hughes advocates and does. She has kept it up several months and likes her early morning box of chocolates better now than ever. Eat soft chocolates and start with ice water, she says.

EX-CONGRESSMAN TUTTLE CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

The condition of former Congressman William E. Tuttle, Jr., of Westfield, who was operated upon in Muhlenberg Hospital last week, was said to be satisfactory today, and if Mr. Tuttle continues to improve he will be able to leave the hospital next week.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The Y. W. C. A. will enjoy a "home hour" service Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock to which all the members are invited.

The Juniors are planning for a St. Patrick's Day party to be held at the association rooms on Saturday, March 17, when an attractive program will be presented.

Under the auspices of the Cabinet Conference Club a St. Patrick's Day entertainment will be given at the association on Thursday night, March 15, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

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ENGLAND CALLS FOR 20,000 MORE WOMEN

(By Frank Getty, United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, March 9—England wants 20,000 more women for her second line of advance—the munition factories.

The first appeal, sent out by the Ministry of Munition early last month, which called for 8,000 women, was immediately met. Today, in making "a big spurt for the last phase that will carry the men at the front into victory" the Ministry wants 20,000 more.

"We want rich and poor alike for this final effort," an official at the Ministry of Munitions told the United Press. "In the early days of the war women with means were asked to stand on one side to let working and professional women who had to earn their livings give service. Now we want all classes to come forward and help in the making of munitions, so that every woman can say in the near future that she has done her share.

"We have found that physical qualities are no longer necessary for the work. As long as the volunteer has delicacy of touch she belongs to the right type.

"Women are at work now in all the danger zones and through their hands entirely munitions go from the ingot to the finished articles. They do the testing, overlooking, packing, sealing, lorrying and actually place the goods in railway trucks for the front."

AID COLUMBIA

Bring forward Old Glory!
Oh! let her unfurl
In aid of Columbia,
Our dearest old girl;
To the strains of bugle call
We'll march to conquer or fall
For the cause of the land of the free.
For we fear not a race,
We fear not a nation—
We fear not the whole of this civilization
We're a hundred million strong,
Sons and fathers, old and young,
All craving to fight for you, O Liberty!

Lead on, Columbia,
By you we stand;
Our lives for a cause,
So noble and grand,
Is a poor price to pay;
So is therefore we say
For your sake we are happy to die.

Chorus—We fear not a race, etc.

Every self-respecting man
Throughout this great land,
Merchant, laborer and banker
And the humble farm hand,
Every single mother's son
Big enough to hold a gun
Will join in the glorious battle cry.

Chorus—We fear not a race, etc.

J. M. LEVIN.

DOCTORS SAY COLDS ARE CONTAGIOUS

Specialists Declare Germs of Common Colds Scattered by Sufferers Are Real Danger

Doctors have recently declared positively that our common colds are really just as "contagious" as pneumonia or scarlet fever and that sufferers from colds should be isolated as carefully as victims of the latter diseases. They say that in sneezing the victim of a cold scatters millions of germs into the air which all of us breathe and when these germs lodge in the nose or throat of anyone who is weakened or run down they find another victim and another cold is started. It is important, therefore, to keep yourself built up by using Father John's Medicine which is a pure and wholesome body builder, and you will be able to ward off this danger because the cold germs cannot live in the nose or throat of a person in normal health. Remember, too, that Father John's Medicine treats colds and throat troubles without the use of alcohol or dangerous drugs; so it is a safe family medicine, fine for the children as well as older folks.—Adv.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., will meet this evening at the lodge rooms on West Front street.

Four applications for membership were received last night by the Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein. The society made further plans for the "shore festival," to be held on March 22d, in Saengerbund hall. Most of the business transacted was of routine nature.

About 100 members and friends of Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., turned out last night to the pinochle held by that organization. Suitable prizes were awarded and at the close coffee and cake were served by a committee headed by Cornelius Sheets. Franklin Council expects to move to the Club Headquarters the first of April.

At the class initiation of Mantonomo Tribe, I. O. R. M., the other evening, the members had the pleasure of greeting Past Sachem Andrew J. Stiglitz, who a quarter of a century ago was at the head of the local tribe. Mr. Stiglitz still takes a great interest in the order and can always be depended upon as a royal supporter of the local tribe.

PHOTO PLAY OF THE OVERLAND TELEPHONE

One of the reels shown in the Plainfield Theatre last night, was "Speeding the Spoken Word," a picture of construction of the telephone line across the continent, showing the survey of the land, the stringing of the wire overhead and underground. A little comedy is worked out in the pictures. The local office of the telephone expects to produce this picture here again soon, for the benefit of local lovers of photo-play. It furnishes an hour's interesting scenes.

'ITALY, THE LAND OF ENCHANTMENT"

An Interesting Lecture Given Last Night in the Washington School

"Italy, the Land of Enchantment," was pictured by Arthur K. Peck in an interesting illustrated lecture given at the Washington school last night, it being one of the series of entertainments under the auspices of the Board of Education. The lecturer, who showed a remarkable familiarity with his subject, exhibited one of the finest collection of views of Italy and its countless historic places, witnessed in this city, and they proved delightfully instructive to the large number of people present.

The views comprised some of the famous paintings and works of sculpture by Michael Angelo and Raphael, as well as many other famous artists, striking examples being located in churches, cathedrals and some of the public buildings in the principal cities. Mr. Peck explained that some of these choice works of art have been damaged to some extent by bombs from Austrian airships, but in many instances they had been removed to places of safety for protection.

The views of the Vatican, exterior and interior, were perhaps, the most interesting to many, and remarkable pictures of Pope Pius IX, and the throne room were greatly admired. Other slides included those of the Grand Canal in Venice, the Colliseum, together with rare specimens of mosaics, tapestries, group pictures and interesting paintings of the Madonna and patron saints and the Sistine Chapel. Mr. Peck's talk in explanation of his views was most pleasing to the audience.

MISS BREMBLE BECOMES MRS. NEWTON MOWEN

Mr. and Mrs. J. Neville Bremble, of East Sixth street, Netherwood, announce the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, to Newton D. Mowen, also of this city, on Saturday noon, February 24, at the Church of the Transfiguration, New York, by the Rev. De. Houghton. Miss Jennie Tobias was bridesmaid and Frank Hooper was best man.

After an extended trip the couple will reside on Grove street, North Plainfield.

Mr. Mowen holds a responsible position with the Spicer Manufacturing Company. Both bride and bridegroom have the acquaintance of many friends.

DEATH OF AN INFANT

Marie Jeanette Schmeyer, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Horace Schmeyer, of Port Richmond, S. I., died this morning at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schack, of West Sixth street. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon and interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

NOTICE!

Having taken over the Langhorne Studio, we wish to announce that we have negatives taken by the former photographer for the past 40 years.

Perhaps we have a negative of which you would like to have a print. Come in and let us show you pictures familiar to you. We, no doubt, have a plate of your father or mother or any relative dear to you, or perhaps you would like to find a photo of yourself when you were merely a child. Pay us a visit—it will interest you.

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In our Blouse Section you will find dainty styles at $1.00 and all the way up to $11.98; the above are merely suggestive.

Hahne's—Second Floor

WOMEN'S COATS
Style After Style

wonderfully diverse in line—in color—in fabric—in treatment.

—No woman need meet her coat around the corner, for there are full straight lines and "modified barrels" and coats with a dozen quirks to treatment of belt or pocket.

Many New Coats at $19.75

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Hat sketched upper left—High Turban—black and white—purple and orchid combinations—trimmed with plaited ribbon.

Hat sketched upper right—Sport Shape of peanut straw—blue, red, gold and purple—finished with tailored band and bow.

Hat sketched—lower center—Black Hemp with lace straw edge —double velvet ribbon bands in rose color around crown.

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Hahne's—Petticoats—Second Floor

PNEUMONIA FATAL TO W. W. STRATTON

William W. Stratton, age 48 years, a former resident of this city, died of pneumonia last night at the *Elizabeth General* Hospital, where he had been a patient for several days. He was manager for the Elizabeth Moose Home. His widow survives.

Mr. Stratton was a native of Elizabeth, but had resided here many years. He had also resided at Ocean Grove and was for a time manager of Boynton Beach enterprises for the late C. W. Boynton.

Eight years ago he removed from this city to Elizabeth.

The deceased was keenly interested in the patriotic orders and was a member of the O. U. A. M., Jr. O. U. A. M., and Daughters of Liberty, being at one time a member of Lucetta Council, D. of L., of this city.

During the past few years Mr. Stratton's first wife, his daughter and mother, Mrs. W. E. Keoyer, have died. Mrs. Keoyer died in the Muhlenberg Hospital in one past year.

SERVICES AT RESCUE MISSION TOMORROW

The service at the Rescue Mission, Madison avenue, tonight, will be of an evangelistic nature. Scripture lesson will be from John, 12-48. There will be instrumental and vocal selections.

CHESS PLAYERS TO MEET

The chess players of the Tuckahatchee class will meet at the home of James McClymont, 921 West Sixth street, tonight, in preparation for the class tournament.

BOY SCOUT COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the Boy Scout Council is to be held next Monday evening, March 12, at Scout Headquarters. As matters of importance are to be taken up, it is hoped that there will be a full attendance of the membership.

DR. CREGAR HAS RELAPSE

Dr. P. B. Cregar, of Grant avenue, who underwent an operation in New York hospital several weeks ago, has had a relapse and is quite ill at his home.

GOLD SHIPPED TO SPAIN AND CUBA

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 9.—Gold to the amount of $300,000 has been withdrawn from the sub-treasury for shipment to Spain. Gold to the amount of $100,000 has been taken for shipment to Cuba.

ILLNESS OF MRS. FRAZEE

Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, who is seriously ill, was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital today, for treatment.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 9.

Sixteen French aeroplanes bombarded Metz.

Two Years Ago Today.

German cruiser Eitel Friedrich closed 30,000 mile sea raid at Newport, Va. Cruiser had on board 342 passengers and the crews of eleven vessels sunk by her at sea, including the American ship W. P. Frye.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917.

THE PACIFISTS

Pacifists will not down, and still persist in contending against preparedness, in the face of the gravest dangers that ever beset this nation. They are probably honest, or most of them, in their hope for peace, yet no more so than those who advocate preparedness, but they probably do not realize that their attitude is really pro-German. They may claim that those who disagree with them are pro-Ally. This however, is not necessarily a fact. When a person or nation adopts measures of preparedness in a time when bristling bayonets and bursting bombs assail half the world, and threaten the ones who are anxious to maintain peace, it is but natural, reasonable, and an evidence of intelligence to prepare against such dangers. Oswald Garrison Villard, president of the New York Evening Post is making speeches, in which he is credited with saying that "America's proposed military system is worse than Germany's." Such a remark unchallenged, can have a very depressing, even demoralizing effect upon the public mind, which is too slow at best, to concentrate upon methods for proper defense. No one in business like would close his eyes to "breakers ahead," that threaten his business, but he prepares to weather the gale by throwing up any possible barriers against a flood of business disaster; in other words takes measures of preparedness that will protect his business. Some of the people, sad to say, who would take such precautions in their own business, and all those who have taken steps to thwart the President's efforts to safeguard the nation, show an amazing incongruity in their ideas of business sense, when they talk the heresy that would leave us at the absolute mercy of any other nation that might want to absorb us. It is not alone the present grim outlook that should inspire us to prepare, but the outlook for the more distant future, when this war shall have ended, and some one or another of the foreign nations may look upon us as an easy thing worth conquering. Which ever nation comes out victor in this war, will find something tempting in an unprotected country like ours, the richest in the world, the granary for all nations. In these days little scruple is held by any of them in the face of extremity. With this fact in mind, we may assure ourselves that we are not immune from the greed of any country which is powerful enough to be a menace. Therefore it behooves us, each individually and collectively, to show a proper patriotism by being ready. As to methods of preparedness, in adopting measures for military training, there may be some argument but that every citizen of this republic should be American to the core, and be willing to stand for his Americanism, should not be questioned. That sort of a spirit, crystallized at this time, will bear fruit, and will be the harbinger of the peace that everyone wants, but some do not know what our country should do to bring it about.

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INEXCUSABLE CARELESSNESS

Though many people have had bad falls by stepping on orange or banana skins that have been carelessly dropped on the sidewalk, the inexcusable habit of throwing fruit skins on sidewalks does not abate. The present weather, with the slippery condition of the sidewalks, affords enough danger to the public without adding fruit skins, but yesterday, a man on Park avenue, had successfully negotiated his steps over the ice-covered walk, but just then stepped on an orange skin that had been carelessly thrown on the walk. Naturally he and everyone else would think his fall was the fault of the condition of the sidewalk, unless he happened to take notice of the orange skin. Property owners are the first to be blamed for accidental falls on the sidewalks, and it is often a question difficult to decide as to the real blame in such cases. It is very difficult to identify people who throw fruit skins on the walks and hold them to account, so the general public is menaced by a few careless ones.

New Spring Footwear for Women

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WOULD ENCOURAGE SHIP YARDS

Representative George E. Foss, of Illinois, is a champion of the private ship yard as against the Government navy yard. He thinks it is a great mistake that the Navy Department does so little for the encouragement of private shipbuilding plants, and is so willing to reject their bids in favor of those from navy yards. According to Mr. Foss, the competition for Government work is keen, which assures nominal prices for the work. "In a time like this," says he, "I believe we should have these great ships built by the private shipbuilding concerns." The difference in the apparent cost of building ships in private and Government yards is due, in the opinion of Mr. Foss, to different methods of bookkeeping, the principal items at variance being in the overhead costs, which have to be distributed among the ships under construction in a private yard, but are largely thrown under other heads in a Government establishment.

HE GETS SOME "IRON CROSS"

Mississippians are surely "roasting" their once pride and joy, "Jim" Vardaman for his attitude toward the administration policy, in which he joined the filibusters in the Senate, in the closing hours of the sixty-fourth Congress, Sunday, and helped to defeat the armed neutrality bill. A Mississippi blacksmith has sent him at the behest of a one-time admirer of Vardaman, an "iron cross," weighing forty pounds, inscribed: "Lost the Kaiser forget." The man wanted to be sure it was big enough to be noticed, and sent it to remind the recipient of the way he double-crossed the President. It is little wonder that Mississippi took the action of its Senator with anything but a happy mood, for such pacificism was an unknown trait in the State which sent the famous Mississippi Rifles to the Civil War.

SAYS IT WAS TREASON

Berlin now says it was treason to permit the exposure of her intrigue against the United States, by letting the knowledge intended for the Mexican government urging an alliance between Mexico and Japan, against the United States, to fall into our hands. But it shows that we are somewhat alert to her secret missions in which we are concerned.

EDITORIAL NOTES

It is considered all right in Europe to drown women and children as they ought to be thankful not to be suffocated by asphyxiating gases.

Perhaps Uncle Sam might pass on to Congress that cage he was going to put Villa in, as a suitable place in which to incarcerate the stock market leaders after they are caught.

If a man is seen on the street in a battered condition, it is doubtful whether he has been attending a peace society meeting or a Republican-Progressive harmony dinner.

From the unmasculine way in which we have stood up for our rights in the recent crisis, perhaps Uncle Sam should be known as Aunt Sam.

Wall street might not feel so averse to war if they could have six hours' advance "leak" on the information.

The girl who buys all these extra brilliant-color spring styles will perhaps be the same one who knocks because those horrid men on the street corner twist their necks to look at her.

For real eloquence now don't look so much to Congress as to the demonstrators who are setting forth the advantages of a $595 automobile.

The spring styles for men show coats cut close to the body, but they are not yet provided with ruffles and ribbon trimmings.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

About the Comfort Station

Editor of the Courier-News:

Dear Sir.—In your report of the proceedings of the Common Council on Monday evening last, Mr. Rapalje, who appeared and spoke to urge that toilet conditions be remedied at the Central Railroad Station, is quoted as saying, that there was a possibility of the city leasing a portion of the company's land surrounding the depot for a Public Comfort Station.

I hope there is no valid reason for this assertion, for I knew the sentiment of the Business Men's Association, and no doubt the majority of our citizens would be very much opposed to this location, for it is not central, and the fact that the Central Railroad officials are about to remedy present existing conditions at the station would make "A Public Comfort Station" at this point superfluous.

The Business Men's Association at my solicitation, appointed a committee on Public Comfort Station last year. This committee went into the matter pretty thoroughly, having several petitions signed by hundreds of citizens, these petitions being presented to the Common Council. The committee also gathered valuable data from experts in this line, and also sought information from other cities, all of which was placed before the 1916 Public Affairs Committee of the Common Council with additional reasons from each member of the Merchants' Association as to the crying need of this comfort station. We understood that some action would be taken at that time, but as far as we know, nothing has been done.

We hope this matter will receive the attention it deserves, and that no action be taken as to the purchase of land adjoining the station, until the Business Men's Committee has an opportunity of being heard. From a common sense point of view the logical place for a station of this kind is in the central or business portion of the city—the shopping and travel centre. Business men are perhaps in a better position to judge of the great necessity of having this station centrally located than the average citizen, as they are in daily touch with evidences of its need.

Let us hope that with the approach of spring, when travel and outdoor recreation will be again resumed, the Common Council will make renewed efforts to give its citizens and the public this improvement in which they stand so sorely in need. If this be accomplished, Plainfield the City Beautiful, can boast of having taken her place among the other progressive cities of the State.

Yours very truly,
JOHN J. VARLEY,
Chairman Public Comfort Station, For the Business Men's Association of Plainfield.

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Stero Bouillon Cubes, 12 to box, 25c
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Evaporated California Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c
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California Fancy Asparagus, No. 1 can, special, 2 for 35c
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California Green Gage Plums, 25c cans .....
Hawaiian Fancy Sliced Pineapple, 2 cans 25c
Jersey Pack Fancy Pears, in heavy syrup, large can .....
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Evaporated Apples, fancy 1 lb pkgs., 17c; or 2 for .....
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W. C. T. U. TO HAVE PARLOR MEETING

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SYDAM—On Wednesday, March 7, 1917, Nettie L., wife of Fraser Sydam.
Services at her late residence, Oak Tree, N. J., on Saturday, March 10, at 2 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery, Samptown, N. J.

CORCORAN—John, 38 years old, died at his home, 279 Avenue C, Bayonne, N. J.
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TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Five-room house, part improvements. 112 Jackson avenue, Borough. 3-7-tf

FOUR ROOMS, 1432 West Third street, $13.00; 6 rooms, all improvements, 972 Arlington avenue. Inquire Israel, 423 John street. 3-7-6t

FOR RENT—Six rooms and bath, all improvements, fruit, large yard, 451 Orchard place. Inquire M. Abrams' Shoe Store. 3-9-3t

"EAST END" house has been rented. 3-8-2t

TO LET—Six rooms, newly painted and papered, part improvements. Inquire 414 West Third street, or 317 East Second street. 3-8-3t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street, 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 8-room house, 207 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

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TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 913 South avenue. 2-16-tf

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FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1578. 2-26-tf

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DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

YOUNG GIRL desires place as chambermaid. Loretta Salzman, 139 Seminary avenue, Rahway, or 'phone 142-J, Rahway. 3-7-3t

A LAUNDRESS wants washing to take home; reference. Telephone 210-M, 308 Fillmore avenue. 2-7-3t

A DUTCH LADY, good sewer and worker, wants a place as lady's helper every morning or four days a week. Address Miss H. Swan, 147-B West Front street.

COLORED WOMAN wishes day's work. 666 South Second street. 3-9-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 32 Somerset street, Plainfield. 2-17-tf

BOY, over 16, wanted in auto paint shop, one with some experience preferred. Wm. E. Runyon, 24-26 Somerset street. 2-27-tf

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experience in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

MILLING machine operators wanted. International Motor Co., Plainfield, N. J. 3-7-3t

WANTED—Boy, about 18 to 16, to drive milk wagon and help with cows. Address "Milkman," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Useful man not afraid of work; week's work consists of 5½ days; good pay; reference required. Address "Position," care Courier-News. 3-5-5t

WANTED—Four non-union painters. Apply New Post Office. 3-6-3t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 3-27-1m

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 1-19-6-s-tf

WANTED—Boy, about 16, to make himself useful about drug store after school. Nagle's Pharmacy.

WANTED—Handy man on country place, one that will help inside and outside, and that has some knowledge of gardening. "Steady," care Courier-News. 3-9-2t

WANTED—Experienced Acme and Gridley automatic operators; also two inspectors. Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-9-4t

CUTTING tool grinder wanted. International Motor Co., Plainfield, N. J. 3-7-3t

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 2-8-tf

WANTED — Automobile repair man. Apply 124 Madison avenue. 3-7-2t

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WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow; a good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

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WANTED—TO RENT

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in central or west end of city. Address "E. F.," 224 Clinton avenue. 3-6-4t

WANTED—Small furnished house until October 1st; must be in good location and reasonable. "Louis," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

WANTED TO RENT—For April 1st, four rooms, with improvements; two in family. "M. K.," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

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WANTED—A good paying business proposition that can be bought right; no brokers. "C," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ANOTHER BARGAIN — Auction sale, including two lots of storage goods, tomorrow, 2 p. m., at 328 West Front street, near Grove, viz: One fine hand rosewood square piano, in good condition; two rosewood piano player, attachment and a number of music rolls; one cabinet organ; three writing desks, including one lady's desk, two chiffoniers, two almost new extension couches, one folding screen, one folding new steamer chair, one cooking range, two sideboards, two ball racks, two hot water heaters, two sewing machines, two extension tables, two centre stands, several runners, carpets and rugs, two oak bureaus, two almost new enamel white beds, two springs and mattresses, one pier glass, one carpenter tool chest, tools, over 50 rolls of wall paper, several pieces bric-a-brac, and everything spic and span, and are going to be sold. We need the room for other goods. Come in. Robert Murray, auctioneer. 'Phone 666.

FRESH COWS and springers. Holstein, Guernsey and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 3-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, surrey, wagon, two sets harness, plow, harrow and cultivator, all for $85.00; a bargain; near New Brunswick avenue school. F. W. Tallman, S. Ninth St. 2-7-3t

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Gun, beds, bedding, pillows, stands, chairs, etc. Inquire 314 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2569-W. 3-8-3t

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture, rugs, dishes, etc. 243 Somerset St. 3-8-6t

POOL TABLE for sale, cheap for cash. Apply 60 Westervelt avenue. 3-8-2t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE—Copying press, $8.00. J. D. Lojseaux Lumber Co., 620 North avenue. 3-6-tf

PERSIAN kittens for sale. 716 East Second street. 3-9-3t

FOR SALE—Very reasonable, cash or terms, fine Hardman concert upright piano, like new, as used mostly for recitals. Call 830 West Sixth street. 3-6-4t

TWO-OVEN gas range for sale, $3.00. E. Carpenter, 805 East Sixth street. 3-8-1t

FOR SALE—Yale motorcycle, in good running order; also household furniture; must sell quickly. Over Sheelen's store, South avenue, Fanwood.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 171 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FOR SALE—Ninety-quart capacity ice cream cabinet in good condition; reasonable price. Address Sugar Bowl, corner of Broad and Prospect streets, Westfield. 3-7-3t

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

ROLL TOP DESK with chair, handsome china, pictures and curtains. Address "Occasion," care Courier-News. 2-7-3t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 850 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn sheilers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1742, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

HOUSE and two lots for sale, 316 East Third street. Price twenty-eight hundred. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Eight acres, fine 8-room house and bath; all improvements; good outbuildings; elegant shade trees; variety fruit in abundance; main street, ten minutes' walk from station, Plainfield. Address "Sale," care Courier-News. 3-3-6t

FOR SALE—Country home of 30 acres on River road, main auto road, fronting on brook; 800 feet frontage, Raritan river near boundary; 11 rooms, 2 baths, all improvements; in excellent condition and partly furnished; barns, poultry houses, modern machinery, straw; ideal for country club, boarding house or road house; ideal location; price $18,000; terms; closed for inspection. Mrs. 49 Third street, Weehawken, N. J. 2-28; 3-2,7,9,14,16,21,23

FOR SALE—Small farm, five acres, house, outbuildings; ideally located, three miles Plainfield station, in Watchung; transportation; improvements. Details and terms, William Delaroche Anderson, Plainfield, N. J. 3-5-7-9

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few lots that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-s

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

TO LET—Furnished front room, in private family, North Plainfield; reference required. "Jackson," care Courier-News. 3-7-3t

TO LET—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 'Phone 539-M. 3-9-2t

TWO furnished rooms, heat and use of bath; private family on Union trolley line; breakfast if desired. Address "West End," care Courier-News. 3-9-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. 433 East Seventh street. 3-9-2t

LARGE furnished room and kitchen, steam heat. 308 East Front street. 3-9-3t

FOR RENT—Front room, nicely furnished; all improvements; excellent location; gentlemen only. 602 Madison avenue.

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. T.," care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-7-2t

TWO furnished rooms in private family, all improvements; board optional; good location. "N. W.," care Courier-News. 3-8-2t

LARGE front room for rent; private family; business man preferred; reference required. 222 Somerset street. 3-8-3t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 612-J. 2-20-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Behring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 2-22-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street; near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

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FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-22-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

FOR SALE—Bungalow 7 rooms, all improvements; $500 down, $30 per month; price $5,000. Address "Bungalow," care Courier-News. 3-7-6t

FOR SALE—Six-room house, No. 1308 South avenue; five minutes' walk from Netherwood station; price $3,200. Apply 1320 South avenue. 3-9-2t

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 8-room house, all improvements; two acres of land; large barn, chicken house; all kinds of fruit; 45 minutes from New York. Address 3 Elm street, Westfield. Rent, $41.50. 3-9-2t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-13-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY—House, 7 or 8 rooms, with improvements. Apply 402 East Fifth street. 3-6-4t

COAL BURNING Colony brooder. 'Phone particulars Stout Farm, 2535-M. 3-8-3t

SITTING HENS—In large numbers. State variety and price, which must be reasonable. Forsgate Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Late model Ford runabout for cash. Reed & Robins, 130 East Front street. 3-9-2t

WANTED TO BUY six or seven-room house, with two acres ground; state full particulars in first letter. "G. Z.," care Courier-News.

WANTED—1915-1916 model motorcycle, standard make, twin; cheap; drive. Mr. B., 726 Richmond street. 2-7-4t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR wants position in private family; references. "H. R.," care Courier-News. 3-7-2t

FIRST-CLASS PAINTING and paper hanging done at most reasonable prices. Send a postal to O. F. Pearson, 1018 East Front street, 'Phone 1814-J. 2-10-1m

YOUNG MAN wants position as cook; understands hotel and private family cooking. Call at 815 Richmond street. 3-9-3t

MAN with team and Watson dumper wants work or contract. Tel. 2437, 954 West Fourth street. 3-8-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

TO LET—Store and rooms, 143 East Fifth street. G. Meisaner. 3-7-6t

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Up-to-date meeting room, steam heated; also office, 204 West Front street. Inquire Bernstein Outfitting Co. 3-3-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Front Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White French poodle, Friday. Liberal reward if returned to A. C. Thompson, 730 Sherman avenue. 'Phone 2228-M. 3-3-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

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MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

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$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 1-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. E. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-26-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 2-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 329 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. Apply 718 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Young white girl as chambermaid-waitress in family of three; must be experienced and have good references; wages $30; Swedish preferred. Call after 7:30 p. m. at 97 Mercer avenue. 3-7-3t

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 781 West Sixth street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

WANTED—Competent cook and laundress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 2-7-3t

WANTED—Competent white chambermaid and waitress for a family of three; references required. Apply Mrs. F. D. Warren, 966 Hillside avenue. 3-8-2t

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; week work. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing. 600 Franklin place. Tel. 1667. 3-8-3t

WANTED—Chambermaid and waitress. 723 Central avenue. 3-8-2t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-9-6t

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework. 816 West Seventh street. 3-9-3t

WANTED—Young woman, light housework, plain cook, no washing. Apply Wagner's Cigar Store, 351 West Front street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—Good colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-9-3t

WANTED—A white maid for general housework; small family; good wages. 945 West Seventh street. 3-8-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse, white, with good reference. Apply in evening, 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-7-3t

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—White couple, wife as chambermaid and waitress, husband as useful man; no one without reference and experience need apply. 313 East Seventh street. 3-8-3t

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First rehearsal for children, Tuesday March 13, at 3 o'clock in lodge room. Girls between 7 and 15 years of age invited.

SAYS GERMANY IS PERFIDIOUS

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of the plot to embroil this country with Carranza and Japan, in order to expedite the action of Congress in the matter of his own requests. As to how the Chief Executive became possessed of this note there was a wide conjecture. He had been asked for the source of his authority and as to how he obtained it, but had replied that in his opinion it would be unwise to give the source of the information. There was a conjecture that the letter had been found in Bernstorff's mail, and there was another supposition, that the information had been entrusted to a messenger who was taking it to Carranza but was apprehended on the way and the letter taken from him. However, the truth was not known to the general public.

Miss Richards read the note and showed in her reading and comment on it how clearly Carranza was to be made the catspaw of Germany; he was to take all initiatives and he was to offer to mediate between Japan and Germany. It was, she said, laughable to think of "little old Mexico" having such a part in so big an affair. That the whole matter was treachery and perfidy on the part of Germany there could be no question, for the note bore the date of January 19, and this country had not severed diplomatic relations with Germany at that time, and not until February 3.

Whatever might have been the President's reason for springing the affair on the Congress at that particular time, it certainly brought Congress to reason, for the vote of the arming of the ships was a record vote. Unfortunately, the filibustering in the Senate prevented its passing that body. Here Miss Richards gave an account of the filibustering methods and denounced the action in no measured terms. She also explained the system of closure.

RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS

C. B. Sorensen, Jr., of Putnam avenue, who has been detained at home with an affection of the hearing, is able to be out again. He is associated with Eva Tanguay in her vaudeville act, and because of his illness, Miss Tanguay was obliged to give up several engagements. She will resume her work in New York on Monday.

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CONTEST OVER THE PRIMA DONNA'S WILL

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 9.—Contending that the Monmouth Orphans' Court was in error in accepting the 1914 will of the late prima donna, Lillian Nordica Young, without proof that it was a legitimate document, Geo. W. Young, the late prima donna's husband, of Deal, that county, has filed an appeal with the Prerogative Court to have the action set aside and the will of 1910, in which he is named the beneficiary, admitted to probate. The 1914 paper makes the deceased singer's sisters her beneficiaries.

Madam Nordica drew her will in the year of 1910, according to the husband, and he charges that the 1914 paper was not properly executed in accordance with the statutes, and in the presence of two witnesses, and that there is no proof that the deceased prima donna knew the contents of this latter document.

Mrs. Young had a summer home at Port-au-Peck, near where some Plainfielders spend the summer.

LADIES' AID HELD MEASURING PARTY

The Ladies Aid Society of the Netherwood Reformed church held a successful measuring party last evening. Each person was assessed two cents per foot of their height and one cent for all odd inches. Fancy articles and flowers were on sale and refreshments were served.

During the evening Mrs. William H. Morris recited, Miss Myrtle Townley, Miss Reid and Miss Ursula Berryman played piano solos, Miss Belle Mossis sang a solo and took part in a vocal duet with Mrs. McClellan Staats; the Comrades' Club sang several amusing songs and Herbert Adam gave a monologue. The pastor, the Rev. Edward S. Ralston, spoke briefly.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS

At the Columbia

All Reeves will bring his big beauty show to the Columbia Theatre the week commencing Monday afternoon, March 12, and present the type of burlesque performance with which his name has for so many years been identified. The program consists of two one-act farces with music and a long list of vaudeville specialties together with an elaborately arranged exhibition of living models that is as much a part of a Reeves' show as is the presence of the star himself. For the present season, Mr. Reeves is said to have provided entirely new material including new verses for his own topical songs, "Give Me Credit Boys" and "Remember Your Old Pal Al." A prodigal supply of originally designed costumes of the distinctly Reeves type and scenery and electrical effects of unusual magnitude and splendor are said to have been provided. In the company are several of the most widely known players in burlesque, many of whom contribute their specialties in addition to appearing in the burlesques. By special arrangement, Mr. Reeves will introduce George M. Cohan's spirited patriotic arrangement called "The American Ragtime" in which the whole organization will take part.

At the Strand

A varying and interesting program will be presented at the Strand Theatre where the principal photo-dramatic feature will be "Sapho," an adaptation of the famous French author, Alphonse Daudet's immortal story, in which Pauline Frederick played the title role before the camera. It is said that "Sapho" is Miss Frederick's greatest screen achievement, and she has been surrounded by an excellent cast including Frank Losee, John Bainpolis, Pedro de Cordoba and Thomas Meighan. The third edition of the wonderful "Prizma" pictures in natural colors will contain some beautiful picturesque and interesting views of the Grand Canyon. A newly arrived lot of French war pictures taken on the Western front will also be shown. Raymond L. Ditmars, curator of the N. Y. Zoological Society, presents a real monkey comedy which he has entitled "Orangon as Plumber." The Strand Topical Review will show some exceptionally interesting American and European news pictures.

The musical program is a varied and pleasing one.

ARTHUR EMPEY WILL DESCRIBE TRENCH FIGHTS

Arthur Guy Empey will lecture at the Park Club Tuesday evening, next March 13, on his experiences in fighting in the trenches at the front. He will give to his audience a vivid description of the "Big Push" which drove the Prussians back from captured French territory. He will tell of seeing the lives of men on both sides snuffed out so fast that a corps of accountants with tabulators could not keep track of the carnage.

Mr. Empey will also relate the humorous side of the war, telling of the many personal incidences that occurred when the soldiers were not actually on duty. His story of a game of base ball played at the front, when a German shell hit the home-plate and blew off a player's arm is most graphic.

The public is invited to take advantage of Mr. Empey's first visit to Plainfield and attend the lecture. A small admission will be charged to cover expenses. The lecture will begin at 8:30 p. m.

PLANNING FOR COMPANY K REUNION

At a committee meeting held last night it was arranged to hold the sixteenth anniversary of Company K and the fifth reunion of the veterans of the company on March 21.

The affair will be held at the Armory on West Front street. Former members of the company will all be invited to attend, and prominent speakers will grace the occasion.

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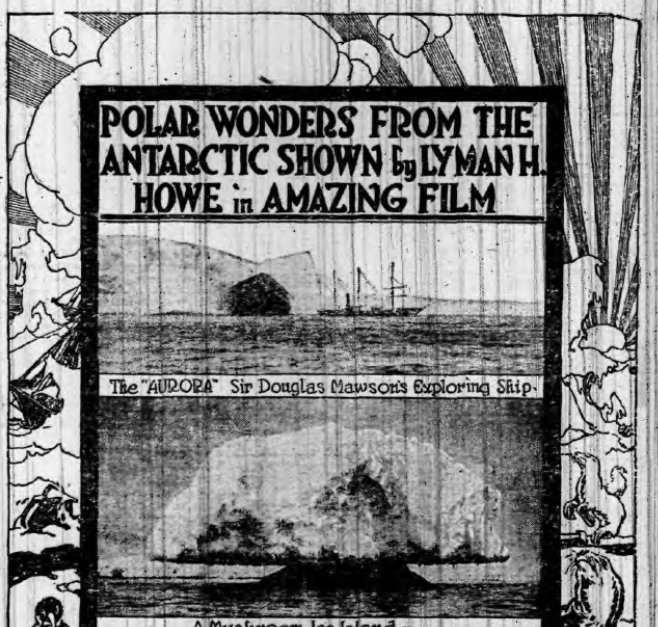

Plainfield Theatre Today and Tomorrow, March 9 and 10, Matinee Daily

Amazing scenes of the ocean laden with icebergs of mountainous proportions brilliantly glistening in the sun, form only one of a host of views which will be unfolded at the Plainfield Theatre today and tomorrow, when Lyman H. Howe will present the film epic of Sir Douglas Mawson's expedition into the Antarctic. The tranquil majesty of these spired and turreted Alpine bergs is unlike anything else the eye of man has seen hitherto. One of them measured was 49 miles long.

Besides discovering a new continent, the expedition also made man's first acquaintance of those Antarctic birds known as snow petrels in their native haunts. They have been known to exist for over 100 years but not until now were their rookeries discovered. Their nests are made from pebbles because the hurricanes would carry off lighter material.

Another feature of Howe's itinerary takes spectators into the groves and sunlit corridors of giant Sequoias in Yosemite National Park, and among waterfalls of transcendent beauty, some of which hurl themselves from precipices more than 2,000 feet in height. Thrills to satisfy the most exacting will be provided by still another film showing the recent automobile race over Giant's Despair at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., where fearless drivers race their cars at tremendous speed up steep inclines and around sharp curves. Throughout the entire program amusement follows amusement in swift succession—a wealth of rich humor being contributed by an entirely new series of animated cartoons.

OLGA PETROVA AND LOUISE HUFF AT PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's Theatre Today

At Proctor's Theatre, today, Mme. Olga Petrova, erstwhile a stage star and now one of the most beautiful and talented screen actresses, appears in her latest Metro success entitled "Bridges Burned" in a strong emotional role. Also today, a first-run Paramount offering, "The Reward of Patience," in which popular Louise Huff is featured.

Tomorrow by special arrangement Charlie Chaplin, Marie Dressler and Mabel Normand will be seen in "Tillie's Punctured Romance." Edna Goodrich, the talented beauty, will appear in a powerful Paramount dramatic production entitled "The House of Lies."

The program for the coming week will be: Monday, Alice Brady in "A Hungry Heart"; Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria," and the first of the world-famous Fox comedies entitled "The Social Pirates."

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Herbert Brenon will present his eight-part picturization of "War Brides," with Mme. Nazimova, in the leading role, a part made famous by her on the speaking stage throughout the country.

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Teco Pancake Flour—Wheat or Buckwheat mixture; a regular 12c package of goods; we offer for Friday and Saturday, pkg. 9c

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SYDELL'S LONDON BELLES HERE MONDAY NEXT

The Rose Sydell Famous London Belles presenting high-class burlesque, and specialties will be the attraction at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night, March 12. The company this season carries fifty people together with a complete scenic and electrical equipment; the costumes are gorgeous, producing to the eye a constant dazzling effect. The girls are picked from the swagger of Broadway, and the comedians know how to produce good hearty laughs without the use of slapsticks and buffoonery.

The production is a two-act musical burlesque entitled "A Trip to Washington" and is an irresistible mirth-provoking concoction of laughable situations, intermingled with bright, catchy musical ensembles introduced by the large chorus of handsome girls, richly gowned.

The closing burlesque is a riot of fun and music and in this the girls are given every opportunity to disport themselves in many changes of gorgeous gowns. Johnnie Weber and Bill Campbell, comedians, keep the fun moving. The rest of the cast is Ward Caulfield, Arthur Delmore, Mr. Smith, Ed Wright, Harry Walljen, Frances Cornell, Lew. Thall, Grace

Campbell & Weber With Rose Sydell's London Belles at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, Matinee and Night, March 12

Tregoni, Miss Pullman and Rose Sydell, herself.

NEWARK AMUSEMENTS

At the Broad Street Theatre

There are indeed few producing theatrical managers in the United States who at some time or other have not met their Waterloo. There are exceptions but they are limited. It can be said to the credit of George M. Cohan, who stands today as one of America's best stage producers that he has never written a play that was not a successful one.

Messrs. Cohan and Harris, who have been equally successful as producers this season, will present Fred Niblo in the sensational farce "Hit-The-Trail-Holliday" at the Broad Street Theatre, for a limited engagement commencing Monday evening, March 12th. This new Cohan masterpiece has developed into one of the most successful plays of the American stage. For almost an entire year it attracted audiences filling the Astor and Harris Theatres to their entire seating capacity, which must serve as its strong recommendation to playgoers in other parts of the country.

Mr. Niblo is known to be an accomplished actor of high attainments who has been prominent in his profession. As a comedian Niblo is unique. He is considered by those who are competent to judge as one of the cleverest and most versatile players associated with the stage.

PERSONAL

Miss Dorothy Butler, of East Ninth street, is ill at her home with scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Johnson and one of their children are ill with scarlet fever at their home, 330 Clinton avenue.

The Legislature should enact this bill into law!

On Monday, March 12, a vitally important bill is expected to come up for vote before the New Jersey Assembly.

This bill affects DIRECTLY every business and business man—every farmer—every manufacturer—EVERY CITIZEN in the entire State.

It is a sound, sensible, workable measure to give the Board of Public Utility Commissioners authority to determine how trains should be manned. It empowers this Board to COMPEL railroads to crew every train as the Board shall order.

This new law WILL ACCOMPLISH the very things for which the "full crew" law was enacted--and in which it has failed:--

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The railroads must have facilities to move traffic with regularity, despatch—and do it with safety and economy. The Trustees of the State Chamber through the Bureau of State Research made an exhaustive study of the workings of the "full crew" law. The proposed bill carries out the recommendations of their report.

It is an adequate, effective and workable measure.

Manufacturers, business organizations, the Grange, the press and the State Chamber of Commerce ALL OPPOSE THE EXISTING LAW AND FAVOR THIS NEW BILL!

Every legislator in this state will feel the responsibility that is placed squarely on his shoulders when the time comes to vote!

He should be given the expressed wish—direct—of his constituents, each one.

Write or telephone or otherwise communicate with your representative in the State Legislature and tell him that you feel that this bill should be enacted.

He will appreciate your interest.

The time is short; get in communication with him TODAY.

The bill has the hearty endorsement of Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce in the leading cities throughout the State; it has the strong support of intelligent, public-spirited citizens.

It should be enacted.

It should pass the Assembly without delay.

We urge YOU to let your Representative know that, in supporting this bill, he is voting as you would have him vote.

New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce
Newark, New Jersey

SOLDIERS ON BORDER ENTHUSIASTIC PATRIOTS

Washington, March 9.—A military organization in which the discipline goes far beyond a volunteer militia is the great need of this country, according to Ormsby McHarg, former assistant secretary of commerce and labor, and a well-known Republican of national note, who was in Washington this week on his return from a trip to the border to determine the attitude of the national guardsmen on the subject of universal military service.

"I found that, without exception, the most favored universal military training and service," said Mr. McHarg. "They seemed proud to point out the benefits the service had rendered them, especially in the way of improving their physical condition, those men had in many instances suffered great hardship at first as a result of radical change of climate and inefficiency as displayed by the militia organizations, but despite this they had gained a power of physical endurance, which few, if any of them, had ever before possessed.

"Without exception, the men condemned the present militia organization and the makeshift legislation of the recent Congress. They shrewdly enough compared the inefficiency of the militia officers and high organization of the regular army. It is perfectly plain that they thought the militia organizations fostered and maintained incompetent officers who are wholly unfit for the duties that would devolve upon them in case of actual warfare conducted under modern conditions."

Mr. McHarg said his trip to the border had convinced him that each boy in his nineteenth or twentieth year should have at least one year of compulsory service and for two or three years thereafter training along the lines of the Plattsburg camps for thirty days each year. In this period, he said, the boy would acquire habits of obedience, promptness, temperance, cleanliness, deportment and a sense of duty that would tend to the making of self-reliant citizens.

Burbank Now Sixty-eight

Wednesday was the birthday of Luther Burbank, the famous propagator of fruits and vegetables in California. He is sixty-eight years old, but in a moving picture, in which Plainfielders saw him a few days ago on the film in one of the local theatres, he appears to be still able to do vigorous work on the farm.

ANDERSON TALKS ABOUT CIVICS

Delivers Address Before a Large Audience in Whittier School, Dunellen

William Delaroche Anderson, formerly an Assemblyman from Somerset county, but now engaged in the business of municipal accounting, delivered an address on civics before a large number of pupils, teachers and parents in the Whittier School, Dunellen, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Anderson said, in part:

"Our form of government is that of a representative democracy. It originated in, or rather out, of the old-time town meetings which were held in the early days of all American communities. When affairs began to take a broader scope, these town meetings were not sufficiently expressive of the will of the majority because busy men failed to attend the meetings and participate in the conduct of their government, so assemblies of greater proportions were then organized, and these in time established the need of co-operation among the various communities. It was in this way that our political sub-divisions were created, and we now have the township, town, borough, city, county, State and national legislative bodies. Each community has its representatives in the county organization; the county is represented in the State legislative halls, and the State in the nation.

"Representatives are elected to these various businesses of government and they are supposed to present the wishes of their constituency.

"In our political development we have lost a valuable asset, and that is the realization of responsibility by all citizens. People are entitled to as good a government as they get, but when the affairs of a small community, a city, county or State are left only to those who like to participate in the conduct of their government, there is bound to be dissatisfaction, and evils will creep in.

"Every citizen should realize that the government of his home town is of first importance to him. The character of that government will reflect itself in the county and State legislative bodies through the personality of the men who are elected to represent it.

"In the early days of our government every man felt that it was incumbent upon him to participate in the affairs of the community, but this old-time interest is now manifested only spasmodically. Every citizen should be interested in the cost of municipal government. He should compare the cost of schools, police, fire and street departments of his town with the cost in other towns of the same size, and then by a process of arithmetical division he will be able to determine the exact amount that falls upon every man, woman and child in the community. When citizens do that they will be taking a proper interest in the public affairs. The facts they will discover will be sufficiently interesting to stimulate a desire for the more knowledge of affairs, and officials who have a community of citizens who want to know how things are going will always aim to have things go right."

PUPILS ESCAPE SCHOOL BOILER EXPLOSION

Jersey City, March 9.—Under the guidance of seven sisters and three priests 800 pupils were led out of the Sacred Heart school here yesterday when accidents after the building had been shaken by the explosion of a boiler in the basement. The school had just been assembled when the concussion came, rocking the structure and starting a panic.

The fire drill, which is practiced in the school, was immediately ordered in every room, and in a few minutes the children were marched to safety. There was a slight fire, but this was put out quickly.

TO CONCUR IN CALL

Newton, March 9.—The call of the Rev. J. W. Bishoff to the pastorate of the Hamburg Presbyterian church will be concurred in Monday at a special meeting of the Newton Presbytery in Washington.

The Rev. Ward C. Peabody of the Musconetcong Valley church will present a petition to be dismissed from the Presbytery. He will go to the Presbytery of Otsego, N. Y. The Rev. Thomas Houston, the blind evangelist, will ask to be dismissed for the purpose of uniting with the Presbytery of Jersey City.

PLANT NEARLY COMPLETED

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 9.—Construction of Plant B of the United Alloy Steel Corporation has about been completed. This increases the capacity of the company to more than 75,000 tons per month, or approximately 700,000 tons per annum.

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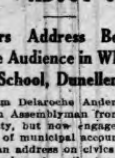

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Many toilet soaps contain harsh, injurious alkali. Resinol soap contains absolutely no free alkali, and to it is added the resinol medication. This gives it soothing, healing properties which clear the complexion, comfort tender skins and keep the hair healthy.

HONOR ROLLS OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The following are the honor rolls of the public schools for last month:

Grammar School—Grade 8-I, Zenaide Anderson, Hildreth Badger, Viola Bey, Elsie Decker, Mildred Dewey, Marion Ellis, Lois Hadley, Helen Haseltine, Rita Holmes, Teresa Kresge, Clara Moore, Ruth Schwartz, Constance Voorhees, Benjamin Hadley, William Hrin, Howard Jones, Russell Syran, Dorchester Walsh, Fischer Howard, Olga Philipsen, Charles Petz, Elma Anderson, Sarah Johnson, John Daniel, Harold McCusker, Harold Scribner, Clifton Siegelin, Robert Spicer.

Grade 8-II—Lois Beckman, Dorothy Deakin, Roland Bellis, Elsie Clark.

Grade 8-III (F. E. Cooper, teacher), Jessie Fullerton, Julia Hall, Florence Harris, Violet Hunt, Helen Lake, Douglas Chamberlain, Harry Gibbs, Frederick Hubach, Norman Hummer, Edward Robinson, Herbert Seaman.

Grade 8-IV—Beatrice Leitch, Edith Marsh, Ruth Morehouse, Evelyn Moor, Clara Nathanson, Celia Reder, Gertrude Rittenhouse, Edith Roseberry, Frank Marienschek.

Grade 8-V—George Murray, Raymond Tharp, George Van Kuren, Sona Spring, Charlotte Sachar, Pearl Tilley, Elsa Wickstrom.

Grade 7-I—Albert Allen, Martha Alprin, Orice Chamberlain, Cornelia Emmons.

Grade 7-II (Eleanor T. Wilbur, teacher), Margaret Evans, Randolph Hubbard, Arthur Giles.

Grade 7-III (F. W. Ragsdale, teacher), Dorothy Moore, Alleyne Macnab, Florence McHardy, Lillian Ryno, Arthur Sherman, Reading Van Doren, Robert Watson.

Grade VII—(Isabelle G. Ross, teacher), John Marder, Paul Vail, Mortimer Rhods Willis, Mary Patton, Ethel Winn, Ezra Wigstrom, Dorothy Hanson.

Evergreen—Grade 6-I—(M. C. Beard, teacher), Anna Bonsey, Frances Guttridge, Reverdy Johnson, Naomi Higgins, Vinton Lawrence Mullon Runyan, Marion Rolfe, Isabella Stevens, Esther Vars, Ralph Vail, Mary Van Cleef Dorothy Woodby, Emma Roethely.

Whittier School—Grade 8-VI, Herbert Collins; Russell Conway, William Cartwright, Hazel Winans, Edith Brodhecker, Elizabeth Traynor, Josephine Traynor, Mildred Decker, Mildred Dunn.

Grade 4-VI (Agnes A. Cheever, teacher), Gemimi Harrison, Myrtle Harrell, Estelle Homann, Madeline Hansen, Ethel Levine, Nettie Lasardi, William Fiedler, Harold Schirmer.

Grade 6-V (H. H. Humphrey, teacher), John Niehaus, Morris Trabilsky, Alphonse Wondka, Lucille Neighbor, Ethel Olsen, Mabel Rhodes, Viola Pawson, Gertrude Steer.

Jefferson—Grade VII, Clarence Mowen, James Brown, John Elliott, Florence Chatham, Elizabeth Cruickshank, Ethel Miller, Lucille Pryce, Marion Quipp.

Grade VI—Florence Goodenough, Mildred Heffmann, Arnold Wood, Beresford Matthews, Norman Carver, Charlotte Wenzel.

Irving—Grade VII, Earle Adams, Ernest Jeffrey, Kenneth Osborn, Benjamin Semer, George Stevens, Leslie Anderson, Stephen Haft, Gladys Adleman, Regina Ellis, Grace Goldsack, Josefa Green, Sanita Li Voki, Hattie Wusser, Edna Pound.

Irving—Grade VI, Gertrude Ayer, Dorothy Bird, Corinne Hellstrom, Elsie Hunter, Hazel McVoy, Eleanor Manning, Ruth Peacock, Winona Newcomb, Kenneth Houseman.

SENATE EMPLOYES IN VARIOUS STATES

Some Western newspapers have been comparing notes on the number of employes of their respective State Senates. The Missouri Senate, with thirty-four members, has 200 employes. In other words, each Senator has about six men to look after his law-making welfare.

The Kansas Senate, with forty members, has eighty employes, two for each member. Iowa boasts that its Senate of fifty members has only eighty-six employes.

The Hartford Courant points out that Connecticut's Senate gets along very well with a dozen employes, including the chaplain, and wonders if Yankees are more able to take care of themselves than Westerners.

The twenty-one New Jersey Senators, including their chaplain, have forty-five employes, proportionately next door to Missouri. But Jerseymen have never bragged that they had to be shown. That is Missouri's peculiar "blow." They must have a large number of superintendents of ventilation in the Missouri Senate!

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9¢ ct. Women's Sateen Petticoats.... .67
Black and colored—tailored or pleated flounces—fitted bands—all lengths.
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FLATS

A flat is a place with no room for expansion, intellectual or chest. It squires thin furniture and a narrow rifle. The rooms are so small you have to walk sideways when you rear your winsome clothing. And it's no place for a man with a stomach if you don't want the walls to bulge. Newly initiated flat dwellers have to be carefully trained so they won't walk out in the back yard and fall off the fire escape. When the fellow who said any old place he could hang his hat was home, sweet home to him, went to live in a flat he kept his hat on and hung himself instead. Life isn't much without a front porch and a back yard, anyhow. But what's a man with a 12-1/2 income going to do with an 8x10 disposition in a 2x4 flat?

BUTTER

Why do restaurants keep up the pretense of serving butter? In the first place the stuff they serve would be an insult to any self-respecting creamery, and in the second place they don't serve enough of it to make worth while chasing with a knife. A pat of restaurant butter these days is about as big as a germ and almost as visible. It is so small, in fact, that it can stand in the middle of its chip and be a fly's journey from the edge in any direction. There was a time when restaurant butter covered a multitude of bread.

JONAH

Jonah was a very indigestible gentleman. The whale deserved a lot of credit for swallowing him. He may have been a fine prophet, but he was a hum square meal. For three days and nights he scratched, kicked and pummeled that poor brute in the stomach so unmercifully that at last the whale gave up the fight and Jonah at the same time. We can sympathise with the whale exactly how he felt. We've eaten dinners that acted just like Jonah did.

PLUMBING

Does your plumbing grumble? Ours does. It's had a grouch on ever since we rebuilt and let it out in the open. We can't turn a faucet now without being growled at. Since we've given it the run of the bathroom it has spread itself all around in kinks and curlycues and festoons and dropsitted effects, and nothing can please it. It mumbles and mutters to itself all the time. Put plumbing back in solitary confinement; then maybe it'll shut up.

There's not a single hypocrite among all the worshippers at the shrine of the god of gold.

BAPTISTS TAKE THE SECOND RUNG HONORS

Special Correspondence.

Westfield, March 9.—The Baptist team of the Sunday School and Church League, winners of second place in the league this season, and the Episcopal team tried conclusions on the Playhouse alleys last night, and the Baptists took two of the three games.

The scores:

BAPTIST			
Venn	160	143	194
French	171	145	138
Hunt	180	155	144
C. Ortleb	174	157	157
Worth	171	157	153
	856	757	786
EPISCOPAL			
Egan	201	211	157
Lambert	171	145	143
Kynes	136	119	190
Keyes	197	194	105
Meyer	124	131	335
	825	800	640

"Weather or No"

If some men had a padded cell or two in their brains for violent thoughts and kept them there, they'd get along better.—Old Man Sage.

Bill Crosby, of O'Fallon, Ill., has been engaged in active competition for 35 years, and he averaged better than 96 for the thousands of targets he shot at in 1916.

SEASON'S BIG GAME TOMORROW NIGHT

Borough Basketball Teams to Clash in Big Feature Contest at Saengerbund

Tomorrow night, in Saengerbund Hall, the long-looked-for event of the year will be staged. The girls representing N. P. H. S. on the basketball floor this year will line up in a burlesque game against the boys' varsity. The game will start at 8.15.

Both teams will have their regular line-ups, but the boys are undecided about the side-centre position. Ahern and LaForte will be opposed by Elsie Wyckoff and May Doughty. Tess McCullough or Nora McDonough will play the pivot position against Andy McDonough. Captain Seidel will be opposed by Captain "Ily" Spencer and Willett will oppose Miss Chandler, the other forward for the fair sex.

Professor Stewart and his three-piece orchestra will furnish music between halves and after the game for dancing.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL WINS OVER LINDEN HIGH

The Plainfield Grammar School basketball five traveled to Linden yesterday to play the team of that place and won by the score of 26 to 15. Mowen of the visitors played a great game at guard, while Brancati did some fancy basket shooting. Rosenson did most of the scoring for the losers.

The score:

PLAINFIELD	G.	S.
	G.	F.
Lambert, f	6	1
Brancati, f	3	0
Randolph, c	2	0
McCusker, g	0	0
Mowen, g	2	1
	12	2
LINDEN H. S.		
	G.	F.
Phil, f	1	0
Spillinger, f	2	0
Rosenson, c	4	1
Kehrer, g	0	0
Anderson, g	0	0
	7	1

Timer, Smith.

ELKS MAINTAIN A CLEAR LEAD TITLE

Tabs, However, Spring Surprise of Evening in Some Extra Heavy Scores

RACE IS STILL TIGHT

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

	W	L	HS	PC
B. P. O. E.	27	18	975	.643
Imperials	24	18	965	.571
K. of C.	23	19	993	.548
T. A. B. S.	16	32	958	.333

The Imperials of the City Bowling League was able to take but one contest from the Elks on the borough alleys last evening, for the Elks were a little too swift for them. Except for the Elks' second tilt, the bowling of both teams was about normal. The first game was the only one to be closely contested, the Imperials coming out ahead by a margin of 25 pins.

Kiely of the Elks managed to cop both the high score at 229 and the high average at 191. Double century scores of the three in number, an equal number of "190 or better" scores being chalked up.

IMPERIALS

				Ave
Voorhees	191	173	137	—167
Connolly	74f			—74
Miller		155	187	—171
Conover	161	205	115	—160
McKenzie	181	138	170	—163
Gates	181	166	169	—172
	855	837	778	—825

Total pins—2,470.

B. P. O. E.

				Ave
Nash	159	193	163	—171
Cauldbrook	179	165	178	—174
Kiely	174	229	168	—191
Vail	170	168	154	—160
Waldorf	146	202	196	—181
	830	947	859	—878

Total pins—2,636.

The sensation of the circuit for the evening, however, was staged by the Tabs. Losing the first two tilts of the evening by margins of 11 and 24 pins, respectively, the Abstainers came back strong in the highteap contest, winning by the overwhelming majority of 156. For several weeks past the Tabs have been priming themselves for just such a demonstration as this, even though it comes a little late in the season.

Heavy scores were the order of the evening. The Tabs took over three of the four double century scores marked up, while the teams split even on six scores above the 190 level.

Lawton of the Tabs struck the popular note of the evening with a high score of 236, as well as a high average of 206. Skinner came second with an average of 203, with Howe of the Knights with a chalking of 202.1 for his night's work.

K. OF C.

				Ave
Duffy	162	168	135	—155
Sullivan	199	181	144	—174
Wilson	170	148	176	—164
Howe	222	196	189	—202
Taylor	156	195	158	—169
	909	888	802	—866

Total pins—8,661.

T. A. B. S.

				Ave
Lawton	200	182	236	—206
Kyle	156	156	160	—157
Mahoney	168	172	175	—171
Skinner	196	220	193	—203
J. O'Keeffe	178	134	194	—168
	898	864	958	—903

Total pins—2,710.

SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

New York—The Brooklyn Baseball Club has secured waivers on Infielders O'Mara and Mowrey, the hold-out twins. O'Mara has been sold to the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League, but nobody appears anxious to take Mowrey off the manager's hands. It is expected Mowrey will receive his unconditional release.

Chicago—Clarence Green, age 54, for more than 30 years a prominent figure in billiard and bowling circles, is dead here today. He was widely known in Elkdom.

Hot Springs—Jeff Pfeffer, the star twirler of the Robins, who is still unsigned, worked out with the rest of the Brooklyn squad at the ball Park yesterday morning. He had a long talk with Mgr. Robinson and President Ebbets Wednesday night and said yesterday that he would most likely come to an agreement with the club before tomorrow. No word has yet been received from Zach Wheat and Casey Stengel.

Pasadena, Cal.—The Chicago Cubs left here yesterday for Los Angeles, where they will wind up their training in this State. Manager Fred Mitchell thinks the trip will give him an edge on the other seven clubs in the league.

Newark, N. J.—It was announced here yesterday afternoon that Jack Dalton, the former star outfielder of the Brooklyn Superbas, who jumped to the Federal League, has signed a contract to manage the Joplin team of the Western League.

Brooklyn—It was learned here yesterday afternoon that Al Mamaux, star pitcher of the Pirates, is engaged to marry Alice Johnson, of St. Mark's avenue, this city. Miss Johnson was introduced to Mamaux by Miss McKeever, daughter of an owner of the Brooklyn club.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Les Darcy and Mike Gibbons are at last matched, according to Frank Mulkern, the boxing promoter. The men will box April 10, Mulkern said: "I have official telegrams from Darcy that he would be in the West in three days. Governor Whitman's action in barring his appearance in New York has had its effect, and Darcy is anxious for a match. The Darcy-Gibbons bout will be the one originally arranged for April 10 with Timothy O'Sullivan, manager of Darcy, and which Les repudiated."

St. Louis, Mo.—President Tener of the National League has endorsed the sale of the St. Louis Cardinals to a popular subscription stock company. The price was $350,000.

Mineral Wells, Tex.—Milt Rieberg, the Swede, Pacific ball tosser, joined the White Sox Wednesday. Already he is the sensation of the camp. It is believed he will be the welding link in the Sox infield.

Fresno, Cal.—It now looks as if Dutch Leonard, the Boston Red Sox pitcher, is going to be a well man by the time the season opens. Leonard worked three innings yesterday in practice and his efforts made an impression on Manager Barry. Leonard was down with typhoid fever all winter.

Augusta, Ga.—Ty Cobb, who has been conditioning himself with Griffiths' team, plans to work off his extra poundage by packing a gun over the hills. Cobb said he will report to Manager Jennings of the Tigers at Waxahatchis in about two weeks.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS ON PAGE 11

PETE HERMAN STARTS WITH THE RIGHT "PEP"

Peter Gulatto, otherwise known as Pete Herman, the new bantamweight champion, is off to a running start in the defense of his acquired title. He is one of the boys to whom newspaper writers point with pride as a youth who isn't assuming, wants to fight and is otherwise an ideal chap.

Whether he'll be able to live a life of fame without getting the swelled head and a consequent reputation for using dollars for a bed is something to be developed in the spring of Old Man Time. Right now he has it. It is to be hoped he sticks by it.

Pete began his life as a bootblack. Being a native of Italy, he has nothing on several thousand of his countrymed who are shining their way to fame in the land of the free and the home of the brave.

There was a bad, though bold, character in New Orleans, where Pete gathered in the nickels, who used to come around about once a week and make a collection of nickels and dimes off the bootblacks. They all paid up like little men—Pete included.

One day Pete decided he wanted all the money he made for his very own, and he laid for the youth who came around after the dimes. He refused to sell out, with the result that the youth caught Pete one on the chin and nearly pulverized him. When Pete came to he brushed his clothes, started down the street, and when he found said youth he commenced to fight. The youth of the dime and nickel collection was sent to a hospital. From that time on Pete has his nickels and dimes and a fighting reputation. The latter was so good he decided to put it to use, which he did with such success that he has towered over the others in his class to the extent that he now is champion.

Herman is but 21. He has been fighting six years. He stands 5 feet 2 inches and weighs 116 pounds right along. Some day—off in the future—Pete is going to have a cafe in New Orleans. Also, on top is going to be a gymnasium. He wants to fight just now—fight 'em all. A champion, he believes, should prove it.

DOUBLE HEADER TO BE ON AT Y. M. C. A. FLOOR

A double-header has been booked for the Y. M. C. A. floor tomorrow evening, the first team being scheduled to entertain the strong Recreation Five, one of the aggregations which plays under the direction of the Public Recreation Committee. The two teams being of equal strength, some good game of the indoor sport should be staged at this time.

The second string men will resume activities at this time, when they will line up against the Hope Chapel seconds. The association boys are after the junior title of the city this year and expect to stage some very strong attractions between now and the close of the season. The closing game of the season will be with the Cupids, the only team to lower the colors of the association boys this season.

Y. W. C. A. TEAM IS TO PLAY EASTON GIRLS

A party of ten members of the local Young Women's Christian Association will tomorrow make its annual visit to the Easton (Pa.) association, returning home Sunday evening. A basketball game is to be staged tomorrow evening and the local women expect to attend the vesper services at the Easton rooms Sunday afternoon.

This will be the third trip to the Easton association of this kind, the previous affairs having been enjoyed to a great extent by those who have been in attendance from this city, and when the Queen City women have been entertained in a royal way by the members of the Easton association.

BRUNSWICK TEAM AT HOPE COURT TOMORROW

The Knights of St. John, a New Brunswick aggregation of basketball tossers, have been booked to appear in this city tomorrow evening by Manager DeHart of Hope Chapel. The Knights have a good record of games for the past season and should be able to put up a good game against the locals.

Manager DeHart announces the following line-up for the contest:

K. of ST. J.	HOPES
Byrnes	forwards — Porter
Gooch	forwards — Wells
Otterbein	centres — Schott
Schrum	centres — Snyder
Karl, Stahlin	guards — Wardrop

Y. W. C. A. AND SOCIAL CLUB IN BIG CONTEST

St. Mary's Social Club basketball team will have its hands full next Tuesday night when it clashes with the strong Y. W. C. A. team on the T. B. S. court. The Y. W. C. A. girls have some of the best players in the city numbered among their members, and as the Fourth street team has improved considerably of late a good game is expected.

To complete a good program the Inner-Triangles of Netherwood will meet some fast team, probably the Mohawks, in the preliminary contest, which will start at 8.15.

RIFLE CLUB NOTES

Regular business session this evening at Company K armory. Report on the site for an outdoor range will be made. Applications for membership will be received. Instruction in the use of military rifles will follow the formal meeting. Every member should be on the job.

Slated rifle practice at the armory indoor range tomorrow afternoon and evening. Special attention to beginners. As many of the members as possible should be out to these practice shoots.

Martin B. Stutsman, attorney for the club, stepped into the office yesterday to remind us that he made 19 targets out of a possible 50 at the Wednesday evening practice. Good work, old top, good work. Who's next?

Judging from the activities of the local organization during the course of the past two weeks one might judge that it is trying to catch up to the Westfield Rifle Club. Well, that is possible.

The Saturday afternoon shoots will be especially for beginners, although the "vets" will be welcome. The more, the merrier.

The proposed outdoor range for the summer months will fill a long-felt vacancy in the workings of the local club. There is no doubt but that many local men will visit such a range, especially Saturday afternoons during the spring, summer and fall months.

Plenty of room for new members in this organization. Such an organization in such a city as Plainfield should have a membership of at least 500. Apply to the officers of the club for membership application forms, or better still, appear personally at the meeting this evening.

The officers report the attendance at the Wednesday evening practice as good. A much larger gathering is anticipated for tomorrow evening.

Foster Signs Contract

Hot Springs, Ark., March 9.—Pitcher George Foster of the Boston Americans, arrived here yesterday from his home in Oklahoma and signed his contract last night for the 1917 season. Pitcher Drake also signed yesterday.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance to vacate and relase the public use and burden that portion of Thornton Avenue lying between Hillside and Woodland Avenues, being an unused and unaccepted portion of street on property of M. Englehardt Real Estate Co." a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council and read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to the third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Plainfield, N. J., in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Monday, the second day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL, City Clerk

Plainfield, N. J., March 5, 1917.

AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE AND RELEASE OF THE PUBLIC USE AND BURDEN THAT PORTION OF THORNTON AVENUE LYING BETWEEN HILLSIDE AND WOODLAND AVENUES, BEING AN UNUSED AND UNACCEPTED PORTION OF STREET ON PROPERTY OF M. ENGLEHARDT REAL ESTATE CO.

Whereas, It appears to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, that a portion of Thornton Avenue in said City of Plainfield, to wit, the portion thereof lying between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue, a dedicated street of said City has not been opened to public use for twenty years or more since the same Thornton Avenue was dedicated to public use; that the opening of such portion of said street will, if made, involve a large expenditure of public funds and that the opening of such portion of said street would be of no public benefit and the owner of all the land abutting on such portion of said street has consented in writing to such vacation, by filing such consent duly acknowledged as in case of an acknowledgement to a conveyance of lands in the office of the Clerk of the City of Plainfield;

Therefore, The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That all that portion of Thornton Avenue, so called, lying between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue in the City of Plainfield, which portion lies between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue is delineated by dotted lines on the Tax Map of the said City of Plainfield and is also delineated by dotted lines on a map entitled "Map of Plainfield, N. J. Compiled from Official records, private plans and surveys by Chas. E. Dunham and Co." and dated March 1917, made under the personal direction of the publishers published by C. E. Dunham & Co., N. Y., be and the same is hereby vacated and relieved of the public use and burden.

3-9-16

Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

JOHN J. CARROLL, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FURTHER ADDITION TO THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE ALREADY CONSTRUCTED IN THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NO 18.

WHEREAS, There has been constructed in said city a system of sewerage and sewers in relation thereto has been from time to time been taken as is set forth in the preamble to the ordinance of said city entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of an addition to the system of sewerage already constructed in the City of Plainfield," approved November 4, 1897, to which preamble reference is hereby made for greater certainty; and

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Common Council the public good requires that a further addition, as hereinafter described, system of sewers are already constructed, should be now constructed and for said city under the provisions of the Act in said preamble referred to, and the Common Council has determined and does hereby so determine; therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Common Council doth hereby direct and order that a further addition to the system of sewerage already constructed under said Act and to relation thereto has had

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ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATH OF H. W. BEECHER

Yesterday was the thirtieth anniversary of the death of Henry Ward Beecher, the noted preacher of the Plymouth church, Brooklyn, who made the name of that church and also Brooklyn itself famous by his eloquence. He is recalled by many Plainfielders who heard him either in pulpit or on the lecture platform.

He was one of the most eminent preachers and one of the greatest thought leaders in this country. He was born in Litchfield, Conn., June 24, 1813. He died in New York March 8, 1887.

His successors in Plymouth church have been the late Rev. Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage who was born near Bound Brook, and the present incumbent, the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, who spoke before the Men's Club of the Congregational church in this city a few weeks ago.

SUNDAY SCHOOL IN CHARGE OF EVENING SERVICE

The Sunday school of the Temple Baptist church took charge of the mid-week service in the church Wednesday under the new arrangement by which the school is to conduct the meetings the first Wednesday evening in each month. The attendance was large and eighteen of the young men and young women took part in the service. George Huff, secretary of the school, led, and his topic was "A Life Pleasing to Christ."

There was a cornet solo by Captain Peter Crispell of the Salvation Army, and a violin and piano duet by Miss Bessie Carson and Frederick Borrup, of the Sunday school orchestra.

The service was particularly gratifying to the superintendent and the pastor.

ARRIVAL OF GOLD

Special to the Courier-News:

San Francisco, March 9.—The steamer Waikawa has arrived with $2,500,000 in gold from Australia consigned to the J. P. Morgan Co.

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CITIZENS COMPLAIN OF OVERCROWDED CARS

Patrons in this city of the Main Line trolley cars are complaining about the inadequate service provided by the Public Service Corporation, especially during "rush hours." This is particularly noticeable in the operation of the eastbound trolley which is scheduled to reach the Watchung avenue stand at 8 o'clock in the evening.

This car gets to town in time for the various entertainments at the theatres and elsewhere, and in consequence is considerably overcrowded from the time it leaves Clinton avenue until it arrives in the heart of Plainfield. On Tuesday night when the Saurer minstrel show was given at the Plainfield high school this condition was even more pronounced, and a large number of people being unable to get on the one Arlington avenue trolley that connected with the 8 o'clock Main Line car, was obliged to walk to the high school.

The operation of what is known as a "tripper" car ahead of the Main Line trolley would help to remedy this trouble. The "over-crowded condition" is now a nightly occurrence instead of the exception, and there are a number of people who believe that the trolley company should try to afford relief to the traveling public.

GERAN LAUDS ARTHUR PIERSON

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 9.—With Democratic Leader Geran paying a tribute to the work of Assemblyman Arthur N. Pierson, of Union county, in municipal finance research, the House of Assembly passed the seven measures introduced by the Union man as the result of the investigation of the commission of which Mr. Pierson is the chairman.

"The name of Assemblyman Pierson ought never to be forgotten by the people of New Jersey for the great work which he has done in attempting to place the finances of the municipalities of this State on a business basis. As a matter of fact he has offered the most sound measures introduced at this session," was Geran's statement.

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BILLS PASSED BY HOUSE AND SENATE

Trenton, March 9.—After having been defeated last week, the Senate on Tuesday night passed the bill introduced by Senator Richards, of Atlantic, which changes the percentage of voters necessary to bring on a recall election in commission government cities. The bill originally provided for 40 per cent. of the voters signing the petition for the recall, and this was the cause for its setback. Tuesday night, upon motion of the Atlantic Senator, the measure was reconsidered, and he then amended it so that instead of 40 the percentage will be 30. At the present time 25 per cent. of the voters must sign the petition.

Several salary raising bills from the House were approved by the Senators, despite the fact that Governor Edge had sent in his first vote on a bill of this character. Among the House measures passed were the following:

Mr. Morgan: Compels the reporting to the State Department of Health of all persons suffering from certain diseases, the information not to be made public except to the prosecuting officer for violations thereunder.

Mr. Morgan: Makes it a misdemeanor for one infected with certain diseases to marry.

Mr. LeMaster: Gives first-class county court attendants the right to receive salaries not in excess of $1,250 for the first year and not more than $1,300 for the second year.

Mr. Randall: Puts the members of the Engineers' License Bureau, of the Labor Department, in the competitive class of the Civil Service and increases their salaries from $1,200 to $2,000 annually with expenses.

Mr. Roberts: Lengthens term and increases salaries of county collectors, steward of the county poorhouse and the county auditor of the County of Burlington.

Mr. Wolverton: The purpose is to provide a ready means of support for a deserted wife or children and gives the court the right to fix an amount to be paid the wife or child from the fine imposed upon the deserting husband and father.

Mr. Wolverton: Permits Camden to increase the salary of its excise inspector to a sum not exceeding $1,500.

Mr. Johnson, for Speaker Schoen, increases the salary of Juvenile Court officers in first-class counties from $1,200 to $1,500 a year.

Mr. Pancoast: Extends the provisions of the police pension act to the widows, minor children and dependents, parents of policemen and retired policemen in all cities except those of the first-class.

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Chicago, March 9.—Dr. Maximilian Herzog expects to have perfected a sure cure for infantile paralysis before the fatal hot summer months, he announced today.

"Already," said Dr. Herzog, who has made an exhaustive study of the cause, prevention and cure of the disease which caused so many deaths and so much distress last summer, "the microbe which causes infantile paralysis has been definitely isolated and experiments are being made to locate an antitoxin which effectively stamps out the disease among sheep and cattle.

"We hope to have perfected an effective antitoxin for human beings by summer."

The Chicago health authorities have enlisted prominent physicians, bacteriologists, nurses, women's clubs and civic organizations in a concerted effort to check the disease before it gets a start in Chicago this year.

Runyon Talks on Civics

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White Rose Asparagus Tips, special, per can	25c
White Rose Lima Beans, special, per can	16c
White Rose Shrimp, spec., 2 cans for	25c
White Rose Catsup, spec., per bottle	15c
White Rose Pumpkin, qt. can, special	14c
White Rose Dates, value 15c; per pkg.	10c
White Rose Prunes, 30-40's; spec., per lb.	15c
White Rose Tomatoes, large can, special	16c
Tall can Bravo Brand Pink Salmon, 2 cans	15c
1-lb. brick Fancy Cod-fish, special	15c
White Rose Corn, special, per can	15c
White Rose Peas, special, per can	15c
Large pkg. Self-Raising Buckwheat Flour; reg. price 20c; special	15c
3 bottles of Queen Olives, stuffed or plain; special for	25c
Heinz Sweet Pickles, special, dozen	8c
Heinz Dill Pickles, extra large size; special, per dozen	30c
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EXTRA SESSION WAY CLEAR.

President Gratified at Action of Upper House, but Makes No Announcement About Special Call For New Congress to Meet—La Follette, Gronna and Sherman Vote Against Rule.

Washington, March 9.—The way for an extraordinary session of congress to vest President Wilson with full and complete authority to arm American ships and protect American rights at sea is clear and open.

Casting aside the traditions of more than a century, the senate by an overwhelming vote amended its rules to provide for a limitation on debate that would prevent any filibuster by a "little group of willful" men, such as the maneuver which prevented the enactment of the president's armed neutrality resolution during the closing days of the last congress.

In his recent statement attacking the senators who blocked the armed ships measure the president said the unlimited debate rule of the senate was the reason which would make an extraordinary session of the Sixty-fifth congress to consider the bill futile. Now that reason no longer existed.

Three Vote Against It.

A few brief hours of discussion overthrew the time honored senate privilege of unlimited debate—a privilege which had survived almost constant attack since the early days of the republic. Confronted with the president's demand that the way be cleared for action that would enable him to meet the greatest national emergency the country ever knew, seventy-six senators voted for a rule which will allow two-thirds of the senate to limit debate on any pending proposal.

But three senators, La Follette of Wisconsin, Gronna of North Dakota and Sherman of Illinois all Republicans, voted against the rule. Senators La Follette and Gronna were two of the eleven denounced by the president as the "little group of willful men representing no opinion but their own who have rendered the great government of the United States helpless and contemptible," through their fight on the armed neutrality bill. Senator Sherman, who favors the armed neutrality measure, voted against cloture on the merits of the rule.

Here are the Seventy-six.

The seventy-six senators who voted for the cloture rule:

Ashurst, Beckham, Brady, Brandegee, Bryan, Caraway, Chamberlain, Colt, Cummins, Curtis, Fall, France, Frelinghuysen, Gerry, Hale, Harding, Hardwick, Hitchcock, Hollis, Hughes, Johnson, James, Jones of New Mexico, Jones of Washington, Kellogg, Kendrick, Kenyon, King, Kirby, Knox, Lane, Lenroot, Lewis, McCumber, McKellar, McLean, Martin, Myers, Nelson, New, Newlands, Norris, Overman, Owen, Page, Pittman, Poindexter, Pomerene, Ransdell, Reed, Robinson, Saulsbury, Shafroth, Sheppard, Shields, Simmons, Smith of Georgia, Smith of Maryland, Smith of South Carolina, Smoot, Sterling, Stone, Sutherland, Swanson, Thomas, Thompson, Thornton, Townsend, Trammell, Underwood, Vardaman, Wadsworth, Warren, Watson, Williams and Wolcott.

Wilson Ready to Act.

President Wilson is prepared to move at once to put arms aboard American merchantmen and allow American commerce to resume its way on the ocean, defying the German submarine campaign. With the way for legislation in readiness to grant him full and complete authority, it was stated that definite and decisive action was but a matter of hours.

Whether the president will move on his own authority under the constitution, as many of his advisers urge him to do, or will summon an early extraordinary session of congress to confirm his powers, was not announced. The president is confined to his room with a heavy cold, but he is able to work. There is a growing feeling, however, in administration circles that the president will seriously consider an immediate call for an extraordinary session. Washington revalled his statement made when he asked congress originally for authority to arm ships, that while he felt that he had the needed power, he preferred to have the indorsement of congress for the step he was about to take.

No Word of Yarrowdale Prisoners.

Advices to the state department as to the treatment of American citizens in Teutonic countries again aroused concern and apprehension. Despite the fact that the quarantine imposed on the seventy-two American Yarrowdale prisoners expired yesterday, the department received no advices indicating that they had been released, and American representatives at Madrid and Berne were asked to make inquiries.

Despite promises to release them, the Yarrowdale prisoners have been detained ever since the break in relations between the two countries. State department officials were confident that there will be no further delay in their release, but were anxious to receive definite advices.

Disquieting reports as to the condition of the thousand or more American refugees in Asia Minor in Turkish territory reached the department. These reports set forth that the Americans, largely missionaries, are suffering for food and that they have been exposed to serious privations in the prison camps where they have been detained. The department has ordered redoubled efforts to secure from Turkey safe conduct through the Mediterranean war zone for the cruiser Des Moines and the collier Caesar, held at Alexandria on their way to relieve these refugees.

No move has been decided upon in the Austrian situation. The cabinet will consider the latest Austrian note today, and it was stated that further negotiations will undoubtedly be prosecuted in the hope of averting a break with Austria.

Treason charges will be preferred by federal prosecutors against citizens of the United States who may be caught in the vast dragnet which the division of investigation of the department of justice is set to trap spy plotters and the apostles of destruction of the property of American concerns engaged in the manufacture of munitions for belligerent governments in Europe.

The department of justice is convinced that only by the most drastic and thorough prosecution of every offender and under charges the most serious that it is possible to lodge will the conspirators engaged in plots against the United States and other governments from bases within the United States cease their activities.

Under New Spy Bill.

It is felt that the time is ripe for an example to be made of the first American implicated in either an espionage or a destruction plot. A mass of evidence is already in the hands of the legal authorities of the federal government. Some of this evidence antedates the enactments of the spy bill, wherein the powers of the government were materially broadened and the punishment for infractions of the neutrality of the United States and for treasonable activities against the United States government. But on the other hand many of these under surveillance have continued their activities even in the face of the new and exceedingly drastic statute.

For this reason the government prosecutors are convinced that the way to end the espionage and plottings is to make an example of the first cases apprehended, and no effort will be spared to bring convictions and the heaviest penalties provided by the laws against conspiracy and espionage when conviction is attained.

The senate was confronted with a demand for an extra session just as soon as the cloture was adopted. Senator McLean of Connecticut, Republican, introduced a resolution requesting the president to call the congress to meet on March 20. A resolution declaring the sense of the senate that the president has full and complete authority to protect American commerce at sea was likewise introduced.

It was presented by Senator Lewis of Illinois, Democratic whip, and it would have the presidential power to protect foreign commerce on the same constitutional grounds which support his power to protect interstate commerce. No action was taken on either of these resolutions, but the authors of both of them said they proposed to press for their consideration.

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Spring Suits for Women

Fourteen interesting models of such excellent qualities of materials and fine tailoring that it is hard to realize they are only $22.50, $25, $28.50, $35 and $38.50. Majority are in navy blue or black.

Two models at $22.50 are little short of amazing. Soft, heavy men's wear serge or Poiret twill, smartly belted or pleated skirt, jacket styles of skirt.

Braid-bound suits with many buttons at $25.

From a new maker, fine suits of serge with primitive silk lining, $28.50; another braid-bound with striped lining, $35.

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Spring Footwear

Women whose shoe price is $5 will find here a variety of good looking styles, all with the materials and making we insist upon, and which mean money's-worth wear.

High shoes, pumps and oxfords. Dull calfskin, patent leather, kidskin. The shoes, both buttoned and laced, with cloth and kid tops; the pumps, with various graceful tongue effects. Cuban, Louis and low military heels.

Gift shoes, buttoned and laced, black calfskin, $3 to $4.75.

Tan calfskin, $3 to $5.50. White buckskin, high cut, buttoned, $4.50 to $6.50. Increasing cost according to size.

Little children's shoes with the slight wedge heel.

Black and tan calfskin, buttoned, $2. Patent leather with kid or cloth tops, $2.75. Patent leather, white kid tops, $3. All in sizes 5 to 8.

Our salespeople are specially trained in the fitting of children's shoes for comfort and growth.

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Women's Underwear

Undervests, seconds, mercerized, lisle, a delightfully fine, light weight quality, richly lustrous. Slight imperfection in weave. Seconds of 35c and 50c grades, 25c. Regular extra sizes.

Combination suits, 25c. Ribbed cotton, white.

The Nu-shape combination suits, fitting smoothly over the hips, ribbed flesh, 50c.

Both low neck, sleeveless, tight or laced at the knee. *Note the careful making and finish that means wear.*

Women's Stockings

Lisle thread, light weight, high spliced heels, double soles and toes; black, tan, white; a good quality for every-day wear, 58c pair.

Pretty thread silk stockings, navy blue and gray striped with white; white striped with black; and plain black and tan with white clocks. Mercerized top, toes and heels, 69c pair.

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Subway at Astor Place.

200 New Dresses for Young Women—$15.75, $18.75

Picked dresses, designed for young women, in 14 to 20 years' sizes. An extra-value offering for Saturday. Twelve models at $15.75, in crepe de chine, plain and sports stripe taffeta, pongee and crepe Georgette in combination with taffeta, crepe de chine or wool jersey. Two models at $18.75 in crepe Georgette.

At $15.75, sports, morning and afternoon dresses, mostly cut coat style. Moyen-age, simple lines, modified tonneau; stitchery and buttons. A pretty beige blouse with navy blue skirt. A charming crepe Georgette with plain or striped taffeta.

At $18.75, one model effectively trimmed with soutache braid, skirt having panels in apron effect back and front, dainty bolero jacket. Another model shows insets of Paisley silk partly hidden under three artistic bands around skirt.

Second floor, Old Building.

Girls' Blouses—Smocks

Dainty white habutai; silk smocks, pinch backed with belt, big deep pockets, simple but dashing and full of good service, $6.75. Similar style with straight back of mercerized poplin in blue, $5. Sizes 14 to 20 yrs.

A dainty skirt blouse of crepe de chine in flesh color and white smartly tailorish in cut, but given a dainty feminine note by hand-worked eyelets on the collar and an effective black tie. Sizes 32, 34, 36, 38. $4.75.

Third floor, Old Building.

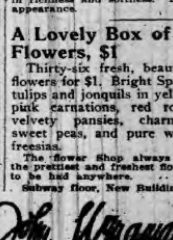
Jewelry—Savings

The little things almost every woman needs for the significant touch to her costume. Priced below the usual cost. Dainty for Easter gifts, too.

Silver-plated mesh bags, $2. Bar pins and brooches, 50c. Sterling silver hat pins, 50c. Cuff links, $1 pair. Jet earrings, 85c pair. Bead necklaces, 50c and $1. Sparkling hair combs, $1.

Main floor, Old Building.

A Saturday Group of Special $6 Hats



So good in line, so tasteful in color and trimming, they show kinship at once, despite their low cost, to the beautiful models all about.

Many sports hats are among them, showing a trifle more trimming—crepe or silk facing, appliqued flowers, edges ribbon bound. They'll go into other needs as well as sports wear.

Dressy hats also—large, graceful shapes, with simple trimmings, charming small hats. All with a lot of style and dash by reason of line, color-blending or unusual trimming note.

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Some adaptations from the French. Each showing some fascinating fashion conceit, the tilt of a brim, the unusual twist of a ribbon, a trimming hitherto unthought of, color-blendings marvelous in richness and softness. Every one frames to add charm to the appearance.

First floor, Old Bldg.

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Irish Nationalist Leaders Appeal to Race In U. S.

STILL FIGHTING LLOYD-GEORGE

Redmond and Other Chiefs of Party In Parliament Issue Manifesto Which Will Be Sent to President Wilson and British Colonial Premiers — Approve Britain's Course In War.

London, March 9.—Members of the Irish party, who moved to an issue in the house of commons the question of *home rule for Ireland*, have issued a manifesto asking the millions of the Irish race in the dominions, Irish-Americans and Americans generally, to aid them in the movement.

"To them we appeal," *says the manifesto*, "promptly to use all means in their power to induce the British government to deal with Ireland in accordance with the principles for which they are fighting in Europe. We especially appeal to America in this connection, with a view to the participation of Ireland of the great principles so clearly and splendidly enunciated in President Wilson's address to the senate."

It further was decided that the party, while retaining its attitude toward the war and remaining firmly convinced of the justice of the cause, felt bound to oppose the government by all the means in its power.

The resolution asserted that Britain is now doing all possible to aid the work of the Germans in Ireland.

Premier Lloyd George's attitude was characterized as a "breach of faith with the Irish party and the Irish nation."

The resolution, which was the result of a long deliberation of the Irish party members, pledged the members to remain in full strength in parliament.

The Nationalist members did not put in an appearance when the speaker took his chair in the house of commons.

Nationalists of the William O'Brien group and Laurence Ginnell, an independent Nationalist *for North Westmeath*, were the only occupants of the benches usually occupied by the Irish men.

Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer and member of the British war council, told the members in the house of commons that he saw no advantage in giving facilities for a resumption of the Irish debate.

BRITISH CAVALRY ALMOST AT BAGDAD

French Win Back Part of Trenches at Verdun.

London, March 9.—British cavalry have bivouacked fourteen miles from Bagdad. They had ridden through the ruins of Ctesiphon, scene of the crushing British retreat in 1915. They found the ruined town and its strong fortifications abandoned by the fleeing Turks.

This cavalry, part of the advance guard of General Maude's victorious army, slept on Tuesday night only six miles from Dialah, the high water-mark of General Townshend's ill fated *expedition against Bagdad. Dialah* is only eight miles from the outskirts of the city of the caliphs.

Now that Ctesiphon has been given up without a struggle there are great hopes here that Bagdad itself will be in British hands in a few days. It was felt that if the Turks made a stand anywhere it would be at Ctesiphon. That they did not is considered positive proof that they are too disorganized to fight.

Most of the trenches in Champagne that the crown prince took in the attack on Feb. 15 on which the kaiser congratulated him are again in the *hands of the French. Paris announces* that almost the entire salient has been recovered by a strong counter attack.

On their part of the front the British have crept forward a little more on the Ancre, probably toward Achiet-le-Petit. On the new British front, south of the Somme, raiding activity has been lively, the British taking the initiative at Biaches, opposite Peronne.

EGG HARBOR BOARD UPHELD.

Education Official Rules Teacher's Dismissal Was Legal.

Trenton, March 9.—Assistant State Commissioner of Education John Enright has rendered an opinion holding that Miss Edna Breder, a teacher at Egg Harbor City, had been legally *dismissed by the board of education* of that place following complaints reflecting on Miss Breder as a teacher and disciplinarian.

Miss Breder was engaged by the board May 15, 1915. The contract stipulated that either party could terminate the contract upon giving a month's notice.

On Jan. 18, 1916, the board notified the teacher that she did not accept her resignation she would be dismissed. The teacher maintained she had not been given a full month's notice. Assistant Commissioner Enright holds that under the school law, unless otherwise specified, a month shall be construed as twenty school days, and that, therefore, Miss Breder had a month's notice.

Potato Inquiry Begins In Maine.

Houlton, Me., March 9.—Federal inspectors began an inquiry here to determine the amount of seed potatoes remaining in Aroostook county and available for shipment. Dealers reported that they were offering $7 a barrel for potatoes to fill southern seed orders, but farmers refused to sell at that price.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation:

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 37528 square yards.

Of foundation, 37528 square yards.

And opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 129 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be *inspected by prospective bidders* during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and five prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper notice and payment of cost of preparation. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash *for not less than $1,000.00* and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.
2—5, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of Edwin M. Daniel, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Fourteenth day of *February*, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the *subscribers*.

It is requested that all those who are indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment to the executors at 426 Stelle Ave, Plainfield, N. J.

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Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

TABLEAUX BY LOCAL SCOUTS

Hundreds of friends of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts, attended the tableaux and pantomimes given last night under their auspices in the Regent Theatre. The program was as follows:

Overture—Boy Scouts, W. F. Richards in charge; Troop 1, of Somerville, Scout oath, law, tower building, pyramid; Troop 12, of Plainfield, first aid work; solo, Miss Minnie Maurer;

Jacob's Dream—Jacob, George Kugler; angels—Catherine Letson, Catherine Huber, Dorothy Richardson, Alice Shade, Dorothy Dow, Catherine Dow, Margaret Ohnsman, Murrel Van Mater, Elsie Siemsen, Ruth Boesiger, Marion Boesiger.

Tableaux from Grimm's Fairy Tales—Brier Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyer; Red Riding Hood, Miss Ena Entwistle; Wolf, Fred Daniels; hunter, Henry Newman. Hansel and Grethel, Katherine Kersting, William Watt and Miss Ada Richardson; Cinderella, Mrs. Edward Meyer; sisters, Miss Augusta Hering, Miss Ada Richardson; fairy god mother, Mrs. Walter Entwistle; prince, Edward Meyer; Snow White, Miss Ena Entwistle; queen, Miss Ada Richardson; dwarfs, Elmer Smith, John Maurer, Kenneth Grove, Roy Ohnsman, Adolf Neuman, John Nagel, Henry Ahlf; Rip Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edgar.

National Tableaux—Spirit of '76, Finley Wyckoff, John Burke, Geo. Maurer, Jr.; Birth of Our Flag, Betsy Ross, Miss Helen Geraert; Colonel George Ross, John R. Dohoney; General George Washington, Frank McCarron; Robert Morris, Dr. John T. Leahy; Columbia, Miss Lorretta Wilson; Uncle Sam, E. J. Shaughnessy; Liberty, Miss Mary Brutcher; America, Miss Brutcher.

Madame Butterfly, G. Puccini. Miss Minnie Maurer; Scenes from "Esther the Queen," Y. P. Society of Fourth Reformed church, Queen, Miss Emma Hilpp; Ahasuerus, Henry Nowack; Haman, Adolf Weckerman.

Rock of Ages, Miss Florence Wiedwald, Miss Ethel Holcombe.

Abram Amerman Is Exalted Ruler

Abram Amerman, of Raritan, was elected Exalted Ruler of Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, B. P. O. Elks, at the annual meeting held in the Struve building last night. The other new officers are as follows: Esteemed leading knight, John N. Torpey; esteemed loyal knight, Charles W. Hoffman; esteemed lecturing knight, Dr. Frank S. McConnell; secretary, Charles H. Mathews; treasurer, Calvin D. McMurtry; tyler, Howard Z. Stryker; inner guard, James D. Hall; trustee for three years, Clarence Garretson.

The installation of officers will be held at the April meeting, at which time Exalted Ruler William Nolan will give up his duties in that capacity.

Many Attend Charity Ball

All the Hebrew organizations of Somerville joined last night to make the Charity Ball one of the most successful ever known here. A large crowd attended and everyone seemed to be generous. Flowers and tokens were sold, some giving ten cents for each, while others gave as high as one dollar.

Herman Moosbrugger, president of the Board of Directors of the State Epileptic Village, visited at Skillman yesterday.

William Nolan, of this city, was a guest of Governor Edge at the State House yesterday.

Former Judge Clarence E. Case was in Trenton on legal business yesterday.

RARITAN

The Raritan Theatre tonight and tomorrow night is showing "The Battle Cry of Peace," one of the most stirring of photo-plays.

Mrs. Johanna Cullen, formerly of this place and now of Weston, is reported seriously ill.

Mrs. William Hahn was a New York visitor on Wednesday.

WHITEHOUSE

The rapid sale of reserved seats indicate that a big crowd will be in attendance at the entertainment to be given in Bonnell's hall at Whitehouse Station tomorrow night, under the auspices of the Mission Band of the Reformed Church. Local talent will appear in the cast of the play, "Much Ado About Betty," and there will be musical number between the acts. Those who take part in the show are Mrs. Frank A. Stryker, and the Misses Florence Van Syckle, Theodosia Reger, Charlotte Compton, Ethel Smith, Marjorie Stryker, Ada Buck, Catherine, Alma and Alice Davis, Geraldine Stryker, Madeline Durling, Helen Cook, Ruth Hall, Catherine Reitle and Alice Thompson.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Readington Reformed Church, has re-organized by the election of the following officers: President, Miss May Coley; vice president, Raymond Smoker; recording secretary, Walter Peabody; corresponding secretary, Miss Jennie Conover; treasurer, Rev. D. V. D. Wyckoff. Hereafter the Sunday evening services in the Readington Church will begin at 7:30 instead of 7 o'clock.

While removing a tin roof from a portion of his house in order to replace it with a new one, Garret Q. Baird, who lives near Readington, uncovered a large swarm of honeybees Wednesday. They were very angry and being disturbed, but he secured about thirty pounds of fine honey.

Miss Marie Naylor, of East Whitehouse, will take part in a recital given by the piano pupils of Miss Evelyn Lindquist in the Second Reformed Church at Somerville tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Stewart A. Kenney and son of Somerville are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Skillman at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Frederick E. Van Derveer, of East Whitehouse, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Lindabury at New Germantown.

Miss Edythe Stryker, of East Whitehouse, is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Mildred Stryker, at Old Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. John McPherson, of Whitehouse Station, are the parents of a baby daughter, born Wednesday.

Mrs. Harriet LaTourette, of Whitehouse Station, is visiting Mrs. James Lane at Flemington for a week.

Miss Verna, of New York is spending a few days with Mrs. William C. Hoagland, near Whitehouse Station.

William P. Catlin, Sr., returned to East Whitehouse yesterday, after a visit to Tampa, Florida.

Russell Cornell, of Bound Brook is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cornell, near Readington.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

SUDDEN DEATH OF SAMUEL HOFFMAN

Funeral services for Samuel P. Hoffman, forty-six years old, will be held tomorrow morning in the Presbyterian Church at Fairmount. Rev. Lorin Peacock, pastor of the New Germantown Methodist Church, will officiate, and burial will be in the cemetery at Fairmount. Mr. Hoffman fell dead on the lane farm near New Germantown and died suddenly Wednesday morning from heart disease. He went out to water the stock and later was found dead in the barn. Coroner J. Charles Alpaugh for New Germantown, granted a burial permit. Mr. Hoffman had been a lifelong resident of the New Germantown-Fairmount section. Besides his widow he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Charles Hooper and Miss Gretta Hoffman, of New Germantown.

NORTH BRANCH

An entertainment will be given in the chapel of the Reformed Church at South Branch tonight, under the direction of the Mission Band. Miss Rilla Van Syckle, an elocutionist and humorist from New York, will appear, assisted by local talent in a musical program.

There was no session of the public school here Wednesday, because the supply of coal has become exhausted, and it was difficult to get more, owing to the great scarcity of coal in this section.

The entertainment given by local talent, under the auspices of the young Ladies' Mission Circle, in the Reformed chapel last night, was well attended. It will be repeated this evening.

Clarence Smith, of Plainfield, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith at North Branch Depot.

Samuel Rachefsky, of North Branch Depot, is spending a few days with relatives in New Yrk.

WATCHUNG

School Notes

The week commencing March 12th and ending March 16th, is to be observed as "Go-to-School Week." All parents and citizens of the township are cordially invited to visit the public school during that week. The regular programs will be followed.

One of the best ways for the public to learn more about the ways of modern education is to visit the schools.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather yesterday the Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society had to postpone their regular meeting to Tuesday afternoon. The ladies will meet at the home of Miss Agnes B. Davis, of "Two Brooks," on Mountain Boulevard.

Mrs. Joseph Gavett, of "Friendly Farm," Mrs. George T. Hughes, of "Sunny Slope Farm," and Mrs. George Mohan, of Mountain Boulevard, are victims of the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dirk DeHaas, of Washington Rock road, who have had an attack of the grippe, are convalescing.

The regular monthly meeting of the Township Committee was held last evening in the Township rooms.

Mrs. Louis Mulford, who underwent an operation, is resting comfortably.

BOUND BROOK

POTTS APPLIES FOR ANOTHER TRIAL

A rule to show cause why another trial should not be granted will be argued tomorrow before Judge George Silzer in the matter of the verdict of $15,000 granted by a jury in the Somerset Circuit Court on Wednesday, Jan. 10, in favor of Mrs. Helen B. La Rue, of South Bound Brook, against Clyce Potts, a sanitary engineer, of New York.

On April 26, 1915, Karshner LaRue was killed in an explosion in a sewage disposal plant near Ocean Grove, while Mr. La Rue and other members of the sewer committee of the council of 1915 were the guests of Mr. Potts on an inspection trip of the plant.

Raymond Stryker, who first brought suit against Mr. Potts for permanent injuries sustained in the same explosion, was unable to recover and damages.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local postoffice this week: Rocco Calabresse, Mrs. E. J. DeNese, Mrs. Herbert Elwell, G. Golz, Pride of Pioneer Council, No. 66, Mrs. Karl Perry, Charles Roche, Carl Steen and Mrs. Gilchec.

The members of Pioneer Council, No. 66, Jr. O. U. A. M. will meet at the trolley station this evening at 7:53 o'clock. The local council will present a large flag at the dedication exercises of the Watchung school in the Borough of Middlesex.

Miss Viola Littell has resigned her position as bookkeeper for William Zepp and has taken a similar one in the Accounting Department of the Jersey Central Office at the Jersey City terminal.

Postmaster and Mrs. J. V. D. Field, George Graham, and Edward S. Hoagland returned yesterday from Washington, where they had attended the inauguration ceremonies.

Rev. Herbert Parrish, rector of the Christ Church, of New Brunswick, was the Lenten preacher at St. Paul's Episcopal Church last night.

Mr. and Mrs. George V. Toman are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son. The little lad came Tuesday.

Mrs. Leslie Bergen and Mrs. Kitty Murray, of Bound Brook, visited friends Saturday and Sunday at Trenton.

Mrs. Annie Lawrence and children have gone to spend the week with Mrs. Seifert, on Third street, Raritan.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Baker, of Beechwood Heights, have been spending a few days at Washington.

Mrs. Charles B. Seifert, who has been quite ill, is now recovering nicely.

The South Bound Brook Fire Co., will meet tonight.

GERMAN VALLEY

Gilbert Ader and son, Norman Ader, of Rockaway are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Horton and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ader.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Apgar of Dover are guests of the former's brother William Apgar, and family in the Naughright road.

Miss Lydia Thomas is now at home after a visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Garret L. Seals of Dover.

William Cleveland, who has been seriously ill for a week from heart trouble, is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah A. Hoffman are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Louise Fulper, of Clinton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gray is spending a few days at Flanders with her sister, Mrs. Ann Sharp.

Mrs. George Lauraman is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dora Lambert of Rockaway.

Marvin Hance of Paterson is being entertained by George N. McLean and family.

Earl W. Cleveland is kept to his home with a severe cold.

CHESTER

The Chester Township Board of Education has directed Elias P. Blaine, attendance officer, to proceed against parents violating the school attendance law.

John W. Rourk, the newly appointed road patrol for Chester Township, is opening the roads blockaded by the recent fall of snow.

Mrs. Charles B. Ronch of Trenton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Searles Sr.

MIDDLE VALLEY.

A representative of the Morris County Board of Agriculture will be at the hall in this place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock to discuss the formation of a local branch of the board.

Mrs. Anna T. Farrow of Crestmoor and Mrs. Cora Apgar of Califon are expected to return next week from a six-week trip to Florida.

Miss Marion Trimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence D. Trimmer, is ill with bronchitis.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Maxwell is still seriously ill with pneumonia.

Elmer E. Hoffman is kept at home with grip.

CLINTON

PETER ALPAUGH'S FUNERAL TOMORROW

The funeral services for Peter A. Alpaugh, eighty-two years eleven months and eight days old, will be held at his home, south of town, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rev. Thomas J. Clark, pastor of the Clinton Methodist Episcopal church, will conduct the service. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery here.

Mr. Alpaugh died at his home Wednesday, death being due to blood poisoning. He had long been an invalid and quite seriously ill for several weeks. He was born and raised on the farm on which he died. The old homestead was several years ago replaced by a modern home, which he occupied with his son, Frank A. Alpaugh.

Another son, Lewis Alpaugh, who also lives on the same road, survives. Each has one daughter.

Mr. Alpaugh married Miss Jane Anderson, native of this vicinity, who died several years ago. Both were members of the local Methodist church. Mr. Alpaugh was a member of a large family, having five brothers and five sisters.

Two of each survive, Mrs. Rachel Keephart, of Hamden, and Mrs. Emma Livermoor, of Roseville, Illinois; Edward Alpaugh, of Plainfield, and George Alpaugh, of near here.

DUNELLEN

Demand for Houses

With the rental season in progress the real estate agents are overrun with would be tenants who are inquiring for houses renting at a medium price. "We can get all the houses we want at $36 and $35, but what the wage-earner wants is a residence that will rent for about $20 to $25," says a local real estate agent. "They are usually scarce."

Sheriff Sold Local Property

At New Brunswick on Wednesday, Sheriff Houghton sold the property located in this Borough in a Supreme Court action between Joseph Hendrick, assignee of Henry Wragg, plaintiff, vs. Frank T. Farrell, defendant. The judgment and costs amounted to $243.26, and the property was sold to Joseph Hendrick, for $2,500.

May Motorize Local Fire Apparatus

The borough council is investigating the advisability of motorizing the fire apparatus. At a recent meeting Councilmen Craig, Williams and Jones were appointed a committee to make inquiries and report at a further meeting.

Union Services to Be Held Tonight

Cottage prayer meetings will be held tonight at the residence of George T. Schenck, Front street; Charles Nonemaker, Front street; William Gidden, Lincoln avenue; Lewis Schneider, Front street, and Jacob Fisher, Washington avenue.

Michael Gallagher is contemplating improving his property near the Washington avenue crossing plans call for remodeling the building and putting in store and office fronts.

The sale of the Hamblin house on New Market road to Edgar Bolce, and the Apgar property, Front street, to W. R. Hetfield, has just been announced.

Louis Feldman, who conducts a local shoe emporium on North avenue, is about to give up that line of business and enter another field.

The members of Holy Innocents' Sunday school enjoyed an illustrated talk this afternoon. The subject was "Digging the Canal."

Mrs. Minerva Chamberlain has returned from Bayonne and is now stopping with Mrs. M. M. Runyon, North avenue.

Washington Camp, P. O. S. of A. at its regular business meeting received several propositions.

The interior of Frank Margentino's place of business is being enlarged to meet the increasing trade.

Borough Clerk Deeting has already issued several hunting and fishing licenses for this year.

Mrs. Peter Benward is at present visiting relatives in this borough.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Platt and son, are sojourning in Florida.

Paul Smith is now employed at Elwood's garage.

NEW MARKET

Friendship Circle of this place will be entertained next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Meeker, Mariners place, Plainfield.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet on Wednesday next at 2:30 o'clock in the lecture room of the church.

Mrs. A. R. Tappan was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital the fore part of the week, where she underwent a slight operation.

Petition is being circulated for a district court to cover in Piscataway, Dunellen and other nearby municipalities.

Charles Bretz has been transferred from the local Lehigh Valley Station to a similar place at Manville.

The township schools will hold a manual training exhibition on Friday of next week.

The local grange held a business session last night in Friendship hall.

LEBANON

LADIES' CIRCLE 25 YEARS OLD

The members of the Ladies' Home Circle of the Reformed church of Lebanon are making extensive plans for the celebration of their 25th anniversity of the 14th of March. A luncheon to all the members and their husbands will be served at 12 o'clock on Wednesday in the chapel. A most bounteous repast will be in evidence. After the luncheon addresses will be given by former pastors of the church. Invitations having been issued for them to attend. Following the addresses the society will hold its regular and annual meeting for the election of officers, the By-Laws being read before the election. After the business of the society has been dispensed with, a report, covering the society's activities for twenty-five years, will be read. At the close there will be an opportunity offered for receiving new members. Music will be interspersed during the proceedings by Prof. David Rockafellar and daughter, Miss Bertha, and it is hoped that some of the male members present will sing.

In the evening at 7:30 an entertainment entitled "The Old Peabody Pew" will be rendered in the church. The ladies have worked hard on this as well as on all parts of their program.

Following is the cast of characters having part during the evening:

Reading, Mrs. Charles Moffett; Mrs. Burke, president of the Ladies' Home Circle, Mrs. Lucas Voorhees; Miss Lobella Brewster, who is no lover of men, Mrs. Sanford Ramsey; Mrs. Miller, wife of Deacon Miller, the sexton, Mrs. Agnes Ramsey; Mrs. Sargent, a village historian, Mrs. William Young; Miss Mark Sharp, quick of speech, but sound of heart, Mrs. William E. Bird; Miss Nancy Wentworth, who has waited for her romance ten years, Miss Ella Felmly; Mrs. Baxter, the minister's wife, Mrs. John Hunt; the Widow Bedell, willing to take a second risk, Mrs. Gilford Hoffman; Justin Peabody, sole living claimant to the old Peabody pew, Gilford Hoffman.

Following this entertainment a silver offering will be taken, a report of the twenty-five years read and an address by the pastor.

No admission fee at the door will be charged, the silver offering taking its place.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Surprise Party for His Birthday

A birthday surprise party was tendered to Miss Elma Randolph at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Randolph on Prune street, a few evenings ago by a number of her friends. Music and games featured the evening and a very social time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Those present were, the Misses Elizabeth Shrope, Olive Johnson, Marie Soper, Martha Townsend, Hannah Clausen, Elizabeth Weldgen, Ethel Sendel, Jennie Townsend, Irene Smith and Florence Bunting, and Henry Sendel, Lester Soper, Edwin Hance, Frederick Teeple, Harry Thornton, Judson Teneyck, Melvin Pyatt, William Johnson, Herbert Ball and Howard Colfax.

Eugene Reilly and Robert Hamilton attended the performance of "The Wanderer" in the Manhattan Opera House in New York city on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soper, of Lehigh avenue, have returned home after being the guests of their daughter, Mrs. George Schenck, of New Market.

William F. Metz, of New Market, supervising principal of the public schools in this township, called at the local school yesterday.

Miss Florence Bunting, of New Market, has returned from a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. L. D. Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Harris, of Brookside avenue, have been entertaining Mrs. M. Fritts, of Dunellen.

Richard Thompson and John McMeniuin have returned from a visit with friends in Jersey City.

Miss Ruth Carter, of New Market, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Thornton, Jr.

Mrs. P. F. Kaine, of Lakewood avenuene, spent Wednesday as the guest of relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Elizabeth Weldgen has returned from a visit with her brother, John Weldgen, of Somerville.

Miss Ruth Boss was the guest of friends in Perth Amboy on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Thorne is confined to bed at her home on Brookside avenue with illness.

FANWOOD

The annual school election for necessary expenses for Fanwood township schools will be held in Fanwood Township school No. 1, Tuesday evening, March 20, at 8 o'clock. The following expenses are thought to be necessary for the maintenance of the local schools: Manual training, $1,000; building and repairing, $400; current expenses, $9,000; total, $10,400.

Mr. and Mrs. William Liddgate have returned from their wedding trip and are now residing in the borough.

William Beeken, of North avenue, is away on an extended visit in Maine.

A meeting of the Fanwood Bowling Club will be held this evening.

WESTFIELD

ANNIVERSARY OF SEWING SOCIETY

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church held its annual meeting in the parish house yesterday afternoon and it was attended by a large number of the members. The reports of the officers of the society showed that it was in a flourishing condition and that it had had an excellent year.

The report of the secretary showed that the society has an active membership of eighty and six honorary members. During the past year two members have died and five members have removed from town. Mrs. Benjamin Pierson who died a short time ago was the oldest member of the society. Mrs. Ann Miller is the oldest living member now, she being nearly 90 years old. Mrs. William Hart, who was president of the society thirty years, is still living and resides in Brooklyn.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. Clarence B. Smith, showed that the society had been a successful one financially. That it had turned over to the trustees of the church $500 and had spent $150 in repairs to the manse and had spent various sums in different ways for the church, and still had a balance on hand of $92.76. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. George W. Cravens; vice president, Mrs. H. E. D. Jackson; secretary, Miss Ida Hutchinson; treasurer, Mrs. Clarence B. Smith; executive committee, Mrs. A. R. Rule, Mrs. S. W. Lambert, Mrs. Edward Bell.

After the business session Rev. Dr. W. I. Steans, the pastor, made a brief address in which he congratulated the members of the society and bespoke for them greater work in the future. Miss Ruth Reger sang several solos. A social hour followed, during which refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Wilcox and Mrs. C. A. Beemer.

Pleasant Evening at Fireside Council

The members of Fireside Council, Royal Arcanum, who attended the meeting held last night in Arcanum hall, were well repaid, as Orator Spencer had provided an unusually fine entertainment which consisted of carpet bowling, shooting and bagatelle. Those who participated in the games were very enthusiastic and the prizes for the highest average were won by J. P. Loefler and E. D. Spencer. The first prize was a box of candy and the second a box of cigars. After the games the members enjoyed a fruit punch and crackers. There were thirty-five of the members present.

The annual business meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alexander Hunt, 263 Ross place, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. E. J. Holden; vice president, Mrs. G. E. Gilmore; foreign treasurer, Mrs. Lester Soper; home treasurer, Mrs. Warren French; secretary, Mrs. Jones.

The Men's Club of the Madison Avenue Chapel held its regular monthly meeting in the chapel last night. The feature of the meeting was an address on "Insurance" by Malcolm B. Dutcher, of this town. Mr. Dutcher spoke from the standpoint of a householder and citizen. President Bakke presided. After the address a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

The Catholic Men's Club held its regular monthly meeting in the gymnasium of the parish house building of Holy Trinity church last night and it was attended by about fifty of the members. Routine business occupied the major part of the meeting and after adjournment the members enjoyed bowling and playing pool.

Karl Davis Robinson, son of Rev. and Mrs. Albert B. Robinson, former residents of this town and a nephew of Mrs. R. S. Green, of Elm street, has just returned from the European war zone, where he passed several months as the official representative of the National Allied Relief Committee.

Forty residents of the town were summoned before Recorder Springstead last night in the town hall for having violated the ordinance requiring that the snow be cleaned from the sidewalks from in front of their properties and received suspended sentences.

Next Wednesday night the membership of the First Methodist church will hold a meeting in the church at nine o'clock for the purpose of electing three trustees to succeed H. L. Abrams, W. A. Bishop and J. Herbert Perstall.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Niland entertained a number of friends at a dinner party at their home on Elmer street last night in honor of Mr. Niland's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Meyer, of South Wallnut street, have returned from a visit to Baltimore and Washington.

MEN'S CLUB SESSION, MAR. 12

The regular business and social meeting of the Men's Club of the Congregational Church, will be held on Tuesday evening next, March 13, at eight o'clock.

A program of fun has been arranged by the Executive Committee following important matters of business and the appointment of a nominating committee.

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Mrs. Mildred E. Brown
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Miss Lene Boucher
Miss Mamie Christensen
Miss Antoinette Carrole
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Mrs. Harry Evans
Miss Evelyn Foster
Miss Beatrice Gross
Mrs. B. Gates
Mrs. C. G. Haring
Mrs. Gertrude M. Herbert
Mrs. Johanna B. Hunt
Miss Blanche E. Horsbeck
Herma Herman
Mrs. Rebecca Jones
Mrs. Johnston
Miss Caroline E. Johnson
Mrs. Kgnuss
Mrs. T. W. Morris, Jr.
Miss Alma Moore
Miss Anna Morlick
Mrs. Jay Mischarl
Mrs. E. Maurer
Miss Anna Mark
Mrs. Elbert McDonald
Miss Adna Nelson
Mrs. Edmund J. L. Neilson
Miss M. S. Noonan
Mrs. Johanna Ringel
Mrs. Alonzo D. Runyon
Miss Antoinette Savory
Mrs. D. E. Sappington
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Please Say Advertised.

On account of the war Money Orders are suspended to Austria, Belgium, Egypt and the Sudan. The amount of money orders issued to one person for all foreign countries limited to $100. Parcels Post is suspended to France and Germany. All articles of commercial value in regular mails, not Parcel Post, to Bolivia are prohibited, and are confiscated by Bolivia. This does not affect the parcel post. Anything sent parcels post will be delivered on payment of customs duties.

$100,000 PREPARATION AGAINST SPRING FLOODS

By United Press:

St. Paul, Minn., March 9.—Anticipating that when the little lakes of snow begin to melt this month that much of their property will be washed away, the Northern Pacific has spent $100,000 preparing to keep their tracks securely spiked down.

THE MERE FACT THAT
Scott's Emulsion
is generously used in tuberculosis camps is proof positive that it is the most energizing preparation in the world. It has power to create power. It warms and nourishes; it enriches the blood, stops loss of flesh and builds you up.
SCOTT'S IS PURE AND RICH AND FREE FROM ALCOHOL.
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P. A. AND N. J. R. R. INDICTMENT

Morristown, March 9.—It has just become known that the January grand jury brought in an indictment against the Pennsylvania & New Jersey Railroad for maintaining a nuisance in Chester Township at a highway crossing. The company has not been arraigned in court as yet, owing to the absence in California of Frank H. Allen, the owner.

It is alleged in this instance that the company raised its tracks about five feet above the level of the highway without warrant, and has not provided *safe approaches for vehicles to pass* over the railroad.

WOULD END COMMISSION RULE

Passaic, March 9.—An effort is being made by the members of the Citizens' Independent Club to secure enough names to a petition for the present commission form of government to be recalled and the old councilmanic form re-established. The *petition has been in circulation* two days and contains about 200 signatures. Between 1,200 and 1,500 signatures will have to be obtained. Charles M. Rose, who was defeated at the commission election, is one of the leaders of the movement.

APOLLO CLUB TO HAVE CARNIVAL AND DANCE

On Wednesday evening, March 14, the Apollo Social Club will hold a carnival and dance in Debele's auditorium. Professor Marks, well known in the cabarets of Schenectady and New York, will appear and lead the orchestra for the dancers. The one-step and twilight, as well as shadow dances, will be features of the evening, for which gold prizes will be awarded. The committee has spared no expense to make this, the initial appearance, something long to be remembered.

The following are the officers of the club: President, E. Marks; secretary, A. D. Higgins; treasurer, P. *Pope.*

GUARD TUBE AND PIERS

Jersey City, March 9.—Stations of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad are being guarded by detectives of the Jersey City Police Department. The guard at the Black Tom terminal and piers has also been increased.

Never Put a Croupy Child to Bed Without Giving a Dose of

Foley's Honey and Tar
Mothers know it stops croup because it cuts the thick choking mucous, clears the throat of phlegm, stops the hoarse metallic cough, eases the difficult breathing, then quiet sleep.
Mrs. T. Nestrosse, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foleys Honey and Tar completely cured my boy of a very severe attack of croup. We know from experience that it is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough."
Weiss' Boro Drug Store.

YOUR FRECKLES

Need Attention in March or Face May Stay Covered

Now is the time to take special care of the complexion if you wish it to look well the rest of the year. The March winds have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that may stay all Summer unless removed. Now is the time to use othine—double strength.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of othine—double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.—Adv.

TOMORROW WILL BE ORANGE DAY

Tomorrow has been designated as California Orange Day, and will be observed wherever oranges are known.

California oranges will be at the height of their season during March, and will be in more abundant supply than ever before. The orange business has grown into tremendous proportions. There will be in excess of 40,000 carloads of oranges shipped from California this year. Most of this great yield is consumed in the United States.

TELLS WEATHER BY SQUIRREL BAROMETER

By United Press:

Columbus, O., March 9.—Governor Cox's secretary, Charles E. Morris, foretells the weather every day by his *squirrel barometer*, and he isn't nutty either. He says if he sees the bushy tails carrying provisions up to their houses when he goes to work in the morning he looks out for a storm next day, but if it's to be fair weather the *squirrels stay down on the ground.*

LOCAL OPTION LEADERS ANGRY

Say House Clerk Jefferys Is Hiding Kates Bill.

TWICE APPEAL TO SPEAKER.

Measure That Passed Senate Permits "Wet" or "Dry" Elections in Cities on Petition of 15 Per Cent of Voters. Charge Made That Clerk Is Deliberately Holding Back Bill in Interest of Saloons.

Trenton, March 9.—Local optionists are up in arms over what they consider a deliberate attempt to keep from the assembly the bill of Assemblyman Kates of Camden, which would allow cities by a 15 per cent petition of the voters to initiate a "wet" or "dry" election.

James K. Shields, state superintendent of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon league, accuses Upton S. Jefferys of Camden, clerk of the house, of holding back the bill, which has passed the senate and which Mr. Shields asserts was delivered to Clerk Jefferys and the latter's receipt given.

Mr. Shields says the measure, which passed the senate by a vote of 12 to 6, is going to receive the largest vote in the house ever given to a home rule bill, if it can be pried from the clutch of the clerk. The superintendent denounces those in charge of the machinery of the house for their alleged "backstair methods" in keeping the bill from the assembly.

He says the matter was twice called to the attention of Speaker Schoen. *The first time the speaker referred his* questioners to the clerk, and the second time he declined to discuss the matter, according to Mr. Shields.

The clerk was then interviewed, says Mr. Shields, and he said he would present the bill to the house, but this has not been done, despite the fact that Assemblyman Edgar of Middlesex county and the Rev. Henry J. Iobst, the minister assemblyman from Hunterdon county, united in a demand on the floor of the house for the production of the *bill. To this demand the clerk replied* that there was no record of the bill in the house.

Mr. Shields and the local optionists will put forth every effort before next Monday night, when the house meets again, to have the bill placed in the files.

UNCLE SAM HUNTS JOBS FOR MILITIAMEN

By United Press:

Washington, March 9.—Uncle Sam's nation-wide Employment Service, ever since the troops began to filter back from the border, has scoured the land, *job-hunting for the militiamen* who quit their places to go South.

Militia organizations and their friends have assisted, the press has done its bit, and the response from the employing public, employment officials declare, has been unprecedented.

Employment offices at Denver, Baltimore, Helena, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Boston, New Orleans and Chicago, reported success in the job-hunting campaign. Large employers of labor as well as the private business man, are reported enthusiastically co-operating in the work of providing for the jobless warriors.

As fast as the positions come into the employment offices, the militia organizations in the various districts are notified, and the jobs listed with the commanding officers.

Even the woman section of the Employment Service is lending aid in the campaign.

"There will be more jobs than there will be men to fill them," Commissioner Caminetti of the Immigration Bureau, in charge of the work stated today.

DON'T HESITATE TO RUN FOR A STREET CAR

By United Press:

Los Angeles, Cal., March 9.—"Run for a street car. It's dignified and healthful." That's the advice of Louis M. Head, who has much health and considerable dignity. "There's nothing better for you," says he, "than to let out and spring a bit early in the morning even if you know you can't catch the car. The man who's too proud to run because he's more than 21 may find he can't run when it comes to a showdown."

DON'T SUFFER WITH NEURALGIA
Musterole Gives Delicious Comfort
When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on the temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.
Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.
Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.
MUSTEROLE

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets

As nearly every woman knows, are the finest in the world both from the standpoint of beauty and convenience. They have places for four hundred articles ALL WITHIN ARM'S REACH. They have forty labor-saving inventions that save you miles of steps and hours of time. Women buy more Hoosiers than any other five makes combined. That results in enormous output, low factory costs, and low prices.
Hoosier prices are fixed standard prices—fixed at the factory. These prices have just been advanced, but we have secured the maker's consent to sell the large stock of Hoosier Cabinets which we have on hand, at the old prices for one week longer, so that we may have an opportunity first of notifying our customers of the advance, and let them purchase a Cabinet now, at a saving of from ten to fifteen per cent.
The Terms of the Hoosier Old Price Sale are these:—
1. Pay a small deposit when you order the Cabinet.
2. Pay the balance, only One ($1.00) Dollar per week.
3. No interest, no extra fees.
4. Your money back if you are not delighted.
5. This old price sale ends absolutely one week from today.

Odd Dressers and Dressing Tables at Reduced Prices
A vast assortment of odd bed-room pieces in Quartered Oak, Mahogany, Antique Ivory, American Walnut, Circassian Walnut, and Birdseye Maple, considerably reduced, and sold on liberal credit terms, to make space for our new Spring stock which is now arriving.

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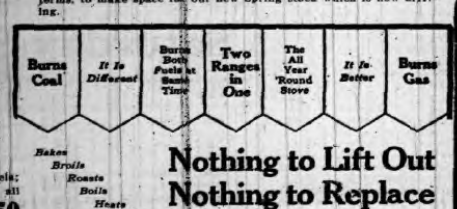
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Beginning Monday, March 12th, 1917
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Extraordinary Values Will Prevail During This Sale Throughout the Entire Establishment

PRINCETON MEN RAISE $10,000 FOR WAR WORK

Princeton, March 9.—In order to send twenty graduates and undergraduates to England this summer to work in the concentration camps of the British army the students of Princeton University in less than a week's time have raised $10,000 among themselves, and by the end of the week hope to have $16,000 to defray the expenses of the Princeton men.

As a result of the request by Sherwood Eddy and John Mott last week for twenty Princeton students to go over to England this summer and remain a year, close to seventy-five Princetonians have volunteered to make the trip. Included in this are *professors, graduates and undergraduates.*

Many of the students of the university are giving their year's spending money towards the fund to pay the expenses of the workers. One of the students who is working his way through the university and who had no money to offer, sold part of his furniture to increase the fund. To increase their offer other students have given money which was originally intended for their spring

AMERIGO VESPUCCI'S BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Today is the birthday anniversary of Amerigo Vespucci, Florentine navigator, a contemporary, friend and collaborator of Columbus. He was born in Florence, Italy, March 9, 1451, and died in 1512.

When King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella of Spain fitted out Columbus for what proved to be his voyage of discovery of America, it set other navigators going, and Vespucci, who had worked with Columbus in getting ready for the expedition, *decided to try some discovery himself.* Columbus discovered Guanahani, or Cat Island, or San Salvador, one of the Bahamas, now called Watling Island, October 12, 1492. Five years later Vespucci sailed across the Atlantic and is supposed to have discovered the mainland of the Western Continent somewhere near Cape Hatteras, North Carolina. America was named for him, although many contend that it should have been named for Columbus.

SENATE WON'T OUST STONE.

Missourian Still to Head Foreign Relations Committee.

Washington, March 9.—Senator Stone of Missouri, one of the "willful twelve," will not be deposed as head of the foreign relations committee of the senate. This was made plain by statements made by Senator Simmons, head of the Democratic conference committee, and by *other members of the Democratic* committee on committees.

"I know of no movement whatever to depose Senator Stone," said Senator Martin. "The story that his colleagues intended to take such action is made out of whole cloth."

Several members of the committee on committees said positively that they would have no hand in ousting Senator Stone and asserted that he would continue in his present post.

Senator Stone said he had no intention *whatever of resigning.*

COLOMBIA BILL SENT BACK.

Move to Consider Treaty in Senate Executive Session Fails.

Washington, March 9.—Another long fight on the treaty with Colombia under which the United States would pay that republic $15,000,000 was indicated in the new senate's first executive session when Chairman Stone of the foreign relations committee called the *treaty up for consideration.*

Several Republican senators objected to immediate consideration because of the absence from the chamber of leading opponents of the treaty, and after a short discussion it was sent back to the committee "to get a fresh start." The new cloture rule, which the senate adopted just before the executive session was called, probably could not be invoked to aid ratification because it requires two-thirds of the senate to invoke the rule.

FINDS HUSBAND A SUICIDE

Long Branch, March 9.—While his wife was ironing across the way *at the Norwood Avenue* Hotel, Alexander N. Gaskill, fifty-five years old, committed suicide Wednesday by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been to the hotel and left, complaining of a pain in his side.

SEEK PUBLIC OPINION ON ELECTION LAW

As part of a study of the State primary election law and its operation, now under way by the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce research bureau, Secretary H. R. Heydon, in charge of the work in this section of the State, is sounding public opinion on the law and gathering statistics through a questionaire circular letter addressed to voters throughout the city.

The entire report, which will cover the law, its history and an analysis of its workings, will probably be completed within two months, although the date of publication has not yet been set. The report will be issued in book form, similar to the bureau's full-crew law and State police reports.

The questionaire now in circulation comprises these queries:

"Did you register for the election last fall? If not, please state your reason. Did you vote at the primary election last fall? If not, please state your reason. At the general election did you vote a 'straight' or 'split' ticket? Which do you think better for making nominations, direct primary or convention system? Why?"

LIVELY ARTILLERY ACTIONS

Special to Courier-News:

Paris, March 9.—A report issued by the war office today says that between the Oise and the Aisne lively artillery actions continued during the night, *northeast of Embermenil* in Lorraine.

The French raided German trenches and brought back prisoners.

SPRINGER-WARD ENGAGEMENT

Rahway, March 9.—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Jennie Mae Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Ward, of 397 Rector street, Perth Amboy, to Harry Wilton Springer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Springer, of 37 East Milton avenue, this city.

A. & P. TEA COMPANY REPORT BIG BUSINESS

New York, March 9.—Gross sales by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company for the twelve months ended February 24 last year aggregated $74,6[illegible],873 as compared with $44,185,283 for the corresponding period preceding, an increase of $30,477,590, or 69 per cent.

The company is operating over 3,000 stores and has recently inaugurated a bonus system for its managers. On March 1 every one employed in that capacity received a quarterly bonus amounting to 6 per cent. of his salary.

LOOPING THE LOOP

Pensacola, Fla., March 9.—By looping-the-loop in a sea plane, Captain Francis T. Evans of the United States Marine Corps astonished officers of the aeronautical station here, who had considered the feat impossible. Captain Evans is the first American aviator to attempt it.

Although looping-the-loop in an ordinary aeroplane has outworn its novelty as a popular stunt, the heavy pontoons attached to the air and water flier hitherto have been a bar to similar attempts with this type of machine.

Captain Evans found it necessary to drive through the air at great speed before he could gain the inverse position. He then looped-the-loop twice before his descent. The machine was a Curtiss tractor.

WEATHER HINDERS BATTLE

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless) March 9.—Hazy weather and snowstorms have interfered with operations on the western front, the War Office announced today.

German reconnoitering advances between the Somme and Volhynia on the Eastern front, a Russian railroad train was bombarded and blown from the tracks, out no important fighting occured.

Only outpost skirmishes were reported on the Macedonian front.

C. R. B.

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3 Cents sent to the C. R. B. will give 1 Child 1 Meal.

$1 will give 1 Child 1 Meal a day for 1 month.

$12 will give 1 Child 1 meal a day for 1 year.

The meal consists of 1 Biscuit 4 inches square, made with flour, lard and sweetening, and 1 cup of Cocoa.

Franklin, Pa., with 10,000 people, has pledged one meal to 5,000 of these children for 1 year.

Evanston, Ill., with 40,000, has pledged one meal to 40,000 of these children for 1 year.

Oyster Bay, L. I., has taken 2,400 children.

The State of Pennsylvania has taken over the entire province of Antwerp, including the city of Antwerp.

Committees are trying to get each city, town and village in America to assume the giving of 1 meal a day to all the children in some one Belgian town. When the committee has received our pledges, Plainfield will be assigned its town. Every cent contributed goes for food. All other expenses are provided otherwise.

The German Government still recognizes the C. R. B. as the only channel for the relief of Belgians within the lines, and since Feb. 1, 1917, has again agreed to let the work go on. Send the above coupon to one of the undersigned.

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, 506 West Eighth St.	Mrs. Laurens H. Van Buren, 323 Madison Ave.
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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Dealing with recipes particularly recommended as helps for the hostess, a variety of frozen dainties, cakes, etc., will be given this evening.

All recipes are intended to serve twenty-five persons.

Ambrosia

Make a custard of one quart of scalded milk, four eggs, half a cupful of cornstarch (mixed with a little cold milk), two cupfuls of sugar and half a teaspoonful of salt. When the mixture is quite thick (cook the cornstarch with the milk, for five minutes, before adding the eggs), remove from the fire, cool, add two tablespoonfuls each of rum and sherry and three pints of stiffly whipped cream. Then freeze. When partly frozen, add two cupfuls of chopped, preserved pineapple, one cupful of chopped, preserved peaches and one cupful of marrons (cut in small pieces). Continue freezing until firm and smooth. Serve in stemmed sherbet cups.

Claret Frappe

Make a syrup by boiling one quart of water with two cupfuls of sugar for fifteen minutes. Add half a cupful of strained lemon juice and two cupfuls of claret. Cool, strain and freeze to a mush. Serve from a punch bowl. This is excellent for dancing parties, as it is cooling and refreshing.

Prize Parfait

Beat ten eggs until very thick. Then add gradually three cupfuls of hot maple syrup and cook, stirring constantly, until thick (do not boil). Cool, add three pints of chilled double cream, beaten solid, and two cupfuls of finely chopped pecan meats. Turn into melon molds, with watertight covers, and bury in ice and rock salt for three hours. Serve in slender, high glasses, ornamented with a rosette of sweetened, whipped cream (pressed through a pastry tube) and topped with a crystallized cherry.

Coffee Ice Cream

To one quart of milk, add three-quarters of a cupful of ground coffee and scald. Beat the yolks of four eggs lightly and add one and two-third cupfuls of sugar. Combine the two mixtures and cook over hot water until the coffee custard coats the back of the spoon. Cool, strain, add one quart of whipped cream and freeze slowly until firm and smooth.

Petits Fours

These may be used as the basis for any number of delicious cakes. Cream together two-thirds of a cupful of butter and one and a half cupfuls of sugar. Add the beaten yolks of three eggs, one teaspoonful each of almond and rose extract, three-quarters of a cupful of milk, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and three cupfuls of flour sifted with three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat the batter vigorously and fold in the stiffly whipped whites of five eggs. Turn in buttered, shallow pans, in a large sheet. When cold, cut into small diamonds, squares, rounds, or any preferred shape, and dip in melted fondant of any preferred flavor and tint. Ornament with grated cocoanut, halved nut meats, candied cherries, chystallized fruits, etc. Three or four colored fondants, with different flavorings and garnishings, may be used, thus giving assorted cakes that are so popular for all varieties of entertainments.

Creole Cakes

Cream two-thirds of a cupful of butter. Then gradually add two cupfuls of sugar and four eggs well-beaten. Mix well and add one cupful of milk, three cupfuls of flour, mixed and sifted with four and a half teaspoonfuls of baking powder, half a teaspoonful of salt and one cupful of chopped nut meats. Bake in small greased tins. Dip each in creole frosting and set aside for the frosting to harden.

Creole Frosting

Boil two cupfuls of brown sugar, two-thirds of a cupful of hot water and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar (without stirring) until the syrup threads from the tip of the spoon. Pour slowly onto the stiffly whipped whites of two eggs and continue beating until thick and creamy. Just before using, flavor with a few drops of maple extract.

Brandy Snaps

Cream one cupful of butter with one cupful of brown sugar. Add one cupful of dark molasses, one-third cupful of brandy and two cupfuls of sifted pastry flour. Beat until very smooth. Drop by spoonfuls on buttered tins and bake in a hot oven until crisp and brown. Remove from the oven and put in a warm place to dry.

Simplicity Relishes

Boil one cupful of sugar with one-third of a cupful of water, without stirring, until it spins a thread. Pour slowly on the stiffly whipped whites of two eggs. Beat until thick and creamy, add one-third of a cupful of blanched and chopped almonds, a few drops of almond extract and spread on saltines or other wafers. Bake to a delicate brown.

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THE PRINCESS' EARRINGS—Part II

When the weeping girl came to the place where the peasant was hiding he stepped out and said to her: "Why didn't you marry the fish? He might keep his promise and make you rich."

The girl stopped crying and looked at the peasant with frightened eyes, but he told her not to be afraid, he would keep her secret if she would tell him why she gave the earrings to the fish.

"Oh! how I wish I had never stolen them," said the girl, beginning to cry again. "I have had nothing but trouble since I took them from the ears of the Princess, and I thought I should find out how to become rich if I had them.

"When I put them in my ears the air seemed to be filled with strange sounds and they were so heavy I could not hold up my head.

"Look where I would for work, the people would not have me, and I heard everyone saying 'She is a thief, she is a thief,' until I had to take off the earrings and carry them on my back.

"Even then they seemed so heavy I could not stand straight, and one day when I came by this river I sat down to rest and laid the earrings on the bank beside me.

"They looked so small, I thought I would put them in my ears again, and as I did so the big fish jumped up from the river and said: 'If you wish to find the magic spell of the earrings, drop them into the river.'

"I did not stop to think I might never get them again and I dropped them in, and the fish said: 'I will return your earrings when you promise to marry me.'

"For three days now I have come here thinking the fish would give me the earrings, but he will not give them to me unless I promise to marry him, and that I will not do. Oh! how I wish I had never taken the earrings from the Princess!"

"If you feel that way about it," said the peasant, really sorry for the girl, "I think I can help you, for I am looking for the earrings for the Princess."

"But what can you do?" asked the girl. "The only way to get them is for me to marry that horrid fish, and that I will not do, no matter what happens to me."

"You need not marry the fish; let the Princess do that if she wants the earrings," said the peasant.

"Come back here tomorrow and hide behind this tree where I was hiding, and hear and see what happens."

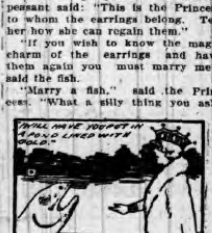
Then the peasant went to the Princess and told her he had found her earrings, but there was only one way of getting them, and that she might not be willing to grant the request of the one that had the earrings.

But the Princess was so anxious to get them that she said she would go with the peasant and hear what that strange request was.

When they came to the bank of the river up jumped the fish and the peasant said: "This is the Princess to whom the earrings belong. Tell her how she can regain them."

"If you wish to know the magic charm of the earrings and have them again you must marry me," said the fish.

"Marry a fish," said the Princess. "What a silly thing you ask.



Come, give me the earrings and I will have you put in a pond lined with gold and you shall be fed on the choicest bit you can wish for."

"That will not bring out the magic spell," said the fish. "The only way to get your earrings is to marry me."

"Give me the earrings. I will marry you," said the Princess.

Then she told the peasant to bring the fish to the palace, but the fish said: "You must marry me here right on the bank before you can have the earrings."

So the Princess said she would, and the peasant ran off to find a parson to marry them.

While he was gone the sky grew black and the thunder roared until nothing could be seen only as the lightning made it light.

The Princess was frightened and began to weep, but she felt some one near her and heard a voice say: "Do not be afraid, my dear Princess; it will soon be bright again and you will know the magic spell."

When the thunder ceased the Princess saw beside her a handsome youth, who bowed low before her and said: "I am your promised husband, and as soon as we are married you shall see your wedding gift."

When the peasant returned with the parson he was very much surprised to see the handsome youth beside her, and he looked about for the fish, but the youth told him it was all right and that the fish had disappeared and would not bother the Princess again.

As soon as the parson made them man and wife the youth took from his pocket the lost earrings and presented them to the Princess, saying: "Here are your earrings, and may your ears hear only that which will make you happy the rest of your life, my Princess."

The Princess fastened them in her ears and then the peasant said: "I have a request to make, your highness. I found the earrings and you promised to marry me, and as that cannot be, I ask that you forgive the maid who took your earrings and give her to me for my wife."

The Princess said she would gladly grant the request, and also gave them gold enough to buy a home. So the peasant brought the maid from behind the tree and they were married.

Then the peasant asked what had become of the big fish who had brought about the strange weddings, and the youth told him he had been changed into a fish by a wicked old witch, who had said he could only regain his own form by marrying a Princess, whose earrings should be dropped into the river where he lived.

So, of course, he thought the maid was the Princess and that he had lost his chance of escape when she refused to marry him.

The old witch, who had given the earrings to the Princess, was the good witch who was trying to release him from the power of the wicked witch, who had turned the Prince into a fish, and though it took a long time to bring it about, the good witch won out, as good always does in the end.

Tomorrow's story—"Kitty Black's Dream."

Protect Yourself!

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YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.
Right side down in branches. Wellington.

GENERAL SHORTAGE OF CROPS REPORTED

New York, March 9.—The Argentine wheat crop, now harvested, is so nearly a failure that there will be little for export, and the corn crop will be not much better. The Australian wheat crop, which, like that of Argentina, is harvested in the months of our winter, is estimated at 139,392,000 bushels, against 187,120,000 last year, but fortunately there is a carry-over estimated at 80,000,000 bushels. A semi-official report puts the condition of French winter wheat at 65 per cent., against 79 last year and states that owing to lack of fertilizer and want of proper preparation of the soil, the yield will be below normal. The crop of Holland is unpromising, and of England backward. In the United States there has been a shortage of moisture in the principal winter wheat States.

"SAVE THE BABIES"

These are authentic quotations from the pamphlet on babies by Dr. L. Emmett Holt, of Columbia, and Dr. Henry L. K. Shaw, of Union University.

Supper for a child two to three years old should be served at 6:30 p. m. it should consist of a well cooked cereal, or bread and milk, or bread and butter and cocoa, and stewed fruit or apple sauce. Give the child a cup of warmed milk. Do not give the child anything to eat between meals. Be sure he has several drinks of water during the day.

At first use plain water to dilute baby's milk. At 3 months a weak barley water may be used; put half a level tablespoonful of barley flour in 16 ounces of water and cook for 20 minutes. At six months make it 1½ tablespoonful of flour cooked in 12 ounces of water. At 8 months make it 3 spoonfuls in 8 ounces of water. A very large baby may require a little more milk than allowed here. A small or delicate baby will require less.

A HUNDRED MILLION LADY BUGS IN CALIFORNIA

By United Press:

Lady bug, Lady bug,
Fly away home;
Your house is on fire
And your children will burn.

Sacramento, Cal., March 9.—If somebody stood up and yelled that quatrain down the Imperial valley today the melon growers would be in an awful fix because they have a hundred million lady bugs working for them killing off undesirable insects.

Agents of the State bug house spent weeks up in the mountains this year gathering the little red ladies with the speckled backs, who are considered particularly effective against the gentlemen bugs who attack the growing cantaloupe.

The California lady bug is getting quite a world-wide reputation. Some several millions of her have been shipped to Italy and Australia for experimental purposes.

P.-T. ASSOCIATION SALE TOMORROW

The cake, candy and apron sale will be held under the auspices of the North Plainfield Parent-Teacher Association, tomorrow, from one to five p. m., in the Somerset school. This sale will be in charge of the following chairmen of committees:

Mrs. L. S. Smith, chairman of Economic Committee; Mrs. J. R. Blair, chairman Chaperone Committee; Mrs. A. J. King, chairman Reception Committee; Mrs. W. Townley, chairman Visiting Committee; Mrs. J. H. Hull, chairman Hygienic Committee.

The proceeds will be used to carry on the work of the committees for the ensuing year.

RECEPTION TO BE GIVEN MR. AND MRS. JOHANSEN

Invitations are out for a reception to Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen given by Miss Edith Van Boskerck at the Rookery, on Sycamore street, opposite Grace church, tomorrow afternoon. This will be a private view of the large collection of portraits by these famous artists. Commencing Monday this exhibition will be open to the public for two weeks.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

U. G. Pierson, of East Fifth street, has purchased the Stine property on Summit avenue. Mr. Pierson will move to that location on the first of the month.

Irving D. Manley, boy soprano of this city, will take part in the concert to be given on Friday evening, March 16, at the *Watchung school, in Lincoln.*

Robert Murray is making considerable improvements to his auction rooms, West Front, street. On the upper floor preparations are being made for storage, rooms being made to accommodate from one van up to six vans. The display rooms where hundreds of pieces of antiques and furniture are to be found have also been re-arranged.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed with Sulphur It Brings Back Its Beautiful Lustre at Once

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks streaked, you appear twenty years older. Don't stay gray! *Look young!* Either prepare the recipe at home or get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which is merely the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients. Thousands of folks recommend this ready-to-use preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully, besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally and evenly. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease. —Adv.

MISS VIOLET ERSKINE TO WED IN WASHINGTON

By United Press:

Washington, March 9.—The world and up and took notice when Miss Violet Erskine of London was appointed secretary to the British Embassy here. It was the first official appearance of a woman in the diplomatic circles of the world. Early next month, it is learned today, she will desert diplomacy for matrimony.

Miss Erskine will wed Horace Seymour, third secretary of the British Embassy in Washington, some day soon after Easter Sunday, April 8. Miss Erskine is the daughter of the late Thomas Erskine, who was British Consul General in New Orleans. She is a handsome young woman, blonde, graceful and charming, and a great favorite with Sir Cecil and Lady Spring-Rice. She won her appointment through her exceptional knowledge of customs and American institutions.

The wedding, it is presumed, will take place at the embassy. The original plan was for a wedding trip to England, but whether that will be taken is not known at this time.

TEN-YEAR DRIVE AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS HAS GAINED

In 1905 the death rate was 200.7 per 100,000 population. In 1916 the death rate was 146.3 per 100,000 population.

In 1905 there were about 100 sanatoria and hospitals. In 1916 there were 550 special tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals.

In 1905 there were less than 20 special tuberculosis clinics and dispensaries. In 1916 there were over 450 clinics and dispensaries.

In 1905 there were less than 30 anti-tuberculosis societies. In 1916 there were nearly 1,400 anti-tuberculosis associations and committees.

In 1905 there were not one open air school. In 1916 there were 300 open air schools listed and 500 more of which details are unavailable.

In 1905 there were 8,000 hospitals and sanatorium beds. In 1915 there were 40,000.

In 1905 there were less than 50 tuberculosis nurses. In 1916 there were over 4,000.

NERVOUSNESS AND BLUES

Symptoms of More Serious Sickness.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just toss everything to pieces and I would sober all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my work-ful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."—Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Sage Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

REPUBLICANS MAKE GOOD THEIR PLEDGE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, N. J., March 9.—Convincing proof was furnished during this week's session of the Legislature that the Republicans intended to redeem another of the platform pledges and at the same time make good the statements of Speaker Schoen of the House and President Gaunt of the Senate to the effect that the 1917 Legislature would consider and pass fewer bills than any Legislature of recent years.

The end of the present session is in sight. All present indications point to an adjournment the last week in March, and only 800 bills have been introduced in both houses. Many of these bills are doomed to perish in committee and comparatively few will find a place on the statute books of the State. The Republican platform promised fewer bills and there is no doubt as to the promise being fulfilled.

RECREATION NOTES

The swimming class for ladies meets in the high school pool tonight.

The Dunbars are to have their usual dance tonight in the Washington school.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Bryant school yard tomorrow morning.

The Recreation Five first and second teams are to use the high school gym tonight.

The night school men's gym class will have a game in the high school this evening.

The Washington school game room is to be open both Friday and Saturday evenings.

The International Motor Company Band will rehearse in the Washington school tonight.

There will be a municipal dance in the Washington school auditorium Saturday night.

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APPLES—Fancy New York State Baldwins; 8-qt. basket, 60c; 16-qt. basket		$1.10	
LEMONS, fancy Cal., 18 for	25c	BLUE LABEL KETSUP, 14c and	22c
CAL. PRUNES, 40-50s sweet and meaty; lb.	12c	COOPER'S GELATINE, pkg.	9c
CAL. WALNUTS, large soft shells; lb.	22c	QUAKER PUFFED GRAIN, The Bran Cereal; pkg.	12c
CAL. NAVEL ORANGES, size 176; dozen	29c	TACO PANCAKE FLOUR, pkg.	9c
COMB HONEY, Faulkner's	18c	HECKER'S PREP. FLOUR, 12c pkg.	10c
RAISINS, Sun-Maid, Seeded; pkg.	12c	STEERO BOUILLON CUBES, 30c can	24c
NOT-A-SEED RAISINS, pkg.	14c	OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, can	8c
PLUM PUDDING, R. & R.; 2-lb. can	41c	SKAT HAND SOAP, can	8c
WHITE ROSE RIPE OLIVES, 25c can	22c	2-IN-1 SHOE POLISH, can	8c
HILDRICK'S APPLE JUICE, 15c bottle	12c	WRIGHT'S SILVER CREAM, 25c-cent	21c
CAL. APRICOTS, fancy Royals; lb.	21c	Class	12c
CAL. PEELED PEACHES, extra fancy; lb.	18c	20-MULE BORAX, 15c pkg.	12c
SOUR OR DILL PICKLES, doz.	14c	MATCHLESS LIQUID GLOSS, 45c can	39c
WHEATSWORTH WHOLE WHEAT BISCUITS, pkg.	9c	BIRDS-EYE MATCHES, 6 pkgs.	25c
EVAP. APPLES, 1-lb. pkg.	11c	10¢ LARGE CLOTHES PINS	14c
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Tailored and sport models of burella cloth, serges and Poiret twills,
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Misses' Serge Dresses
including the new Coat Dresses, copies of late foreign models; some embroidered,
at $19.75 to 57.50

Misses' Fashionable Coats
of gunniburl, burella cloth, velour, plain and cut Bolivia,
at $22.50, 37.50 and 49.75

Dressy and Sport Skirts
of novelty velour plaids and stripes, khaki-kool, La Jerz, wool jersey, etc.,
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For the Intermediate Hard-to-Fit Girl
from 12 to 17 years, there are large assortments of excellent models, including

Afternoon Dresses
Many high-waisted models, silk taffeta, crepe de Chine, pongee and Georgette crepe
at $10.75 to 32.50

Smart Spring Suits
of serges, mixtures or wool jersey; belted or plaited; many finished with stitching
at $16.50 to 26.50

Girls' Dressy Coats
Wool velour, serges, burella cloth, poplins, velour checks in light and dark shades,
at $9.75 to 23.75

Women's Untrimmed Hats

A distinctive assortment of smart shapes is being shown on the Main Floor, together with Imported Roses, Fruits, Foliage, Fancy Feathers and Ornaments, all moderately priced.

Very Special for To-morrow's Selling:

Milan Hemp Hats at $2.95 in black and colors.

Lisere Hats at $2.95 & 4.50 in black and colors.

Fancy Straw Sport Hats, novel color combinations to match sweaters.... at **$2.65 to 5.50**

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Women's Crepe de Chine Blouses
Superior quality, in new Spring shades, also flesh and white,
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Women's Silk Hosiery
Seasonable weights, in black and the favored colorings for Spring.
Unusual value
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Hand beaded in colors, on Silk Moire or Faille; Spring shades and black.
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Women's Spring Gloves
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Home Rule Leader Appeals to Wilson.

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400 U. S. MARINES LAND AT SANTIAGO

Act on Appeal of Civil Governor of City.

Santiago, Cuba, March 9.—Four hundred men from American warships have landed at the request of Garcia Munoz, the civil governor, and taken charge of Santiago.

The canefields and the Union sugar mill at San Luis, ten miles north of Santiago, are burning. The people of *San Luis are greatly alarmed and have* built barricades in the streets, expecting an attack from the rebels. The Americans were landed from the mine layer San Francisco, the cruiser Olympia, the gunboat Petrel and the gunboat Machias.

The people of Santiago have regained confidence since the landing of the Americans. There has been no fighting here as a result of the arrival of the American guards.

Heavy fighting is reported in the vicinity of Palma Soriano. Many civilians are leaving the city to join the Constitutionalist army.

Colonel Betancourt, of the Menocal forces is preparing to attack Santiago. It is reported that the Palma mill has been destroyed.

Government forces commanded by Colonel Varona have landed at Antilla, on the northern coast of Oriente province, directly across the island from Santiago.

Lieutenant John C. Cunningham of the United States mine layer San Francisco, who carried to the Menocal forces at Contramaestre the proclamation issued by Commander Belknap of the United States naval forces, has returned after having interviewed Colonel Matias Betancourt, commanding the Menocal troops. Colonel Betancourt refused to consider the proclamation, saying that he accepted orders only from President Menocal.

RICHARDS UNDER ATTACK.

Mays Landing Recorder Condemns Opposition to Proving Ground.

Mays Landing, March 9.—Threats of small freeholder board proceedings which would cut the county districts out of representation are the latest weapon in the attempt to "line up" the outlying districts in the fight by Atlantic City property holders against the Bethlehem Steel company's project to locate a big proving ground here.

Feeling here is running high, and a large number of county political workers have denounced Senator Richards in his attempt to bar the Bethlehems by special legislation.

In a letter to Senator Richards Recorder James A. Lambert of this place charges him with unfairness to his county constituents. More than a hundred workmen of the county seat and vicinity have been thrown out of work by the holdup occasioned through the opposition of the Atlantic City interests.

SHIP SINKERS ON TRIAL.

Officers of Interned German Ship Arraigned at Florence, S. C.

Florence, S. C., March 9.—Eight officers of the German steamer Liebenfels were arraigned in the United States court here charged with sinking their vessel in the channel of Cooper river, Charleston, Feb. 1 for the purpose of obstructing navigation up to and past the Charleston navy yard. The defendants entered a plea of not guilty.

Intense interest is manifested in the trial, it being alleged by the defense the government in its indictment endeavored to create hostile feeling against the defendants.

FREIGHT HANDLERS OUT.

Strike on New York Co...ral May Cause Trouble.

New York, March 9.—Five hundred freight handlers employed in the New York Central's yards at Thirtieth street and Eleventh avenue are on strike. A general walkout is threatened today. The workers assert they would completely tie up the freight system of the road, already congested and overburdened to the last ditch.

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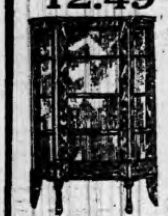

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Vol. 2, No. 25 NEWARK, N. J., MARCH 9, 1917 Priceless

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Children's Wash Suits, 2½ to 9 year sizes; large and fine assortments; now is the best time to make selections; prices $1 to $3.95.

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COUNT ZEPPELIN.

War Dirigible Inventor Dead From Pneumonia.

Photo by American Press Association.

FARMERS ORDER NEW MILK ADVANCE

Demand Increase of Mill For Each Quart.

New York, March 9.—Milk is going still higher. The Dairymen's league announced the schedule of prices which its members will charge dealers for six months, beginning April 1. It shows an average increase to the cost of milk of 1 1-5 cents a quart over the corresponding six months of last year and of 5 cents a hundred pounds over the half year ending with the present month. An increase of 5 cents a hundred pounds is, roughly, an increase of one-tenth of a cent a quart.

The announcement fixes prices for the two districts, the first, including territory within 100 miles of the city, and the second, which lies beyond that boundary. Prices in the following schedule are for grade B milk in 100 pound quantities from the first district: April, $2.30; May, $2.35; June, $1.95; July, $2.20; August, $2.25, and September, $2.55. Average, $2.23.

Prices for the second district are uniformly 10 cents a hundred pounds less.

Grade A milk costs 15 cents a hundred pounds more.

The schedule is only the second which has been fixed in this state for co-operative sales. The big city dealers resisted when the first schedule was announced six months ago, and for several days the community appeared to be threatened with a milk famine. The prices to dealers which were then established and are still in force were as follows for the first district, with the same ten cent differential for the second: October, $2.15, $2.05; November, $2.25, $2.15; December, $2.25, $2.15; January, $2.20, $2.10; February, $2.15, $2.05, and March, $2.10, $2. Average, $2.15, $2.05.

To the new price 3¼ cents per hundred pounds for each one-tenth point of butter fat above the grade B standard of 3 per cent are to be added. Almost 200 distributors in the metropolitan district alone will be affected.

COUNT ZEPPELIN DEAD.

Inventor of War Dirigible Victim of Pneumonia.

London, March 9.—Count Ferdinand von Zeppelin, inventor of the giant German airships which have made London a city of darkened streets and silent nights, died at Charlottenburg, near Berlin, of pneumonia, according to a Berlin dispatch transmitted by the Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company. The report is confirmed by another dispatch sent from Geneva through Paris.

The failure of his airships to terrorize England and bring the war to a speedy end and their apparent abandonment by the German general staff in the consideration of military measures is believed to have been a contributing factor to his death.

CUBA TO TRY GOMEZ.

Ex-President Now Faces Death For Leading Rebellion.

Havana, March 9.—The prosecution of General Jose Miguel Gomez, leader of the revolt, and his chief followers has been started in the federal court. Stock market prices have jumped again, and confidence in the government is evident in all business activities. President Menocal issued a patriotic proclamation to the people.

Gomez and his chiefs were tagged and dejected when they were transferred from the military train to the penitentiary. They had been out of tobacco, and each was given a supply of cigarettes before being locked in his cell.

$10,000 For Two-year-old Bull.

Phillipsburg, March 9.—E. C. Brill of Stewartsville, near here, has sold his two-year-old Holstein bull, King Model, son of Mabel Segis Korndyke, to Stevens Bros. of Syracuse, N. Y., for a sum said to be close to $10,000. The young bull is said to have been sought by a number of prominent breeders throughout the country.

Mother Killed, Baby Unhurt.

Elyria, O., March 9.—Three persons were instantly killed and a fourth seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Big four train at a railroad crossing a few miles southeast of here. An infant child escaped without a scratch.

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Silver Lake Rhubarb No. 3 can; 2 cans 25c	Nippy Cheese very snappy each 10c	Fresh Baked Fig Bars 2 lbs. 25c	Domestic Sardines in Oil can 7c 4 cans 25c
Hotel Astor or Yuban Coffee, 3 lbs. $1.00			
Swift's Toilet Soap a cake 3c	Imported Spanish Pimentos ½-lb. can ..... 12c 1-lb. can 20c	Heinz Spaghetti Medium can ..... 15c Large can 25c	Swift's Sliced Bacon large jars 28c
California Tuna Fish, ¼-lb. can, 18c; large can 28c			

Pin Head Oatmeal, 6c lb.; 5 lbs. 25c	Choice Santa Clara Prunes, 2 lbs. 25c	Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour 10c
White or Yellow Meal, 5c lb.; 6 lbs. 25c	Fancy Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c	Tiger Buckwheat, large pkg. 17c
Wheat Farina, 9c lb.; 3 lbs. 25c	Extra Fancy Apricots, a lb. 25c	Hecker's Flap-Jack, 12c pkg., and 22c
Rolled Oats, 4 lbs. 28c	Not-a-Seed Raisins, a pkg. 15c	Teco Pancake Flour, pkg. 10c
Fresh Hominy, 5c lb.; 6 lbs. 28c	Premier Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs. 25c	Albert's Mush California Wheat, pkg. 15c
Blue Rose Rice, 7c lb.; 3 lbs. 20c	Dromedary Dates, a pkg. 12c	Saxon or Cracked Wheat, pkg. 15c
Yellow Split Peas, lb. 12c	Evaporated Apples, 1-lb. pkg. 14c	Schumacher's Graham Flour, 5-lb. pkg. 28c
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MAKES PLEA FOR COUNTY HOUSE

Miss Mabelle Phillips Urges Institution for Aged and Infirm

SHOWS ADVANTAGES

Spoke at Annual Meeting of Union County Committee of State Charities Aid Society

The annual meeting of the Union County Committee of the State Charities Aid Society of New Jersey was held at the residence of Mrs. Tiffany, on Thursday.

The following officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. Allan Cowperthwait; secretary, C. Ames Brooks; assistant secretary, Henry W. Brower; treasurer, Rev. Dr. Edward G. Read

Reports of institutions were given, among which, the one exciting most interest and of most importance was that of Miss Mabelle C. Phillips, dealing with the subject of the County versus the municipal and township almshouse.

Miss Phillips said in part:

"Union county has its county institution for the tuberculous; we hope soon to have a county farm for the employment of prisoners. Why should we not have as the third county asset a farm and home for the aged and infirm of Union county? No one would advocate a city tuberculosis sanatorium for the small cities in this county, nor city farms for the employment of the prisoners in local jails. Is it not just as provincial, short-sighted and uneconomical to maintain three small almshouses in the county or to board the aged and infirm of small villages with private persons?

"Now, who are the aged and infirm, and what are the requirements of the poor old people of whom, we should judge, there are no more than 100 in this county of 167,000 people?

"Since the English Act of 1535 there

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SOME DISPARITY IN AGES OF THESE TWO

In the comment that has been made about the appointment of Isaiah L. McVoy, as plumbing inspector for the Board of Health, to succeed William Addis, who is retired on a pension, after twenty years service in that capacity, argument is made that the two are of the same age, and the Board is criticized by some for replacing one man of advanced years by another of advanced years.

The fact is, however, that there is quite a difference in age between the two. Mr. Addis is seventy-four years old and Mr. McVoy sixty-nine. The latter, therefore, has several years service before reaching the age of his predecessor.

Both are veterans of the Civil War, and veterans serving twenty years in one municipal office are entitled to a pension. Mr. Addis has served the twenty years, and is retired on pension. Mr. McVoy would not be entitled to a pension because he would not be able to serve twenty years in that office.

FIRST BAPTISTS TO HAVE EVERY-MEMBER CANVASS

The service tomorrow morning at the First Baptist church promises to be one of great interest and importance. It will be the only service of the day since this church at this time takes its annual every-member canvass, and the members of the church and congregation are requested to remain in their respective homes during the afternoon and evening until the canvassing committee has visited them. At the close of the morning service the church will send its duly appointed representatives out for their afternoon and evening work with a special Medicatory prayer by the pastor, the canvass being taken no less for spiritual than for financial benefit.

As tomorrow is the regular date for the pastor's sermonette he will deliver one of peculiar interest to boys entitled "The Top That Would Not Spin." He is confident that the boys will greatly enjoy this little discourse.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR CLARENCE SWALM

A birthday party was given yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. W. Swalm, of East Fifth street, in honor of their son Clarence's ninth anniversary. A number of the boy's friends were pleasantly entertained with games and other amusements. Refreshments were served toward the close of the party.

—Second-hand cars bought. We want to buy several used cars. Laing Auto Co.—Adv. 2-8-3t

RECEPTION AND TEA FOR FAMOUS ARTISTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen Guests at The Rookery This Afternoon

Miss Edith Van Boskerck and Mrs. Laura Lee Rogers are giving a tea and reception this afternoon at The Rookery, on Sycamore street, opposite Grace Episcopal church, for Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen, the famous portrait artists, an exhibition of whose work is to be shown at the Rookery for the next two weeks, beginning Monday. Their collection of portraits is said to be one of the finest in the country, and the public is cordially invited to attend the exhibition.

Miss Van Boskerck and Mrs. Rogers receive with Mr. and Mrs. Johansen at today's affair, and were assisted by Mrs. William H. Tyler, Mrs. Arthur B. Jones, Miss Rowland, Mrs. E. J. Lee, Mrs. William M. Wherry, Mrs. Horace G. Phillips, Miss Zerega and Miss Edith Mellick, of this city; and Mrs. Charles Parfit, of Gravenhurst, Canada. Mrs. William S. Tyler poured tea, assisted by several others.

During the afternoon Mr. Johansen gave a short informal talk on "Art of the Present Day." Several social functions are being arranged in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Johansen for the next two weeks, the next to be a tea at The Rookery on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. George Megrew. No admission fee will be charged during the exhibitions, and it is hoped that a large number of people will avail themselves of the opportunity to see this remarkable collection of portraits.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT GRACE CHURCH

With few exceptions, the various spiritual enterprises promoted by Grace church have been eminently successful, and the public has been greatly advantaged thereby. A special course of sermons is now being given by distinguished divines every Sunday evening, which is already proved popular and helpful.

The service is characteristic of extreme simplicity. A few simple prayers, a Scripture lesson, and many bright, strong hymns afford a suitable foundation for the sermon which follows. So far, the preachers have been drawn from the ablest in the church, Dr. Pike, Bishop Matthews, Dr. Tinker, and Dr. Schuyler, among others.

Next Sunday evening introduces a clergyman comparatively unknown in Plainfield, but known in New York City as a preacher of high attainments—the Reverend George A. Oldham, rector of St. Luke's church, Convent avenue. The service starts at 8 p. m., and the public is encouraged to attend.

CAPT. HAY'S THRILLING STORY OF TRENCH LIFE

"The Human Side of Trench Warfare" will be the subject of a lecture to be given by Captain John Hay Beith, (Ian Hay), at the Plainfield high school, Friday night, March 23, under the auspices of the local branch of the National Special Aid Society. Captain Beith is the author of the book, "The First Hundred Thousand," it being a thrilling story of the men who composed Kitchener's first army in the European conflict.

Captain Beith won his commission in the regiment and the Military Cross for Bravery on the battlefield and he is said to possess wonderful gift as a speaker, making the war more realistic and close at hand than ever before. He tells a story of the war as he personally witnessed it being the story first-hand to his audience. His description of trench life is both pathetic and humorous and it is said never fails to arouse the sympathy of his audience.

THE DEATH OF MRS. HARRY HUFF

Mrs. Catherine F. Huff, the wife of Harry Huff, of East Seventh street, died last night after a long and tedious illness, in the forty-seventh year of her age. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside Cemetery.

Mrs. Huff was the daughter of Mrs. Frederick Frey, of this city. Besides her mother and her husband she leaves two brothers, Chas. J. Frey, of Jersey City, and Frederick Frey, of this city. Mrs. Huff had lived here all her life and was widely known and much beloved. Her father died some years ago.

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MANY VISIT STATE TRUST'S NEW HOME

Public Inspection of Banking Institution Being Held This Afternoon

The attractive new home of The State Trust Company was thrown open for an informal inspection this afternoon and will be continued this evening from 7 to 10 o'clock, thus giving ample opportunity for those interested to see what a modern and up-to-date bank has been added to Plainfield's institutions. Throughout the afternoon a large number of people visited the bank and even a greater number is expected this evening.

The interior has been attractively decorated with flowers, palms, ferns and Southern smilax by Charles L. Stanley, the florist, while another feature is noted in the beautiful floral gifts. One very large basket of choice roses was given to E. F. Feickert, vice president of the institution, by the directors, and two beautiful horseshoes, one the gift of Hyman Adelberg and the other from C. P. L. Huston, president of the Rubber Insulated Metals Corporation, of this city, occupy prominent places in Mr. Feickert's private office.

Among the other gifts was one of a bunch of rose-buds from the City National Bank and roses from Mrs. Henri Hayt Patterson, of this city. Other gifts are to be found in the women's reception room and other rooms in the bank.

Mr. Feickert announced today with considerable pleasure that this morning's receipts were increased by $40,000 which he said gave promise that the company would soon become one of the leading institutions of the State.

DELAGO HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Youth of Sixteen Stole $120 From Home of Michael Muller

Lieutenant Higgins arrested Dominick Delago, of 1422 McCrea place, on West Second street, yesterday, on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The fellow had in his possession a new thirty-eight-calibre revolver and a pair of opera glasses, also $85 in cash.

Higgins suspected Delago of having entered and robbed the home of Michael Muller, 1476 McCrea place, of $120 on February 28. He learned yesterday that he, Delago, had a revolver, and picked him up.

Delago, who is only sixteen years old, admitted to the police at headquarters, that he had entered the Muller home and had stolen the money. In the City Court this morning Judge DeMeza held him for the Grand Jury, under bonds of $300.

Delago said that he knew Muller had a large sum of money which he kept in a trunk. He entered the house while the family was down town shopping. He opened the door with a key, had no trouble finding the key to the trunk, and after taking the money, locked the trunk and walked out.

He said the money he had spent for the revolver and opera glasses. He arrived, and for theatrical entertainments.

SPECIAL SERMONS FOR CONGREGATIONALISTS

The third of a special series of six sermons on "The Message of the Cross for Our Day," will be preached tomorrow morning at the Congregational church, by the minister, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke, M. A.

The sub-topic for tomorrow's sermon will be "The Worth of a Man in the Light of the Cross." The third of the special Lenten vesper services, at 4 o'clock, at this church, will be addressed by the Rev. J. Halwell Robinson, of East Orange.

All those not regularly worshiping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend these services.

WILLIAM H. LEE DIED THIS MORNING

William H. Lee, of West Fourth street, died this morning after a brief illness. The funeral will be held in the funeral chapel, West Fourth street, on Tuesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Hamlin officiating. The interment will be made in New Brunswick.

Mr. Lee was employed for many years by the Boice Runyon Concern, of Park avenue. He was affiliated with St. John's church, Jerseyland Park. He was a member of Josephus Lodge, No. 16, K. of P. He leaves his wife, one son, Frank, and one daughter, Edith May Lee, both of this city.

Ford For Sale

1914 Ford, electric lights. Address "W," care Courier-News.

EDW. PRIOR-LEAHY WEDS MISS SCHERZ

Rev. Harold Schenck Officiated at Home of Bride's Uncle This Afternoon

The marriage of Miss Aurelia Scherz, daughter of Mrs. Aurelia Scherz, of this city, to Edward Prior-Leahy, of New York, took place this afternoon at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Adams, of 909 West Front street. Rev. Harold W. Schenck, formerly of Plainfield, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. C. Schenck, of West End Park, but now pastor of the Reformed Church at Nutley, performed the ceremony in the presence of a small company of guests, including the near relatives and a few friends from New York and Chicago.

The bride wore a gown of hand-embroidered net, trimmed with white satin and pearl ornaments, and carried a bouquet of bride roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Margaret Adams, who wore a gown of apricot chiffon, trimmed with Venetian lace. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. The best man was William Prior-Leahy, brother of the bridegroom. The bride was given in marriage by her uncle.

A reception follows the ceremony, after which the couple will leave on an extended trip. Upon their return they will reside in New York, where the bridegroom is connected with the New York Mortgage and Title Company.

The bride formerly lived in New York, coming to Plainfield about a year ago. She received a large collection of useful and ornamental gifts from relatives and friends.

The home is being attractively decorated for the nuptial event, spring flowers being used chiefly throughout the various rooms and reception hall. The arrangement in the parlor and dining-room was especially pleasing.

BUILDING CAMPAIGN WILL BE PUSHED

Y. M. H. A. Has Formulated Plans That Presage Success of Enterprise

The Building Campaign Committee, which met at the home of Samuel H. Schwartz, at No. 1129 West Front street last evening, formulated constructive plans for carrying the Young Men's Hebrew Association building campaign to a successful culmination by in part opening quarters in the present rooms of the association at 204 West Front street, meeting there every night until the close of the active campaign.

A telephone will be installed there and more activity than has been shown before will be manifested for the next two weeks. Grace Semer, Dorothy Augenblick and Louis Shrager have wholeheartedly volunteered to lead three committees of the Young Women's Hebrew Association and the Junior Men's Association to attend to various clerical duties and typewriting. Those who desire to contribute any sum large or small, for the association's new venture may do so by mailing check or Postoffice money order to the Young Men's Hebrew Association Building Campaign Committee, Plainfield, or to any of the following members of the committee: Harvey I. Rothberg, chairman; Samuel H. Schwartz, Benjamin Kline, Samuel Schwartz, Harry Dreier, or William Augenblick.

PATIENT IN MUHLENBERG

Mrs. Robert Carson, of Belmont avenue, is a patient in Muhlenberg Hospital, where she was taken yesterday for treatment.

NOTICE.

Dating from next Monday, March 12th, the subscription price of the Courier-News will be advanced from 10c to 12c a week, and from $5.00 to $6.00 a year. The yearly subscription price applies ONLY IN ADVANCE SUBSCRIPTIONS ONLY.

While we have been forced to pay an increase of more than 100% for white news print paper no increase in price has been made to our subscribers until the present time.

We do not expect either the subscriber or advertiser, or both combined, to make up the added expense, but a small part of it has to be allotted to them. We must stand the loss ourselves. If this was our only trouble the situation would be much more comfortable than it is. But it is decidedly worse. We cannot buy enough paper for our needs at any price. At this time the Courier-News is being printed on paper of such poor quality that under normal conditions it would not be accepted from the manufacturers.

The unusual conditions make it necessary that we keep the number of copies printed at the lowest possible number. For this reason we must insist upon prompt payment from subscribers. As a privilege to our paid in advance and prompt paying subscribers, we will be compelled to discontinue serving the Courier-News to those who fall behind in their payments.

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PLANS FOR WORK OF FLOWER GUILD

Local Organization Observes Third Anniversary of Founding, March 30

The Plainfield Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild held its monthly meeting last evening, at which time plans for the observance of the third anniversary of the founding of the organization, to be marked on Friday evening, March 30, were discussed to some extent, and committees appointed to care for the arrangements and the details of the affair.

The opening devotional exercises were in charge of the Christian Endeaver Society of the First Presbyterian Church, led by Fred Lounsbery, Jr. Rev. John Y. Brook, pastor of the Trinity Reformed Church, the speaker of the evening, talked chiefly of the little things of life, which count for so much in the ultimate results of one's existence upon earth.

The committees in charge of the arrangements for the anniversary service are as follows: Speakers, Miss Florence Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Banks; publicity, William Maxson, Fred Mills and E. E. Waller, Jr.; place of meeting, Robert Love, Mrs. Hillman, and Mrs. L. M. Case; decoration committee (from the Boys' Service League), Howard V. Hall, Randolph A. Douglas, Joseph Bush, and Walter A. Suthpen; nominations, for the annual meeting to be held Friday evening, April 13, Mrs. J. C. Evans, Mrs. Fred Mills, Mrs. William Maxson, Miss Elizabeth Mills.

Jesse Lounsbery and Joseph Harper are in charge of the planning of cottage prayer meeting to be held at the homes of those who requested the holding of such services.

The reports of the various officers and committees were received during the course of the meeting, all of which showed the organization to be in a flourishing condition.

POST OFFICE AT OAK TREE ROBBED

Two Men Hold Up Miss Sallie Stover, Postmistress, With Pistols

Two men, armed with revolvers, entered the postoffice at Oak Tree yesterday and held up the postmistress, Miss Sallie Stover, and escaped with about $10 in cash and some stamps. Miss Stover was so badly frightened by her experience that she was able to give only meager description of the men.

She said they were blue overalls. Both were young men—one was very tall, while the other was below medium stature. It was learned that after leaving the postoffice with their loot the men walked along the Lehigh Valley railroad to Potter's corner, where they took the pike leading toward Rahway. Police of the latter city were asked to be on the lookout for them.

Miss Stover lives with her father, who is a cripple and was unable to come to her assistance. She required medical attention after the robbery. The local police were notified of the robbery yesterday afternoon.

The Oak Tree postoffice has been robbed more times than any other in the history of the postoffice department, but generally has been broken and entered at night, although little was obtained at any time until now.

FIRE VICTIM WAS JOHN MOORE

George W. Keeler, of Cheshire, Conn., has written a letter to Chief of Police Kiely advising him that the man whose body was found in the burned ruins of a barn near that town early Monday morning was undoubtedly John Moore, formerly of this city.

Chief Kiely gave Mr. Keeler a description of Moore, and Mr. Keeler states that it corresponded in every way with the man who was burned to death. Mr. Keeler states that Moore had been in that vicinity for about four years. The man suspected of having killed Moore and then setting fire to the barn has been released by a coroner's jury for lack of evidence. The two men had been intimate for some months.

REV. DR. STANLEY WHITE AT CRESCENT AVE. CHURCH

Tomorrow will be foreign missionary Sunday at Crescent Avenue church and the Rev. Dr. Stanley White, secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions, will preach at the morning service. There will be no afternoon service as the House-to-House Every-Member Canvass for the benevolence budget for the coming year will be made.

—Wanted—An electrical expert on starting and lighting systems for automobiles. Laing's Garage.—Adv.

JAPAN WILL ASK CHINA FOR TERRITORY TAKEN FROM GERMANY

By United Press:

Tokio, March 10.—Baron Hayashi, Japanese Minister to China, does not hesitate to make it clear that Japan is preparing to ask China for a large concession at Tsing-Tau, the colony wrested from Germany by Japanese land and naval forces at the outset of the present war.

WILL ALLOW SHIPS TO FIRE ON SUBMARINES

By United Press:

Washington, March 10.—American armed merchantmen will be empowered to fire on Teuton submarines.

The State Department made this plain today, in declaring that neutral ships can assume that there will be no visit and search by German submarines, inasmuch as Germany has served notice on the world that she would disregard the mandate of international law.

That statement means that when the American ships go forth they will take no chance with German vessels. Sight of a German submarine will be sufficient to justify American gunners on shipboard in turning loose their guns. The interpretation given officially brought the possibility of war very near.

Germany has declared that she has spoken her last word, and will go ahead with submarine warfare. If that is true, it is taken officially to indicate that sooner or later a clash between a submarine and an American armed merchant ship is inevitable.

PERU IS AFLAME WITH A SERIOUS REBELLION

By United Press:

Buenos Aires, March 10.—Peru is aflame with rebellion of a seriousness not realized until today, when information that was smuggled across the border to evade government censorship, detailed the direst sort of fighting in Lima, the capital, and in Callao, Callao, and Arequipa, in which many persons have been killed or wounded.

The son of Admiral Grau, of the Peruvian navy, has been assassinated. Peruvian warships have been dismantled by the government to prevent their seizure by rebels. The government house in Lima is surrounded by troops, and it is predicted the president will resign.

There is no information here as to the reason for the outbreak.

"WHITE BOOK" TO SHOW GERMAN PLOTS

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 10.—The United States is preparing a "white book," in which to reveal Germany's plot. If "needed" it probably will be published to stir an already awakened people as to the real dangers ahead.

Looming above the war cloud, however, is the possibility that peace may be near. Germany is hard-pressed for food, according to recent accounts. In view of Germany's oft repeated plan to sink everything in sight it is expected matters will come only too quickly where U. S. gunners must act as the Allied gunners now do—shoot first and inquire later.

AMERICAN MARINES OCCUPY CUBAN CITY

By United Press:

Havana, March 10.—A detachment of American marines was reported today to have occupied the city of San Luis, thirty miles from Santiago. It was expected the American forces would remain there until the arrival of Cuban government troops from Palma, Soriano. Then they will return to Santiago.

BERNSTORFF ARRIVES AT CHRISTIANIA TODAY

By United Press:

Copenhagen, March 10.—Bernstorff, deposed German Ambassador to the United States, arrived at Christiania at 1:30 o'clock this morning, according to official word received here today.

ADOPT NEW SPELLING OF WORD "CLOTURE"

In the past few days the word "cloture" has appeared often in the public prints in stories of the attempt made by Congress to adopt a measure that would close debates within a reasonable time, and prevent Congressmen from talking bills to death in the last hours of the session.

The word "cloture" is a French word, coming from the Latin "claudere," meaning to shut, or close. Newspapers are now spelling the word "closure" as more intelligible in English. The word has been little known in common conversation, until it was brought up in connection with the filibuster in the United States Senate last Sunday, over the armed neutrality bill, which was killed because there was no cloture law on the statute books. Some years ago an attempt was made in the New Jersey Legislature to adopt a cloture rule, to prevent filibustering.

—Wanted—A young man of good character with driver's license to act as assistant in battery department. Laing's Garage.—Adv.

SOUTHERN REPUBLICS MAY REBUFF THE U. S.

By United Press:

Buenos Aires, March 10.—If the United States is planning to seek concerted action among all American republics to cleanse America's atmosphere of German activities, as reported in Washington dispatches, she is likely to be rebuffed hotly. A majority of the Latin-American republics will resent such a plan.

It was learned today that the Argentine government would be inclined to make "hot answer" if the United States offers advice about German plotting. With the exception possibly of Brazil and Bolivia, Argentine's position on American matters is regarded as representing the attitude of other Latin-American republics.

MAY APPOINT MORGAN AMBASSADOR TO TOKIO

By United Press:

Washington, March 10.—That Edwin V. Morgan, Ambassador to Brazil, may succeed the late Ambassador Guthrie, at Tokio, is the report here today. Morgan, a Republican, has President Wilson's confidence, and has had experience in the Far East as a consular official.

ENGLAND BIDS FOR ALL CANADA'S WHEAT CROP

By United Press:

Ottawa, Ont., March 10.—Negotiations are under way for purchase of the whole wheat crop of 1917 by Great Britain.

PAPER SHORTAGE AFFECTS COUNTY CLERK

County Clerk William B. Martin was unable to open his office at Elizabeth last night to take applications for citizens' naturalization papers, owing to the present scarcity of paper. He was informed that the United States Government had not been able to print enough naturalization blanks on account of the paper shortage. When the county clerk receives a new supply of blanks notice will be given in the Courier-News.

ELIZABETH MEN JOIN AMBULANCE CORPS

Two Elizabeth men, Frank D. Halsey, of 27 Prince street, and Thomas R. White, of 647 Newark avenue, Elizabeth, will sail on the Rochambeau of the French line when she leaves New York for Bordeaux, either today or tomorrow, to serve in the ambulance corps of the American Red Cross in France. Mr. Halsey has signed up for a period of six months, while Mr. White's term of enlistment will be for three months.

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RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Special Notice to Pastors—Notices for this column should be in the editorial office by Friday afternoon.

W. C. T. U., Babcock building, Madison avenue.—Mrs. Stewart will speak at the service at 4 o'clock.

Evona Chapel, West Third street, near Clinton avenue, Robert Love, superintendent.—The Rev. Charles Fountain will have charge of the service tomorrow evening.

Ebenezer Baptist church, East Third street, the Rev. L. L. Croom, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m.; praise service at 3.30.

All Souls' Unitarian Church, Park Avenue, near West Eighth street, the Rev. John Baltzly, minister.—Morning preaching at 10.45; subject of sermon, "Love's Other Face." *Sunday School at 9.30.*

Shiloh Baptist Church, West Fourth street, near Liberty street, the Rev. E. W. Roberts, pastor, preaches at both morning and evening services. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the evening service.

Monroe Avenue M. E. Church, Monroe avenue and West Fourth street, the Rev. D. B. F. Randolph, pastor.—Morning subject, "If We Only Had Personal Knowledge of Christ." Evening, "The Dying Thief or Deathbed Conversions."

Christian Science Society, 128 East Seventh street, between Park and Watchung avenues.—Services: Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m.; Sunday School, 9.45 a. m. The reading room is open each week day, except legal holidays, from 2 to 5 p. m., and is free to all.

Mt. Olive Baptist church, Liberty street, near Third street, the Rev. A. D. Jones, pastor.—Morning subject, 11 a. m., "Starting for the Mastery"; evening subject, "Partnership With God." Sunday School at 3 p. m. B. Y. P. U. Tuesday evening, and prayer service Friday evening.

Bethel Chapel, East Fifth and Washington streets, the Rev. William L. Imes, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Holy Communion will be observed at the evening service. The session will meet candidates for membership at 7.30. Sunday School at 3.30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor service at 6.45.

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues, the Rev. Edward S. Ralston, pastor.—The Rev. C. W. F. Attlee, of this city, will preach at 11 a. m. The pastor preaches at 7.45 on the Eighth Commandment, "Thou Shalt Not Steal." This series of special sermons has awakened considerable interest. All are invited to attend the services.

Grace Episcopal Church, East Seventh and Sycamore streets, the Rev. E. Vicar Stevenson, rector.—Services: 7.30 a. m., Holy Communion; 10.30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday School; 4.30 p. m., evensong; 8 p. m., popular preaching service. The Rev. George A. Oldham at 10.30 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Hope Chapel, West Fourth street, head of John street, the Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor.—Evangelistic preaching at 10.45 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Fifteen minutes of singing from the Biederwolf hymnal at the evening service. Special song service for men at 2.30 p. m. Sunday School at 3 o'clock. Christian *Endeavor service at 7 o'clock.*

Christian and Missionary Alliance —Regular services are held in the German Reformed church, corner Dare street and Craig place, one block from post office, as follows: Preaching service Sunday evening at 8 o'clock; Bible study on the Book of Revelation Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock; special service of prayer Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all. F. Y. Lininger, pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Babcock building, 240 West Front street.—Services: Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; Wednesday evening meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healing, at 8 o'clock. Sunday School for pupils under the age of twenty. Sunday *morning at 10.45, reading room open* daily from 2 to 5 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays; subject of lesson sermon: "Man." Golden Text, Job 38:21.

Trinity Reformed Church, West Second street, near Park avenue, the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor.—Morning subject, "The Meaning of Lent." Bible School and St. Paul's Brotherhood at 2:30. Rev. J. Madison Hare speaks to the Brotherhood at this time. The Sunday School attendance goal has been *placed at 500. Christian Endeavor* Society meets at 6.45; leader, Miss Mary Neal. Evening sermon subject, "The Cause of Poverty." A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church, corner Fairview and Watchung avenues.—The Rev. Joseph C. McKelvey, pastor, will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock on the subject "How to Walk," and in the evening at 7.45 on "A Great Quest." The Sunday School convenes at 9.45 a. m.; also the Berean Bible Class, under the leadership of E. E. Parvin. Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the regular mid-week prayer meeting. The church will complete its first year of independence on the last day of this month.

Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield, the Rev. H. St. G. Burrill, rector.—7.30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9.30 Sunday School; 11 a. m., morning prayers and sermon; 7.45, evening prayers and sermon. The Rev. H. B. Medley, of Netherwood, will preach at the morning service and the Rev. C. S. Lewis, of South Amboy, at the evening service. The Rev. J. S. Fair will preach at the Wednesday evening service. The Women's Auxiliary meets Tuesday at 2.30 p. m. Thimble party under the auspices of this organization at the *Parish House Thursday afternoon at* 2.30.

PERSONAL

Raymond Pasch, of Grandview avenue, who has been ill of pneumonia for some time, is reported as slowly convalescing.

The Worth of a Man in the Light of the Cross

Third of a Series of Six Morning Lenten Sermons on THE MESSAGE OF THE CROSS FOR OUR DAY.

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The Reverend Howard E. Clarke, M.A.

Sunday Morning, March 11

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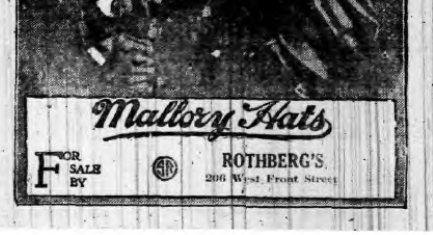

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"SOUTH AMERICA, THE LAND AND ITS PEOPLE"

Rev. Thornton B. Penfield Gives First of Four Talks at Y. W. C. A.

"South America, the Land and Its People," was the subject of the first of four Lenten talks given by Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Englewood, at the Y. W. C. A., yesterday afternoon. The succeeding lectures will be given on succeeding Friday afternoons at 3.45 o'clock. Yesterday's lecture was well attended and all present were much interested in the way that Mr. Penfield introduced his subject, it giving promise of a *great deal of information concerning* South America.

Mr. Penfield presented one of the new maps of South America, which showed the location of the "River of Doubt," discovered by Roosevelt. He described the character of the *country, its climate, general conditions,* size and resources. He discussed his subject somewhat from the standpoint of missions, telling something of what has already been accomplished in the country and what is being done at present.

The speaker said that the country abounded in wealth, characterizing the oil wells, gold mines and other natural resources as being marvelous. In his subsequent talks, Mr. Penfield will treat of the Indians and missions established in South America, touching on the political conditions.

Mr. Penfield closed yesterday's talk by telling of the people of South America, beginning with the original settlers and leading up to the part the Spanish and Portuguese have played in the development of the country, all of which he referred to as a great "melting pot."

THROUGH THE WICKET

Four candidates will be initiated this evening at the meeting of Martha Washington Council, Daughters of America. The council will also make plans for a pinochle party to be held on the next meeting night.

Crainilea Lodge, No. 43, Daughters of Scotia, will hold an important meeting on Monday evening next, March 12, at which the Grand Chief Daughter is expected to be present. Members having contributions for the box being planned for British soldiers are asked to bring them to this meeting.

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WORKERS PLAN FOR EVERY-MEMBER CANVASS

In preparation for the canvass of the membership of the First Baptist church to be made tomorrow afternoon in the interest of the annual budget system, about forty men who will comprise the various teams in this work met at the home of Arthur M. Harris, on Central avenue, last night, and completed plans for the canvass.

The majority of the workers will make use of automobiles in the every-member canvass. After the business last night a social hour with refreshments were enjoyed.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY SUPPER

The Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church held a supper last night in the dining room of the edifice. This was followed by a program of exercises by the children during the evening.

RESPONSIBLE FOR GRANDCHILDREN

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 10.—Taking the stand contended for by counsel for Jersey City at the argument in the case, namely, that the Poor Law is a constitutional act, under which grandparents can be made to support grandchildren when the parents either are neglectful or unable to do so, the Court of Errors and Appeals has rendered an opinion reversing the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Nelson and Laura Stark against the Overseer of the Poor of Jersey City.

The decision of the Errors Court upholds the order made by Judge Harry Lange, of the Hudson County Juvenile Court, directing the Starks to pay $3 a week to the alms department of Jersey City for the support of their grandson, Pierce Stark, aged three and a half years. The child's father had deserted his family and the mother was not able to support it, it was contended.

"You want to know the news," she writes. "The best that I know is that Hearn's (14th St., N. Y.) Great Spring Sale is on; I have been in several days (it began on the 12th), in fact, I just can't keep away from those real bargains Hearn's is offering. And this year, when everything, everywhere, is up, up, up, the wonderful values they are selling for ever-so little are perfectly extraordinary. They are almost giving away some things. But then, their cash buying policy is the explanation that makes their prices possible.

"However, I won't quote prices, you have to see these things to actually appreciate them. I believe that you said you wanted Spring clothes for the children—well, I know you can't do better elsewhere for Jimmie than right in Hearn's boys' departments where there are tables and tables filled with jaunty, regular boy suits (lots of them have those extra trousers I hear you asking about)—Norfolks, Russians, all for any of them looking as if they belonged to your smart, manly Jimmie.

"As for Jane, you had better not bring her—she will certainly want a dozen or more of some of the pretty frocks in the girls' department. And there are heaps of those popular middies, and such sensible school clothes. If she is to be confirmed this Easter, you surely must buy her dress, or the material for it, at Hearn's.

"Each bargain seems better than the one before it; the babies' things are exquisitely dainty. So are the underwear specials—there are some silk ones on the main floor that you will like.

"As for smart suits, dressy suits, coats and frocks, you'll have to come into Hearn's, that's all. In our favorite blouse section is a perfectly wonderful collection! All over the store—in every department—is that necessary fashionable sports idea—and the new colors. There is certainly a delightful Spring atmosphere, too. The sewing enthusiasts are exclaiming with joy over the marvelous silks and dress fabrics—and they make one fairly see dainty, charming summer frocks as they select *yards of wash* goods. Every other customer buying linens, Towels, Rugs, etc., seems to be someone's prospective bride! It's positively catching, this Spring sale, getting ready for Easter fever at Hearn's.

"The little sketch is me, in my new georgette crepe frock, bought, of course, at Hearn's—they altered it without extra charge, too.

"So let me know what day to meet you, between 12 and 2, in Hearn's third floor restaurant, for a delicious luncheon—afterwards please help me pick out a hat—there are so many adorable new shapes, big and little, trimmed or untrimmed.

"Now, with your carfare, Mrs. Plurlanite, you save money shopping Hearn's, and their new cash register system saves your time, so you won't have to run for your train!"

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The meal consists of 1 Biscuit 4 *inches square, made* with flour, lard and sweetening, and 1 cup of Cocoa.

Franklin, Pa., with 10,000 people, has pledged one meal to 5,000 of these children for 1 year.

Evanston, Ill., with 40,000, has pledged one meal to 40,000 of these children for 1 year.

Oyster Bay, L. I., has taken 2,400 children.

*The State of Pennsylvania has taken over the entire pro*vince of Antwerp, including the city of Antwerp.

Committees are trying to get each city, town and village in America to assume the giving of 1 meal a day to all the children in some one Belgian town. When the committee has received our pledges, Plainfield will be assigned its town. Every cent contributed *goes for food.* All other expenses are provided otherwise.

The German Government still recognizes the C. R. B. as the only channel for the relief of Belgians within the lines, and since Feb. 1, 1917, has again agreed to let the work go on. Send the above coupon to one of the undersigned.

COMMITTEE

Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, 506 West Eighth St.

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Mrs. Francis W. Frost, 1011 Madison Ave.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Piscataway, on Monday, March 19th, 1917, at eight o'clock p. m., at the New Market School, New Market, N. J., for the erection and completion of the addition to New Market School, New Market, N. J., according to plans and specifications prepared by J. Pierson & Son, Architects, 130 Smith Street, Perth Amboy, N. J. Bids must be made separately as follows: For General Construction, Heating and Ventilating, Plumbing, Electrical Work. Plans may be obtained from the Clerk of the Board, Everett Marshall, R. F. D. No. 2, New Brunswick, N. J., upon the deposit of a certified check for twenty dollars, drawn to the Order of the Board of Education, Township of Piscataway, or may be seen at the office of the architects. Check will be returned when plans are returned. Certified checks drawn to order of the Board of Education, Township of Piscataway, must accompany each bid for amounts as follows: General Construction, $500.00; Heating and Ventilating, $200.00; Plumbing, $200.00; Electrical Work, $50.00.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish a Surety Bond for the full amount of the bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN GEARY, President.
EVERETT MARSHALL, Clerk.
3—10-12-14

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

To: MERLE I. ST. JOHN and MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, his wife.

By virtue of an Order of the Court of Chancery made on the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Elmer C. Gildes, is complainant and you are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of said Complainant on or before the 8th day of May next, or said Bill will be taken as confessed against you. The said Bill is filed to foreclose two mortgages given by Edith May Lindsey, single, to said Elmer A. Gildes, one of said mortgages being dated July 22, 1912, for $1,000, and the other being dated January 17, 1913, for the sum of $1,000; both covering the same lands in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, and you, MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the owner of said property; and you, MRS MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the wife of the said MERLE I. ST. JOHN, and by virtue thereof claim to have some lien upon or interest in the said mortgaged premises.

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Somerset County Surrogate's Court

Estate of Robert Clark, Jr., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D. 1917, on the application of the undersigned, as administrator, C. T. A., of the estate of Robert Clark, Jr., deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Robert Clark, Jr., deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation and present the same to the subscribers within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action thereof against the subscribers.

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COURIER-NEWS WANT ADS BRING QUICK RESULTS

RABBI FRIEDLANDER ENDORSES CAMPAIGN

Jewish People Urged to Support Y. M. H. A. Building Campaign

Endorsing the movement started by the Young Men's Hebrew Association of this city to establish a "community building" here, Rabbi Joseph Friedlander at the service at Temple Sholem last night, urged everyone present to lend their support to the campaign now being conducted by the association to acquire free and clear the Leal's property on West Front street.

The members of the Young Women's Hebrew Association attended the service in a body, and, appropriate to the occasion, Rabbi Friedlander preached an eloquent discourse on the subject of "Jewish Women in History," emphasizing a few of the many important things accomplished by them in the past as well as the present day. He praised the members of the Y. W. H. A. and the work they are doing, adding that he felt sure they would help to make the Y. M. H. A. building campaign a success. There was an unusually large congregation at the service and all were inspired by the earnest words of the preacher.

THROUGH THE WICKET

About 200 Knights of Columbus of Jersey City will receive the fourth degree of the order tomorrow afternoon in a ceremony to be held at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark. A banquet will follow the ceremonies, which will be conducted by State Deputy John F. O'Neill and William Smith, of Jersey City, Master of the fourth degree. Speakers at the banquet will include Monsignor Isaac P. Whelan, of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Newark; Public Utility Commissioner John T. Treacy, Secretary of State Thomas F. Martin, Congressmen John P. Egan and James A. Hamill, of Jersey City and Assistant Corporation Counsel Martin J. Flanagan and Assistant District Attorney James E. Smith, of New York.

WISCONSIN SENATE PLEDGING ITS LOYALTY

Madison Wis., March 10.—A "round robin" pledging loyalty to President Wilson was begun in the State Senate yesterday. Timothy Burke, president pro tempore, and J. H. Bennett were the first to sign. The declaration says:

"Wisconsin is still loyal to the President and the government of the United States. Its citizens deeply regret the conduct of the Senators of the United States and particularly that of Robert M. LaFollette, the nation's elder Senator, in bringing about a filibuster which denied the right of the majority to rule and which prevented the passage of many vitally important and necessary measures to prevent war."

SWISS ENLISTMENT PROCEEDS RAPIDLY

Special to Courier-News:

Berne, Mar. 10—Enlistment of all men between the ages of 24 and 32 is proceeding rapidly and by the end of this week or the beginning of next week, four-fifths of the Swiss between those ages will be under arms.

The government is taking this step because of the growing apprehension that a war movement is being planned that will take place of trench activity and wishes to be prepared for any eventuality.

FUNERAL OF A LITTLE BOY

The funeral of Howard William Isenmann, three years of age, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Isenmann, of Lyman place, who died on Wednesday, was held this afternoon at his parents' residence, the Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity church, officiating. There were many friends and relatives present and the flowers were numerous and pretty. The interment was made in Fairview cemetery, Westfield.

INFANT DAUGHTER BURIED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Horace Schenck, of Port Richmond, S. I., who died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schuck, of West Sixth street, yesterday, was buried this afternoon in St. Mary's cemetery.

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PAY $602 IN FINES AFTER LONG CONTEST

Newton, March 10.—Convicted nearly six years ago of assault on Carl G. Van Etten, a cripple of Montague Township, Frank Collins and Leon Black, of that district have just paid into the court a total fine of $602.88. Three other defendants, Albert Rosier, John Curts and William Trimberti, convicted with them, have yet to pay $125.

The assault was the outcome of a fight over the use of a gate between the Van Etten and the Black premises. The defendants were indicted in September, 1911, and in January, 1912, they were convicted. The Supreme Court affirmed the conviction in February, 1914, and the Court of Errors and Appeals November 22, last.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Stillman school on Monday night.

The game room in the Washington school is to be open tonight.

The West End Boys' Club is to use the high school gym Monday night.

The Girls' Recreation Club meets in the Washington school gym Monday evening.

The International Motor Company Band will rehearse Monday evening in the Washington school.

The regular municipal dance will be held this evening in the Washington school auditorium.

A guild of play will be conducted in the Bryant school and athletic games in the Jefferson school on Monday afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the West End Community Center will be held in the Washington school on Monday evening.

ZIMMERMAN NOTE REACHED ECKHARDT

Washington, March 10.—It was stated on diplomatic authority yesterday that the Zimmermann note to German Minister Eckhardt in Mexico City reached its destination. The informant asserted that two methods were chosen by the German Foreign office for the transmission of the note. One of these methods was said to be the wireless telegraph, the other the sea.

It was believed that one copy of the note was sent direct to Mexico on board a German submarine, the other message reaching Mexico by wireless.

SENTENCE POSTPONED ON LOCAL COUPLE

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 10.—To determine the accuracy of contradictory statements made by counsel for Henry Newton, colored, of Plainfield and Sarah Scott, white, of that city, both charged with statutory offenses, Judge Connolly postponed sentence yesterday until Friday next in the Court of Quarter Sessions.

Lawyers' statements to the court did not agree as to the extent of Newton's responsibility in the matter.

POLISH FALCONS WILL HOLD A BAZAAR

Beginning April 26, and continuing for the next two days, April 27 and 28, the Polish Falcons Alliance Order 281, of Plainfield, will hold their first Bazaar in St. Mary's T. A. B. S. hall.

Booths of every description will be stationed and any one wishing to help the Falcons may send their offerings to No. 1221 West Front street, Chairman of the Committee.

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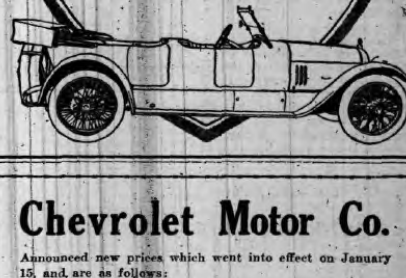

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 10.

British relief column checked near Kut-el-Amara.

Avalanches and snowfalls sixteen feet deep reported in the mountain war zone in Austria.

The German attack on Verdun checked around the fort and town of Vaux.

In the Aisne region, northwest of Rheims, the Germans broke through the French line to a depth of two-thirds of a mile.

The British war office stated that the relief expedition in Mesopotamia had been obliged to retire eight miles to the Tigris for water.

A British torpedo boat and a destroyer sunk by mines off the east coast of England.

Two Years Ago Today.

Neutral cabinet formed in Greece by Gounaris. German 42 centimeter gun bombarded Nieuport, Belgium.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1917.

FACTS IN A NUTSHELL

The following editorial from the New York American hits the nail on the head:

"The Congress which has just exprod neither passed the appropriation for the army nor passed the military training law.

"That cannot be helped now. Nor are we going to waste precious minutes in crying about it.

"The mischief is done. The only sensible thing to do is to get to work instantly in repairing it.

"Call the new Congress together and let it do what its predecessor left undone.

"What other sensible course of action is there?

"How else are we to pay army costs or to begin, even, to get together an army to defend us against the war that may be storming upon us before we are six months older?

"What incredible folly it is, citizens, to waste even a single day in aimless discussion, when, even if we work day and night as we never worked before, we can only half prepare to meet the war that may come upon us before the summer's harvests are reaped?

"It takes six months to make a tolerably good soldier of a civilian.

"It takes a year to make even a rudimentary officer.

"And where are our soldiers and our officers to come from if Congress does not meet and pass the laws that must be passed before we can begin to train soldiers and officers?

"If we had ten million armed men, what could they do without officers?

"We have today, all told, a little over one-tenth the number of officers that were killed and captured in the first eleven months of the Russian offensives and defeats in East Prussia, Galicia and Poland.

"We have not enough officers in service and in reserve to officer an army of 300,000 men—and we will need an army of 3,000,000 men to defend the country with any hope of success at all.

"Our fleet is short over 25,000 men and officers at this very minute. And what use are battleships and auxiliaries without officers and men to man them?

"Citizens, is this a time to spend in profitless discussion?

"Is this a time for Congress to be absent from the Capitol?

"Have we so much wealth to waste and so much blood to spill that we can afford the dreadful risks that will face us if we do not set to work like men of sense to prepare for our own defense?

"What difference is it now what the last Congress did?

"Let the dead past bury its dead. Our duty is with the living present.

"In less than a year we may be beset on the Atlantic and on the Pacific shore lines by enemies who have over eight million of veteran soldiers to draw upon; who have more weapons and more ammunition on hand than all our factories could turn out in two years; who have more trained airmen than we have regular soldiers; who have a combined navy that outnumbers ours in every form of fighting craft; who are led by thousands of trained officers, actually experienced in warfare; who have hundreds of sea-going submarines, while we have not one—not a single one; and who are armed and desperately poor, while we—if our folly continues—will be unarmed and hugely rich.

"Men talk as if our only part in war will be to help powerful and victorious foes give a parting kick to dying Germany; as if our only military duty will be to lend money to Russia and Italy and England and France.

"Not one of us expects to die tomorrow. But everyone of us who has good sense is insured against that happening.

"The Congress should meet this very week.

"And as rapidly as it possibly can the Congress should enact the laws that will end this period of talking, and inaugurate the era of preparing."

VISIT THE SCHOOLS NEXT WEEK

Next week has been designated by State School Commissioner Kendall as "visit-the-school" week. He urges all parents to make the opportunity some time during the week to visit the schools where their children are being taught, and get acquainted with the teachers. Now that the head of the educational department in the State has asked all parents to do this, let everyone go. The Commissioner has made this request, and he has a good reason for it, or he would not ask it. He feels much as a good many do that parents give too little thought to the education of children, so long as the children are in our public schools, under competent teachers, and amid pleasant comfortable surroundings most of the day. All this is very well, but the parents are paying good money for it, and their interest should go far enough to see if it is a good investment. They are not asked to take a hand in the teaching, but to establish an acquaintance with the teachers, which is of mutual good, since both parent and teacher have the care and bringing up of children. In some cases the teachers see more of the children than the parents do. It will be a pleasure for parents to see in what good hands the pupils are placed during the major part of the day time. Co-operation of sentiment is good between the two, the parent in the home, and the teacher in the school, since their care and anxiety are mutual in such an important matter as the training of a young life for its many ways of future usefulness. Too often now the two who are teaching the child are strangers. Let them get acquainted. Next week will be the opportunity more than is usual, for the State Commissioner has designated that week for visiting the schools, and it would be really nice for parents to accept the invitation.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

One feature of the inaugural exercises at Washington, cost the taxpayers nothing was the long and imposing procession of office-seekers.

That fellow walking along with his head up in the air hasn't a dollar, but that discouraged down-hearted looking creature has just made out a good fat income tax return to the Government.

It is claimed that the newspaper articles on managing husbands are all written by splinters. The married women know how, but aren't giving away any information.

FIRST AID CLASS ENROLLS NEW MEMBERS

The second lesson of the series of ten on "First Aid" was given by Dr. Lufburrow last night at the First M. E. Church. Nineteen more members enrolled, making the class now eighty-two.

There were several men who joined the class, also some single lessons given last night.

Dr. Lufburrow first reviewed the initial lesson and then told of the injuries to the bone, although there is no outward appearances on the skin. The class will meet again on Thursday evening next.

GAVE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Rosamond Rogers, of Watchung avenue, gave a party at her home Thursday night in honor of her father, R. B. Rogers, who celebrated his birthday anniversary that day. The program of the evening was an informal one and included dancing and playing games, after which refreshments were served.

ENTERTAINING THEIR MOTHER

Mrs. Charles Hayden, of Holly, N. Y., is visiting her daughters, the Misses Marsh, of Watchung avenue.

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WAX'S STORY A LIE, SAYS RAE TANZER

Lively Scene Follows Testimony of "Oliver Osborne" in Perjury Trial

Rae Tanzer's first outburst of indignation during the present trial for perjury occurred at yesterday's session when Charles H. Wax, who says he posed as Oliver Osborne, told more of his alleged relations with the young woman before Judge William Van Fleet and a jury in the Federal District Court, New York.

After Wax's recital, Miss Tanzer suddenly jumped to her feet at the same time declaring: "It is a lie." Maxwell Slade, associate counsel for the defence, grabbed the young woman and forced her back into her chair, clapping his hand over her mouth.

Miss Tanzer continued to struggle and cry, at which Judge Van Fleet suggested that Slade remove his hand and let the woman talk. After the muttering of a few incoherent words, the defendant became quiet.

Wax told on the witness stand of having given Miss Tanzer money on various occasions. The last time he said he gave her $50 and made an appointment to meet her which she did not keep. In his letter to Judge Osborne, Wax said he had gone to various hotels with the woman. A number of witnesses were called yesterday who testified that Judge Osborne was at the Bar Association on October 18, 1914, the day Rae Tanzer said she came with Osborne to this city.

The case was adjourned until Monday, when Prosecutor Rand will begin summing up the government's case.

FREEHOLDERS MUST PAY 1915 TAXES

Special to Courier-News

Trenton, March 10—The Supreme Court has directed, in an opinion, just rendered, that a peremptory writ of mandamus be issued compelling the Bergen county Freeholders to pay certain taxes assessed May 20, 1915, on the land, bridges and tollhouse of the Bergen turnpike in the borough of Ridgefield, which on November 1, 1915 were conveyed by the turnpike company to the freeholders for a county road.

Public Library Notes

RECENT SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY.

Part 1.

Aeronautics

Burls—Aero Engines, with a general introductory account of the theory of the internal-combustion engine.

Turner—Aircraft of Today.

Light and Color

Luckiesh—Color and its Application.

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Gas Testing

Stone—Practical Testing of Gas and Gas Meters.

Chemistry, Inorganic

Browning—Introduction to the Rarer Elements.

Levy—Rare Earths; their occurrence, chemistry and technology.

Voorhees—Ozone; its manufacture, properties and uses.

Wang—Antimony; its history, chemistry, mineralogy, geology, metallurgy, uses, preparations, analysis, production, and valuation, with complete bibliographies.

Geology

Miller—Introduction to Historical Geology, with special reference to North America.

Public Health

Lane-Claypon—Milk and its hygienic relations; published under the direction of the Medical Research Committee.

Mechanical Engineering

Carpenter and Diederichs—Internal Combustion Engines; their theory, construction and operation.

Clewell—Factory Lighting.

Clewell—Handbook of Machine Shop Electricity.

Dalby—Steam Power.

Heldt—Gasoline Automobile.

McDowell and Marks—Gas and Oil Engines and Gas-Producers; a treatise on theoretical and mechanical developments of the modern internal-combustion motor, its application to the production of efficient power units, and the latest designs of fuel producers.

Markham—Tool-making; a practical treatise on the art of making tools, jigs and fixtures, with helpful suggestions on heat treatment of carbon and high-speed steels for tools, punches and dies.

Page—Gas, gasoline and oil-engines; defining the elements of internal combustion engineering, the design, construction and practical application of all forms of gas, gasoline, kerosene and crude petroleum-oil engines.

Roe—English and American tool builders.

Siebel—Compend of mechanical refrigeration and engineering; a comprehensive digest of general engineering and thermodynamics for the practical use of ice manufacturers, cold storage men, contractors, engineers, brewers, packers, and all other users of refrigeration in the various industries.

Mining Engineering

Gillette—Handbook of Rock Excavation Methods and Cost.

Military and Naval Engineering

Hoar—Submarine Torpedo Boat; its characteristics and modern development.

Sanitary Engineering

Flinn and others—Waterworks Handbook.

Folwell—Sewerage; the designing, construction and maintenance of sewerage systems.

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Therefore, as General Lejeune wrote the Congressman, "It is proposed to hold an examination of candidates from civil life on or about July 10 next. Circulars concerning this examination are now being sent out to candidates. It is especially desired that graduates of our well-recognized colleges and universities should participate in this examination.

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HUFF—On Friday, March 9th, 1917, Catherine F. Huff, in her 47th year.

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LEE—On Saturday, March 10th, 1917, William H. Lee, in his 49th year.

Funeral services at the funeral chapel, 111 West Fourth street, Tuesday, March 13th, at 1 o'clock. Interment at New Brunswick, N. J.

MUIR—On Wednesday, March 7, 1917, Ethel May, wife of George Muir, aged 24 years.

Funeral services from her late residence, 120 Elmwood place, on Sunday afternoon, March 11th, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in family plot in Hillside cemetery. 3-8-10

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HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers, Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics at very reasonable prices. J. H. De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 865. 7-24-1y

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

WILL SELL OR EXCHANGE $300 National Cash Register for a smaller one. Address Sugar Bowl, corner of Broad and Prospect streets, Westfield. 3-10-2t

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 226 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

FIRST-CLASS PAINTING and paper hanging done at most reasonable prices. Send a postal to O. F. Pearson, 1018 East Front street. 'Phone 1814-J. 2-10-1m

EXPERIENCED chauffeur (married man with small family) desires position with private family, or on gentleman's place. Address "Chauffeur," care Courier-News. 3-10-6t

YOUNG MAN wants position as cook; understands hotel and private family cooking. Call at 815 Richmond street. 3-9-3t

EXPERIENCED MAN desires position on farm; has small family; good references. Apply 215 Monroe avenue. 3-10-6t

MAN with team and Watson dumper wants work or contract. Tel. 2437, 954 West Fourth street. 3-8-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Kimwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Eye-glasses in case by poor boy. Please return to Courier-News. 3-10-2t

LOST—In postoffice, small coin purse containing money, etc. Finder kindly leave at Courier-News office. Reward. 3-10-2t

LOST—Diamond solitaire ring in paper envelope. Reward and no questions asked if returned to Courier-News. 3-10-3t

LOST—Bunch of keys Thursday. Reward. Return to Courier-News office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

COLORED WOMAN wishes day's work. 666 South Second street. 3-9-2t

WOMAN wants place to do housework; no laundry. "L. C." care Courier-News.

YOUNG colored girl from South would like light housework; willing and obliging. Call 627 West Fourth street, second floor. 3-10-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 simple suits at half price. Chance convince yourself. Cample Clothing Store, 32 Somerset street, Plainfield. 3-14-1t

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-1-12t

WANTED—Boy, about 16 to 18, to drive, milk wagon and help with cows. Address "Milkman," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Lathe and planer hands on day and night turn; also first-class heavy cry sand and loam moulders; good wages; steady work; no labor troubles. Treadwell Engineering Co., Easton, Pa. 3-10-2t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—Young man as assistant bookkeeper or clerk; references required. Address P. O. Box O, Plainfield.

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 3-10-6t

WANTED—Young, sober, reliable, neat man who understands gardening and washing of automobiles, one willing to make himself useful around a private home. Apply evenings after 6:30, 418 East Front St. 3-10-3t

BUTLER WANTED—Must have experience and good references. 'Phone 851. 3-10-3t

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WANTED—Big pay, sure work. Write for my free book FC 979 today. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 3-10-2t

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HANDY MEN WANTED. International Motor Co. 3-10-4t

WANTED—Handy man on country place, one that will help inside and outside, and that has some knowledge of gardening. Steady. care Courier-News. 3-9-2t

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTERS. APPLY STANDARD AERO CORP., 768 NORTH AVENUE. 3-10-3t

WANTED—Boy to make himself useful around the store. H. Adelberg, 129 East Front street.

WANTED—Young man for office work with stenographic ability; fine opportunity for future. Address in own handwriting, "M. F. C." care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

WANTED — Competent farmer wanted; good salary; good place; married man preferred. Write for appointment and state qualifications. Dr. Hicks, 5-mile lock, Bound Brook. 3-10-4t

WANTED—Experienced Acme and Gridley automatic operators; also two inspectors. Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-9-4t

SELL PERRY trees and plants. Write for contract. Perry Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. Established 1855. 2-24-171

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 2-8-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2316-M. 6-6-1y*

FOR EXCHANGE

EXCHANGE—Two houses and two lots, in the most convenient part of Jersey City Heights, for small farm around Plainfield; must be two or three acres, 6-room house; my property is worth $4,500; my equity $2,500, as there is $2,000 on it; the property will pay $50 a month; need small repairs; fine neighborhood; 12 minutes to New York. 5 lines of cars pass the house. Answer to owner, Mrs. J. R., 42 Ravine avenue, near Webster, Jersey City Heights.

FOR EXCHANGE — Nine-room modern house, large lot, finest location for two-family house, or for sale on easy terms; no agents. "M. H." care Courier-News. 3-6-3t-10

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WATCH THIS SPACE FOR THE NEXT BIG AUCTION SALE. EVERYTHING PERTAINING TO THE HOUSE SOLD WILL BE SOLD. DATE ANNOUNCED LATER. ROBERT MURRAY, AUCTIONEER. 3-10-tf

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FOR SALE—Gun, beds, bedding, pillows, stands, chairs, etc. Inquire 211 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2569-W. 3-8-2t

FOR SALE—Parlor furniture, rugs, dishes, etc. 243 Somerset St. 3-8-6t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Furmano, 625 South Second street. 3-2-1m

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $5.00 per 100. Delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2535-M. 2-12-1m

FOR SALE—Copying press $6.00. J. D. Lozeaux Lumber Co., 620 North avenue. 3-6-tf

PERSIAN kittens for sale. 716 East Second street. 3-9-2t

FOR SALE—Bloch baby carriage; good condition, cheap. 430 East Seventh street. 3-10-2t

FOR SALE—Barred Rocks of today. I have about 15 of the best cockerels ever hatched, bred from prize stock, first and second special silver cup special cock shape. To improve your stock don't miss this chance. Charles Meyer, Scotch Plains.

WEEK OLD baby chicks, all kinds; also 1 hp water brooder and 2 hot water incubators run by gas. Inquire 712 East Second street. 3-10-2t

TWO-OVEN gas range for sale $3.00. E. Carpenter, 805 East Sixth street. 3-9-12

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FOR SALE—Handsome mahogany piano, $150.00, cash or terms. Address "Upright," care Courier-News. 3-12-14-16

FOR SALE—Acme White Wyandotte hatching eggs from prize stock; bring winners at Trenton and Elizabeth; also winners at Morristown and Asbury, 1916-17; price $2.50 per 15 eggs. V. S. Smedley, Dunellen, N. J. Tel. 2834-R. 3-10-3t

FOR SALE—Extracted honey; not an expensive luxury, but a fine economical food; 5-lb. pail, 85c; 10-lb. pail, $1.60. John I. Nelson, New Market, N. J. 2-23,24; 3-10,17,24,31

TWO GOOD horses for sale; Apply E. C. McMahon, 100 Broad St., Westfield.

THIRTY Single Comb Brown Leghorn pullets, 8 Rhode Island Red pullets, 2 Black Javas, 1 Silver Wyandotte, 2 Sicilian Buttercups, all $1.25 each; 4 Rose Comb Black Minorcas, 5 Buff Orpingtons, 15 White Wyandottes, all $1.50 each; 2 White Wyandotte cockerels, 1 Buff Orpington cock, $4.00 each; 2 Buff Orpington cockerels, $2.50 each; 9 W. Leghorn cockerels, 1 Ancona cockerel, $2.00 each. Marshall, 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1536-R. 3-10-2t

GLADIOLUS BULBS for sale; good, clean young stock; finest varieties, Mrs. Pendleton, Grace Henry, Margaret, Schwaben, Glory, Princeps, War-Paree, many others; also Cannas, Dahlias, Aster plants, Pansy plants, Vegetable plants, and Cal. Privet. Price list free. F. C. Godown, Flemington, N. J. 2-17-6t-e

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-28-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Vellusky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 2-9-1m

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

390-EGG Cyphers incubator, $15; 50-egg incubator, $3; one International hover, $3.50; one Buffalo hover, $3; must be sold before April 1. Tel. 2820-J. 352 New Market road, Dunellen. 2-10-2t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winners' eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call and see us. 127 NORTH AVENUE. Furniture Sales Room, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft. on Sumner avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—Farm 80 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton. Augustus Duryea, Somerville, N. J. 1-31-2tuw-26t

3½ ACRES of land, suitable for trucking or poultry raising; young fruit trees and berries; new house, with eight rooms and bath, electric lights and telephone; garage; high location; fine view; 1½ miles from depot, 2 miles from Plainfield depot. Address "C. D." P. O. Box 22, Watchung, N. J. 3-3-2t

311 ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, 3 acres woodland, large brook, 1,000 peach trees, 10-room house, large outbuildings; silo; barn in fine condition; price $125 per acre; easy terms. Will consider trade for desirable income property. Further particulars address P. O. Box No. 234, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-10-3t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, $70 dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 216 Watchung avenue. 3-9-5t-e

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

TO LET—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 'Phone 529-M. 3-8-2t

TWO furnished rooms, heat and use of bath; private family on Union trolley line; breakfast if desired. Address "West End," care Courier-News. 3-3-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. 433 East Seventh street. 3-9-2t

LARGE furnished room and kitchen, steam heat. 808 East Front street. 3-9-3t

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V," care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. F." care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

TO LET—Large furnished room, 80 Chatham street.

LARGE front room for rent; private family; business man preferred; reference required. 222 Somerset street. 3-3-2t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 2-20-tf

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET

NICELY furnished house for rent; couple willing to take board for rent. "Board," care Courier-News. 3-3-6-8-10

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. Phone Mrs. Hall 1578. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tiled baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North Avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 7-1-tf-e-tf

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$200 cash and $16 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 101," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m,tf,s-tf

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 7 rooms, all improvements, $500 down, $30 per month; price $5,000. Address "Bungalow," care Courier-News. 3-7-6t

FOR SALE—Six-room house, No. 1308 South avenue; five minutes' walk from Netherwood station; price $2,200. Apply 1320 South avenue. 3-9-2t

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 8-room house, all improvements; two acres of land; large barn, chicken house; all kinds of fruit; 45 minutes from New York. Address 3 Elm street, Westfield. Rent, $41.50. 3-9-2t

FOR SALE—Six-room house, toilet, gas and sink; lot 35 feet front; price $2,000. Address "J," care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

TWELVE-ROOM HOUSE, all modern improvements, electricity, modern laundry, hot water heater, garage. 915 Madison avenue. 3-2-6-8-10

MODERN HOME, with garage, hot water heat; sacrifice price; exceptional terms; would rent. 325 Prospect avenue, Dunellen. 3-8-10

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station, or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor bicycles. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAIZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY—House, 7 or 8 rooms, with improvements. Apply 403 East Fifth street. 3-6-6t

JUDSON TEN EYCK, South Plainfield, buys raw furs, muskrats, skunk, etc. Send postal or bring them. 3-7-4t

COAL BURNING Colony brooder. 'Phone particulars Stout Farm, 2535-M. 3-9-3t

SITTING HENS—In large numbers. State variety and price, which must be reasonable. Pomaste Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Drawing instrument, good condition. Address "Instrument," care Courier-News. 3-10-2t

WANTED—Late model Ford runabout for cash. Reed & Robins, 180 East Front street. 3-8-2t

WANTED—1915-1916 model motorcycle, standard make, twin, chain drive. Mr. B., 726 Richmond street. 3-7-4t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 108 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. tf-e

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Dyckel, 140 Park avenue. 2-11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MORTGAGES WANTED on a 5 per cent. basis; property must show value of fifty per cent. above loan. Somerville Dime Savings Bank, Somerville, N. J. 2-24; 3-10-17

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-e

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-16-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 329 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1151 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. Apply 718 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 431 West Sixth street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

EXCEPTIONAL opportunity for A-1 stenographer; must be able to handle correspondence; state age, salary and experience. Address "Steno," care Courier-News. 3-10-2t

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; week work. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-5t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; no washing. 600 Franklin place. Tel. 1667. 3-8-3t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros., 326 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-9-6t

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework. 816 West Seventh street. 3-9-3t

WOMEN WANTED—Full time $15; spare time 25c an hour, selling Guaranteed Wear Proof Hosiery to wearer; experience unnecessary. Enormous Easter trade. International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa.

WANTED—Woman for confinement case and to assist with housework. Address Box 1, care Courier-News. 3-10-2t

WANTED—Young woman, light housework, plain cook, no washing. Apply Wagner's Clear Store, 351 West Front street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—Good colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-9-3t

WANTED—A white maid for general housework; small family; good wages. 945 West Seventh street. 3-8-3t

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Mill hands and girls for pneumatic work. Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-5-6t

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detwiler, 414 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-10-1m

A PRIVATE FAMILY would accommodate two young men with room and board. Address W. J. B., care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

TO LET—ROOMS

TWO ROOMS for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth street. 3-9-3t

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

TO LET—Store and rooms, 143 East Fifth street. G. Melasner. 3-7-6t

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Up-to-date meeting room, steam heated; also office, 204 West Front street. Inquire Bernstein Outfitting Co. 3-2-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located, one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street. 'Phone 895-J. 3-10-6t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

TO LET—Seven-room apartments, all improvements. Inquire 312 Grant avenue. 3-9-tf

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

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DON'T FORGET
NEWARK NIGHT
TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH
Next rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" next Monday night.
First rehearsal for children, Tuesday, March 13, at 3 o'clock in lodge room. Girls between 7 and 16 years of age invited.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular columns.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

WILLS FILED WITH SURROGATE

Among the wills filed and the letters of administration granted recently through the office of Surrogate Calvin McMurtry are the following:

Abram Vandervoor, of Branchburg, has received administration papers for the estate of the late Henry Bryan, who died in Bridgewater township on Nov. 24th.

Clinton B. Higgins, of Trenton, is the administrator of the estate of John G. Higgins, who died at Harlingen on Feb. 20.

The will of Henrietta Bovey, who died in North Plainfield on Feb. 15, has been admitted to probate upon the application of A. M. Demarest, of Plainfield, the executor.

The will of Elizabeth Ten Eyck, of Hillsborough Township, who died Jan. 19, has been admitted to probate through the executors, DeWitt Bowman and Jeanette Ten Eyck, the latter being also the sole legatee.

Building Loan to Incorporate

Incorporation papers will soon be filed by the Raritan Building and Loan Association, who are to hold their first meeting on Tuesday, April 3, at which time the election of officers and other important business will be transacted. The association will begin business with the issuance of a series of 1,000 shares, of which number about 800 have already been subscribed.

Postpone Sentences

Judge Daniel H. Beekman yesterday caused the postponement until next Friday, of all sentences which he had at first announced he would make yesterday. Among the sentences postponed were those of Eugene Titus, colored, James Rooney, and Thomas Wisser, Jr., in connection with the theft of some metal from the Unionist-Gazette Association.

The Daughters of Isabella held an interesting meeting last night at which time plans were made for the trip tomorrow afternoon to New Brunswick, where the local society will view the initiation exercises of the society of that city.

The March meeting of the Somerset County Past Councilors' Association, will be held with Victor Council, No. 179, at Basking Ridge, Monday evening. The subject will be "Our Educational Schools and Institutions."

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gibbons, of Fairview avenue, are receiving congratulations this week upon the arrival of a twelve-pound son. Mrs. Gibbons before marriage was Miss Florence Hoff.

A musical by the pupils of Miss Evelyn Lindquist, Miss Kate Opdycke, and Herman Jungmann was given in the chapel of the Second Reformed church this afternoon.

Miss Clara Stryker, of Main street, is spending the week-end as the guest of Miss Alice Terhune in Bound Brook.

Miss Evelyn Slater, of Bridge street, is entertaining a number of her friends at her home this afternoon.

WHITEHOUSE

The funeral of Alvah, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Titus Alpaugh, of Elisabeth, was held yesterday afternoon, with burial in Rural Hill Cemetery, East Whitehouse. Rev. Frederick S. Benson, of the Methodist church officiated.

Rev. Frederick S. Benson, pastor of the East Whitehouse Methodist church, will have the following for his topics at the services tomorrow: Morning, "Tarry for Power;" evening, "No Oil in Their Lamps."

Alvah A. Conover, of Lebanon, who has recently returned from a trip among the trappers of New York State, has on exhibition at his store a silver gray fox pelt, which is said to be very valuable.

George Hamlin, of East Whitehouse, who has been in poor health for some time, was taken to Somerset Hospital, Somerville, yesterday, for an operation.

The Whitehouse and High Bridge bowling teams will try conclusions on Monday evening on the alleys at the Hunterdon Country Club at High Bridge.

Mrs. Jennie Groendyke and Mrs. Fanny Foster, of Plainfield, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Simon J. Hagaman at New Germantown.

The Misses Elsie and Louise Sherman, of Raritan, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Sherman at New Germantown.

Miss Mildred Stryker, of Old Bridge, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Stryker in East Whitehouse.

Miss Julia Craig, of New Germantown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John T. E. Van Derveer at Westchester, N. Y.

Miss Olive Layton, of Potterstown, left today for a visit of a week to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Layton in Trenton.

The Mission Band will hold its entertainment in Bonnell's Hall at Whitehouse Station this evening.

SCOTCH PLAINS

Sunday school at the Methodist Church tomorrow at 9:45. Morning service at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 7:15; evening service at 8 o'clock. The pastor's subject for the evening service will be "Jesus Christ the Friend." This will be the fourth sermon in the series on "Christ" which Pastor Marshall has been giving each Sunday evening. There will be special music by the choir at the evening service.

At the Baptist Church tomorrow worship at 10:45 a. m., with sermon by Pastor Hare; Bible school with classes for all ages at 9:30. The Junior service will be at 3 p. m. The leaders for the evening service will be Miss Griffen and Miss Anna Smith, and the subject will be "Our Brothers both ivory and ebony, beyond Mason & Dixon's Line." Slave songs and plantation melodies will be sung.

The Parish House Forum will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 p. m. and all men and older boys are invited to attend. This will be an educational session and County Superintendent, Dr. A. L. Johnson will be the speaker. Dr. F. W. Westcott, President of the Board of Education will preside, and there will be music by the parish house quartet. It is hoped that every man and older boy will be present.

Robert Walpole, of Front street, has given up housekeeping, and will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Schwalback, of Westfield avenue.

Frank Hand, of Park avenue, has returned from the hospital where he went for an operation three weeks ago.

Mrs. William S. Corey, of Park avenue, has removed to the Flander's house on Front street.

WATCHUNG

Rev. Mebane Ramsay will preach at both services in the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union church tomorrow. The morning service at 10:30 o'clock and Sunday school at 12 o'clock. The evening a special musical service will be held. Messrs. Korff, of Plainfield, will render selections and vocal solos. This service will begin at the usual hour, 8 o'clock, preceded by a song service at 7:45. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

The regular monthly meeting of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society will be held Monday evening in the Improvement Hall. All are welcome to attend this meeting.

Rev. Mebane Ramsay, who has been in Princeton, has returned to Hillcrest Road.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

ACTIVITIES OF BAPTIST CHURCH

Last Sunday's stormy weather interfered somewhat with church attendance. Communion service was postponed and will be observed tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, following the preaching service. The pastor's theme will be, "Teaching, Preaching, Healing." For the evening service, 7:45 o'clock, the subject announced for last Sunday evening will be considered, "Gideon, the Mighty Man of Valor." The presentation of this subject was delayed because of the smallness of the congregation, many not being present who are desirous of hearing the full course of sermons on "The Judges." Bible school and Baraca class will convene as usual at 10 a. m.

The Junior Sunergoi Society will hold its devotional meeting Wednesday afternoon, with Miss Hannah Clawson leader. The pastor and others will relate brief stories, and other items of interest will be presented.

The usual mid-week prayer meeting will be held Wednesday evening, under the conduct of the pastor. The word for consideration is "Pleasure."

Owing to communion service falling tomorrow, the sermonette to children will be postponed until Sunday morning, March 18. The subject will be "Much from Little." Come and see the fire.

Sunday, March 25, will be observed as "Boys' Day," with special programs both morning and evening services, and also at the Bible school hour. On Friday night, March 23, a "Fathers and Sons" banquet will be given under direction of the Baraca class.

Keep in mind the rural play, "Farm Folks," to be produced by the Senior Sunergoi Society, Thursday, April 12. A social hour will follow, with a sale of refreshments.

Mrs. Bunn's class is also contemplating the presentation of a play, the date of production not yet being decided upon.

The annual church business meeting will be held, Wednesday, April 4, following the close of the prayer meeting.

All who have not as yet paid their pledges to the various benevolent causes of the church are urged to do so at once, as a full report of amounts received must be submitted not later than March 31. Miss Gladys Thorn is treasurer of the fund.

BOUND BROOK

DRAMATIC CLUB G.VES SHOW

In their sixth annual production, the Bound Brook High School Dramatic Society won the favor of several hundred who were in attendance last night. The play was in the auditorium of the Washington school.

The characters were: Bottles Benbow—a popular Senior, Gyabert Stryker; Tad Chesedine—the college cut-up, Thomas Cain; Levittcus —the ace of spades, Charles Fisher; Scotch McAllister—a hard student, Samuel Conard; Shorty Long—on the Glee Club, Edward Kissam; Silvera Magee—a happy Junior, Leslie Smith; Benjamin J. Benbow—Bottles' father, Robert Brokaw; Sandy McCann, coach of Dramatic Club, Joseph Tomaszewski; Officer Riley, from the Emerald Isle, James Crawford; Mr. Gears, of the Speed Motor Car Co., Samuel Conard; Jonquil Gray, the little chauffeur, Virginia Brokaw; Betty Benbow, Bottles' sister, Marguerite Greasheimer; Mrs. B. J. Benbow, her mother, a suffragette, Fanny Wolfe; "Ma" Baggsby, a popular landlady, Marion Cain; Mrs. Mehitabel McCann, a jealous wife, Mildred Graeber; Selina McCann, aged thirteen, Elizabeth Prugh; Miss Juliet Stobbs, a college stenographer, Lillian Sandahl; Mlle. Mimi Fleurette, a French costumer, Dorothy Fisher; Salamanca Spivins, a black wash lady, Muriel Porter.

Dedication Exercises

The dedication exercises, flag presentation, and unveiling of the bust of Washington were appropriately made last night in connection with the opening of the new Watchung school in the Borough of Middlesex. The first number on the program was a selection by the orchestra, then a hymn, the dedication to the community, prayer by Rev. W. T. Boult, the pastor of the Bound Brook Congregational church, the history of our schools by Mayor G. W. Harris, and an address upon "The Value of Education" by Charles Adkins Baker, Esquire.

On behalf of Pioneer Council, No. 58, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Bound Brook, a large American flag was presented by State Treasurer William B. La Rue.

The next was the unveiling of the bust of Washington. The presentation made by the Beechwood Heights Fire Company was expressed in words by W. G. Betsch. The acceptance was by M. F. Wirtz. The program was concluded with the singing of "America."

Mrs. W. R. Meyers, of Yonkers, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kershner.

Mrs. L. S. Bache, of Beechwood Heights, is spending some time at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. John H. Smith has been the guest of relatives at Perth Amboy for several days.

NORTH BRANCH

The Crescent Mission Band has reorganized by the election of the following officers: President, Miss Lila Jensen; vice-president, Miss Magdalen Ten Eyck; secretary, Miss Hazel Jensen; treasurer, Miss Audria Hoyt; pianist, Miss Florence Voorhees.

The congregation of the Reformed church at South Branch has elected the following as members of consistory: Elders, J. H. Studdiford and Jacob D. Quick; deacons, James Stryker and Joseph S. Ten Eyck.

Miss Wanda Cummings, of Orange, is spending over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cummings.

Miss Lillian Kanouse, of Newark, is spending a few days with Mrs. Charles Barker, near here.

Mrs. Lurena Brokaw, of South Branch, is visiting Mrs. William Wahl at Collingswood.

Mrs. Mary A. Davis, of Somerville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John A. Powelson, near here.

FLEMINGTON

Dr. Edmund D. Soper, of Madison, made the principal address at a banquet by the Men's Club of the Methodist church Thursday night.

The New York Musical Club gave an entertainment in the Baptist church Thursday night under the auspices of the Men's Club.

William McEwen has purchased a lot in Broad street and will begin the erection of a home for himself on the site next week.

GERMAN VALLEY

After a stay of several months with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Buchanan, Miss M. Hardin has returned to her home at Hackettstown.

Daniel Chicero returned yesterday after a visit to relatives at Plainfield and New York.

Miss Ruth Wiley, of Boonton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin J. Wiley.

Miss Elizabeth Ader is entertaining her cousin, Miss Gladys Ader, of Rockaway.

Mrs. Floyd Lance, of Hill Top, is ill.

DUNELLEN

SPECIAL SERVICES OPEN TOMORROW

Rev. P. C. Bascom, of Bound Brook, will begin a series of Union evangelistic services tomorrow afternoon in the borough. The opening meeting tomorrow at the Presbyterian church will be a woman's service. Evangelist Bascom, addressing the meeting on "A Woman's Will and a Woman's Won't." The meeting is called at 2 p. m. In the evening at the same church the subject will be, "The Way Jesus Did It." Meetings will be held all the following week at this church. On Sunday evening, March 18th, services will open at the Methodist church.

Annual School Meeting

Notices for the annual school meeting on March 20th, have been posted by the clerk, A. J. Hamler. The meeting will be held at 8 p. m. at Whittier school. The district is to raise $14,125 for current expenses, $700 for manual training, $600 for repairs; total amount $15,425. Messrs. Day, Carpenter, Wyckoop and Frederick are the retiring members and it ill probable that they will be candidates for re-election.

Skipped With Wrong Pay Envelope

The authorities have been asked to locate an employe of the Hall Printing Press Works, who by mistake was given the wrong pay envelope yesterday. The envelope contained about $25, while the one intended for the culprit contained only $1.75. Before the mistake was ascertained by the paymaster, the fellow had skipped. He is still missing from his usual haunts, and has not returned to his employment.

Mrs. Robert Wood, a former resident of this borough, died the forepart of the week at Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Wood's home was in Bayonne, and it was while on a visit to Maryland that she was taken ill.

Lewis Vossler, of North avenue, was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday suffering with pneumonia. His condition is precarious. Only a week ago his wife died from the same disease.

State Treasurer W. B. La Rue, of the Jr. O. U. A. M., was at Lincoln last week and made the speech at the flag presentation to the Watchung school.

Mrs. Harry G. Morse and son Harold, of New Market road, are spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Grant, of Bayonne.

Troopers John and Leo Logan and Joseph Gallagher represented the Dunellen portion of Troop D Cavalry at the inauguration.

Clarence Voorhees, who is just recovering from an operation, was able to be out yesterday for the first time since his illness.

Miss Olive Lawrence, of Roselle, recently visited her aunt, Mrs. Harry G. Morse, of this place.

Placards about the borough stores remind us that next week will be "Go-to-school-week."

H. S. Barton is confined to his home on Front street with an attack of pneumonia.

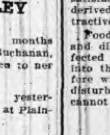
An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Day, Dunellen avenue, died yesterday.

CHESTER

H. E. Archibald, of Littleton, has taken a position as foreman on Amos C. Van Gaasbeek's Fair View farm in North road.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins, of Gladstone, have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Barker.

The Woman's Club will repeat its novelty entertainment in the club house tonight.



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WESTFIELD

ENTERTAINED HER LITTLE FRIENDS

Miss Chyro Hirose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Hirose entertained a number of her little friends at her home on St. Marks avenue last night at a dance. The affair was of an elaborate nature and was attended by more than fifty of the friends of Miss Hirose. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and each guest received a box of candy. The flowers with which the house was decorated were yellow jonquils and smilax. The favors for the boys were Indian bands for the hair and for the girls yellow and blue bands with bluebirds on them. The music for the dancing was furnished by Miss Isabel Hubert. Mrs. Hirose was assisted in entertaining the little ones by Mrs. Edward Abbott, of New York.

Among those present were: the Misses Doris Beard, Virginia Simpson, Katherine Nichols, Mabel Candee, Ruth Gage, Shirley Sinclair, Marjorie Plant, Helen and Florence Johnson, Muriel Lee, Grace Ainsworth, Joan Howe, Catherine Kirby, Lillian Irch, Roy Williams, Florence Smitley, Evelyn Anderson, Aida Herrera, Cornelia Spalckhaver, Masters Edward White, Walter Lee, Frank Irch, Herbert Lord, Robert Sinclair, Jack and Craig Simpson, Walton Dunn, Roger Williams, Walter Ainsworth, Roy Chatfield, William Taylor, Edward Date, Irving Curran, Edward Hubert, Bradford Simpson, Paul Anderson, George Plant, Hamilton Coulter, Harold Schaefer, William Learned and Nathaniel Bowman.

Annual Supper of Mission Society

The annual supper of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church was held in the church parlors last night. There were about one hundred members and friends of the society present. Mrs. Alexander Hunt presided.

A missionary address was delivered by the pastor of the church, Rev. R. J. Holden. The parlors were prettily decorated with the national colors. The reports of the officers showed that the societies had had a successful year.

The committee in charge of the supper was composed of Mrs. W. B. Woodruff, Mrs. Walter Day, Mrs. C. B. Pendleton, Mrs. E. B. Kissam, Mrs. N. J. Crickenberger, Mrs. A. H. Young, Mrs. E. Davidson, Mrs. W. S. Bogert, Mrs. Guy Jackson and Mrs. John Goltra.

The funeral of Hiram V. Mason, who died on Wednesday night, was held this afternoon from his late home, 532 Pleasant place, and was attended by a number of relatives and friends. There were a large number of floral tributes. After the services the body was taken to Arlington for burial.

Fifteen more of the citizens of the town were before Recorder Springstead last night to answer summons for not having cleaned their walks of the snow during the recent snow storm. The Recorder suspended sentence with a warning not to let it happen again or there would be a fine.

There will be a meeting of the Westfield District Sunday School Association in the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock at which officers for the ensuing year will be elected and plans for the Anniversary Day Sunday school parade discussed.

The Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission will give its second illustrated lecture at the auditorium of the high school next Tuesday night. The lecture is given under the auspices of the Grant, McKinley and Lincoln Parent-Teacher Association.

At the meeting of the Women's Club to be held in the Presbyterian parish house on Monday afternoon Prof. Robert Livingston Schuyler will deliver a lecture on "Americanization." Miss Ella Louise Mills will furnish the music.

The Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist church will hold its annual meeting in the chapel of the church on Monday night. Rev. Dr. S. J. Herben, the pastor, will give an address on "Etchings".

The trustees of Fairview Cemetery Association held their regular monthly meeting in the office of Lloyd Thompson in the town hall last night and transacted routine business.

Court Provident, I. O. F., will hold a regular meeting in Masonic Hall on Monday night at which amendments to the by-laws are to be acted upon.

Miss Reba Martin, of Prospect street, is entertaining the children at the Free Public Library this afternoon with a story hour.

Harry N. Taylor, of Elm street, went to Philadelphia today to meet Mrs. Taylor who returns from Florida tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilcox, of Cumberland street, returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spencer entertained a number of friends at their home on Cumberland street last night.

Rev. Percy Pemberton went to Richmond, Va., today to visit his mother.

FANWOOD

Morning prayer services will be observed at All Saints' P. E. church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. L. Verdojeis, of St. Mark's church of New York, will preach. The classes of the Sunday school will meet for prayer services and instruction at 10 o'clock.

If there are any women in Fanwood willing to sew for the National Red Cross, boxes for United States soldiers only, will they kindly report to Mrs. Charles W. Fernald, Forest road, Fanwood. Telephone 1477.

A. L. Johnson, superintendent of the public schools of Union County, will address the Men's Forum tomorrow afternoon in the Scotch Plains Parish House.

A meeting of the Fanwood-American Red Cross Society will be held at the residence of Mrs. Albert I. Nichols next Monday afternoon.

Miss Rose Thomae, of North avenue, is spending the week-end with friends in New York.

His topic will be "Educational Progress of Public Schools in Union County."

POST WHEELER.
Secretary of American Embassy at Tokyo.

Photo by American Press Association.

Mr. Wheeler sent the official announcement to the state department of the death of George W. Guthrie of Pittsburgh, United States ambassador to Japan, and has taken charge of the affairs of the embassy pending arrival of Mr. Guthrie's successor.

PRESIDENT IS BETTER.

Sits Up Today For First Time Since Ordered to Bed.

Washington, March 10. — President Wilson has so far recovered from his cold that he was able to sit up this noon. His fever has subsided entirely, and his temperature was normal. It is expected he will be able to go about indoors on Monday and that a few days thereafter he will be able to plunge into public affairs.

The president has been allowed to read but little. He has followed strictly the advice that he needed rest as well as prompt recovery from the severe cold which attacked him after exposure to the bad weather of the inaugural.

He has seen none of his friends, even the most intimate, during his period of recovery. Mrs. Wilson, it is said, has been the means of keeping in touch with the big and little affairs of the world since he was sent to bed on Wednesday by Dr. Grayson.

GONZALEZ GUEST OF BELL.

American General Reviews the El Paso Cavalry Division.

Fort Bliss, Tex., March 10.—General Pablo Gonzalez of the Carranza army of the north was the guest of Brigadier General George Bell, Jr., at a review of the cavalry division of the El Paso district here. Accompanied by his staff and by Andres Garcia, inspector general of Mexican consulates, General Gonzalez was met at the international bridge by Captain Nicholas W. Campanole of General Bell's staff.

The division was commanded by Brigadier General Eben Swift and was said to be the largest body of United States cavalry assembled since the civil war. After the review Captain Kirby made a flight over the fort in an army airplane and then departed for Columbus, N. M.

BISHOP'S PLEA TO WILSON INDORSED BY HARVARD

Boston, March 10.—The plea to President Wilson, voiced by the Right Rev. William Lawrence, Episcopal Bishop of Massachusetts, to "lead the people to defend at all costs the integrity of the nation," is indorsed in a memorial to the President signed by 210 officers and professors of Harvard University.

Edwin F. Gay, dean of the Graduate School of Business Administration, said the signers, who include President A. Lawrence Lowell, represented approximately 95 per cent of the officers and professors of the university who could be reached.

LABOR UNIONS TO PLEDGE LOYALTY IN CASE OF WAR

Cleveland, March 10.—Four chief executives of the railroad brotherhoods organizations will meet in Washington on Monday at the request of President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor for the purpose of discussing labor's position in case of war, it was announced here today.

President Wilson will be assured of labor's loyalty in case this country becomes involved in war with a foreign nation.

Our New York Letter

March 7th, 1917.

Paulina Dear:

I am so happy! How could I help it with the sweetest man in the world for a husband? He's not like other men, but—of course, I am not writing this letter to tell you about him, or I am sure you will say, "How bromidic our Pauline is!"

My life with Harry is like a dream, dear, and I am just "playing at" keeping house. Harry calls it a "Doll's Palace." In the kitchen is my throne. There I am queen. And, Pauline, let me tell you about the wonderful bargains I got at Wanamaker's in the way of housefurnishings!

True economy (listen at me preach, Ike), is not in getting cheap things for your home, but in getting the best things when and where you can get them the cheapest. Wanamaker's at Astor Place are having a marvelous sale of "house furnishings" the entire month of March and everything is from 10 to 50 per cent cheaper than regularly.

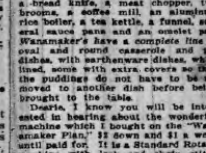
My bathroom, you know, is all white, and I "filled" that with brushes and wonderful pieces, no chow that I scarcely believed my eyes. Every piece of metal made for the bathroom at Wanamaker's is made of brass, covered with a porcelain finish. This white ware is much more popular now in the nickel, because it does not rust. Wanamaker's have every conceivable article used in bathrooms and also sand and sponge dishes for the wall, tub and with legs, for the wash stand.

While I was at Wanamaker's, I enjoyed so much watching the demonstration of electrical devices, all of which can be used on an ordinary socket. They baked muffins in the most delicious popovers I ever tasted, potatoes, and made toast, tea and coffee. A whole meal can be cooked from one socket if one has the right appliances, such as chafing dish, oven and toaster. On the device an electric stove a whole breakfast can be cooked all at the same time, right on the breakfast table: "Coffee, toast, cheese or eggs broiled and four pieces of toast made."

Here are some of the things I saw which I bought very, very cheap—a solid mahogany tray for $2.50, a mahogany finish tray for everyday use for $1.45, a coffee percolator for wood alcohol, a carving knife, a kitchen set, a bread knife, a meat chopper, two wooden spoons, a fruit knife, an aluminum rice boiler, a tea kettle, a funnel, several sauce pans and an omelet pan. Wanamaker's have a complete line of oval and round casserole and pie dishes, with earthenware dishes, white lined, with extra covers, so that the puddings do not have to be removed to another dish before being brought to the table.

Dearie, I know you will be interested in hearing about the wonderful machine which I bought on the "Wanamaker Plan." It cost me $2 and $1 a week until paid for. It is a Standard Rotary machine with lock and chain stitch combined, the finest running and swiftest machine made! You can make 175 stitches to any vibrating machine's 100. It has a four-drawer drop-head, oak finish and automatic lift with full attachments.

Of course, you don't know (and I didn't either until yesterday) that Wanamaker's make dress forms to order! Isn't that interesting? And this is how they do it. They fit right linings to your figure, make a plaster cast of that and cover it with an unbreakable material, which is guaranteed to produce your exact figure.



It would take me ages to tell you about everything I saw—the step ladders, kitchen cabinets, library steps, clothes wringers, kitchen table, marvelous kitchen cabinets with a place for everything, folding card tables, vacuum bottles and lunch kits, and so on, ad infinitum.

How did they manage to do it? Well, I'll let you in on the secret. They have had men out all over the country for days, gathering up goods just for this sale, from the best manufacturers. And because it is "out of season" they could have things cheaper than ordinarily. And because Wanamaker's believe that every household should have the best of furnishings, they let us have them cheaper at these semi-annual sales. And there you are!

If you want to come in any time this week to take advantage of this wonderful sale at Wanamaker's, just let me know and I'll gladly meet you and "personally conduct" you over the seventh floor of the New Building.

With lots of love,
Yours,
JULIA KNICKERBOCKER.

EDGAR O. SILVER NOW HEADS TRIANGLE CLUB

Princeton, March 10.—Edgar O. Silver, of East Orange, was elected president of the university Triangle Club, Thursday night. Silver is a member of the junior class and has been connected with the Triangle Club, a dramatic organization, for three years. In his freshman year he was a member of the men's chorus; last year he was head electrician, and he acted as stage manager on the trip during the winter. He succeeds Paul Nelson.

Warburton Guilbert of Racine, Wis., was elected secretary. Guilford is sophomore, has been in the cast of the musical comedy produced by the club during the last two years and has also written the major part of the music for the shows.

ARTHUR W. PATTERSON.

Roselle, March 10.—Arthur Wellesley Patterson, sixty-nine years old, of 122 Fourth avenue east, died yesterday after an illness of several months. He was in business in New York. He is survived by his wife and four sons.

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Water running over limestone and other soil—all good—comes to us here in New York, hard. Makes the skin a bit rough. Prevents some soap from lathering.

The French had the same problem. But trust the French to look well to the care of the skin. Their scientists got busy, took certain other good things of Nature, a crucible, and such helps, and presto!—a pure, soothing soap that fluffs into foam when used in hard water, and leaves the skin soft and smooth as a baby's.

We discovered this soap, joyed in it, brought the formula to this country and have sold millions of cakes at the year-round price, 10c, or three cakes for 25c.

Men use it for shaving; women for laundering dainty laces. Plenty of almond oil in it, that's why it soothes. The cake is a trifle smaller this year owing to rising costs, but the high quality is maintained.

March price, 5c a cake.

Main floor, Old Building.

Smart Pumps $6 to $8

Such delightful variety one can get a style that will best bring out the lines of grace on the foot.

All with the long forepart that gives slimness. Some with pretty tongue effects that further enhance the effect of slenderness and a high instep. Others with charming little bow effects.

Patent leather, tan and dull calfskin. Turned or welted soles. Leather or wood-covered Cuban heels or low, flat heels.

Of course, materials and making that have passed our keen censorship for service.

Main floor, Old Building.

March China Sale

China is not a thing that one can make in a day. It can't be finished in one process. It can't be rushed. It is as unhurried as time. An amateur cannot make it successfully.

The large collection in the Wanamaker Store of foreign dinnerware result from a special trip abroad of our representative. He went to the English and French potteries, discovered the reasons for the delays in shipping our goods and found ways to expedite deliveries in time for this Sale.

March dinner sets of English porcelain, $17.50, $23.50 and $25.

French china dinner sets, $30 upward.

American porcelain dinner sets, $12 upward.

Second Gallery, New Building.

Awnings?

Why not order them now. The awning cutters and makers are not nearly so busy as they will be a month later and so far we have plenty of the best *John Boyle* awning materials. Telephone Stuyvesant 4709, Extension 22 or 23 for man to take measures and bring samples.

Third Gallery, New Building.

Shades?

New creamy ones needed—or perhaps dark outside blinds to veil the hot sunshine? John King's best Scotch hollands wear splendidly.

Third Gallery, New Building.

Sunshiny Floor Coverings

The slower Spring is in getting here the more agreeable in suggestion are these rag rugs in their cheery colors that speak of days of the good sunshine that all of us are eager to welcome.

These rugs come in regular sizes, ranging from 27x54 inches, at $1.35, up to 9x12 feet, at $35.50.

Bands or floral borders in colors contrasting with those of the body of the rugs.

Among what might be termed "sunshiny" floor coverings, these rugs take the lead, and this season they are in rather unusual demand. There is a full assortment of colors to choose from.

Fourth Gallery, New Building.

Bed Coverings

Secured in large quantities at last year's prices.

258 COMFORTERS—cotton filling, silkoline-covered, $2.25; 258 at $2.65; 265, with covering of dotted mull and plain borders, $4.50; 176, with pure wool filling—figured cambric top—plain sateen borders, $6.50.

BLANKETS—87 pairs white blankets, pink and blue borders, single size, $4 pair; 60 pairs at $5.50 pair; 115 pairs, double size, $4.50 pair; 42 pairs, double size, $7.50 pair.

Third Gallery, New Building.

Poiret Models and Other Originations

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The authorized reproductions of Paul Poiret models which can be seen in New York only at Wanamaker's, are shown upon request in the new Salon Poiret. Prices are very moderate and the garments are extraordinarily like the French originals.

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are part of a new reproduction of a Jeanne Lanvin black gown for afternoons; its round neck is outlined with jet beads.

An Evening Gown of Yellow Lace

with a girdle of gleaming golden sequins has an over-drapery of misty brown tulle which somehow suggests the art of fairies.

A Callot Gown Copied

in a mystic pale violet cloth of silver has spider webs spun of silver threads and a touch of rhinestones and pearls in the slender tie girdle.

Like the Gowns Georgette Wears Herself

is the new copy of one of her models: black chiffon over black satin, with a festoon of flowers on one side, the skirt veiled with chiffon.

Another Callot Model Copied

is an elaborate evening gown of yellow brocade with rhinestones and pearls and tulle.

Full Gowns of Tulle

are still in the best fashions. The youngest, gayest one is tulle for a woman to dance in has a high girdle of sparkling sequins to match in color, this girdle opening into a V which gives a quaint air of originality.

A Scarlet Gown of Tulle

will be a picture with a purple or black ostrich fan.

The Tonneau Silhouette

is prettily suggested in the afternoon dress of platinum gray chiffon embroidered with blue and purple and silver and green.

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One charming dress has touches of smocking; another is a picture in linen and white, several are copies from French models (exclusive), showing long revers, frilled belt-tops, long waists, exquisite hand embroidery, different colored French linens; a ramie linen is in a new shade of tan, with black stitching; Scotch gingham plaid frocks have black velvet ribbon sashes; another has detachable guimpe of white voile.

Tub dresses, of imported and domestic ginghams, $1.50 to $16.75. Dresses of white voiles, linguerie, organdie, net, crepe de chine, $2.75 to $15.75. Silk frocks, $9.75 to $16.75.

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WILSON ORDERS TRADERS ARMED

Calls Extra Session of Congress For April 16.

WILL EXERCISE FULL POWER

President From Sickbed Calls Legislators In Order That Big Appropriation Bills Left Over May Be Passed and Defense Legislation Rushed In Preparation For Eventualities.

HOW PRESIDENT CALLED EXTRA CONGRESS SESSION.

Washington, March 10.—The president's proclamation calling the extra session of congress follows:

"Whereas, Public interests require that the congress of the United States should be convened in extra session at 12 o'clock noon on the 16th day of April, 1917, to receive such communications as may be made by the executive;

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the congress of the United States to convene in extra session at the capitol in the city of Washington on the 16th day of April, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, of which all persons who shall at that time be entitled to act as members thereof are hereby required to take notice.

"Given under my hand and the seal of the United States of America the ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-first."

Washington, March 10.—American merchant vessels have been ordered armed to defy the German submarine zone of death and destruction, and President Wilson from his sick bed has called the Sixty-fifth congress to meet in extraordinary session Monday, April 16, to handle such legislative business as this step may render necessary.

With the fateful "next step" to protect American lives and American rights at sea under way, the United States today is practically on a war basis, and within six weeks all of the machinery of the government will be mobilized in Washington prepared for any eventuality.

The president's order to the navy department to place naval guns and gunners aboard merchant vessels and the proclamation calling the new congress came simultaneously. From his sickroom in the White House he on his own responsibility ordered that the naval power of the United States be exercised to enable American commerce to resume its rightful place on the seven seas.

Need of Extra Session.

His secretary outlined the president's views both as to arming ships and as to the need for an extraordinary session of congress in this statement:

Secretary Tumulty stated in connection with the president's call for an extra session of congress that the president is convinced that he has the power to arm American merchant ships and is free to exercise it at once. But so much necessary legislation is pressing for consideration that he is convinced that it is in the best interests of the country to have an early session of the Sixty-fifth congress, whose support he will also need in all matters collateral to the defense of our merchant marine.

The arming of American merchantmen, administration officials say, will put the next move in the game "up to Germany."

Gravely it was admitted that the sinking of an armed American ship by a German submarine or the destruction of a submarine by an American vessel would bring the two nations to the verge of an actual physical clash.

President Wilson, however, feels that the protection of American rights at sea is paramount and that those rights will be safeguarded, whatever consequences Germany may force. He will proceed at once to place the nation on a basis of self defense, which will provide for any eventuality.

Whether the president will ask the new congress to reaffirm and indorse his step in arming American merchantmen is in doubt. It was pointed out that by April 16, when the congress convenes, the situation may be entirely changed by actual occurrence in the war zone.

Must Vote Large Sums.

Under the call any and all legislative business can be pressed before the session, and undoubtedly the several big appropriation bills which failed in the congestion and turmoil which marked the close of the last congress will be the first matters considered.

These include the big army bill, carrying $277,000,000, vitally essential to the preparedness plans of the government; the sundry civil bill, providing $138,000,000 for the civil establishment; the general deficiency bill, providing $60,000,000 imperative for immediate use in various lines of governmental activity, and the Military academy bill, carrying $1,500,000.

It was stated that as soon as the new congress convenes the president will lay before a joint session his views and desires as to legislation. If he wants legislative sanction for his step in arming ships, congress leaders declared, it would be promptly forthcoming.

SEE MYSTERY SUBMARINE.

Big Craft Sighted Off Atlantic Coast. Not American Boat.

Boston, March 10.—A large submarine, whose nationality was not learned, was sighted twenty-five miles southwest of Fire Island, New York, by the steamer Indian, which arrived here from Philadelphia. Captain W. C. Bickerson said the undersea craft was about 150 feet long and painted black. She carried a small superstructure on the deck, which looked as if it might house two periscopes.

Officers of the steamer were called to the bridge, and all agreed the submarine was not one of the American fleet.

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DANIELS APPEALS FOR CENSORSHIP

Asks Newspapers Not to Publish Ship Sailings.

MIGHT CAUSE LOSS OF LIFE.

Navy Secretary Claps Silence on All Wireless News from Government Controlled Stations of Movements of Merchant Vessels—Says President Will Act For Best Interests of the United States.

Washington, March 10.—Lacking legal authority to establish general censorship, the administration has appealed to the patriotism of the country's newspapers and cable companies to suppress publication and transmission of information about the movements of American merchant craft, now to be armed against German submarines.

Secretary Daniels in his statement to the newspaper men said:

"You have read the statement issued from the White House, and now you know that the president has the power to arm American merchant ships making trips on the seas on lawful errands and if free to exercise it at once. I do not think you ought to ask with what guns they will be armed or how they will be manned or exactly when the power will be exercised. The government should be trusted fully to carry out the policy announced in the best way.

Radio News Censored.

"I do not think you ought to ask when the ships will be armed or print when they will sail. I requested every cable company in America not to send out any news about ships sailing to or from Europe. The wireless stations are under the direction of the navy department, and no news of sailings will go out by radio.

"I am going to request you and every newspaper and every news agency in the United States not to print any news about the arrival of ships or when any of them will sail for European ports.

"There is no power of censorship in our country. The president does not have any authority over the press. In this time of national emergency I feel sure that every newspaper will accede to the request and not even give a hint or speculation of the sailing of American ships. Such publication might result in the loss of life.

"As the reasons are so obvious for making this request there is confidence in administration circles that this request will be complied with by every paper in the country.

A Patriotic Service.

"All patriotic Americans are ready to make sacrifice for their country in times of emergency. The press can render the highest patriotic service by refraining from printing at this time what ordinarily they would freely print.

"Inasmuch as it will be impossible to reach every paper and news agency directly, I will ask all papers to carry this request, which is made as an appeal to patriotism to all journalists and disseminators of news. The best news the readers can have is that the government will protect the rights of America to the freedom of the seas. The publication of details can serve no good purpose and might jeopardize human life. All readers will surely applaud the papers in responding to this appeal."

Later Secretary Daniels announced that there was no objection to the publication of the arrivals of vessels in American ports. Although Mr. Daniels has determined not to reveal any of the department plans for carrying out the policy ordered by President Wilson, he previously has stated that the navy is prepared with guns, ammunition, gun crews and all other necessary equipment or personnel to carry out the instructions.

$2,500,000 ON MORGAN.

Financier Takes Out Big Life Insurance Policy.

New York, March 10.—J. Pierpont Morgan has applied to the New York Life Insurance company for $2,500,000 insurance, the largest personal life policy ever taken out in America.

An unprecedented feature, so far as known, is found in the statement that the vast insurance is being taken out as an offset to the state inheritance tax. The loss which his family would suffer through the appropriation by the state of a large inheritance tax will be made up in whole or in part by the payment of the $2,500,000.

To handle this tremendous risk it will be distributed among practically all the large insurance companies of the east.

Offer Pigeons For War Use.

Trenton, March 10.—The Trenton section of the National American Homing Pigeon Federation has placed the splendid flocks of pigeons owned in the city at the disposal of the government in the event of war. The birds are trained to fly from 100 to 1,000 miles.

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"Grotesque Evangelism" Hit by Bishop Berry.

STIRS METHODIST CONFERENCE

Says Church Cannot and Dare Not Allow Itself to Be Displaced by Peripatetics Who "Divorce People From the Church to the Shed"—Calls System Full of Menace.

Atlantic City, March 10.—Methodist pastors of New Jersey and Pennsylvania in annual conference here today are still discussing the vigorous attack by Bishop Joseph Berry, who presided, on the "professional evangelist."

"Grotesque forms" of evangelism were flayed in vigorous terms by the prelate.

"It is time to call a halt," he said, "in divorcing the people from the church to the shed," after explaining he was not making a personal attack on Billy Sunday or to any evangelist specifically, but to a system full of menace. He decried tabernacle meetings generally and declared the church cannot, dare not, continue to allow itself to be displaced by the peripatetic evangelist from somewhere." He termed the professional evangelist system as a "colossal blunder."

Bishop Hamilton of the American university, Washington, said there is no place in the coming where Methodism has so conspicuous opportunity as Washington.

In touching upon the advanced educational activities of other denominations the bishop referred kindly to Catholics. "I have no fear of them," he said. "It is true they dominate in some parts of the country. But there are two Methodists to every Catholic in this country, and I have no fears as to our future."

Superintendent Shields of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon league appealed to the pastors to actively support the Kates home rule bill, "which is somewhere in the house," as the next best thing to a local option bill. He endeavored to explain the apparent opposition of national anti-saloon leaders to the opposition of the District of Columbia "home dry" bill. He insisted it was doubtful whether it is wise to incur the opposition of those who are opposed to a prohibition act which is going to deprive them of the private use of liquor.

The Rev. J. H. Neal, district superintendent for Bridgeton, expressed the gratitude of his people to Le Roy Loder, a "conscientious judge in Cumberland county," who has refused to grant any new saloon licenses in his county.

The Rev. Mr. Neal deplored opposition in some quarters to the preachers' endowment fund.

The Rev. Alfred Wagg was appointed chairman of a committee to go before the women's convention in support of the endowment fund. The Rev. George L. Dobbins was made chairman of a committee to harmonize warring conference claims and ministerial aid forces.

SENATOR C. S. THOMAS.

Stated For Committee on Foreign Relations.

Photo by American Press Association.

BOTH PARTIES CLAIM NEW HOUSE

Organization Hangs on Votes of Independents.

Washington, March 10.—Confronted by the most serious international situation which the United States has faced in more than half a century, house and senate leaders were gratified by the announcement of the president's call for an extraordinary session. They at once took preliminary steps looking to the organization of the new congress.

On the face of the returns there is not a majority of either political party in the house of representatives. There are 215 Republicans, 214 Democrats, three Progressives, one Socialist and one Prohibitionist in the new house. Thus the balance of power is for the moment in the hands of the little group of five independents.

Even in the face of a shortage of four votes from a majority, the Democrats are confident that they will organize the house. They will assert that the impending emergency demands that the house shall be controlled by the same party as controls the senate and is in power in the executive branch of the government. This will be the plea that the party will make to the little group of independents and to certain Republicans.

Both Democratic and Republican leaders sent out warnings to all members of the new congress to be on hand well before April 16 to allow time for caucuses and conferences.

The steering committee of the senate is continuing its work of reorganizing the committees and announced that it would be completed Monday. Senator Thomas of Colorado was tentatively agreed on to replace former Senator O'Gorman on the important foreign relations committee.

MUST SAVE PRINT PAPER.

Publishers Asked to Use Less and Apply Rigid Economy.

Washington, March 10.—News print paper price arbitration, undertaken by the Federal Trade Commission, will succeed, in the opinion of the commission, only if publishers practice the closest economies in the use of paper.

Blank agreement forms sent to publishers throughout the country inform them that to benefit by the price fixing plan they must not only consent to relinquish 5 per cent of their paper requirements, but must agree to discontinue return privileges and must buy additional paper only to meet the most urgent needs.

GYPSIES ORDERED OUT.

Caravan of a Hundred Told to Leave Passaic, N. J.

Passaic, N. J., March 10.—Brought before Judge Costello here, over a hundred gypsies were directed to leave town at once. Police Commissioner Kehoe said that he had ordered the police to "run the gypsies out of town" if they have failed to obey the court's edict.

Many residents made complaint regarding the gypsies. They claimed they were a menace to the health and morals of the people by their fortune telling and disturbed the peace by carousing at night.

Barnstorff Ship In Storm.

Copenhagen, March 10.—The foreign office announces that on account of a severe snowstorm the steamship Frederik VIII., carrying the Barnstorff party, was prevented from touching at Christiansand, but continued straight to Christiania.

WANT KAISER EXPELLED FROM BOSTON YACHT CLUB

Boston, March 10.—The Eastern Yacht club has had a stormy session over the question of expelling the kaiser, who is an honorary member. The matter was finally dropped when a by-law was recalled which provides that a member against whom charges are made must be given a hearing.

The kaiser was elected a member as a compliment for Germany's hospitality to American yachtsmen in 1907 during the Kiel regatta at Kiel for the Emperor William cup. Prince Henry then entertained members of the club and they were presented to the emperor.

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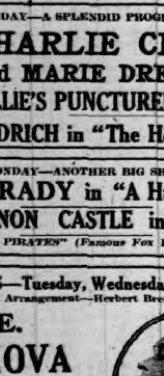

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CONCERT BAND WILL REPEAT MINSTREL SHOW

The members of the concert band of the International Motor Company at a business meeting last night decided to give two more performances of the Saurer minstrels at an early date, in response to many requests from friends of the organization.

There will be no dance after the next performance, but following the third one there will be a masque ball, the time being too short to run both together. The show will be under the same auspices as on the first occasion and the program will be the same, except that several new songs will be introduced.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE FOR K. OF P. MEMBERS

Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., at its meeting last night elected one new member. Other business transacted was of a routine nature.

On the evening of March 23 Prof. J. C. Evans, a member of the lodge, will give an illustrated lecture on *"Farming in the Middle West."* This will undoubtedly be a rare treat for the members, as Mr. Evans has many highly-colored slides, depicting the wheat fields and other interesting spots in the West.

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PROGRESSIVES TO CALL NATIONAL CONVENTION

From national Progressive headquarters in New York a call will go out within a few days for the national convention to be held at St. Louis on the four days beginning April 12. By resolution, the Progressive National Committee announced recently that it was willing to co-operate with the liberals of all parties "to form a really coherent and a really liberal party." The St. Louis convention is the first tangible step in the process of trying to organize the liberals.

To awaken interest in the forthcoming conference, the Progressives of New Jersey have scheduled meetings to be held tomorrow afternoon at the office of H. A. Drake, Camden; March 16, at the office of A. V. Robinson, Morristown, and March 23, assembly room of the Essex building, this city. Many invitations to these State gatherings have *been sent out by the State executive* committees of the Progressives. Delegates will be named to St. Louis.

New England Progressives will hold a preliminary session at Hartford, Conn., March 29, at which the acting national chairman, Matthew Hale of Massachusetts, will be one of the speakers.

To labor leaders, Prohibitionists, Socialists and woman suffrage leaders, and many independents, invitations have been sent to attend the St. Louis meetings. Each State may choose as many Progressives as it wishes to send.

BATTERY C OBJECTS TO TRAVELING AS FREIGHT

Sanderson, Tex., March 10.—Handled as a way freight, the train carrying Battery C, New Jersey Field Artillery, was traveling so slowly through Texas that Captain Edward C. James ordered his command to detrain on reaching this place Thursday night and communicated with headquarters of the Southern department. Five hours later he received word to proceed and assurance that no more freight cars would be picked up.

The battery is traveling over the Southern Pacific, and on the first day of its trip through Texas the railroad had switched a long string of freight cars onto the train. There were frequent stops while the cars were cut out and others added, so that the troop train pulled into Sanderson, twenty-four hours behind its schedule. The appeal to the Southern department was not made until the railroad had been asked in vain to remedy the trouble.

NEW SENATOR MAY GO ON MILITARY COMMITTEE

Washington, March 10.—The steering committee of the Democratic majority and Republican minority of the Senate are engaged in making new committee assignments. It is probable that Senator Frelinghuysen, *the new member from New Jersey*, will land on the military affairs committee, which is one of the "big six" among the committees.

Senator Hughes was listed to go on the Democratic steering committee, but declined because he felt that with the three committees mentioned he had all the work that he could conscientiously handle.

STATE RETAIL CLOTHIERS TO FORM ORGANIZATION

Herman Schwed and Samuel Rothberg, of this city, will be among those who will attend a meeting to be held at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark, *Monday night, March 9, at which time* there will be organized a State Retail Clothiers' association, similar to those in many other States.

The plan is to bring the retail clothing merchants together in an effort to correct many trade evils and for the general protection of the business. Officers will be elected and plans discussed for the welfare of the association.

MAKES PLEA FOR COUNTY HOUSE

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has been an effort to distinguish between the 'poor, impotent, sick and diseased people not able to work' who may be 'provided, helped and relieved' and 'such as be lusty, having their limbs strong enough to labor' who 'may be daily kept in continual labor, whereby everyone of them may get their own living with their own hand.' We have to deal in the almshouse with the first group only. And from this group there have gradually been eliminated, or should be, disorderly persons, such as tramps, insane, epileptics, and feebleminded, also children and persons with acute illness.

"The poor, impotent, sick and diseased class needs first of all, infirmary care. In any almshouse Alexander Johnson advises 10 or 12 per cent. of *the inmates must be counted upon as* possible recipients for infirmary care. Besides proper hospital equipment this involves the services of a trained nurse and a competent physician paid for routine regular visits, not separate calls. How many of our poor old persons have such medical care?

"Those who are not diseased need first, a comfortable home preferably in the country and on a farm. The farm should be big enough to raise all vegetables and fruit, beef, pork and chickens need. In Indiana we know many poor, farms are self supporting. The excellent Orange township almshouse for 75 people is maintained at the low cost of 6,310 (1916). Plainfield with only 10 inmates cost $4,354.42. Do these figures mean nothing to the county regarding the economy of running a larger institution?

"The equipment of a county almshouse and farm could obviously be more complete and economical than that of a small almshouse. Modern tools of agriculture could be obtained which under scientific management means so much. A heating and lighting *plant, steam or hot water* with electricity are safest, cheapest and cleanest, but impracticable for small places like Plainfield or Rahway. A steam laundry is an equal possibility in a large institution.

"Humanity says—Take care of your poor, impotent, sick.' Common sense says, 'make your able-bodied do unquenchable work.' Logic adds 'house the two classes separately but near enough to apply the labor of one to the needs of all.' Business says in conclusion 'the longer you wait, the more it will cost.'"

DRAMATIS PERSONAE OF "THE HOODOO"

Humorous and dramatic situations are plentiful in "The Hoodoo," the three-act comedy which the young women of the Chi Gama Chi Club, assisted by the St. Joseph's Young Men's Bible class, are preparing to produce in St. Joseph's Hall, Monday evening, March 19.

The cast is well balanced. The dramatic personae are the Misses Theresa McCullough, Frances Neumann, Ann Veronica Daley, Anna McGinness, H. A. Brymiarski, Katherine Newell, *Elsie Morrison*, Nora Bergen, Marzetz Barry, Marie Murray, Esther Regan and Margaret Moran, and Messrs. Edwin Sullivan, Frederick Greene, Robert Pasch, W. B. Mead Jr., Harold Mead and Alfred Seidel.

MORE UNITS CALLED OUT IN SWISS MOBILIZATION

Paris, March 10.—The Swiss Legation has informed the reservists on leave and subject to mobilization that the government has decided to complete the partial mobilization of January 24 by calling out other units, including the infantry battalions of the 3d and 6th divisions, the artillery and two battalions of the Landwehr.

OKLAHOMA WOULD REWARD AMERICAN SINKING U BOAT

Oklahoma City, Okla., March 10.—A joint resolution authorizing Governor Williams to "pay a reward of $100 to the first American gunner who destroys a German submarine that can in an attempt to sink an American ship or any ship carrying American passengers," has been introduced in the lower house.

WILL ABOLISH CROSSINGS

The Board of Public Utilities Commissioners has notified the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the committee of the township of South Brunswick, Middlesex county, of its having approved the plan for the elimination of the grade crossings at Jane Hills road and Dayton road and the main line of the road between Dean and Monmouth Junction.

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$24.98 Womens' Suits.....17.35
Whipcord — serge — poplin — navy, black, reseda — tailored well tailored Spring models — overlay white collar sizes 34 to 46.

$16.98 Misses' Taffeta Dresses.....11.75
Navy blue, gray, green — button trimmed — semi-Empire — small vee neck — white net vestee and collar — self color Georgette sleeves — pockets of silk — 14 to 18 years.

$19.98 Women's Crepe de Chine or Taffeta Dresses..13.50
Navy, black, plum, blue, gray, reseda — tunics of pleated with yoke — hemstitched or plain collars — sizes 34 to 46.

$4.98 and $5.98 Women's and Misses' Skirts.....3.70
Black, navy and gray — serges with wide pleats — gathered backs — with or without pockets — belts — button trimmed — To 40 waist band in black and navy only.

$16.98 Women's Spring Coats, 12.75
Black and navy — also variety of shades — self or contrast linings — many with contrasting silk collar, belts — buttons — all sizes.

$1.00 White Voile Blouses.....78
Daintily tucked, trimmed with pretty lace and embroidery — sizes 34 to 44. Limit two.

$2.98 Tailored Linen or Voile Blouses.....2.17
Popular frill model edged in venise — some with smart box pleats.

$4.98 Crepe Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses....3.77
Designed with becoming frill or fine tucks in white, flesh, mais, nile — Limit two.

$2.98 Women's Tub Silk Petticoats.....2.36
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$1.49 Women's Petticoats.....1.04
Deep ruffle of embroidery — shown elaborate style of yoke of fancy lace — some ribbon trimmed. Limit two.

89 ct. Children's Princess Slips..66
Edged with lace or embroidery, or finished with rows of dainty lace. Limit three.

98 ct. Envelope Chemises.....74
Fine nainsook, prettily finished with pretty embroidery and lace yokes — Ribbon run — Limit three.

$2.50 Corsets.....1.54
White batiste — medium bust — long hips — elastic gores at back — trimmed with embroidery — Limit two.

98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses..66
Gingham or chambray, in the new Spring styles — contrasting trimmings — to 6 years — Limit four.

98 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses.77
Lawn and nainsook, in the pretty yoke styles of tucked styles — some smocked — hand stitched — finished with lace or embroidery — sizes to 6 years — Limit four.

$2.98 Babies' Cashmere Coats, 2.25
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49 ct. Babies' Poplin Silk and Lawn Caps.....41
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69 ct. Babies' Half Wool Shirts..54
Medium and light weight — shell finish — sizes to 3 yrs. — Limit two.

$4.98 Ustrimmed Lisere Milan Straw Hats.....3.54
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In all the new Spring shades.

98 ct. Misses' and Girls' Middy Blouses.....65
Regulation style, all white or with colored collars and cuffs — silk laced — pockets — 6 to 20 years.

$5.98 Boys' Norfolk Suits....4.55
Cheviots and homespuns, brown, gray and green, in stripes, checks and mixtures — plush or yoke backs — inverted or box pleated — flap or patch pockets — single breasted — 7 to 17 yrs. Limit two.

$3.98 Boys' Suits.....3.18
Light and medium striped effect cheviots in checks and stripes — also tan corduroy — lined trousers — 8 to 17 years — Limit two.

49 ct. Boys' Hats.....37
Gray, brown and mixtures in the new Spring styles, including the Rah-Rah and Pinafore — Limit two.

39 ct. Boys' Blouses.....25
Light and medium striped and figured percale, collars attached — 2 to 15 yrs. — Limit four.

49 ct. Rompers.....35
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$1.50 Taffetas — 36-inch.....1.17
Chiffon finish, high lustre contrasting colored satin stripes in many combinations — Limit 15 yards.

$1.19 All-Wool Poplins — 42-inch.....98
Fine corded weave, silver, taupe, rose, shell, Belgian blue, oak, cement, leather, olive, burgundy, navy, black, scal, Havana — Limit 10 yards.

$1.69 All-Wool Costume Serges 1.27
54 inches wide — close, fine twill — medium and dark navy — Limit 14 yards.

$1.98 Broadcloths — 50 and 54-inch.....1.71
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29 ct. Sports Suitings.....18
Combination of ratine and crepe fabric that is serviceable as well as smart for all school purposes — various good colors, including favorite stripes — Limit 10 yards.

$1.49 Silk Nets.....1.18
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29 ct. Women's Silk Gloves...24
16-button length — black and white — Limit 2 pair.

29 ct. Children's Hose.....21
Black mercerized tape, double heel and toe. Sizes 5 to 5½ — Limit 4 pr.

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24 ct. All-Linen Dish and Roller Towelings..18
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49 ct. Mercerized Damasks....35
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MEANWHILE

We are tired of being idiotic; it's so blithering silly.

One can be entertainingly brainless up to a certain point, but beyond that one is merely annoying.

We had thought today to diagnose the toy terrier, that nickey's worth its dog with a million-dollar pedigree, which wags a warped lead pencil on one end and sports a nervous nose on the other. But that did not appeal to us.

Then we considered the porcupine and figured out a fetching line about his being the original apostle of preparedness because he trains his hair for home defense. But we tried it on the office boy and he didn't laugh, so we set that subject aside. We tried some other things, but they were just as useless.

There are times when even a professional fool can't do a good job of it.

"Weather or No"

The man who lets you in on the ground floor usually winds up by kicking you out of the window.—Old Man Sage.

SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

Chicago—Bobby Roth, hold-out of the Cleveland Indians, started for New Orleans yesterday to report to Manager Fohl.

Augusta, Ga.—Walter Johnson was the only Senator missing from the ranks here today. The squad was divided into two sections in yesterday's practice, and regular games will be the order hereafter.

Princeton, N. J.—Anyone who doubts spring is here may dispel all doubt by visiting Princeton's gymnasium. Seventy-five candidates have answered Coach Rush's call for spring football practice. The squad will commence working in earnest Monday.

Mineral Springs.—After a lengthy conference with Manager Rowland and President Comiskey, "Chick" Gandil signed a contract here yesterday to play with the White Sox.

Pittsburg, Pa.—In two squads—one from here, in charge of Bill Hinchman, and one from Chicago, in charge of Manager Jimmie Callahan—the Pirates made their getaway for Columbus, Ga., their new training camp, yesterday. Hans Wagner, veteran shortstop, did not accompany the team south and has as yet signed no contract. Max Carey is also unsigned.

Kansas City—William Louden, a second baseman with the Cincinnati National League team last year, has been signed by the local American Association club, Manager John Ganzel announced yesterday.

Waxahatchie, Tex.—Taskmaster Jennings told his Tigers to "loosen up" a bit yesterday. A game is on in Fort Worth for tomorrow, and Hughey wants to make a good getaway. First Baseman Burns and Second Baseman "Pep" Young are due in camp today, and all the Tiger band excepting Cobb and Vitt are expected to be on hand Monday.

Hot Springs, Ark.—George Foster and Vean Gregg have come in out of the hold-out class and have signed contracts with the Red Sox. This caused considerable jubilation in camp. Two hours' hard work on the diamond and a hike over the mountains were scheduled for today.

SAYS 675,000 CRACK SHOTS SHOULD ANSWER WAR CALL

By United Press:

Philadelphia, March 10.—Six hundred and seventy-five thousand crack trapshooters will answer the nation's war call if it comes, according to a statement here today by Charles Henry Newcomb, national amateur champion trapshooter of the United States. Pennsylvania alone could furnish about 30,000 of them, he said.

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A JUST TRIBUTE TO CHIEF BENDER

A Few Sidelights on Life of the Famous Indian Ball Player

There is always something touching about the passing of an old-time baseball player, one of the men who grew up with the game and saw it develop into the sport of the nation. It was so with Chief Bender, just as it has been true of other ball players, and there is just a shade more of emotion in his passing, for it leaves only one Indian of prominence in the major league.

Strong, healthy, quick, drilled in outdoor sports by inherited rivalries, the Indian never has been known to completely fathom the white man's game of baseball. Many hundreds of the copper-skinned men have been called, but very few of them have reached the pinnacle of perfection in the majors.

Bender was one of the most prominent members of his race who ever played baseball, and Chief Meyers is another. Jim Thorpe, wonder though he is at other sports, is nothing more than fairly good as a ball player. Sockalexis will recall gloriflied athletics to many an old-time fan, but he passed as they all did. Chief Johnson was a wonderful pitcher and might still be if he had cared to keep himself in condition.

Bender was purely a product of the Connie Mack school. He was picked up after making a wonderful record for a team at Harrisburg, Pa., and then after a summer of illness and a season of no success, he blossomed. It was his work that did more than anything else to drive the Athletics to a pennant in 1911, and then he came through with a world's series victory practically unaided when Jack Coombs was stricken down. His work held up the Mackmen when everything else was going bad, and his final effort in the 1915 world's series was a crowning attempt to pull his team from a defeat.

Connie Mack dropped him at the same time he did Jack Coombs, and both the master hurlers passed into the National League eventually. Bender after spending a season with the Federals, he wasn't much of a pitcher, but he had used his experience to good effect, and he was considered about half the strategical board for the Phillies.

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS IN ANOTHER VICTORY

The Netherwood Juniors took another crack at the K. O. K. A. Club players of Westfield this morning at the Netherwood court, defeating it by a score of 33 to 28. The contest was a thriller from one end to the other, and fast playing was the order of the day. The first period concluded with the locals having an advantage of a mere point—a little too close for comfort. Morgan, of Westfield, and Randolph, of the locals, put up the star game.

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Randolph, f	6	5	17
Brousse, f	0	1	1
Henry, c	6	0	12
Roome, g	0	0	0
Davies, f	1	1	3
Larew, g	0	0	0
Cody, g	0	0	0
	15	3	33
K. O. K. A.	G.	F.	P.
G. Carr, f	3	2	8
T. Carr, f	0	0	0
Clark, c	1	0	2
Morgan, g	7	4	18
Chase, g	0	0	0
	11	6	28

Score by periods:
K. O. K. A. ..... 15 13—28
Netherwoods ..... 14 17—33

RIFLE CLUB NOTES

A fine meeting last evening. Short talks by Messrs. Thomas and Hare, neighbors, of the Westfield Rifle Club. Some thirty club members on the job. Room for lots more, despite the improvement.

Rifle practice this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. Likewise next Wednesday night. Friends of the cause are urged to give one night a week to the cause.

Committee on site for outdoor range reported progress. Hard trouble to find a suitable site for such a purpose as this, but the local men expect that it will be found in due season.

Next meeting Friday, March 16. Practice follows the session. Kill two birds with the one shot and you become an expert marksman.

If the high school cadets are not revived at the local educational institution it wouldn't be a bad idea for the Plainfield Rifle Club to care for the youngsters up to a certain point.

Still room for more interest and larger attendance on the part of the members. Likewise, room for a few more members. Applications for membership may be forwarded to Secretary Biddle, second floor of the State Trust Company building, or to the sporting editor.

LIONS DROP THREE STRAIGHT GAMES

Also Drop in Position in Tabs House Tourney Over Night in Games With Bulls

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bears	13	8	897	.619
Bulls	15	9	958	.625
Leopards	13	11	931	.542
Tigers	11	10	884	.524
Lions	12	12	918	.500
Foxes	6	18	926	.250

The Lions of the Tabs' house tourney had no great reason to growl last evening after having lost three straight to the Bulls, for it was chiefly their own fault that this thing happened. Skinner, who set the pace in the City League contests Thursday night, repeated in the tourney last evening, chalking up an average of 189.2, the highest mark reached by any of the boys. His high score was 204.

The tourney race has been so tight that with the losing of the three games to the Bulls the Lions dropped from a tie for second place to the fifth rung in the percentage column.

The scores:

BULLS				Ave
*M. O'Keefe	145	145	145	145
Roach	139	157	162	152
T. O'Keefe	132	126	155	137
Montefferrant	134	143	157	144
Skinner	204	185	180	189
	745	756	799	769

Total pins—2,309.
*Average.

LIONS				Ave
Wilson	107	135	135	159
McDonald	133	143	106	127
Winters	106	162	144	137
Cullen	155	151	122	146
Force	166	135	142	147
	667	726	661	684

Total pins—2,054.

T. A. B. S. GO DOWN TO A HARD DEFEAT

Put Up a Hard Tussle, But Are Beaten Out by Jersey City Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. of Jersey City has some fast basketball aggregation, as members of the local T. A. B. S. will be willing to testify. The Hudson county boys came here last evening and managed to take the Abstainers into camp by a score of 55 to 44.

After closing the first period with a score of 31 to 13 against them, the Tabs came back strong in the second period, but the visitors were more than able to hold their own, as well as a sufficient portion of their well-earned early lead, to come out the winners at the conclusion of the full forty minutes of play.

While coming out of the battle as the losers, the locals put up a great game, the team work exhibited being of an exceptional class. Every man of the visiting aggregation participated in the scoring line.

The score:

JERSEY CITY	G.	F.	P.
Dieyer, f	9	0	18
Wathors, f	2	0	4
Englen, f	3	0	6
Carlson, c	2	0	4
Gluck, g	8	1	17
Meury, g	3	0	6
	27	1	55

T. A. B. S.	G.	F.	P.
Rosenson, f	8	0	16
Moulton, f	9	2	20
Hirsch, c	3	0	6
Mullin, g	1	0	2
Wilson, g	0	0	0
	21	2	44

Referee, Berse; timer, Moulton; scorer, Larew.

TO "BUST" OUTLAW HORSES AT BREEDERS' SHOW

By United Press:

Fort Worth, Tex., March 10.—Some of the toughest "outlaw" horses in the country are due to get "busted" during the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show which opened a week's session here today. Real buckers have been imported from all parts of the West and Southwest for the championship events, in which the best men and women riders will participate.

Giants Begin Spring Games

By United Press:

Dallas, Tex., March 10.—The Giant regulars and the Dallas team of the Texas League pried the lid off the training season here today when they met in the initial contest.

NEW BRUNSWICK IN ANOTHER DEFEAT

North Plainfield Girls Just a Little Too Speedy for Middlesex Aggregation

Playing with practically a new line-up throughout the game, the North Plainfield High School girls' basketball team easily took the New Brunswick High School sextet into camp on the Saengerbund Hall court yesterday afternoon by the score of 18 to 11.

The Canadians, minus the services of May Doughty in her regular position at guard and Helen Spencer at side-centre, presented several new faces, Tess McCullough playing forward for the first time in her long basketball career. Dorothy Keller taking Helen Spencer's place at side-centre and Rosana McDonough substituting in guard for Miss Doughty. Short at guard, Miss Hafferman, found the ring for three long tallies, while her team mates repeated their work of a week ago against the same team at New Brunswick by shutting them out without a field goal. All the visiting team's points were made by Miss Rule from the foul line.

The second half saw still another change in the borough line-up, Miss Spencer going to the side lines and Miss Chandler taking her place. This period was slow and uninteresting, frequent calls of time delaying the play. Tess McCullough caged four overhead shots in rapid succession, while Miss Chandler found the hoop once. The North Plainfielders showed a particular weakness from the 15-yard line in shooting fouls, but made up for this by holding the visitors to a lone field goal throughout the entire game, which is no mean achievement, considering the calibre of their opponents.

The score:

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	2	2	6
Miss McCullough, f	4	0	8
Miss Chandler, f	1	0	2
Miss N. McDonough, c	0	0	0
Miss Keller, sc	0	0	0
Miss Wykoff, g	0	0	0
Miss R. McDonough, g	0	0	0
	8	2	18

NEW BRUNSWICK H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Miss Grodotske, f	0	2	2
Miss Rule, f	1	7	9
Miss Broffe, f, g	0	0	0
Miss Hendricks, c	0	0	0
Miss Hafferman, g	0	0	0
Miss Hyer, sc	0	0	0
Miss McCullum, g	0	0	0
	1	9	11

Score by periods:
N. P. H. S. ..... 10 8—18
N. B. H. S. ..... 6 5—11

Referee, LaPorte; scorer, Lowrie; timer, McDonough.

LAST CONTEST OF THE C. N. J. LEAGUE

Official Averages and Prizes Will be Distributed Early Next Week

CENTRAL N. J. LEAGUE
Final Standing

	W	L	HS	PC
Bound Brook	19	11	970	.633
Westfield	18	12	952	.600
Somerville	17	13	957	.567
North Plainfield	14	16	968	.467
Cranford	13	17	959	.433
Roselle Park	9	21	940	.300

After playing the delay, linger and wait game for about a month back, the Roselle Park and Cranford teams of the Central New Jersey Bowling League came through Thursday night with their final game of the season. At least, the Cranford aggregation did its share.

The game, originally booked for three p. m., was postponed three times and was finally to have been set up on Thursday night of this week. Then the Roselle Parks failed to show up and the games went by forfeit to the Riverside boys.

Secretary Firebrook, on the anxious seat for the past week because of the failure of this set of scores to come in, announced this morning that the final averages, figures and prizes for the team and individual averages would be announced early next week, as the Roselle Park-Cranford fills were the last of the circuit's games to be rolled.

Cranford's scores for averages:

				Ave
Jones	214	171	168	184
Kirkman	124	174	239	179
Dill	142	166	167	155
Reif	140	169	190	169
Cox	191	171	199	187
	831	851	943	875

Total pins—2,625.

P. H. S. WINS LAST GAME OF SEASON

Defeats Westfield in Close Contest by Score of 41 to 35

The Plainfield High School team closed its basketball season last evening by winning a great game from the Westfield High School quintet by the score of 41 to 35. Plenty of scoring was done by both teams, Westfield playing exceptionally well against the fast city champions and holding them to a 19 to 19 tie at the termination of the first period.

The game opened with a rush and every contestant maintained the pace until the last minute. Plainfield opened the game with a lead and maintained it until Stevens, Westfield's fast forward, ran up four points in the last minute of the first half. Both teams wanted to win and each exerted their best efforts in that direction. Good team work, however, on the part of the Plainfielders made victory possible.

Mills and Kline never played better basketball. The former at centre found it comparatively easy to elude his opponent, Jespersen. In the last half Mills rolled up 14 points and played a great offensive game. Kline was also good on the defensive and was in the heat of the fracas all the time.

A large number of rooters accompanied the Red and Blue team to the scene of the battle and enjoyed dancing after the game.

The score:

PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, f	1	5	7
Condra, f	4	0	8
Mills, c	8	0	16
Kline, g	3	0	6
King, g	2	0	4
	18	5	41

WESTFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Stevens, f	3	13	19
Barry, f	0	0	0
Jespersen, c	1	0	2
Johnson, g	1	0	2
Cowen, g	2	0	4
Baumann, g	0	0	0
Riley, g	0	0	0
	11	13	35

Referee, Abrams; scorer, Kyle; timer, Crone.

AND BOUND BROOK WAS ON THE JOB

Two-Man Team Again Takes the Somerville Lads Into Camp by Good Margins

Special Correspondence:

Somerville, March 10.—There were no brass bands to meet the Bound Brook boys who came along with Sanford Snyder and Peter Koechlein, the two-man bowling team, which has brought much honor to the town along the Raritan River. And the fellows evidently had not expected it, for they carried all the imaginable noise-making apparatus and paraphernalia one could possibly think of. And what's more, they had sufficient occasion to use the trumpets, horns, bells, whistles, their vocal chords, their hands and feet, for Snyder and Koechlein were walking all over Charley Mathews and Louis Roller, Somerville's two-man team. Just trampled, trimmed, throttled and tamed the local pin champions, despite the latter's game and wonderfully courageous efforts.

Matty and Roller both worked well. But what's the use? That Bound Brook outfit just cannot be stopped, it seems. At least, not these weeks, although there are loads of Somerville bowling enthusiasts who talk of and no doubt are willing to throw much of that desired green paper on their favorites. Matty Co., any time. But the fact does not mean that the local duo could do the trick next week or any other time, any more than it has during the past weeks.

It took but four games last night on Roller's alleys. The series was to comprise 21 games. The Bound Brook lads took 8 of 11 games on Effinger's alleys last week and last night they copped the last three of the four games rolled, giving them the eleven necessary for the honors and the hundred or more iron men.

The scores:

BOUND BROOK				Ave
Koechlein	202	221	185	209—206
Snyder	160	162	163	129—166
	362	383	358	388—372

Total pins—1,491.

SOMERVILLE				Ave
Roller	188	186	157	189—180
Mathews	193	195	165	192—186
	381	381	322	381—368

Total pins—1,475.

WESTFIELD RIFLE CLUB MEETING

An important meeting of the Westfield Rifle Club will be held Monday night. Captain Thomas has an interesting report to make on some matters of importance to the club at this time. The papers for the transfer of papers have been received and Secrtary MacDougall is making them out as fast as possible.

WE SHOULD HAVE PREPARED LONG AGO

So Said ex-Gov. Fort at Preparedness Meeting in Orange

If ten years ago the United States had entered upon the ship building program which it is now starting, and if at that time it had provided for the training of a million young men a year as is now proposed, said former Governor John Franklin Fort at a preparedness meeting in Orange on Thursday night, there would be less talk of war now, and with 10,000,000 fit to shoulder arms and meet an invasion there would be no thought of an invasion.

The United States, declared the former Governor, should be ashamed of itself so far as preparation even for its own defense is concerned. He had no blame for any one, he said, for fixing blame was of no avail.

"It does seem," said Mr. Fort, "that when in office—and I have held office—men forget their responsibilities, and they fail to initiate things that should be started. Some one has said we could raise a million men for the defense of our country over night. We might raise the million men all right, but as a body of soldiers I wouldn't give much for them."

Citing his own experience while in South America for the Government, the speaker said he had reason to feel that our navy was better than most people thought. Characterizing the navy as our first line of defense, he said we could do more with it than in any other way. He wanted a great navy, he added, not for making war, but for protection.

"I don't want to see war. Neither do you; I want peace. I want peace so much that I am ready to fight for it. If it is necessary to fight for peace, then I want the United States to fight."

BIBLE CLASS ENTERTAINED BY MRS. LESTER RENNINGER

The "Count on Me" Bible class of Trinity Reformed church spent an enjoyable time last evening as the guests of one of their members, Mrs. Lester Renninger, East Second street. There were about twenty members present, including the teacher, Mrs. Kirch. Following the business meeting a social evening concluded the session. Refreshments were served, the hostess being assisted in serving by Miss Edith Richards, Miss Elsie Debele and Miss Elizabeth Hillpot.

The class now numbers thirty-three members. It has been planned to hold a cake sale at a future date, the time and place to be arranged later.

TRIED FOR MURDER WHILE IN PRISON ACQUITTED

By United Press:

Ossining, N. Y., March 10.—Tried and acquitted on a murder charge while he was serving a two-year sentence in Sing Sing for grand larceny, Irving Wechsler, alias "Waxey Gordon" walked out of his cell and away today, free.

Wechsler, charged with the murder of Fred Strauss, a court clerk in New York, was tried a few weeks ago. His trial occupied 77 days and cost the city $70,000. One juror lost $9,000 and another $5,000 because of the jury service. Wechsler used to be a lieutenant of the Dopey Benny Fein gang of professional strong-arm men, strike breakers.

RAILROAD GETS FAVORABLE DECISION

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 10.—At the local office of the Southern Pacific Co. this morning advices were received that the company had received a favorable decision in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Salt Lake City, Utah, in the suit brought by the government to compel the sale of the Central Pacific Railway. The decision was rendered by Judge Hook and was concurred in by Judge Sanborn, Judge Curlin dissenting.

PRICE OF OLD PAPERS

A reader asks whether there is any place in town where old newspapers are bought and also the average price paid per hundred pounds.

The junk dealers are the only people here that purchase these papers. The general price paid just now is fifty cents per hundred pounds if the papers are tied up in bundles.

RETURNING FROM FLORIDA

Post cards from W. G. Debele and Andrew Lutkins and party, of the borough, who have been touring the South, reported the party at St. Augustine, Fla. They expected to start for home on Thursday via boat line arriving in Philadelphia tomorrow night, and be home Monday.

PUBLIC HEARING ON MEMORIAL PROJECT

Trenton, March 10.—The Department of Conservation and Development announces a public hearing to be held at the State House at 2:30 p. m., March 30, 1917, on the subject of a memorial to be established at Washington Crossing on the Delaware.

Since the Department of Conservation and Development was, by statute, made the successor to the Washington Crossing Park Commission the Board has given considerable thought to the situation. In taking over the duties of the old Commission the Department acquired only the obligation to care for the property previously purchased. No appropriation was available even for ordinary care. Legislation is lacking to carry the project forward.

NEW STEAMER "OHIO" IS REPORTED SUNK

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 10.—The new 12,000-ton steamer Ohio, under charter to the French Government and operated by the French Line, according to a report here which has not been confirmed, has been torpedoed by a German submarine. The Ohio left here February 18 and was due in Havre today. She was carrying a cargo valued at upwards of $1,000,000, part of which was insured by local underwriters. At the offices of the French Line it was said that no word has been received from the Ohio.

TURKS IN PERSIA ARE RETREATING

Special to Courier-News:

Petrograd, March 10.—The Russian official says: "The Turkish army in Persia is retreating constantly under the pressure of the Russian advance. Along the entire front the Turks are falling back on Dauletabad and are threatened with separation from the remainder of the Turkish army. The latter consists of several divisions, including two that are perfectly equipped and drilled that were formerly stationed at Constantinople and at Adrianople. The Russian and British successes in the East render the position of this part of the army exceedingly critical."

PRESIDENT CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 10.—President Wilson continues to improve, and is rapidly recovering from a slight attack of grip. Today he felt so refreshed that he was allowed to leave his bed for a while. Dr. Grayson, however, will insist that Mr. Wilson keep to his room for another day, leaving the cares of his office in order to prevent the return of fever.

BERLIN REPORTS SUBMARINE TOLLAGE

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin, March 10.—Nine steamers and three sailing vessels, with a total tonnage of 32,000, have been sunk in the Mediterranean, it was officially announced today.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 10.—Steamers arrived this morning:

S. S. Bestum, from Lisbon.
S. S. Concho, from Galveston.
S. S. Sanvice, from Arecido.
S. S. Alanas, from Sampra.
S. S. Dakotan, from Mejillones.
S. S. Atagonan Maru, from Santos.
S. S. Harriet, from Cienfuegos.
S. S. City of Haukow, from Hull.
S. S. Viator, from Mazanillo.

IT'S NATIONAL ORANGE DAY

By United Press:

Los Angeles, March 10.—Throughout the United States today is being observed as "National Orange Day." In Southern California, however, instead of being observed the day is being celebrated.

MUCH GOLD FROM CANADA

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 10.—Gold to the amount of $8,000,000 has been received from Canada and deposited at the assay office for the account of J. P. Morgan.

PERSONAL

A baby girl was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Weseman, of Brooklyn. Mr. Weseman was a former resident of East Sixth street, this city.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic affairs, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Just how to use the winter fruits, and those that come from the preserve closet, will doubtless prove helpful to the home caterer, at this season of the year, when something new is desired for dessert without incurring much expense or trouble.

Simple preparations of fruit are excellent to serve at the close of a hearty dinner, especially if accompanied by plain wafers and coffee, while some of the richer and more substantial recipes are useful in connection with simple made dishes or a dinner of broiled chops or cutlet.

For both the banana and pear, being what the French call "negative fruits"—that is, lacking a distinctive flavor of their own—the use of cooking wine, mild acids, like lemon or orange juice, a few spices, etc., are recommended when preparing them to the best advantage.

Jellied Figs

Cook a *pound of whole figs in boiling* water until tender. Soften an ounce and a half of gelatine in cold water and dissolve in one and a half cupfuls of hot water in which the figs have been cooked. Add three-quarters of a cupful of sugar, the juice of one lemon and sufficient canned cherry juice to make four cupfuls. Mold the liquid jelly and the figs in layers, in a mold that has been rinsed with cold water, and set in a cold place to chill and harden. Serve unmolded with thin cream or boiled custard. Be sure that each layer is firm before the next is added.

Pears a la Conde

Canned pears may be used for this recipe. Drain the fruit and allow one crystallized plum and four cherries for each pear. Heat the pear syrup and soak the crystallized fruit in it for one hour. Drain, chop, return to the syrup with the pears, reheat and arrange on a bed of hot, steamed rice. Pour over the syrup and ornament with squares of bright-tinted jelly.

Salpicon of Fruit

Cook large, fresh, seeded raisins until tender, in boiling water to cover. Then add, for each pint of liquid, two teaspoonfuls of arrowroot mixed to a paste with cold water. *Stir until the liquid thickens* and boils. Add three tablespoonfuls of currant jelly, the juice of an orange and cubes of canned pears and peaches. As soon as the fruit is heated through, pour over rounds of crustless bread that has been saute (lightly fried) in hot butter. This is an excellent dessert for children and is always popular.

Country Strawberry Tart

Use one quart of canned strawberries with a thick syrup. Cut slices of graham bread, butter them and lay them in the bottom and around the sides of a buttered bowl or deep baking dish. Pour in the strawberries, boiling hot, cover the top with more bread slices, place a tight-fitting cover over the bowl and bake twenty minutes. Then remove the cover, brush over with softened butter and brown for ten minutes in a hot oven. Serve hot with cream.

Knickerbocker Figs

These are excellent for a light dessert course and also for service at an afternoon tea or reception. The *ingredients required are: Half a pound* of candied figs, Maraschino cherries and pecan meats, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful of lemon juice and half a cupful of sherry wine. Open the figs and stuff with the cherries and nuts allowing two cherries and three nut meats (cut in quarters) to each fig. Mix the remaining ingredients and add the figs. After covering the saucepan, cook *until the figs are tender. Turn and* baste several times during the cooking. Remove the figs, drain thoroughly, roll in powdered sugar and place in individual paper cases.

Fruit Salad

When a fruit salad is served at the close of a dinner, the dessert may be omitted and small cheese wafers and coffee served with the salad. To prepare a delicious salad, cut one orange into small pieces, avoiding the use of any skin or tissue. Cut half a pound of white grapes into halves or quarters, removing the seeds. Cut two cupfuls of celery into small pieces, chop one and a half cupfuls of walnuts and cut two peeled apples and bananas into dice-shaped pieces. Mix the ingredients lightly together. Moisten with a mayonnaise dressing, blended with the addition of whipped cream, and heap into a chilled salad bowl that has been lined with crisp lettuce

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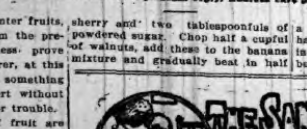
Crush six peeled bananas to a pulp with a fork and add the juice of half a lemon, two tablespoonfuls of sherry and two tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar. Chop half a cupful of walnuts, add these to the banana mixture and gradually beat in half a pint of chilled double cream, that has been whipped solid. Turn into individual frappe glasses, that have been lined with halved lady fingers.



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KITTY BLACK'S DREAM

Kitty Black was a large black cat. She was not very old, but she was old enough to catch mice and make herself *useful to the farmer's wife*, in whose house she lived.

But instead of being useful, Kitty Black *used to drink all the milk* the farmer's wife put out for her and eat all the fish she cooked for her, and never, never did Kitty Black bother herself whether the pantry was overrun with mice or not.

But one day something happened and Kitty Black woke up a wiser kitty than she ever had been, and this is what happened:

The farmer and his wife went *away for a day and a night, and* when they called Kitty Black to carry her to a neighbor's, for the farmer's wife was very fond of Kitty Black, she ran away because she thought she was to be shut up in the pantry to catch a mouse as she sometimes was when the mice were very bothersome.

So the farmer and his wife rode away without taking Kitty Black with them, and while there was a large dish of milk left outside the door for her, Kitty, when she found it, drank every drop, all at once, and when it came dinner time she *did not* have anything to eat.

Then Kitty began to cry, but no one opened the door, and Kitty cried some more, but no one came. When supper time came Kitty was very hungry, and cried and cried, and after deciding that no one would hear her she curled up on the top step, close to the door, and went to sleep.

Now, inside the kitchen the mice were running about and having a great time, and one of them ran close to the door and peeked under.

"O ho!" cried he; "come here, all you mice, and see the lazy puss out here on the steps."

Kitty thought she was dreaming when she felt something pull her fur, but it was a mouse which had poked out his paw and caught Kitty's fur on her back.

"Isn't she the lazy creature?" said one mouse.

"She is too well fed to bother about us," said another, "and I am glad she does get so much to eat, for it makes it safer for us. Just think of the fun we have running everywhere and nothing to bother us."

"She is too fat for her own good," said another mouse. *Just look at the* *way we can pull her fur and she is* too lazy to move."

But the mouse gave Kitty's fur too hard a pull that time, and up she jumped and yowled.

"I must have been dreaming," said Kitty Black. "Oh! how hungry I am! I would eat a mouse if I saw one. I never was so hungry in all my life. I cannot understand how mistress could treat me so."

Kitty curled up on the top step again and went to sleep, but the mice were watching her, and just as she dozed off one of them poked out his paw again and gave Kitty's whiskers a pull which made her jump and me-ow loudly.

And then Kitty heard a funny little noise and she turned her ear toward the door and listened. Yes, it was a squeaky little laugh, and Kitty went nearer and sniffed.

Her eyes opened wide and she sniffed again. Yes, there were mice on the other side of that door, and *for once in her life she wanted to* catch them.

"I'll pretend to sleep," said Kitty Black, "and perhaps one will run out under the door."

So again Kitty Black curled up on the top step, but this time far enough away so the mice could not reach her.

"Oh! she has moved too far away," Kitty heard one mouse say.

"Isn't that too bad," said another; "she has spoiled all our fun?"

"I would spoil you if I could once get my claws on you," thought Kitty to herself.

"She isn't worth her keep," said one mouse; "just think of all the farmer's wife does for that fat cat and she never even tries to catch one of us."

"Come along and eat all the cheese; there will be no one to stop us," said another.

"Oh! I know where there is a dish of meat, too," said another.

"And a dish of cream," said another. *"We will eat it all from that* lazy Kitty Black. She isn't worth keeping in the house," and off they ran.

Kitty Black was very angry and she looked hard at the space under the door, but it was too narrow for her to even get a paw under, so after thinking for a while of all the good things the mice were eating, she had to go to sleep to forget.

And then *Kitty Black dreamed*, that she was in the pantry and the mice were running all around, and when she tried to catch one she *couldn't* move a paw.

She saw the mice drink her dish of cream and eat all the chicken she should have had, and when she tried to strike at them, not a paw could she move or a sound could she make.

Oh! how she longed to get at those mice! Never before had she known what it was to long to catch a mouse.

One mouse in her dream came *very near to Kitty Black and held a* bit of chicken right under her nose, and just as she reached for it he pulled back, so that with one more try to catch him Kitty gave a spring, and bang! she went on the step below, where she had been asleep.

Kitty got up and stretched herself; she had been asleep too near the edge of the top step, and how she did wish for a chance at those mice, for she wasn't quite sure whether she had dreamed it all or not!

The farmer and his wife were just *coming into the yard, and Kitty ran* to meet them, me-owing and swinging her tail.

When the kitchen door was opened, to the surprise of the farmer's wife, Kitty Black ran right for the pantry.

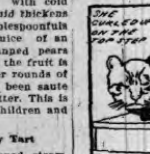
"Poor Kitty Black!" said the farmer's wife, "she is almost starved; mistress will get her some milk at once."

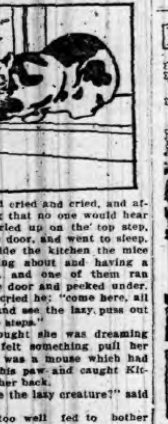
"Oh! those dreadful mice," she cried. "They have been in the cream, and everything. What will I do?"

Kitty Black me-owed as well as *she could, that she would clean out* the mice that very night, and that never again would they have the run of the pantry.

And Kitty Black kept her word. She consumed so little of the milk and cream that her mistress was surprised, but the master said it was a good thing, for now she was catching mice, as a good cat should, and he told his wife not to worry about Kitty Black.

Monday's story—"The Secret of *the Witches."*—Part I.





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FARM FOOD CENSUS.

Governor's Commission to Get Figures on Supplies.

Trenton, March 10.—Farmers as well as wholesale and retail sellers of food products will be included in the canvass being made by the Governor's commission on the high cost of living, Everett Colby, chairman of the commission, pointed out that no survey of supplies held Feb. 20 would be complete without figures on what was still on the farms.

Though he had been told that some farmers in the state had considerable supplies on hand, Mr. Colby said the commission would draw no conclusions until the investigation is completed.

The method of obtaining figres from the farmers has not been indicated by the commissioner other than through a statement that the state board of agriculture and other organizations would be asked to aid.

WOMEN DRIVE AT COLUMBIA.

Want University Law School Open to Their Sex.

New York, March 10.—A circular calling on the trustees of Columbia university to open the Law school to women was circulated on the campus of the university by the Women's City club. Forty prominent lawyers and judges of the city signed the paper.

"Shall Women Be Admitted to the Columbia Law School?" was the title of the booklets. Every officer and student at the university received one *through the mails, and others were dis*tributed on the campus. Mrs. Learned Hand, wife of the United States court judge, is president of the club and is *leading the campaign.*

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN AND EDNA GOODRICH—PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's Theatre next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Charlie Chaplain appears today at Proctor's together with Marie Dressler in *"Tillie's Punctured Romance."* In addition today Edna Goodrich, famous for her beauty is seen in the latest of the Paramount successes, "The House of Lies."

Monday's program includes Alice Brady in her newest play "A Hungry Heart"; Mrs. Vernon Castle in the ninth episode of "Patria," and "The Social Pirates" in six reels.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday the extraordinary photoplay spectacle "War Brides" is the feature in 8 parts, with Mme. Nazimova, the world's greatest tragedienne, in the leading role. It was adapted from the playlet in which Mme. Nazimova scored a nation-wide triumph upon the vaudeville stage, but is rendered much more interesting and larger in scope on the screen.

On Friday Clara Kimball Young will be seen in a special William A. Brady production "Without a Soul" and Valentine Grant will be starred in "The Daughter of MacGregor." On Saturday, Pauline Frederick will appear in a film adaption of "Ashes and Embers" and Ethel Barrymore "The Awakening of Helen Richie."

HOWE'S MOVING PICTURES CLOSE HERE TONIGHT

The most absorbing scenes ever recorded on films will be presented by Lyman H. Howe tonight at the Plainfield Theatre. They depict Sir Douglas Mawson's Expedition to Antarctica in a manner that far excels any hunt, travel or exploration pictures ever obtained.

The scenes were photographed 2,000 miles from the nearest human habitation, in a land never before seen by the eye of man. Some birds and animals depicted cannot be seen in any "zoo" in the world. The film shows *in perfect photography a raging, blis*zard in the stormiest spot on earth—Adelie Land, Antarctica—where the wind attained a velocity of 216 miles per hour. It shows the largest icebergs ever photographed. It tells the story of a one thousand mile sledging journey that is unequalled in the history of polar exploration.

The penguin, the odd looking seafowl of this frigid region, is the originator of the Charlie Chaplin walk—and thousands of them are shown.

The expedition covered a period of 2 years and 3 months, and cost $350,000. Every foot of the film is photographically perfect, and abounds with tense thrills. Not an inch of it is *used for Belligerent Films. It tells true facts* beginning to end just because it is absolutely true and natural.

LONDON BELLES MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Grace Tremont, with the "London Belles," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

Rose Sydell's Famous London Belles will appear at the Plainfield Theatre Monday matinee and night, March 12. For originality of material, costumes, scenery, electrical effects, etc., this company is always above high water mark. The opening vehicle is entitled "A Trip to Washington," a two-act musical burlesque in eleven scenes and for a laugh-producer nothing has been seen here this season as its equal. All musical ensembles are original and of the catchy popular order.

Among the vaudeville acts and cast may be mentioned such as Johnie Weber *and Bill Campbell in their famous* act of Henny and Papa with the models. Frances Cornell, direct from the London music halls. Lew Thall, Gayety Trio, Smith and Pullman, Ward Caulfield, Billy Smith, Ed. Wright, Harry Watjen, and the Queen of Burlesque, Rose Sydell herself.

Minnesotans Vote Rebuke

St. Paul, March 10.—A resolution censuring the United States Senators who conducted the filibuster against the armed neutrality bill was passed by the Minnesota house with one dissenting vote—that of F. G. Strand, Socialist.

NEW MILK WAR IS THREATENED

Dairymen's League to Advance Rate to Dealers.

New York, March 10.—The price of milk to the householder will be increased 2 cents a quart if the Dairymen's league exacts the proposed advance from the distributors, according to a broad intimation in a statement issued by I. Elkin Nathan, secretary of the New York State Milk Dealers' conference board.

Mr. Nathan denied emphatically that there was any agreement to that effect, but said that since only about 70 per cent of the milk bought by the distributors was sold for table use, while the rest was disposed of at wholesale, each cent increase to the wholesaler must mean more than a cent increase to the final consumer.

In this connection the statement added that an impression that the farmers were asking an advance of only 1 1-5 cents was erroneous and that *their pro*posed new demand would amount to at least 2 cents. This demand, however, has not been made yet of any wholesaler.

John J. Dillon, state commissioner of foods and markets, took issue with the distributors, insisting that they could afford to lower the price to the consumer even if the price to them was raised. He said they could afford sufficient economy by equitable and efficient methods of distribution to attain that result.

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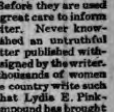

JAMES HAMILTON LEWIS.

He Helped Fight
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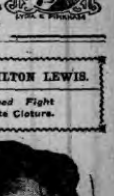

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Senator Lewis was looked upon as the *president's spokesman in the senate de*bate on the cloture resolution. He made several trips to and from the White House, keeping Mr. Wilson informed of the progress of the measure.

FRENCH BLAST GERMAN TRENCHES

Attack on Mile Front in Champagne District.

London, March 10.—In the spirited advance of French troops on the Champagne front the crown prince's troops were *simply blasted out of the trenches* they took from the French three weeks ago.

A series of mine explosions blew *trenches and Germans into the air on a* front of a mile to a depth of half a mile. Then the French infantry charged forward and seized the craters.

The Germans made three counter attacks with great violence, using large forces in the effort to take the recaptured French positions. The fighting raged with especial ferocity on hill 185 and at the Maisons de Champagne farm. Despite the French barrage the Germans got within machine gun and hand grenade range, but finally were forced to retire.

The German statement admits in somewhat ambiguous terms the French victory, but makes the statement that hill 185 is again in German hands after the French had temporarily taken some trenches on its summit. Hill 185 is the most important of the positions in this sector.

General Maude's victorious army will hardly march into Bagdad without firing a shot. The Turks are expected to make a last stand on the River Dialah, six miles from the outskirts of the city. Though no report has been received from General Maude since Tuesday night, his advance guard is believed to have reached the Dialah, and the bat*tle for Bagdad may now be on.*

SCORES "NEW THEOLOGY."

New Jersey Methodist Conference Takes Stand on Textbooks.

Atlantic City, N. J., March 10.—Progressives in the New Jersey Methodist Episcopal conference, in session here, were defeated in executive council in their efforts to offset the opposition to the proposed revision of textbooks along lines known among themselves as the "new creed."

The conservatives won the convention after five hours of stormy debates and passed a resolution petitioning the board of bishops to reject the new courses of study when they are brought up for adoption at their meeting in May. It is contended that the books overemphasize the "new theology" and give precedence to the "historic conception." The interpretation is declared "too free."

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29TH ANNIVERSARY OF 1888 BLIZZARD

Many Recall Great Storm Which Paralyzed This Part of Country

Twenty-nine years ago last night, March 11, 1888, there began a storm that resulted in a blizzard and snowfall that established a new record for the entire eastern section of the country. Plainfield and the surrounding country were completely tied up and isolated from the world at large. Business of all kinds was suspended as were also trolleys, steam railroads and in fact all vehicular traffic.

Throughout Plainfield and vicinity snow was piled ten feet high and it was fully three days afterward before anything like normal conditions were restored. There was no telephone nor telegraphic service and it was impossible to transport mail.

The storm began Sunday night, the date corresponding exactly to last night, with a fine drizzling rain which a few hours later turned into a blinding snow storm. March 11 has fallen on Sunday four times since that 1888 blizzard—in 1894, 1900, 1906, and this year, but Sunday will not occur again until 1923, after which there will be a jump to 1934 and then to 1945 and 1951.

There are many Plainfielders who recall interesting incidents regarding the big storm, and there were not a few who suffered hardships and experiences that they would not care to go through again. A number of people had gone into New York Sunday afternoon and early evening and were unable to return home for several days. Commuters were unable to reach their places of business in New York, so completely paralyzed were traffic conditions between this city and New York.

Aside from the personal inconvenience caused thousands of people here, there was a tremendous monetary loss which was shared by transportation companies, as well as general utility corporations.

MAN WHO CAME NEAR DEATH WILL SPEAK IN PARK CLUB

Arthur Guy Empey, formerly machine gunner and bomber for the British army, will speak in the Park Club tomorrow night, giving his experience in trench fighting. He probably came as near death as anyone at the front. His narrow escape came from a gas attack by the Germans. A bullet slipped his ear and punctured his gas helmet. He was unconscious for three hours and all his companions thought him dead.

Mr. Empey, in describing the attack, says: "Then over they came, bayonets glistening. In their respirators, which have a large snout in front, they looked like some horrible nightmare—some horde of weird beasts." The public is invited to attend this most unusual lecture. There will be no reserved seats and a small admission fee will be charged to cover expenses.

ALFRED UNIVERSITY HEAD SPEAKS IN LOCAL CHURCH

President B. C. Davis, of Alfred University, occupied the pulpit at the seventh Day Baptist Church, on Saturday morning. Both Dr. Davis and Dr. T. L. Gardiner spoke at the Sabbath school session held later in the day. It was also the fifteenth anniversary of the trip to Palestine in which both gentlemen were participants, and they gave the school a brief narrative of their journey as relating to the scripture lessons of the day.

Next Sabbath morning, March 17, the Rev. R. F. Y. Pierce, of New York, will preach. An offering for the Mahaney Hospital will be taken at this time.

CAPTAIN PETERSON TO ADDRESS CIVIC SOCIETY

The East End Civic Association will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the gymnasium of the Fotherwood Reformed church. Capt. Charles A. Peterson will speak on "The Duties of a Soldier."

DEATH OF YALE PROFESSOR

William Beebe, professor of mathematics and an instructor of astronomy at Yale since 1897, who was well known to Yale men of this city, died last night of pneumonia at his home in New Haven, Conn., after a brief illness. He was born in Litchfield, Conn., September 4, 1851, the son of Philip Schuyler Beebe and Mrs. Lucy Robbins Beebe.

Professor Beebe was graduated from Yale in 1873. He became a tutor in mathematics at the university in 1876 and was made assistant professor of mathematics and astronomy in 1882. He was the author of several text books on mathematics and was a member of the American Mathematical Society. In 1886, 1891, he married Miss Elizabeth Pehiger, of Wilmington, Del.

NEW YORK RECTOR AT GRACE CHURCH

Rev. G. A. Oldham Preacher at Last Night's Lenten Services

In referring to the European conflict in his Lenten sermon at Grace Episcopal church, last night, the Rev. George A. Oldham, of New York, said that "the world outside looks at us rather skeptically, and wonders what good our Christian religion is. We have made extraordinary statements regarding our religion, but it is not Christianity that has failed. It is the exponents that have not lived up to their faith."

Rev. Mr. Oldham took his text from a portion of a verse in Corinthians referring to the building of a foundation in the Christian faith, and further referred to the Gospel of St. John, chapter 7, 17th verse: "If any man will do his will, He shall know the doctrine, whether it will be of God or whether I speak of myself."

The preacher said:

"Obedience to God is the indispensable condition of a Christian's life. We may roam high in the halls of religion, but our Christianity is useless if we do not live up to the little knowledge we have."

Rev. Mr. Oldham is the rector of St. Luke's church, Convent avenue, New York, and is a most eloquent speaker, having a most lucid way of illustrating his talk. He was greeted with a large attendance last night. The Rev. Mr. Kuen, formerly rector at Holy Cross church, this city, is an assistant to Rector Oldham, in New York.

On Sunday next the Rev. W. S. Baer, of Elizabeth, will be the preacher at Grace church at 10.30 a. m., and the Rev. H. T. Cooke, at 8 p. m. Bishop Woodcock, of Kentucky, will occupy the pulpit on March 25.

CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO FIRST REHEARSAL

The first rehearsal for children who are to take part in "The Land of Mystery," the new comic opera to be produced here April 10, 11 and 12, by Plainfield Lodge of Elks, will be held at the Elk's clubhouse at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

All those who took part in last year's opera, "The Mystic Rose," and any other children between the ages of 7 and 15 years, are invited to attend the rehearsals. A committee of women has been named personally to chaperon the children during the rehearsals and the performances of the opera.

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF BROTHER AT GLEN GARDNER

Harry W. Rush and S. A. Rush, of this city, were at Glen Gardner, this morning where they attended the funeral of their brother, Russell D. Rush.

The service was held from the home of the parents of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rush, Glen Gardner.

The deceased died on Thursday last. He was born in Glen Gardner twenty-seven years years ago, and until two or three years ago was employed in the paymaster's office of the Central Railroad in New York. He was a member of the Glen Gardner Presbyterian Church, of Lebanon Lodge, F. & A. M. and the local lodge of the P. O. S. of A.

LOCAL CHURCHES DONATE LIBERALLY TO FUND

On March 1st announcement was made that the national pension fund being raised for retired Episcopal clergymen was a success and that the total receipts were $6,500,000.

St. John's, Somerville, gave $1,100; Trinity, Cranford, $518; St. Luke's, Roselle, $1,100; St. John's, Elizabeth, $5,510.79; Plainfield churches, Heavenly Rest, $75.00; St. Stephen's, $65.00; and Grace church, $9,500.

TO TAKE CHARGE OF COMPANY'S NEW STORE

George R. Vanderhoef, who has been manager of the A. P. Tea Company store on West Front street for the past twenty-two years, will soon take charge of the company's new store on Park avenue, near Fifth street. The Front street store will be abandoned.

WILL RETURN MARCH 17

County Attorney and Mrs. William R. Codington, of Sandford avenue, who have been spending several weeks in Florida, will return home on Saturday, March 17. Mr. Codington's health has been greatly improved by his visit in the south.

NOTICE

Miss F. A. Benoit, milliner at H. A. Bonn for several seasons, has severed her connections with that firm and will be with Miss M. Van Der Veer, 110 Depot Park, where she will be pleased to meet all her customers.—Adv.

PATRIOTIC TOAST TO PRESIDENT WILSON

Addresses and Music Features of Zionists' Annual Banquet

Inspiring addresses, interspersed with music and a toast to President Wilson, were features that marked the sixth annual banquet of Jehuda Halevi Camp, No. 57, Order Sons of Zion, which was held in the Knights of Pythias Hall last night. There were one hundred guests who enjoyed the dinner.

M. J. Mendelsohn, the chairman, was toastmaster. Henry Rosenbaum made an appeal to the members for greater enthusiasm and earnest thought in helping to solve the Jewish problem which has been intensified in the present world war. He told of the fortunate position of the American Jews compared to their own flesh and blood involved in this maelstrom of agony and suffering.

Harry Rothberg spoke on "The Influence of a Community Center," and called attention to the Leal School property that had been acquired by the Y. M. H. A.

William Augenblick and S. H. Schwartz made a few appropriate remarks, and Abe Goldberg, executive member of the Federation of American Zionists, gave an enthusiastic talk on "Zionism." A vote of thanks was given to the committee in charge which comprised Samuel Rosenbaum, chairman; William Augenblick, Louis Rosenthal, Samuel Gallenson, Harry Kots, Harry Rosenberg and Mrs. Harry Rosenberg.

JUNIOR Y. M. H. A. AID BUILDING CAMPAIGN

Greater zest is being added to the Young Men's Hebrew Association daily under the industrious work of the building campaign committee, which is working incessantly. Yesterday afternoon, Harvey Rothberg, chairman of the committee, addressed the Y. M. H. A. Juniors in the association headquarters, with the result that the following contributions, aggregating $26, have been credited to the building fund:

Samuel Preger, $3; David M. Goldberg, $1; Hyman Bender, $1; Samuel Bender, $1; Abram Bendor, $2; Louis Shrager, $2; Henry Dreier, $2; Saul Nathanson, $2; Samuel Pinn, $2; Alex. Rosenthal, $2; Ralph Michelson, $1; Hobert Goldstein, $1; David Miller, $1; Benj. Brandt, $1; Benj. Feldman, $1; Hyman Gould, $1; Morris Lyman, $1; Louis Miller, $1.

Abram Marcus, who was present during the meeting, was so elated over the enthusiasm they displayed that he donated $25 conditional upon the juniors raising another $25 before the close of this week, and already the secretary of the junior organization, David Goldberg, is busy getting together sufficient additional funds to claim the sum total of $75, which will be its contribution if they raise $24 more so as to claim the Marcus donation. The chairman of the committee and S. H. Schwartz today received the following contributions: Rosenbaum Bros., $75; E. N. Nadler, $15; Louis Rosenthal, $10, and Harry Katz, $10.

An important meeting of the building committee will be held at headquarters, 204 West Front street, tonight at 8:30 o'clock, to make reports. Contributions may be sent to Harvey I. Rothberg, chairman, 119 West Front street.

MISSIONARY ADDRESSED THE SCHOOL

Miss Pavlowa, a returned missionary from Macedonia, spoke at the Sunday-school of Grace M. E. church, North Plainfield, at its service yesterday afternoon. The missionary appeared in the costume of the country and gave a most interesting talk of her work.

HON. W. E. TUTTLE, JR., LEAVES HOSPITAL

Hon. Wm. E. Tuttle, Jr., who has been a patient at Muhlenberg Hospital the past week, where he received treatment for throat trouble, left the hospital on Saturday afternoon. He is now recuperating at his home, stoneleigh Park, Westfield.

ALL-DAY CHURCH MEETING

An all-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society, Women's Foreign and Home Missionary societies, will be held tomorrow at the First M. E. church. Luncheon will be served at 12.30 o'clock.

A missionary program will be given at two o'clock, which will be in charge of Mrs. D. S. Dunavan. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at 2.30 o'clock. This being the annual meeting of all the societies, officers will be elected for the ensuing year. A large attendance is desired.

PLEASING PROGRAM AT BETH-EL SCHOOL

Jewish Children Entertain Under Direction of William Newcorn

An attractive program arranged for the educational and religious inspiration of the Jewish children of the city was given by the Beth-El Sabbath school of which William Newcorn is president, at the school's headquarters in the Babcock building yesterday afternoon. A large number of guests was present. The program follows:

Opening prayer, Annette Berkowitz; hymn, "God is Always Near Me," school; Purim service, pupils of the school assisted by Mrs. William Newcorn; Purim prayer, Celia Mann; recitation, "God Dwells in Light," Martha Mann, Eva Lerman, Annette Berkowitz, Ida Prussin.

"The Feasts of Feasts" was presented with the following characters:

"Rosh Hashonah," Harold Sklarew; "Yom Kippur," Jerome David Newcorn; "Succoth," Gladys Sklarew; "Hannukah," Walter Bronelon; "Pesach," Muriel Golding; "Schuoth," Goldie Berkowitz; "Purim, Carl Adelberg; "Vashto," Ray Mathews; "Mordecai," Irving Sauls; "Haman," Willie Sklarew; "King Ahasuerus," Cecil Newcorn; "Queen Esther," Celia Mann. This act was concluded with the singing of the Purim Hymn by the school, "Morning and Evening Prayer," by Beatrice Bernstein Florence Goldstein; interpretative dance by youngest pupil, "Baby" Sklarew, and recitations, "God Made My Life," by Darcy May Golding, Violet May Bernstein, Sydney Sklarew and Dora Goldstein.

The remainder of the program was as follows: Song, "Babette," Gladys Sklarew; violin selections, "Romeo and Juliet," Cecil Newcorn; piano selection, "Along the Nile," Dorothy Sklarew; song, "Sunshine of Your Smile," Celia Mann; piano selection, Marian Hyman; song and dance, "Kelly," Ray Mathews; song, "Bobby," Edith Saperstein and Ray Mathews; address, William Newcorn; song, "America," school; distribution of presents.

H. A. WEST TO TALK ON "PREPAREDNESS"

Reports will be read of work accomplished and contemplated at a special meeting of the National Special Aid Society to be held at the Hartridge Auditorium Thursday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, to be followed with a talk by Henry A. West, of New York, secretary of the National Security League.

Mrs. West, who is a well-known and entertaining speaker, will take for his subject, "Preparedness." The society urges that all members will try and attend as this will be the first large meeting to be held since the recent recruiting campaign was inaugurated.

MEN RECRUIT FOR SPECIAL AID

A recruiting station was opened on Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the State Trust Company by the local branch of the Special Aid Society for men and upwards of twenty-five were enrolled.

RASORES MEET TOMORROW

The Rasores will meet tomorrow with Mrs. W. De V. Miller, of East Seventh street.

TO OUR ADERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers.

We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper, and many newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt various reforms.

The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 80 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This has made it necessary to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and put into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary forty per cent., and for this reason we have had to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscription is found to be in arrears does not mean that we question that subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change in price.

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As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

RESEARCH COMMITTEE MEETS TONIGHT

Will Take Up Matter of Abating Flood Conditions in the East End

The Research and Advisory Commission will hold a meeting tonight in the Councilman's Committee room of the City Building, when it will formally take up the question of overcoming the periodical flooding of the east end.

Councilmen Charles S. Smineck and Theodore A. Martin, of the First Ward, and City Engineer A. J. Gavett will give the commission opinions as to how best to obtain the desired results. Mr. Smineck has been very active in trying to have something done to remedy this condition which has existed for many years, but which continually are made upon Cedar brook and other small streams, which, when the heat have taken care of much of the flood waters that sweep down upon that section, whenever there is a severe rain storm.

Mr. Smineck has investigated a great deal of time to investigating the subject, and because of his investigation he perhaps, more than any one else, appreciates the gravity of the situation.

Mayor William L. Smalley, of North Plainfield, at the request of Mr. Smineck and Councilman Charles C. Graves, who waited upon the North Plainfield Council one year ago and presented arguments respecting the condition of Green brook and the periodical floods, has appointed a commission to investigate this subject with a view to ascertaining just what can be done to improve the situation.

Although it has not been authoritatively stated it is likely that the members of the North Plainfield organization will be invited to attend tonight's meeting and hear what is said with regard to this matter.

LOCAL MEN PROMOTED BY JERSEY CENTRAL

Archibald LeRoy Young, of Dunellen, formerly assistant passenger trainmaster of the Jersey Central, has been appointed terminal superintendent at Jersey City; Roy Dickerson, of Westervelt avenue, this city, who was travelling yardmaster, has been appointed assistant passenger trainmaster, and Howard L. Vanderhoef, of Chatham street, North Plainfield, has been advanced from the position of train dispatcher to that of travelling yardmaster.

Each of these men have been in the employ of the Jersey Central for several years, and their recognition for official positions has been due to conscientious performance of their duties in the past. All three started railroading at an early age. Mr. Young at Hampton, and Mr. Dickerson at Rockaway. Mr. Vanderhoef learned telegraphy at North Branch under the direction of Edward Leaver, in 1896. He held various positions along the line, and was assigned to the dispatcher's office at Jersey City, fifteen years ago.

He was born at Hibernia, Morris county, in 1873. His parents removed to Somerville twelve years later. He attended the public schools at that place, and was prominent in athletic sports.

CHURCH WILL HOLD A WEEK'S FAIR

At a meeting held last night by the various committees of St. Joseph church, North Plainfield, in charge of the proposed fair to be held after Easter it was decided to hold this event one week, beginning Saturday night, April 14, and continuing until Saturday evening, April 21, instead of the previous date, as announced.

Patrick McDonough, the general chairman, presided at the meeting and very encouraging reports were received from the heads of the different sub-committees. Already the committees are at work soliciting for the many articles that will fill the booths. The fair will be held in the parish hall.

CHRISTIAN WORK SOCIETY TO MEET

The Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold a sewing meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Norman Sears, 5 Chatham place. All ladies of the society are requested to be present.

Parents of a Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Payton, of 237 Muhlenberg place, are the proud parents of a baby boy, who arrived at their home last Wednesday.

—Player piano for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant $8-note player with cabinet and rolls, only $175 cash; on storage. 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-tf

ENGLAND'S FOOD SHORTAGE IS FELT MOST IN POTATO FAMINE

By United Press:

London, March 12.—England feels the pinch of the shortage of potatoes in her decreased food supplies today more than America would under similar circumstances. The Britisher regards the potato as an essential of every meal. It is this shortage that causes the only outcry here.

TOLD DIPLOMATS OF ARMED-SHIP MEASURE

By United Press:

Washington, March 12.—"An armed guard for protection of vessels and lives of persons aboard will be placed on all American merchant ships sailing through Germany's barred area," the State Department today informed all foreign diplomats in this city. The following statement was presented to the foreign diplomats for their information:

"In view of the announcement of the Imperial German Government on January 31, 1917, that all ships, those of neutrals included, met within certain zones of the high seas, would be sunk without any precautions being taken for the safety of persons on board and without the exercise of visit and search, the Government of the United States has determined to place on all American merchant vessels sailing through the barred areas an armed guard for protection of the vessels and lives of persons on board."

(Other details on another page.)

ENTENTE, TAKES BAGDAD, DRIVES TURKS TO CORNER

By United Press:

London, March 12—Mosul is the next objective of Gen. Maude's victorious British forces in Mesopotamia.

While details of the occupation of the ancient city of Bagdad were lacking today, and the public was expectantly awaiting full account showing important captures of prisoners and munitions from the Turks in the capture of the city, it was known that the British forces do not intend to rest on their arms. Mesopotamia is now encircled by three great forces of Entente troops, whose lines are tightening and driving the Turks further toward the tip of Asia, embraced in Anatolia. These forces are, first: Gen. Maude's victorious column, which took Kut-el-Amara and Bagdad; second, the British forces advancing along the Mediterranean coast toward Jerusalem; third, the Russian forces across Persia toward the Turkish flank and rear. A fourth force of Russians, from which little has been heard recently, is around Mush, still farther to the rear of the Turks.

Military experts hail the fall of Bagdad as a tremendous blow at Turkish prestige, and likely to have a wide effect in the far East. The capture is also a final blow to Berlin's ambitious plan for a Berlin-to-Bagdad railway to connect Germany with Asia.

WASHINGTON TIED UP BY STREET CAR STRIKE

By United Press:

Washington, March 12—This city today is in the throes of its long-threatened street car strike. The men were to have acted March 5, but on a patriotic appeal postponed action until after the inauguration.

Following failure of efforts of Secretary of Labor Wilson to bring officials of the Washington Railway and Electric Co. and 1,000 of its men to terms, the latter struck at 2.30 o'clock this morning.

The strike affects sixteen of the most important traction arteries in this city.

CANADIAN WAR LOAN OF $150,000,000 FLOATED

By United Press:

Ottawa, Ont., March 13—The first Canadian domestic war loan of $150,000,000 was placed on the market today.

WILL DISMANTLE ALL AMATEUR WIRELESS

By United Press:

Washington, March 12—Every amateur wireless station in the United States will be dismantled by order of the President, if war comes, according to announcement today. This would be one of the first moves to protect military and naval plans.

While the hunt for hidden wireless stations goes on, the Government is making every effort to break up the now disclosed German attempt to create suspicion, uneasiness and actual revolution in South and Central American countries.

RECOVERED BODIES OF 26 TORNADO VICTIMS

By United Press:

Newcastle, Ind., March 12.—With twenty-six bodies already recovered, search continued today for other dead in the wake of the tornado which swept over this city yesterday, destroying 500 homes and causing property damage of over $1,000,000. Estimates were that from ten to twenty bodies are still in the ruins.

(Other details on another page.)

DR. MATHEWS AT P. H. S. AUDITORIUM

The Mothers' Association of the Evergreen avenue school considers itself quite fortunate in having secured the consent of Dr. Franklin Mathews, of New York, to speak at their monthly meeting, March 14, at 2 p. m., at the High School auditorium.

Dr. Mathews, who is chief librarian of the Boy Scouts of America, is also a member of the Board of Censorship for the Edison moving pictures; and, though Dr. Mathews comes here primarily to talk on "Recreational Reading," he will also devote a little time to the subject of moving pictures. Dr. Mathews does not come to us as an utter stranger, as he formerly held a parish at Scotch Plains, and also gave a series of talks at the Plainfield Y. M. C. A., which have proved such an inspiration and help to all the boys who heard him.

As the nature and scope of Dr. Mathews' work leave him very little time for outside engagements, we trust that a goodly number will show their appreciation by coming out to greet him.

The County Council of the Parent-Teacher Association meets in an all-day session at the Plainfield High School on March 14, and, after a box lunch at noon, the business session will be resumed until 2 p. m., when the entire council will attend the lecture by Dr. Mathews. All interested are cordially invited.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF MISS RUTH GUNTON

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Gunton, of East Front street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Robert B. Woodbury, of Pottsville, Pa. The interesting event occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar F. Douglas, Jr., 500 West End avenue, Saturday afternoon.

WILL HOLD INTERESTING MID-WEEK SERVICE

There will be two twenty-minute addresses in the Congregational church at the mid-week meeting on Wednesday evening, Miss Pavlowa, who has been on the mission field in Salonica for the American Board of Missions, will speak first and will be followed by the pastor, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke, who will speak on: "Some Practical Implications of Christ's Doctrine of the Work of Every Man." The service will begin at 8 and close at 9 o'clock sharp.

BIBLE SCHOOL ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the teachers and officers of the Bible school of Trinity Reformed church will be held tonight in the church parlor. Election of officers and other important business will take place.

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THE DEATH OF MRS. ISAAC BROWN

Mrs. Marie Brown, wife of Isaac P. Brown, died Saturday night at her home on Watchung avenue, in the fifty-ninth year of her age, after a five-weeks' illness of pneumonia and complications.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at her late residence, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside cemetery.

Mrs. Brown was born in Newark and was formerly Miss Aldridge. She came to this city in 1890. She was a member of Grace Episcopal church. Mrs. Brown leaves, besides her husband, three sons, Edward A., of this city; William P. and Dr. S. A. Brown, of New York; three sisters, Mrs. Oceola Currier, of Newark; Mrs. Halsey De Bau, of New York, and Mrs. Norman Crandall, of Hillsdale, N. Y., and one brother, S. B. Aldridge, of Florida.

ANNUAL LUNCHEON AND THEATRE PARTY

D. Ralph Starry, principal of the Grammar School, accompanied a number of boys to New York Saturday to attend the annual luncheon and theatre party at Camp Passumpsic. After luncheon at Hotel Albert the party of thirty boys attended the matinee performance at the Hippodrome.

The following boys from Plainfield enjoyed the affair: Andrew Adelmann, Harold McCusker, Daniel Randolph, Douglas Van Winkle, Pierce Fountain, Charles Petze, Edward Petze, Carlton Campbell, Benjamin Hadley, Dick Davies, Gilbert Fletcher, Sanford Roome, Allen Mogensen, Earl Jinushi, John Dunn, Frederick Hubach and Edmond Koernig.

BRITAIN MAY BAR WOMEN FROM WAR ZONE

New York, March 12.—Canada has forbidden the sailing of women and children on steamships leaving Canadian ports for the war zone, and it is likely that Great Britain soon will put a similar embargo upon British passenger carriers leaving New York or other ports in the United States.

While no official order has been issued by Great Britain, it is understood that the British Consulate has become exceedingly strict in the issuance of passports to women who want to go to England. A woman applied at the consulate yesterday for passport to embark from New York, and when it was learned that she had come here from Canada because of the restrictions there her request was refused.

HOPE CHAPEL NOTES

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold its annual meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Officers will be elected, reports presented, and a number of special items of business taken up.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, will speak at the mid-week prayer service on Wednesday evening on the subject, "The Slaughter of the Innocents—Ancient and Modern."

The Berean Bible class will hold its annual supper on Tuesday evening next, March 20. A special speaker is to be secured for the occasion. The arrangements for the affair is in charge of a committee headed by David Wardrop.

"A Trip to Washington, D. C." an illustrated lecture on the national capital, will be given Friday evening of this week, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. Dr. Skellenger will be the lecturer.

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RECEIVES LETTER FROM A SOLDIER IN FRANCE

About a month ago Miss Caroline Koechlein, of East Second street, this city, contributed a batch of old newspapers and magazines to the local Belgian Relief Committee and last week was somewhat surprised to receive a letter from a Canadian soldier from the battle front in France. In his correspondence the soldier related that while looking over one of the magazines he found Miss Koechlein's name and address written within the cover. The contents of the epistle denoted refinement on the part of the writer, who thanked the donor for her contribution and gave a brief description of life in the dug-outs.

The letter bore the usual pastor, "Opened by the censor."

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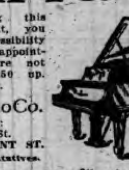

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THE FUNERAL OF MRS. GEORGE MUIR

The funeral of Mrs. Ethel May Muir, the wife of George Muir, who died on Wednesday, was held yesterday afternoon at her late residence, on Elmwood place, the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor of the Trinity Reformed church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful floral tributes, including splendid set pieces from departments of Trinity church; the Patrolmen's Benefit Association, the Plainfield Fire Department, the Hudson-Manhattan Railroad officials, Queen City Lodge, No. 228, I. O. O. F. and Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M.

The bearers were: Charles Wicht, Charles Schneider, James McClinton, Joseph Muir, Joseph Dunlap and David Huston. The interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

SANG IN MEMORY OF DR. ROBERT LOWRIE

Yesterday was the anniversary of the death of Dr. Robert Lowrie, the first pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, and several of the hymns that he wrote were sung at the evening service in that church. The pastor, Dr. Birney S. Hudson, and Judge William N. Runyon spoke on the life and work of Dr. Lowrie.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. P. Newton Drake, of Somerset place, observed the anniversary of their wedding in a quiet way today, and recalled incidents of Plainfield at the time they were married. Mrs. Drake was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Demarest.

Their wedding day was also the anniversary of the great blizzard of 1888, but three years previously. Mr. Drake was a commuter at the time, engaged with Rogers, Peet & Co., in New York. On the day of the blizzard, March 12, he started for New York but the train had to stop at Rossille, on account of the storm, but he changed to another which was able to get through. He was fortunate in getting back home that night, but had difficulty in getting into his house, around which the snow lay as high as his head.

LECTURE ON MISSIONS

Rev. Dr. Gilbert Brink, of New York, will give an illustrated lecture on "Missions in Latin America," at the First Baptist church, Friday night, at 8 o'clock. Dr. Brink is thoroughly familiar with his subject, which he presents in an interesting manner.

WILL UNDERGO BLOOD TRANSFUSION

Mrs. Whitney Frasee, of South avenue, who was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital Thursday, in a critical condition, will undergo blood transfusion today. An examination was made yesterday, deciding upon this operation, and her husband and her brother, Charles Skillman, of Watchung avenue, were selected to give blood for the transfusion.

VAN DEEN-LEACOCK

Miss Anna M. Leacock, daughter of Mrs. Louise Leacock, was married Saturday evening in the parsonage of the Netherwood Reformed church by the Rev. Edward S. Ralston, to Austin C. Van Deen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Van Deen. The bridesmaid was Miss Moran, and the best man was Frederick Hoffmeister. The young couple will reside on East Fourth street, on their return from their wedding trip.

GENERAL SIR SAM HUGHES

Ex-Canadian War Head Confers With Gen. Wood.

Photo by American Press Association.

Invention of a new explosive, in which he desires to interest representatives of the United States government, is unofficially understood to be a part of the "private business" which has brought General Sir Sam Hughes, former Canadian minister of war, to New York. He also conferred with General Leonard Wood, presumably on Canadian cooperation with the United States in case of war.

PHILADELPHIA HAS PLENTY OF NEGROES

By United Press:

Philadelphia, March 12.—More than 25,000 negroes have settled in Philadelphia in the last six months, and the city government doesn't know exactly how to meet the problem of congestion in their section of the city. Small flats are housing as many as five and six families. The influx is said to be due to the fact that the negroes think they will be more cordially received here than in other American cities.

SENATOR STONE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE AGAIN

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 12.—Not a single voice was raised against Senator Stone, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, in the Democratic caucus today. Senator Stone's retention as chairman of the committee was approved by the caucus, as well as all other Democratic committee assignments.

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"WAR BRIDES" AT PROCTOR'S THREE DAYS

At Proctor's Theatre tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday

Alice Brady, the popular film star, appears in "A Hungry Heart" at Proctor's Theatre today. Scenic effects, superb acting, classy gowns, an intense story and a film star, who numbers her admirers by the hundreds of thousands, make this pleasing offering. Mrs. Vernon Castle appears in "Patria" and the first of the famous Fox comedies entitled "The Social Pirates" is also shown.

Tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday "War Brides," which recently completed a long run at the Broadway Theatre, will be shown at Proctor's. Shall love be sacrificed upon the alter of imperial greed for power? is the question pointedly asked in "War Brides." The individual of the play is Joan, a young peasant girl, in which Nazimova will make her first appearance on the moving picture screen.

A scale of prices has been devised which is in keeping with the policy of the Proctor management to present the biggest and best at the lowest possible prices, and in addition to "War Brides" the usual serial creations will be shown.

BOROUGH NEWS BRIEFS

There will be special masses St. Patrick's Day morning in St. Joseph's church. Masses will be held at 7 and 8.30 o'clock.

About 200 permits have thus far been issued by the borough authorities for connections to the new sewers across the brook.

On Friday afternoon the Women's League of St. Josephs church will hold a euchre and "500" in the parish hall of the church. The affair will start at 2.30 o'clock.

Members of the North Plainfield Parent-Teacher Association held an apron and cake sale in the Somerset School Saturday afternoon and were quite successful. About everything offered for sale was disposed of.

A SUGARING-OFF PARTY FOR ALL

The Men's Club of the Congregational church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the parish house tomorrow evening.

The special feature for this meeting will be a Sugaring Off Party to which all the men and women, girls and boys of the church and Sunday school have been invited.

Sugaring Off Parties have become an annual event in the life of this church and all are looking forward to the evening in anticipation of a good time.

At the close of the party, the club will hold a short but important business meeting at which time the Nominating Committee will be appointed.

VAUDEVILLE TOMORROW AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Vaudeville will remain at the Plainfield Theatre for the entire week beginning with tomorrow, and will include a number of features that tend to make an entertaining bill. The headliner for tomorrow and Wednesday will be "The Village Cutups," a quartet of hayseeds just off the farm. They mingle real singing with their comedy and are one of the best quartets on a local bill in some time.

The other four numbers on the bill include: Honey Johnson, the comedy star, in a return engagement; a comedy sketch "Good Service"; a sketch "At the Shoe Shop" with Edith and Eddie Adair, and the two Julians in an acrobatic offering.

Tomorrow night will also be "Country Store" when $25 in gold will be given away. Thursday will be "tryout" night and on Friday the last episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown.

LONDON BELLES TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Rose Sydell's Famous London Belles will be the attraction at the Plainfield Theatre tonight.

A two-act musical burlesque entitled "A Trip to Washington," built on laughing lines, with a song and musical numbers introduced here and there, as a feature.

The girls have been selected for their grace and beauty, as well as their voice. The costumes are models of art from the latest Parisian designs.

The second act is a merry vehicle of mirth and music. The vaudeville portion is presented by well known artists Jonnie Weber and Wm. Campbell, Gayety trio, Smith and Pullman, Frances Cornell, Lew Thall and others.

Johnnie Weber, who is "London Belles," at the Plainfield Theatre tonight.

Snow Shovellers Fined

In the city court this morning Judge DeMeza imposed a sentence of $1 each on fifty residents who violated the snow ordinance by failing to clean their walks after the storm of Sunday, March 4th.

"Father John's Medicine Is Good for the Childrens' Coughs and Colds"

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In a recent letter the mother of these four *healthy children says*, "I have been using Father John's Medicine for the last five years and find it an excellent medicine for the children's coughs and colds. If any of my four children have a cold or cough I immediately give them Father John's Medicine and within a few days they are relieved. I have recommended Father John's to many of my friends and I would not be without it." (Signed) Mrs. E. Halmboldt, 201 Elm St., Astoria, L. I.

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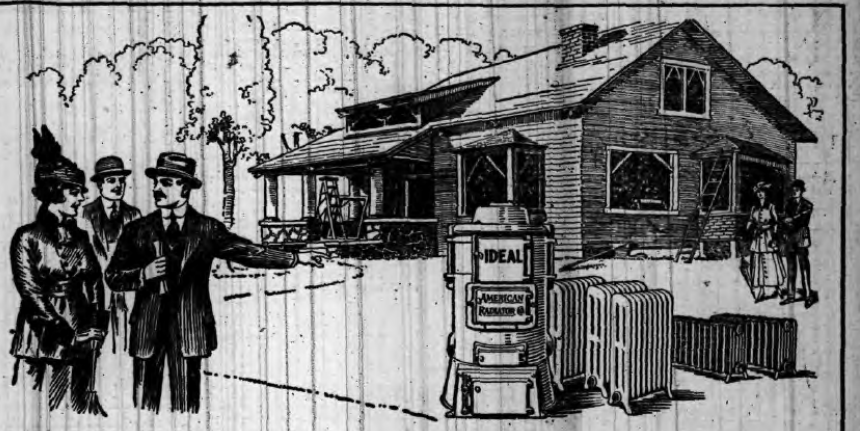
WILL FIGHT EDGE ROAD TAX BILL

Representatives of Municipalities to Organize for a Strong Protest

Announcement is made that a meeting of representatives of the large municipalities in the northern part of the State will be called for this week to organize a determined opposition to the Edge method of raising a State tax for road improvements. The bill incorporating this plan has passed both Houses with the other road bills and is awaiting signature by the Governor. It is the intention to employ counsel after the bill is signed and bring action in the courts to prove it unconstitutional.

The movement is said to have originated with Board of Works Commissioner Charles P. Gillen, of Newark, whose reasons for opposing the Edge tax measure is set forth in a statement in which he declares that the bill imposes on the populous communities, like Newark, an entirely inequitable share of the burden, in view of the fact that the chief benefits from improved highways will be felt in the less populous localities. The same view has been taken by many others, both Democrats and Republicans, and there is every indication that the movement in opposition to the plan will develop great strength.

The Republicans are beginning to show worriment at the unpopularity the bill is developing in the big counties of Northern New Jersey, where the great bulk of the voting population resides, particularly as it is an administration measure and will be laid directly to the charge of the man who is generally acknowledged as representing the party leadership in the State. The Democrats are beginning to see their opportunity, and not a few of them are rallying to the support of the opposition.



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DEATH-BED CONFESSION CLEARS UP MYSTERY

Joseph Beard, a farmer of Columbia, Miss., through a death-bed confession, which was announced by the sheriff on Saturday, cleared of suspicion William Purvis, who twenty-five years ago escaped death by hanging after conviction for murder only because the noose about his neck slipped when the scaffold trap was sprung.

Purvis was found guilty of killing from ambush William Buckley. The accident at the hanging was considered an intervention of Providence, and the sentence was commuted. Several years later Purvis was pardoned. *He now lives in Lamar county. Beard* dying of pneumonia, confessed that he and two other men killed Buckley. It is not known whether any action will be taken against the three men.

WILL TALK ON "WOMEN AND EUROPEAN WAR"

In view of the fact that the New Jersey Suffrage Association has offered its service to Governor Edge in case of war, and that many members of the local branch have joined the National Special Aid Society, and are making their headquarters at 176 East Front street, Miss Elsie McKenzie's lecture on what women are doing in the war will be of great interest.

This lecture will be given Tuesday afternoon, March 20, at 2:30 o'clock at Mrs. S. S. Carvalho's gallery, 496 West Eighth street. Her subject will be "Women and the European War."

HOWARD F. HUBER NAMED AS SPECIALIST

Howard F. Huber, of Woodbridge, has been appointed to the position of specialist in the extension division of the New Jersey State Agricultural College. He began work this month. Mr. Huber was graduated from the above college in 1914, and since that time had been connected with vegetable-growing work at the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station at New Haven. In his new work his activities will be chiefly devoted to the sections of the State which produce food stuffs for the Philadelphia markets.

APOLLO CLUB PLANS CARNIVAL AND DANCE

The Apollo Social Club, a recently organized club of local and borough young people, have completed details of the carnival and dance to be held at Debele's Auditorium, Chatham street, the borough, on Wednesday evening of this week, March 12. Special decorations have been planned for the hall upon this occasion, the colors of all neutral countries to be displayed.

Music for the affair will be furnished by Edward Marks' six-piece banjo orchestra, with Paul Pope at the piano. This is to be the first of a series of similar affairs to be held under the auspices of the organization.

W. G. LANDES TO SPEAK AT THEATRE MEETING

W. G. Landes, *general secretary of* the Pennsylvania State Sunday school Association, will address a mass meeting to be held at the Plainfield Theatre, Sunday afternoon next at 2:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Landes is said to be an interesting speaker. Women are invited to this meeting. Emil Gloat, with his gospel bells, will assist with the music and a large chorus choir under the direction of Clifford A. Braider will sing.

COLLEGE CLASS ON OBSERVATION TRIP

Edmund Kenney, of Watchung avenue, who is a student in the Penn State College, will start on March 28, with the senior class of mechanical engineers, of which he is a member, on a week's inspection touring of the large industries of Pennsylvania. This is a special event in the class and will undoubtedly be a most interesting experience for Mr. Kenney, who, in completing his four years' course in the college this year.

MUST NOT ANNOY WIFE

David Turner, colored, was arraigned in the police court this morning charged with annoying his *wife who has left him and is earning* her own living. Judge DeMeza warned Turner to let his wife alone. If he molests her in the future the court will send him to jail.

FIVE THOUSAND PEOPLE VISIT STATE TRUST CO.

Between four and five thousand people visited the new home of The State Trust Company Saturday afternoon and evening and inspected the modern banking institution. Souvenirs in the form of small savings banks and looking glasses were distributed, more than 1,500 being given away.

These banks will hold nickels, dimes and quarters and may be taken to the institution as often as desired for deposit, the company having the key with which to open them.

UNION B. & L. ASSOCIATION

At the regular monthly meeting of the Union Building Loan and Savings Association tonight, the annual report will be distributed to shareholders, and the forty-ninth series will be paid off.

Subscriptions will also be taken for the new series opening in April. It is pretty generally conceded now that the Building Loan and Savings Association *as conducted in this State, under* the supervision of the department of Banking and Insurance, is one of the greatest helps to those who would own their own home or lay aside a competence for old age.

There are several of these associations in Plainfield; some are older than others, but they are all doing a nice business, and increasing their membership yearly.

PAST AND PRESENT DEBATE SUBJECT

Interesting Discussion Takes Place at Meeting of St. Mary's Holy Name Society

The regular monthly meeting of the Holy Name Society was held in St. Mary's Social hall yesterday afternoon and was well attended. At the 7:30 o'clock mass in the morning the members of the society received Holy Communion and plan to do so again next Sunday morning. The meeting yesterday was in charge of the newly elected president, Paul E. Burns.

Following the transaction of routine business, a literary treat was enjoyed when Father Bogan read several short poems, one of which appealed to the patriotic instinct of the Irish race and heralded the honorable deeds of Irishmen in defense of the United States.

The spirit of patriotism predominated throughout these poems and they were unusually well received. An impromptu debate on the subject of the "Past versus the Present" occupied much of the time. Charles J. Ward and John V. Powelson defended the "Present" and Joseph A. McEvoy and Michael Fahey supported the "Past." The decision was given in favor of the arguments set forth by Mr. Fahey and Mr. McEvoy.

During the course of his remarks, the president referred to the splendid work being done along debating lines by the younger members of the Holy Name Society, who have banded together in what is known as the St. Mary's Literary Society. This society organized one year ago with "Joe" Gallagher as president and Fred Greene as secretary, has been instrumental in placing the Union County Federation on top in the Inter-County Debating League. On March 26, Father Bogan will give another talk to the men of the Society. All others who care to enjoy Father Bogan's talk are invited to be present.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY

Alexander Campbell, of East Second street, was given a birthday party on Friday night, when fifty of his young friends were present to join in the celebration. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games. The affair was arranged by the young man's parents.

NOT TO CHANGE ROAD LINES, SAYS BAUER

New Providence, March 12.—Jacob L. Bauer, Union county engineer, denies that the county is contemplating any changes whatever in the lines or grades of Springfield avenue through this place. Mr. Bauer has been brought into a local argument concerning Springfield avenue, and is quoted variously by both sides to prove their claims.

On the one hand, Borough Engineer William J. Kauffman has told the borough council that he understood from Mr. Bauer that as far as the county is concerned there will be no changes in the alignment of grades of Springfield avenue if the county should at any time in the future decide to build a new road through this section. The lines and grades recently established by the borough for the sidewalks, if found satisfactory, Mr. Kauffman said, would be followed.

Local residents have taken exception to Mr. Kauffman's statement, contending that when the county decides to build a new road it will disregard the grade of the sidewalk recently laid. They are taking the borough council and Mr. Kauffman to task for having gone ahead with the sidewalk, particularly in having established sidelines and grades for the walks.

PEACE SOCIETY BACKS WILSON

Washington, March 12.—A resolution pledging support to President Wilson in the international crisis was adopted yesterday by the executive committee of the American Peace Society. The resolution follows:

"We, the members of the executive committee of the American Peace Society, recognize with deep appreciation the efforts of President Wilson to avoid war, and at the same time to protect the honor of the nation and the rights and lives of our citizens. We wish to assure *him of our hearty support* in his determination to secure recognition of the claims of justice and humanity." him.

PRICE INCREASE SHOWS DROP IN CIRCULATION

Newspaper publishers in Philadelphia decline to give definite figures indicating the effect of the recent raise in price from one to two cents. No return privileges have been allowed dealers for several years and this was the absolute rule long before the increase in selling price. All the newspapers are acting in unison by agreement in all matters concerning price raise, returns and price to dealers.

The price to dealers was raised a few points more than that to the purchaser on the basis that carriers make more gross than before. All newspapers are working under the audit agreement and their circulation figures will soon be a matter of record. The circulation loss of all the newspapers was about the same percentage, the papers with the largest circulation naturally dropping more copies than the smaller ones.

There are three morning and four afternoon newspapers in Pittsburgh, the latter having the largest circulation. While the morning newspapers were not increased in price, their circulation fell off greatly, because many who were taking both papers stopped the morning edition when the afternoon raised the price.

No returns are given by the newsdealers, that rule being abolished years ago. The average circulation of the afternoon papers before the raise of price was 100,000 daily and now it is 85,000. The average circulation of the morning editions, three, was 75,000 before the raise of the afternoon papers and now it is 65,000, a drop of about 15 per cent.

AUTO STRIKES CYCLIST

Frank Terry, of 1136 West Front street, riding a wheel, was struck by an automobile owned and driven by Albert L. Colt, of Martinsville, at the corner of West Front street and Grant avenue at 7.45 this morning. The bicycle was wrecked and Terry was injured about the legs. Colt made a satisfactory settlement with

AMERICANS SLACKERS SAYS DR. C. A. EATON

In his address in the Madison Avenue Baptist church, New York, yesterday, Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, who lives in North Plainfield Township, said in part, speaking at the Men's Bible class:

"When it becomes dangerous to fly the American flag in America I want to migrate." He said he had in mind a clergyman neighbor who was reported to have taken the American flag off his church "for fear it would inflame the people."

The clergyman called Americans of today moral slackers. He asserted that the "red blooded men of the country" were divided by different nationalities, bedevilled by wild-eyed women and beset by poor pussy pacifists." He said they could be excused if they indulged in profanity, adding that there was a time when he did so himself and that he had the reputation of being "a fairly artistic cusser."

"It would be a good thing for the country if one-half of us got shot," he added.

Speaking of the criticism that Americans went into Mexico to make money and should not have had the protection of their flag, the Rev. Dr. Eaton said:

"Did you ever know Americans to go anywhere for the sake of anything else?" Dr. Eaton attacked "slushy, wild eunuchs who number so many in this country," and described a certain pacifist as "a poor pussy." He declared that the churches had been "hoodooed" and were teaching "a moral asphyxiation." He said America was "masquerading in effeminacy and living in a moral vacuum." He asserted he objected to "pacifists with powder puffs."

"Is there a richer, riper or rottener plum than America for Germany?" he asked.

VENDING MACHINES STOLEN

Salaminsk, who keeps a store at 214 Richmond street, reported to the police this morning that two gum vending machines were stolen from in front of his store on Saturday night.

The machines were found broken in a vacant lot opposite the freight depot in North avenue. George Cowling also reported a peanut vending machine stolen from in front of 210 Watchung avenue. The police are working on the case.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 12.

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Italian artillery bombarded the Austrian town of Goritz twenty-four hours.

Russians captured Kirind on the road to Bagdad.

Two Years Ago Today.

Heavy but indecisive fighting at Neuve Chapelle. U-29 sank nine vessels in British waters, seven of them British.

German shore batteries repulsed British warship attacks on Westende, Belgium.

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1917.

TIME TO BE ON WATCH

Whatever doubt there may be in the minds of some Americans about the possibility of war with Germany, there are evidently no doubts in the minds of the rulers of Germany. They know that war is coming and they are preparing for it with feverish haste and the thoroughness born of intimate knowledge and experience. All German soldiers in the United States that could not return to fight in Europe have been ordered to Mexico and to certain central strategic points in the United States. At the moment chosen for the overt act, Germany will strike in so many places within the United States and on the Mexican border that our people will be amazed at the thoroughness of the preparations against us, that has been quietly going on in our own country. Our Government will not be surprised, as the war department is keeping itself informed although there seems to be no evidence of special activity. In spite of the exposure of the Mexican plot—which had been known to the Government long before the exposure—the German organization in this country is going on with its Mexican campaign. On the first outbreak of hostilities, fires, explosions and the wrecking of railroad bridges may be expected. It therefore is necessary that every American citizen be on his guard and be ready for his own part in the ryal war that is about to break. There must be no divided or doubtful loyalty among American citizens today.

THE CRIME OF EUROPE

On account of the crime of Europe, the world, not excepting the United States, is under sentence to consume less and work harder, until the war is over. The innocent must suffer with the guilty, all because one man has been powerful enough to plunge the world into war. No relief from the stress can come until the war is over, and we should conserve at every point. Waste, which is deplorable at all times, is almost criminal now. Because of our prosperity as a nation we are penalized for the sufferings of others, and the people of this great nation have risen to meet the call for their generosity, benevolence, and the actual work of hands formerly unaccustomed to work, in providing aid and comfort for the victims of battle. This has been a labor of love on the part of our people, and an evidence of the great wave of sympathy of one people for another which is suffering torture and death for something which they had no hand in bringing upon themselves. So we must work and wait, economize and save, and still be the grateful people as of old, who have risen to the call for help, wherever heard, in field and forest, on the merciless seas, and in the land of ice and snow, because a kind Providence has made us able to help the sufferers of other lands, while we are providing for our own wants.

DISCOURAGING NAVAL ENLISTMENTS

Formerly it was the custom, except in cases of distinguished service, to promote men in the navy according to seniority. The system worked fairly well, though it sometimes kept an unusually good man from rapid promotion. However, the system prevented favoritism and gave general satisfaction to the men directly concerned. Recently a naval selection board was created and the results of its selections for promotions are somewhat surprising and disconcerting. Many men of spotless record and unquestioned ability find that others, for some unknown reason, have been "jumped over" them, in the making of promotions. An everybody will immediately see, this discourages the many and encourages the few. Of course, the selecting board can say to the officers, "if you don't like it you can get out of the navy," but that is scarcely true. A man who has studied for the naval service and has devoted years to that work, is out of touch with business and is in a measure unfit for the usual vocations of life. Moreover, that line of argument will not tend to increase the number of capable men who turn to the navy as a promising career.

THE BOY SCOUTS IN WAR TIME

A program has been issued of work of the Boy Scouts in case of war. They are to render first aid, send messages by wireless or semaphore help protect property and give alarm in case of danger, etc. Of the 200,000 scouts enrolled in this country a large part are already practicing signals and other preparations with the war possibility in view. The little fellows look quite serious and business-like in their uniforms, and no doubt already feel the weight of nations resting on them. In England, where every adult male is supposed to be assigned to more serious work, the scouts are filling a pretty big hole. In this country, they could do just as well. Only if the enemy were nowhere in sight for thousands of miles, the patrol duty might become a good deal of a lark and picnic, and be relieved by many diversions. A boy is a boy after all, and can't be wholly a soldier save in grave emergency.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The principal qualifications for Congress now is a long winded speaker who can talk long enough to prevent the rest of the body from doing anything.

It is not true that there is anything in the senatorial courtesy rules requiring the Senate to be courteous to the American people.

When a person smells of onions today, it is not regarded so much as offensive to the senses as an arrogant display of wealth.

There is a widespread feeling on the part of the people who never contribute to charity that the money given the Billy Sunday campaign could be spent more usefully somewhere else.

It is not likely that a great many men will raise vegetable gardens this summer, as it takes so much time to gather at the hang-outs and discuss the cost of living.

The old automobile is just effective in giving you the open air and health stimulus, but it doesn't impress the neighbors so much.

Among the things the men regretfully give up in Lent is the pleasure of making those long formal calls with their wives.

The politicians who object so strenuously to arming ships need not think they have got to man the guns. On the contrary, everyone will be glad to see them retreat to the most remote and secluded places in their own reservations.

Now that Congress has adjourned the country is without any means of getting its talking done.

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"You or your fathers before you came to this country seeking social and political liberty and the great opportunities which are derived from our free institutions. That you should retain in your hearts the love of your fatherland is but natural and inevitable. But now that the country of our adoption is itself threatened by the danger of war in the defense of the honor and integrity of its people and its institutions there is no allegiance which can be yours save the single, absolute and unadulterated allegiance to America.

"Whether by birth or by choice, I appeal to you to stand behind our President in whatever decision he may make for the honor, safety and welfare of our country.

"This land of liberty has given you what you sought upon her shores. She has exacted but little in return.

"Whatever the country of your origin, whatever your sympathies may have been, America now demands your full and undivided loyalty and devotion. Stand behind her as one man in her hour of crisis, even though you be brought into conflict with your own blood and bone.

"Let us think peace and pray for it, but keep our minds steady and our hearts and arms strong, so that if the need shall come we shall be ready to give all in the defense of our common country."

SOUSA'S NEW YORK APPEARANCE

John Philip Sousa and his famous band is to be heard for one concert at the Hippodrome, March 18th, when a St. Patrick's Day concert will be given by this fine band and a list of all-star Irish soloists, including Maggie Cline, Arthur Aldridge, William J. Kelly, William Harrigan, the two Edwards Harrigan and others. Mr. Sousa has just closed a remarkable tour with Mr. Dillingham's spectacle which played to nearly a million dollars in twenty weeks in the larger cities of America.

TO DISCUSS SALARY SCHEDULE

Phillipsburg, March 12.—The Phillipsburg Teachers' Club has decided to send a committee to the next meeting of the Board of Education to take up the salary schedule, introduced at the last meeting. It is meeting with objection on the part of the teachers because the provisions for increases in salary are considered too indefinite.

These officers have been elected: President, Michael E. Maloney; vice president, Miss Alice Nie; secretary, Miss Marion White; treasurer, Miss Mary C. Gelpke.

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17,000,000 CATHOLICS IN UNITED STATES

There are 17,022,879 Catholics in the United States proper, according to the 1917 edition of "The Official Catholic Directory," published and copyrighted by P. J. Kennedy & Sons of New York. With sixty-four archdioceses and dioceses reporting increases, four showing decreases and thirty-three archdioceses and dioceses making no change in the population figure, the increase in the number of Catholics during the year 1916 is shown to be 453,770.

According to Joseph H. Meier, the directory compiler, the figure 17,022,879 is very conservative, including, as it does, only the figures submitted by the chancery officials. Taking into consideration the "floating" Catholic population and the fact that some important archdioceses and dioceses take up a census only at intervals of ten years, Mr. Meier feels that he is safe in saying that the Catholic population of the United States is at present nearly 19,000,000.

Looking over that section of "The Official Catholic Directory," which contains the data for our island possessions, one finds that there are 7,342,262 Catholics in the Philippines, and adding to these Philippine Catholics the number reported for Alaska, the Canal Zone, Guam, our possessions in Samoa, the Hawaiian Islands and Porto Rico, the total number amounts to 8,413,257. This figure does not include the Catholics of the three recently acquired Danish West Indies.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The meeting in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenues this evening will be led by William De Marls. Music will be a feature. Everybody will receive a cordial welcome.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Margaret M. Depew, wife of R. Henry Depew, complainant, and William T. Sisk and Lucy Steele Kirk, his wife, and Robert A. Fairbairn, defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all that tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey. Beginning at a point in the middle of East Fourth (4th) Street, said point being Easterly course one hundred and forty-seven and one-hundredths (147.01) feet from the centre line of Sycamore Street and corner of land of Bateman. Thence (1) Easterly along the middle line in a South Easterly course at right angles to Fourth Street, one hundred and seventy-six and seventy-nine hundredths (176.79) feet to a stake and corner in line of Lynch's lot; thence (2) running along her line and other land of the party of the first part, in a North Easterly course forty-five and four one hundredths (45.04) feet to a stake and making a corner for the parties hereto; thence (3) running in a North Westerly course and parallel with the first line one hundred and seventy-nine and four one hundredths (179.04) feet, more or less, to a point in the middle of said Fourth Street; thence running along the middle of said East Fourth Street in a South Westerly course forty-five feet to the place of beginning.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between People's Bank & Trust Company, a corporation, complainant, and Minnie C. Hinkle and Harry G. Hinkle, her husband, defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County and State of New Jersey, bounded together with the buildings erected thereon, and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of Eighth Street, distant three hundred and eighty and four-tenths (380.4) feet northeasterly from the intersection of Eighth Street and Park Avenue, and Eighth Street; and running from thence along the centre line of Eighth Street north forty-seven degrees, twenty-six minutes east three hundred and thirteen and three-tenths (313.3) feet to a point; thence (2) south forty-two degrees, thirty-four minutes east two hundred and sixty-seven (267) feet, more or less, to a stake, and corner of a lot sold to one Wrighton; thence (3) running along his line north sixty-nine degrees, forty-five minutes east two hundred and seven and five tenths (207.5) feet to a stake and corner of Wrighton's land in the middle of formerly Division Street, now Field Avenue; thence (4) southwesterly along the centre line of said Avenue two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-three hundredths (256.63) feet to a point which is distant two hundred and thirty-one and seventy-six one hundredths (231.76) feet northeasterly from the intersection of the centre lines of Park and Stelle Avenues; thence (5) south eighty-three degrees, forty minutes west and parallel with Stelle Avenue four hundred and twenty and eighty-one hundredths (420.81) feet to a stake; thence (6) north forty degrees, fifty-five minutes west a distance of eighty-one and seventy-five hundredths (81.75) feet to a point; thence (7) north forty-two degrees, thirty-four minutes west two hundred and eighty-six and forty-five hundredths (286.45) feet to the centre of Eighth Street and the place of beginning.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$676,652.88
Overdrafts, secured, $175.67; unsecured, $59.22		230.89
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation		100,000.00
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	$10,000.00	
Securities other than U. S. bonds owned unpledged	2,910,821.87	
Total bonds, securities, etc		$2,920,821.87
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		20,000.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank		9,000.00
Value of banking house		60,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		25,000.00
Net Amount due from Approved Reserve Agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	$136,909.29	
Net Amount due from Approved Reserve Agents in other reserve cities	22,246.21	166,152.69
Net amount due from banks and bankers		14,016.56
Other checks on banks in same city or town as reporting bank		9,849.66
Outside checks and other cash items	$5,488.92	
Fractional currency, nickels, and cents	1,038.45	6,527.37
Notes of other national banks		5,000.00
Federal Reserve notes		5,000.00
Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		358,189.61
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		5,000.00
Total		$4,512,455.43

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$150,000.00
Surplus fund		150,000.00
Undivided profits	$154,141.04	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,242.64	153,898.40
Amount reserved for all interest accrued		208.56
Circulating notes outstanding		100,000.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers		84,201.22
Dividends unpaid		356.00
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check		1,852,320.45
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days		41,845.53
Certified checks		6,452.14
Cashier's checks outstanding		611.05
Postal savings deposits		19,320.65
Deposits requiring notice but less than 30 days		1,923,665.32
Total demand deposits	$3,325,695.30	
Time deposits:		
Certificates of deposit	$38,000.00	38,000.00
Total of time deposits		
Total		$4,512,455.43

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss:

I, Arthur E. Cronk, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ARTHUR E. CRONK,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1917.

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Services at her late residence, 932 Watchung avenue, on Wednesday, March 14, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

VOSSLER—At Plainfield, N. J., March 11, 1917, Lewis Vossler, aged 41 years.
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LOST—In postoffice, small coin purse containing money, etc. Finder kindly leave at Courier-News office. Reward. 3-10-2t

FOUND—Lady's umbrella on east bound Union trolley. Owner can have same by paying for ad at Courier-News office and proving property. 3-12-2t

LOST—The party who took shoes from house on Liberty street is known and will be punished if same are not returned.

FOUND—Near Elks' Club, man's glove. Meyer make. Owner can have same by calling 49 Brook avenue and paying for ad.

LOST—Diamond solitaire ring in paper envelope. Reward. No questions asked if returned to Courier-News. 3-10-3t

TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; part improvements. Address Box 6, care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

TWO ROOMS for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth street. 3-9-3t

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 22 Somerset street, Plainfield. 3-13-1f

WANTED—Apprentice to learn plumbing and heating trade. Apply 23 Vine street. 3-1-tf

DESIGNERS, detailers and tracers wanted by large company, located in Eastern Pennsylvania; experienced in heavy machinery preferred; state age, experience and salary wanted in first letter. Box 53, care Courier-News. 3-11-12t

WANTED—Boy, about 16 to 18, to drive milk wagon and help with cows. Address "Milkman," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Lathe and planer hands on day and night turn; also first-class heavy dry sand and loam moulders; good wages; steady work; no labor troubles. Treadwell Engineering Co., Easton, Pa. 3-10-2t

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—Young, sober, reliable, neat man who understands gardening and washing of automobiles, one willing to make himself useful around a private home. Apply evenings after 6:30, 418 East Front St. 3-10-3t

WANTED—Middle-aged man, good character, to take charge of garage at night; hours 7 p. m. to 7 a. m. Apply Laing's Garage.

WANTED—A boy to learn automobile business. Apply M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street.

BOY WANTED at once. Adelberg's, 129 East Front street. 3-12-2t

WANTED—Man for general work; must understand care of horse, cow and garden. Address "Maw," care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

BUTLER WANTED—Must have experience and good references. 'Phone 851. 3-10-3t

HANDY MEN WANTED. International Motor Co. 3-10-4t

WANTED FIRST-CLASS CARPENTERS. APPLY STANDARD AERO CORP., 768 NORTH AVENUE. 3-10-3t

WANTED—Young man for office work with stenographic ability; fine opportunity for future. Address in own handwriting, "M. F. C.," care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

WANTED — Competent farmer wanted; good salary; good place; married man preferred. Write for appointment and state qualifications. Dr. Hicks, 5-mile lock, Bound Brook. 3-10-4t

WANTED—Experienced Acme and Gridley automatic operators; also two inspectors. Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-9-4t

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 2-5-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 159 North avenue. 11-5-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Schoning, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-12-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and reliable situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

M. L. VAN DER VEER, ladies' hatter, 110 Depot Park, 'phone 2274. A complete line of Spring Millinery is now ready for your inspection. A special showing of dress and semi-dress hats March 20th and 21st. Miss Edythe Bechtel, who is assisting me this season, has put in an exclusive line of children's and misses' hats. Before taking the little folks to New York stop in and see us. Special sale of Spring hats at $4.98 on March 13th and 14th. 3-12-2t

OUR STORAGE RATES are very reasonable; trunks and household furniture, and separate rooms for every one. We also do crating and packing and guarantee our work. Robert Murray, general auctioneer, real estate and appraiser. 'Phone 666. 3-9-6t

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 230 Park avenue. 'Phone 940. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, black-smith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 5 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

360-EGG Cyphers incubator, $15; 50-egg incubator, $3; one International hover, $2.50; one Buffalo horer, $2; must be sold before April 1. Tel. 2833-J, 352 New Market road, Dunellen. 2-10-2t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 2. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock, gold prize, winner cock, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Nine roosters, fancy stock. 29 Chatham street, North Plainfield.

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Salesroom, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE—Nine roosters, fancy stock. 29 Chatham street, North Plainfield.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two lots, 25x125 ft., on Fairmont avenue, at a bargain. O. A. Reed, 915 South avenue. 2-27-4t

111 ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, 5 acres woodland large brook, 1,000 peach trees; 10-room house, large outbuilding; all in fine condition; price $125 per acre; easy terms. Will consider trade for desirable income property. Further particulars address R. O. Hox No. 324, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-10-3t

3½ ACRES of land, suitable for trucking or poultry raising; young fruit trees and berries; new house, with eight rooms and bath, electric lights and telephone; garage; high elevation in Watchung; two miles from Plainfield depot. Address "C. D.," P. O. Box 22, Watchung, N. J. 3-5-6t

$1,300 CASH will buy modern borough residence, centrally located; the rest, $5,200, goes on mortgage; owner leaving; splendid opportunity. Address "Real Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-8t

FOR SALE—Lot, Stelle avenue and Union street, $5200. Inquire Tobin, 16 Stone street. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

FOR RENT—Front room, nicely furnished; all improvements; excellent location; gentlemen only. 602 Madison avenue.

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-12-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 119 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-12-3t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. T.," care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Stoer, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage built if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hall, 1578. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, near trolley; improvements 3 acres of land; plenty fruit; a store attached; cash business; a bargain; terms. J. E. Van Orden, Jerusalem road, Westfield. 3-12-3t

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms and toilet; wired for electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. E. Vail. 12-7-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED—A good paying business proposition that can be bought right; no brokers. "C," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2386-M. 6-6-1y-*

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 7 rooms, all improvements; $500 down, $30 per month; price $5,000. Address "Bungalow," care Courier-News. 2-7-6t

FOR SALE—Six-room house, toilet, gas and sink; lot 35 feet front; price $2,000. Address "J," care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

BARGAIN — Modern nine-room house on Belvidere avenue, large lot. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-14-19

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey H. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior motorcycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 245 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-12-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY—House, 7 or 8 rooms, with improvements. Apply 403 East Fifth street. 3-6-6t

FORCE PUMP—Must be in good condition and reasonable. E. F. Bremer, Terrill road. 3-12-2t

SITTING HENS—In large numbers. State variety and price, which must be reasonable. Forsgate Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-5-6t

WANTED—Drawing instrument, good condition. Address "Instrument," care Courier-News. 3-10-2t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 216 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-14-tf

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—By man and wife, small house or apartment, with improvements; no children. Address "Home," care Courier-News. 3-12-6t

NURSE desires furnished room in private family, in good location and near trolley; state price. Address "Nurse," care Courier-News. 3-12-2t

PRIVATE HOUSE, 6, 7 or 8 rooms, $25 to $30, convenient to station. Address Box 7, care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Four or five rooms, with improvements; central location. Address "Two Adults," care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 226-232 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

A PRIVATE FAMILY would accommodate two young men with room and board. Address W. J. B., care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

DESIRABLE BOARD. 222 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-2m

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-26-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 12-4

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. C. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2569-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 936. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-3m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 3-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 239 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Peterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages; references required. Apply 718 Richmond street, or 'phone 1668-R. 3-5-tf

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 431 West Sixth street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

EXCEPTIONAL opportunity for A-1 stenographer; must be able to handle correspondence; state age, salary and experience. Address "Steno," care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; week work. Stelgman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-6t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros. 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-9-4t

STENOGRAPHER for office and some outside work; hours from 12:30 to 5:30 afternoons, six days; prefer beginner with some experience; $3.00 per week first six months. Address P. O. Box 701, Plainfield.

WANTED—Girl for general office work; beginner preferred. Apply 24-26 L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street. 3-12-3t

WAITRESS WANTED for nurses' dining room. Apply to Dietitian, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Colored waitress. 143 Crescent avenue. 'Phone 1351-W. 3-12-3t

EXPERIENCED girls for embroidery on kid glove machine, also for hem and binding; best prices paid. Fisk, Clark & Flagg, room 207 Babcock Building. 3-12-2t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 605 Madison avenue. 3-12-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply between 6 and 7 evenings, 646 West Front street. Tel. 2488-W. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework. 816 West Seventh street. 3-9-3t

WANTED—Woman for confinement case and to assist with housework. Address Box 1, care Courier-News. 3-10-2t

WANTED—Young woman, light housework, plain cook, no washing. Apply Wagner's Cigar Store, 261 West Front street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—Good colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-9-3t

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 130 East Front street, or 915 South avenue. 2-16-tf

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers, Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. J. H. De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street. 'Phone 895-J. 3-10-6t

APARTMENT FOR RENT—April 1st, 5-room apartment, all improvements; low rental; heated. Call or write H. A. Farwell, 812 Leland avenue, Netherwood. 3-13-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

TWO APARTMENTS, improvements, fine location, first floor, five large rooms, $21.00; second floor, six large rooms, $21.00. A. B. Stites, over Adams' shoe store. 3-2-tf

TO LET—Seven-room apartments, all improvements. Inquire 312 Grant avenue. 3-12-3t

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

★ B.P.O.E. 885 ★
DON'T FORGET
NEWARK NIGHT
TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH
Next rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" tonight.
First rehearsal for children, Tuesday, March 13, at 3 o'clock in lodge room. Girls between 7 and 15 years of age invited.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

FIRE DESTROYS MILLSTONE STORE

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the grocery store of Martin Metz, in Millstone, Saturday night.

The townspeople were greatly excited by the fire, and as the town has no fire apparatus they telephoned to New Brunswick for assistance. Those who sought aid were informed that apparatus could not be sent to Millstone without compensation under the rules and those who made the request refused to guarantee this, as they were in no way interested.

The fire started in the storage room of the building, which is two stories in height. It took but a short time for the fire to completely wipe out the building, causing a loss of several thousand dollars to the owners.

For a time it was feared that the fire would spread to an adjoining building, but fortunately the wind drove the flames in the opposite direction.

Water Company May Take Stand

Officials of the Water Company are expected to attend the meeting of the Borough Council to be held in the engine house on March 23, at which time several important matters will be taken up.

The recommendations made by the Board of Fire Engineers at the last meeting will be under consideration at this time and the bids for new hose for the fire department will be opened at this meeting. Should the Water Company send a representative to the meeting, it is likely that the borough fathers will be able to reach some definite stand as to the procurement of increased water pressure, which was embodied in the list of recommendations from the Board of Fire Engineers.

We-V-We Club Commences Plans

Ye Towne Boys are planning for their big event of the year, the We-V-We Club dance, to be held in Eagles' Hall on the evening of April 20. The hall will be elaborately decorated, even more so than during past seasons, and several novel features in the form of entertainment will be introduced. Several out-of town performers will be secured for the occasion and along with the local talent a program of much enjoyment is expected.

Many attended the musical recital in the chapel of the Second Reformed church given by the pupils of Miss Opdycke, Miss Evelyn Lindquist and Herman Jungmann.

The Y. M. H. A. will hold the March meeting tomorrow night at which time the nomination and election of officers will be taken up.

A navy recruiting officer is stationed at the postoffice this week in an effort to enlist candidates between the ages of 17 and 30.

Attorney John Toolan, of Perth Amboy, was the guest of friends in the borough Saturday.

E. E. Mendels, of New York, was a visitor at the Elks' Club Saturday.

Tickets for "The Runaways" were sold at the Regent Theatre today.

BOUND BROOK

Taken to Hospital; Too Weak to Walk

John S. Wells, one of the employes on the E. P. Bryan place on the River road, was taken to the Wells Memorial Hospital on Saturday after he had been taken ill suddenly on West Main street. Wells had become so weak while on a shopping tour that he fell to the sidewalk and was unable to walk even after some minutes of rest. Chief of Police William F. Nash was notified and after giving the case the proper attention ordered his removal to a hospital.

The March social afternoon of the Ladies' Aid Society of the South Bound Brook Reformed church will be held with Mrs. Nathan Warman on Cedar street, South Bound Brook, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The committee in charge is comprised of Mrs. N. Warman, Mrs. H. H. Shepherd, Mrs. M. O. Murray and Mrs. S. Apgar.

Mrs. Ward, of Wilmington, Del., is spending a few days with friends in town. Mrs. Ward was formerly Miss Emma Undritz, the English teacher in the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto M. Franke gave a dance for their daughters in the Middlebrook Country Club Friday night.

Next Friday evening the Entre Nous Club will hold a dance in the Middlebrook Country Club house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Giddes are rejoicing over the arrival on Friday of a daughter.

The Board of Education of the Borough of Middlesex will meet tonight.

FANWOOD

Marshal Logan Back at His Post

Chief Marshal John Logan is able to attend to his police duties after being confined to his bed a few days by an injury sustained by a fall from a moving automobile about a week ago.

Logan was answering a call from a residence on South avenue and endeavored to leave the automobile in which he was riding before it stopped. In doing so he lost his footing and fell heavily to the hard asphalt on South avenue, and was rendered unconscious for several hours.

Fire Destroys Farm House

The farm house belonging to Mrs. Peter Murray, on Terrill road, was burned to the ground last evening shortly after dark. The Plainfield fire department hurried to the fire, but because of the long distance to the burning house it arrived too late to check the blaze, which had burst out everywhere. The local department did not receive a call to respond.

It is not known what caused the blaze. The Murray family have not resided there for the past two months. The house and contents were insured.

Attends Smoker of Triad League

Rutgers Neilson, of Martine avenue, attended the annual smoker of the Triad League of New York University, held at the club house of the Advertising Club, in New York, on Saturday evening last. Last June Mr. Neilson was a delegate of this League at the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World at Philadelphia, and in the capacity of publicity director he did much to make the Triad well known to the advertising men of the world.

SCOTCH PLAINS

There will be two basketball games at the parish house tonight. The Junior team is making arrangements for a game, and the Senior boys have a game booked with the "Reserves" of North Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Muir, of Harrison, spent the week-end with Mrs. Muir's father, Henry C. Meyer, of Front street.

Joseph Schwalback, of Westfield avenue, spent yesterday with his son Henry, who is stationed at Fort Slocum.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society will hold their monthly meeting in the church Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Helen Skellenger, of Front street, spent the week-end with relatives at Arlington, N. J.

GERMAN VALLEY

Miss Lulu Frone led the young people's meeting last night in the Lutheran Church. Her subject was "Spreading the Good News." Union services were held in the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Herbert Maas will preach.

Mrs. George Lauraman returned Saturday to her home at Parker, following a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dora Lambert, of Rockaway.

Mrs. Emma Bird, of Ledgewood is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cressman for several weeks.

The Woman's Club will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. Charles Anthony.

Mrs. Charles McCann is ill.

NORTH BRANCH

The Branchburg Township Committee has appointed the following road overseers for the coming year: C. C. Waldron, J. N. Little, William H. Higgins, Albert Force, Edward L. Blauvelt, G. H. Webb, W. B. Cole, E. C. Housel, J. V. Case, A. V. Stryker, Garret G. Bailey, William Bacon, A. W. Hall, J. W. Hall, S. D. Opie, Henry Carkhuff, Jacob Hageman, Tunis Ten Eyck and D. H. Conover.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Stillwell will entertain the North Branch Pinochle Club at a dinner tomorrow night at their home at Burnt Mills, near here.

Harold Smith, of Hampton, has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dumont at North Branch Depot.

Mrs. James Bass and daughter, of Newark, are the guests of Township Clerk and Mrs. Henry H. Van Nest.

Mrs. William Shafer, of Plainfield, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garret Q. Baird, near North Branch Depot.

Mrs. M. V. Hartmann, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mrs. Matilda Higgins in Plainfield.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

"Visit-the-schools Week" is being observed at the Hampton public school this week until Thursday afternoon. Every parent and friend of the school is cordially invited to come and see the pupils at work.

WATCHUNG

MISS VINCENT BRIDE OF BENJ. BERNECKER

The marriage of Miss Jessie Vincent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vincent, to Benjamin Bernecker, took place Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, at Sunny Brook farm, near Watchung. Rev. Dr. C. A. Eaton performed the ceremony. An informal reception followed, during which the couple received congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Bernecker will continue to reside at Watchung, the bridegroom being employed by Dr. Eaton on his farm.

Among the guests at the wedding besides the immediate relatives were Mrs. William Cotgreves, George Bernecker, Mr. and Mrs. Cross, Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. Robert McGoldrick, Miss Bessie McGoldrick, Samuel McGoldrick, Bedell Wills, Miss Nellie Kelley, Miss Harriet Dorsch, Miss Mary Gardner, Miss May Gardner, Miss Margaret Gardner, George Gardner, Samuel Gardner, Paul Weisert, John Coad, Miss Ida Coad and Miss Margaret Lyons.

Service in Wilson Church

Rev. Mebane Ramsay preached an interesting sermon on the "Life of Jesus" yesterday morning in the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union church. A solo, "Somebody Knows," was rendered by Douglas W. Demler. A special musical service was held in the evening at which Alfred Korff and James Tannon rendered the following violin and cornet selections, "Morn Shall Rise," "Hark My Soul," "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." Choir selections, "I'm a Pilgrim," with tenor and bass duet by Douglas W. Demler and Thomas C. Fetherston; "Angels of Life," with soprano and alto solos by Misses Elsie F. Schmidt and Lucy Hughes, Rev. Mebane Ramsey's topic for the evening service was "Sacrifice and Service." August H. Moodey was taken into the membership of the church.

"Go-to-school Week" will be observed during the week commencing March 12, ending March 16. All parents and citizens of the township are cordially invited to visit the public school during that period. The regular programs will be followed.

The North Plainfield Township Improvement Society will hold the regular monthly meeting this evening in the Improvement Hall. All are welcome to attend this meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet at the home of Miss Agnes Davis at "Two Brooks" on Mountain boulevard Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Esther Bacon, of Red Bank, was the week-end guest of Miss Stella M. Sheets, of Hillcrest road.

Frank Fenner, of Hillcrest road, has been visiting at Peapack-Gladstone over the week-end.

Miss Elsie F. Schmidt, of Stirling road, has been visiting in New York City over the week-end.

Mrs. Hippolyte Texier, of Mountain boulevard, is visiting in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schmidt and son Kenneth spent yesterday at Bayonne.

Miss Olive B. Griggs, of Plainfield, spent the week-end with friends here.

MIDDLE VALLEY

Rev. Mehran H. Looloian of Pleasant Grove conducted the service in the chapel yesterday afternoon, following the Sunday school session.

Rev. Edwin H. Bronson, of Lower Valley, preached yesterday morning upon the theme "A Little Bit of Love."

Mrs. Lemuel Neighbour is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Margaret Rhinehart, at Pottersville.

Lillie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hoffman, is ill.

Lamont Trimmer, of Crestmoor, is convalescent from grip.

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DUNELLEN

Evangelist Bascom Will Preach Entire Week

Yesterday's union services opening at the Presbyterian church, conducted by the Rev. P. C. Bascom, were largely attended and much interest manifested. In the morning Evangelist Bascom preached on "The Church Efficient," and this was followed by a service for women in the afternoon. The Methodist congregation joined with the Presbyterian members at last night's service. Evangelist Bascom's topic was, "The Way Jesus Did It."

Mr. Bascom will continue to hold services in the Presbyterian church every night this week, in which he will be assisted by a large chorus choir. Tonight his subject will be, "The Man For the Hour." Tomorrow night he will give a talk on "The Way Home." Announcements for the remainder of the week will appear in these columns.

Surprised on Saturday Evening

Mrs. Bernard Siriski, of Lincoln avenue, was pleasantly surprised at her residence on Saturday evening. It was a birthday party and her friends brought many suitable presents. Included in the guests were Superintendent H. B. Herald, of New York, who is at the head of the firm of Fisk, Clark & Flagg, glove manufacturers, Mrs. Siriski being employed with the Plainfield branch. The evening passed pleasantly in dancing, games, and the serving of refreshments.

The guests included: The Misses C. Pickoff, L. Bow, Martha Kretzel, Kate Renneman, Mrs. N. T. Batz, Mrs. Rustrove, Mrs. Wiedenhaupt, Miss Anna Wiedenhaupt, E. Gust, N. M. Dilts, Mrs. J. Andrews, M. F. Green, S. Miller and others. Festivities closed at midnight.

Son of Former Pastor Occupied Local Pulpit

The Rev. Frank Custard, a student at Drew Seminary, preached yesterday morning at the First Methodist Church. The preacher was the son of the late Rev. Dr. Custard, who twenty years ago passed way while in charge of the local church. The Rev. Mr. Custard yesterday was greeted with a large attendance and delivered an eloquent sermon. The members of the congregation in the evening joined with the Presbyterians in union service.

The altar of the church yesterday was decorated with flowers in memory of the late Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Harris, of Greenbrook, who has a long time affiliated with this society.

Snowball Battle Caused Much Comment

The careless throwing of snowballs in the vicinity of Whittier school on Saturday nearly resulted in some of the younger element of this community being brought before the authorities for their misconduct. Even some of the front doors and windows nearby came in for a share of the bombardment, notwithstanding pedestrians who were passing by. The names of several of the boys have been recorded by the school janitor who happened to appear on the scene before the boys got away.

Visit Local Schools

As this week is known as "Visit-the-schools Week," Principal Rentschler of the borough schools has extended a cordial invitation to parents and friends to visit the schools. The object of inducing parents to visit the schools while in actual session is to get them to see what kind of work is done in the school room.

W. B. La Rue, of this place, who is an anti-vaccinationist, recently appeared with a committee at Trenton in the interest of Assemblyman Johnson's bill. This act, if passed, would prevent the exclusion of any teacher or pupil from the public schools by reason of such pupil or teacher not having been vaccinated.

Through ingenious press agencies lanky "Bob" Fitzsimmons, formerly of Piscataway, keeps before the public. The latest is a denial from "Billy" Sunday, who it was reported had engaged Fitzsimmons to train the evangelist during the New York campaign.

Over 200 employes of the Levgar Structural Iron Company have recently received bonuses of one to two weeks' pay according to the time they have served. Only employes who have worked for the firm two years or more received bonuses.

Friends of Archibald Lesley Young, of this place, are congratulating him upon his advancement in the railroad world. Mr. Young now holds the position of Assistant Passenger Train Master in the Jersey Central R. R. at Communipaw.

Much sympathy is extended to Constable C. W. Blaine, who is confined to his home by a serious affliction. Many friends drop in to see him daily.

John Fedderman, Arthur Hamley, and George Zink, have been drawn to do jury service at the April term of the Middlesex county court.

The new house of Alberne H. Burdick, on Washington avenue, is nearing completion.

Special Lenten services will be held on Saturday next in St. John's Catholic Church.

WESTFIELD

SERIOUS ARGUMENT IN A LUNCH WAGON

As a result of being cut on the head and face and having his coat nearly cut off him Oliver Brown, colored, had William Phillips, colored, arrested at 12:45 yesterday morning and later Phillips was arraigned before Recorder Springstead and held under $500 to await the action of the grand jury.

Phillips and Brown and a number of other colored men went into the lunch wagon on North avenue after the pool room on West Broad street closed up, and while they were eating something to eat Phillips and Brown got into an argument which resulted in Phillips pushing a bag of chicken feed which Brown had off the counter of the lunch wagon onto the floor. Brown asked Phillips what he did it for, and then Phillips' father, who was there, took a hand in the argument. Finally Phillips pulled out a knife and made a strike at Brown which cut his head open so that he had to have three stitches taken in it.

The police were notified and Chief Rosecrans, Lieutenant McNeeley and Officer Darcey were soon on the job and were not long in locating Phillips, who had left the lunch wagon, and locked him up. When arraigned before the Recorder Phillips pleaded not guilty and was held for the grand jury as above stated.

Umbrella Mender Charged With Assault

Timothy McCarthy, an umbrella mender, was arrested by Chief Rosecrans and Sergeant Nelson at the Rahway police headquarters on Saturday night on a complaint made by Mary Hicks, a domestic in the home of Robert O. Huking, 158 South Euclid avenue, who charged McCarthy with having come to the back door of the Huking home and asking her for something to eat. On her refusal to give it to him she claims that he hit her over the head with a stick and got into the kitchen where he took a lot of fresh baked bread, a dozen eggs and a roast of beef. He was held for investigation.

Lectured on "South of England"

The lecture given by Colonel E. A. Havers on "The South of England and the Land of Lorna Doone" was attended by a large audience and proved most interesting and instructive. The lecture was illustrated with many beautiful pictures taken by Colonel Havers.

The lecture next Saturday night will be on "Aircraft in the Great War" and will be given by William Menkel. This will be the last lecture of the present course under the direction of the Board of Education. On March 24th there will be a musical entertainment by local talent under the auspices of the Westfield High School Alumni Association.

Ross-Hofer Nuptials

Miss Henrietta M. Hofer and Donald Ross, of South Orange, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother in South Euclid avenue on Saturday afternoon at five o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. W. I. Steaffs, of the Presbyterian church of which the bride was for many years the soprano soloist in the choir. The wedding was attended by only relatives of the couple. They will make their home in Euclid avenue.

The Rev. Milton S. Littlefield, D. D., of New York, will deliver an address on the subject of "Music in the Sunday School" in the Baptist church tomorrow night. Dr. Littlefield is the secretary of the Congregational Board of Sunday School Work and is an authority on Sunday school music.

Rev. Dr. W. J. Boone, president of the College of Idaho which is situated at Caldwell, Idaho, made an address in the Presbyterian church at the service yesterday morning. Rev. Mr. Boone spoke of the Christian college and particularly about the college with which he is connected.

The mid-week meeting in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday night will be a memorial to the late Rev. Lyman D. Calkins and those who attend will be given an opportunity of telling of the many ways in which Dr. Calkins ministered to the church.

The annual meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist church will take place in the chapel tonight. Rev. Dr. S. J. Herben, the pastor, will deliver an address on "Etchings." A social hour will follow during which refreshments will be served.

The annual meeting of the Westfield District Sunday School Association which was to have been held in the Baptist church yesterday afternoon, was postponed until Monday evening of next week on account of lack of a quorum.

The eleventh annual missionary dinner of the Presbyterian church will be held in the parish house on Thursday night. The speaker of the evening will be Rev. James H. Nicol, of Tripoli.

Group G, of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist church, will hold a Saint Patrick party on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Trimble, 625 Boulevard.

Mrs. W. W. Gill will entertain the members of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church at her home on Walnut street on Thursday afternoon.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will give a pantomime entitled "O Zion Haste" on Thursday evening.

Miss Dorothy Pearsall will entertain the members of the Queen Esther Circle of the First Methodist church at her home on Carlton road tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Conneran, of Jersey City, spent yesterday with Mrs. Conneran's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Conneran, of Cumberland street.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. William A. Batley, 708 Dudley avenue tomorrow afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Men's League of the Baptist church will be held in the church parlors on Thursday night.

The monthly meeting of the Mutual Building and Loan Association will be held in its rooms on Elm street tonight.

The monthly meeting of the Westfield Branch of the S. P. C. A. will be held in the town hall tomorrow night.

WHITEHOUSE

Boys' Brigade Organize

A boys' brigade has been organized in connection with the work of the Methodist Church in East Whitehouse, with Rev. Frederick S. Benson, the pastor, leader. The new organization has about twenty charter members and meetings will be held every Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Officers have been elected as follows: President, Kenneth McDowall; vice-president, John Melick; secretary, Clarence Brokaw; treasurer, Lloyd Naylor; captain, Kenneth McDowall; lieutenant, John Melick; sergeant, Clarence Brokaw.

Arrangements have been made for the installation of Rev. Henry T. Jones as pastor of the Reformed Church at Coeymans, N. Y., on March 12, by the Classis of Albany. Until the first of the year Mr. Jones was pastor of the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church will hold a St. Patrick's sociable Saturday night in the basement. Mrs. F. Davis Reed, Mrs. Joseph Lewis and Mrs. Theodore C. Vliet are the entertainment committee.

Mrs. Morgan Dalley, Miss Myrtle Emmons and Mrs. Robert F. Dalley, of East Whitehouse, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Dalley, at Neshanic.

A special meeting of the Mission Band of the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station will be held this evening at the residence of Miss Ada Buck.

Peach growers of New Germantown have received a carload of lime, salt and sulphur, which will be utilized to spray the trees to prevent San Jose scale.

The Wishbone Improvement Society will hold an all-day sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles P. Oliver in East Whitehouse, Wednesday.

Neaf Brokaw, of the Ridge, near East Whitehouse, who has been on a trip to his former home in Portsmouth, O., will return this week.

John E. Seals, of East Whitehouse, has had work started to build an addition to his house for the purpose of converting it into a two-family dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan, of Glen Gardner, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William C. Lance at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Velma M. Black, of East Whitehouse, will leave Saturday for a trip to California and Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Dilts returned to Whitehouse Station Saturday from a visit to Newark.

William Cadmus, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Daggett in East Whitehouse.

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NEW MARKET

Piscataway Couple Will Keep Their Children

Following a report to Judge Daly by Rene P. F. von Minden, attorney for Piscataway Township, to the effect that William and Delia Humphrey have done much to improve the surroundings of their home and have "turned over a new leaf," the Middlesex court has denied the application of the St. Michael's Aid Society to take from them the custody of their minor children Alfred, Emily, James and William Humphrey. The matter was before the court several weeks ago, when the parents were put on a probationary period. Mr. von Minden has presented the report of John M. Dayton, overseer of the poor of Piscataway Township, telling of several visits to the Humphrey home and of the great improvement in conditions there.

The Rev. T. E. Vassar, Jr., of the local Baptist Church, will be the assisting clergyman on Wednesday evening, at the marriage of Miss Majorie Vassar Morton to Henry A. Cozzens, to be solemnized in Elizabeth. Mr. Vassar's father, the Rev. Dr. Thomas A Vassar, of Newark, will peform the ceremony.

Travel on the highways in these parts is almost impossible at this time of the year, snow, slush and mud being nearly up to the hubs of the vehicles.

"Go-to-school Week" will be observed by the township schools this week. On Friday an informal exhibit of manual training will take place.

Charles S. Day, the township clerk, continues to improve from his recent illness.

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold its semi-monthly meeting tonight.

Patrick Hayes is now employed with the New Market Coal and Supply Company.

Mrs. E. Herlich came out from New York last week for a few days' visit.

The annual school meeting will be held in the township on March 20th.

Mrs. C. S. Day's music pupils have taken up the study of Mendelssohn.

Henry Leibel has secured a position with the P. S. Railway Company.

The First Baptist Church choir will meet for rehearsal tonight.

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THROUGH THE WICKET

Camp No. 1, Patriotic Order of America, received three applications for membership at its meeting Saturday night, making a total of nine for this year. There will be initiation at the next meeting. District President John Titus, Mrs. Titus and George Ruderman, of Camp 60, Elizabeth, were present and gave short talks on the good of the order.

WOMEN'S MISSION AUXILIARY TO MEET

A neighborhood meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions will be held in the parish house of Grace Episcopal church tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The speaker will be Miss Littell, a member of the committee to further the plans for the Church General Hospital at Wuchang, China. Members of missionary societies and others interested are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

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The housewife may, with cause, have the fullest confidence in her grocer or marketman, and yet, when she ask for Brown's baking powder, is also wise to look at the box and label before consigning it to the pantry shelves. It may be Smith's powder, an unknown quantity, which the clerk gave you by mistake, while Brown's is a tested favorite. Or, if you want a certain brand of "Early June Peas," firmly reject the other brand offered as "just as good," it is certainly the purchaser's right to choose, as one who knows best the family preference.

But, on the other hand, the housekeeper must also recognize that the store keeper has his rights, which are too frequently completely ignored by the large majority of his customers. Every observant person, who stands waiting while others are being served, cannot fail, sometimes, to see an infringement of these rights.

"Are the peaches soft?" asked the housewife to the store-keeper, bending over the basket of fruit on the sidewalk. "My peaches are always soft. There's no chance for a peach to stay hard around here, with folks handlin' 'em from mornin' to night. Bullets wouldn't stand the squeezing," was the grim retort. Thus we see that the dealer has a point of view from which he judges his customers.

As a rule, women are the greatest trespassers in this respect, and a number of witnesses will arise to testify to the truth of this statement. Housewives too often forget that "time is money," especially to a business man, and thus thoughtlessly become pilferers in this respect also.

Nine times out of ten, a man can pick out a loaf of bread he wants without advice or assistance, while the female flutter: hesitates, changes her mind and weighs each loaf in the balance until she becomes a real nuisance to the tired clerk behind the counter.

Then, too, a smoked mackerel never inspired animated conversation in a man, but I have seen a well-dressed woman, and evidently an intelligent (?) one; hold up a specimen by the tail, propounding endless questions that would stagger Izaak Walton. The store may be full of people waiting their turn, but the absent proprietor does not dare to say: "My dear Madam, you are a great nuisance." But he thinks it, and everyone of the clerks would willingly give a dollar from their weekly wage for the privilege of expressing themselves.

If the housewife wishes to purchase raisins, it is prudent to look at them carefully, but it is not at all necessary that she should sample the six boxes constituting the entire stock. Or, she may be willing to pay the highest market price for eggs, if their freshness is beyond suspicion. But if she insists each time that the eggs shall all be large and of the same color, with the exact date of their laying, she becomes a troublesome customer to the harassed dealer, who probably turns from her to encounter another buyer with equally annoying tendencies, displayed in some other direction.

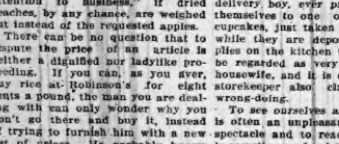
Friendly husks may hide imperfect ears of corn, but if the purchaser only needs a half dozen, she need not ruthlessly strip ear after ear, only to reject them and toss them back to lie unprotected in the heat. Surely, this is an impertinence that merits rebuke, and if buyer and seller could change places for a short time, it might prove beneficial to both parties.

For a purchaser to discover after the cheese is cut, that the mild is preferred to the sharp, and expect their own mistake to be rectified, is considered a mere trifle, yet the same purchaser calls it "careless inattention to business," if dried peaches, by any chance, are weighed out instead of the requested apples.

There can be no question that to dispute the price of an article is neither a dignified nor ladylike proceeding. If you can, as you ever, buy rice at Robinson's for eight cents a pound, the man you are dealing with can only wonder why you don't go there and buy it, instead of trying to furnish him with a new list of prices. He probably knows that his rice is of a superior quality, one that his competitor could not sell for less than ten cents, so he mentally sets you down as an ignorant buyer, and probably you are, in this particular.

Don't pick up four or five prunes and eat them while you are giving your order. Did the order clerk, or delivery boy, ever presume to help themselves to one of the tarts or cupcakes, just taken from the oven, while they are depositing the supplies on the kitchen table? It would be regarded as very wrong by the housewife, and it is quite likely the storekeeper also classifies it as wrong-doing.

To see ourselves as others see us is often an unpleasant, but helpful, spectacle and to readjust our ideas is sometimes a hard task. Both these conditions, however, are really necessary in order to work reforms. Would it not be well to have the housewives, or those who fill the market baskets, ponder and think *over these things?*



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THE SECRET OF THE WITCHES—Part I

Once upon a time there were two brothers named Jack and Ole. They were very poor, and one day their mother, who was a widow, told them they must divide the small store of food and money they had and go out *into the world and* try to earn their living, for she could no longer keep them there.

So Ole and Jack each took a small pack on his back and started off, not stopping until it came night.

After they had eaten very sparingly of the food they had, because Ole said they must make it last and eat but a little, they went to sleep.

Jack went to sleep, thinking of his mother and wishing he had not left her alone. "We should have worried and taken care of her, not left her to support herself," he thought as he went to sleep.

But Ole was not thinking of anything so kind as that; he was thinking how he could get *all the food* and the money Jack had in his pack and make off with it before Jack was awake in the morning.

So Ole slept only a little while and then awoke; he listened to make sure Jack was sound asleep, and very carefully he pulled the pack from under Jack's head and off he ran.

When Jack awoke *he rubbed his eyes* and looked about, for he could not believe that Ole was not there. Then he looked for his pack, and that was gone, and poor Jack knew that his brother had taken it and left him.

"Well, it serves me right for leaving mother all alone," he said; "now I will try to find my way home again and take care of her."

But he had not noticed which way they had journeyed and when night came Jack found himself in the *midst of a forest.*

He ate some berries and nuts, and then lay down by the side of a rock to go to sleep.

He was awakened in the middle of the night by hearing voices, and while he was a brave little fellow, Jack thought it best to be cautious.

He crept along the side of the rock *and looked on the other side, and a* strange sight met his eyes. He saw two old witches dancing and singing in the wildest manner around a pot hung from three sticks.

The witches took turns throwing

into the pot something from a bag which each carried on one arm.

Then they stirred the boiling pot with a stick as they ran around it singing and dancing.

Jack kept very quiet and watched, and after awhile the witches fell on the ground beside the pot, where they laid so long Jack thought they must be asleep, and he was just creeping over to the pot to look in when up jumped both old witches and looked into the pot.

Jack was quick enough in hiding so they did not see him.

"Ah! it is just right now," said one old witch; "here is the bottle, sister?" The other witch took a bottle from her bag, and into it the other witch poured some of the fluid from the pot.

"We will be rich, sister; we will be rich, for nothing on earth can cure the sick Princess but our magic broth, and no one but ourselves knows the secret," said one witch with a cackling laugh, which showed two long teeth in the front of her mouth, and Jack crept closer to the rock.

"Yes, we know the secret, sister," said the other witch, "and no one else does unless there happens to be hiding about someone who has seen us make our broth."

The other witch gave a wicked scream and danced about, clawing the air, until poor Jack felt his hair raise right upon his head, and he got closer to the rock and as far under the bushes as he could.

In a few minutes the witch stopped screaming and, taking the bottle she had filled, she trudged away, followed by the other witch.

Jack waited a long time before he moved, and then he crawled out and looked about very cautiously.

He went to the kettle and dipped his finger into the broth and tasted it. "Ugh!" he said, making a face, "what horrid tasting stuff. But if I had a bottle I would go to the King's palace myself, for I am sure I could get there before the old witches get out of the forest."

"I'll help you," said a voice, and Jack turned and saw on a bush beside the rock a tiny creature with a little gold wand in one hand.

Tomorrow I will tell you what she did to help Jack.

Tomorrow's story—"The Secret of the Witches"—Part II.

200 OHIO WIVES MAKE THE SUPREME SACRIFICE.

Marietta, O., March 12.—More than 200 married women of this city at a mass meeting agreed to do without their new spring bonnets.

They also agreed to help their husbands *while the gardening this* spring in an effort to bring down the high cost of living.

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PLAN TO PENSION M. E. CLERGYMEN

Question to be Considered at Coming Conference in Newark

During the sixtieth session of the Newark Methodist Conference, which will be convened in Halsey Street *Methodist Episcopal Church, Newark,* beginning March 28, special attention will be devoted to the questions of pensions for the retired clergy and national prohibition. The conference will close April 3 and will be presided over by Bishop Luther B. Wilson.

At the annual meeting of the *Centenary Fund and Preachers' Aid* Society on the evening of March 28, pensions for the clergy will be taken up. The plan of the General Conference to raise $15,000 as an endowment for conference members will be discussed by Bishop Charles D. Mitchell, formerly of Plainfield, with particular emphasis of the *spiritual side of the movement.* It is expected that steps will be taken shortly after to put in action a campaign for the raising of funds for the general church plan.

At present retired ministers receive from the conference pensions based on a rate of $9 a year for each year of active pastoral service. *Annuities* are also provided for the widows of ministers. These are on a scale of one-half the rate for the ministers multiplied by the years of marriage.

Support will be given the movement for national prohibition by the Rev. Dr. Clarence True Wilson, general secretary of the Board of Temperance, *Prohibition and Public* Morals, who will deliver an address in its favor Tuesday night previous to the opening of the conference. Dr. O. Bell Close, of the New Jersey Anti-Saloon League, will work along similar lines in his address before the Church Temperance Society and Anti-Saloon League, which is scheduled for the evening of March 31. This meeting will be presided over by the Rev. Dr. Ralph B. Urmy, of Centenary church.

Bishop Luther B. Wilson, of the New York area, and his associates in the cabinet of district superintendents will make a few changes in the personnel of pastorates this year. *Permanency in pastorates is resulting* in more harmonious handling of the problems of modern life the conference recognizes and only a few changes in small churches are in prospect.

SLAYER TRIES SUICIDE.

Poison Tablets and Suspenders Fail New Haven Man.

Stamford, Conn., March 12.—Ferdinand Laudati of New Haven, who is in jail here on a charge of killing his father-in-law, Ernest Pumpi, a music teacher, attempted suicide in his cell. Making a noose of his suspenders, he tied the end to a bar and swung into space. But the suspenders broke, and he fell to the stone floor. An officer found him lying stunned.

Laudati tried to swallow strychnine tablets when arrested. Mrs. Pumpi and a violin pupil, who were also shot, are Laudati's accusers. Their wounds were slight.

"HUMPTY DUMPTY" DEAD.

Fall on Icy Sidewalk Kills Famous Clown at Kingston, N. Y.

Kingston, N. Y., March 12.—Famous for forty years as the original "Humpty Dumpty" clown, Tony Denier died here from a fall on an icy sidewalk. He was seventy-eight years old and had been an inmate of the almshouse since June.

He retired as a clown eight years ago. Two years later he married the widow of Daniel Sully, an actor. He won recently a $3,000 judgment from her in a suit to recover $17,000 he claimed to be a lifetime savings advanced as a loan to her.

TWOSCORE DEAD FROM CYCLONE

Newcastle and Central Indiana Victims of Disaster.

Newcastle, Ind., March 12.—Nearly forty persons were killed and 150 injured, some probably fatally, in the cyclone which wrecked more than 300 homes in this city. The damage was roughly estimated at *$1,000,000, but* may exceed that figure.

The storm swept over the city in a southeasterly direction, demolishing practically everything in a path almost two blocks wide and more than ten blocks long. For several hours the city was entirely cut off from communication. Appeals for help were sent out by Mayor Watkins, and Governor Goodrich was asked to send troops to police the city.

The exact number of dead may not be known for a day or two as practically all the bodies thus far found have been dug out of the wreckage of their homes.

Several fires started in the wreckage on the south side, but the heavy rain which followed the tornado kept them from spreading very much.

The greatest destruction was in the factory district on the south side.

Although the skies had been threatening, there was little warning of the approaching tornado. A huge funnel shaped cloud suddenly appeared in the west, hanging low and sweeping toward the city with *lightning like speed.* The tornado lasted only about five minutes. The rain which followed stopped in a few minutes.

The cyclone swept through the central part of the state. Two children were killed in Wayne county.

CYRUS A. SULLOWAY DEAD.

New Hampshire Man Picturesque Figure in Congress.

Washington, March 12.—Arrangements have been made by officials of the house for the funeral of Representative Cyrus A. Sulloway of New Hampshire, who died from pneumonia. Speaker Clark appointed a committee of representatives to attend the services, which will be held Wednesday at 2 o'clock at Manchester, N. H.

Cyrus Adams Sulloway, eleven times elected United States representative from the First congress district of New Hampshire, was born in Grafton, N. H., June 8, 1850. In 1872 he was elected a member of the New Hampshire house of representatives and in 1887 was returned, serving three sessions. In 1894 he was sent to the national house of representatives, where he served continuously until 1912. Due to the Progressive movement he was retired during the Sixty-third congress, but in 1914 was returned to Washington. He was a picturesque figure in the house because of his height and physical characteristics.

LANDSLIDE IN NEW JERSEY.

Tons of Rock Fall From Bluff, Wrecking Factory Buildings.

Paterson, N. J., March 12.—But for the fact that the buildings were empty because it was Sunday, 400 workers might have been killed or injured here when thirty tons of earth and rock sloughed off the face of a bluff overlooking the Passaic river, near the West End bridge.

With a loud crash the mass slid down the bluff, crushing in the side of one factory building and breaking through a part of the roof of a second structure of the Gerring dye works plant. It was at first thought lives had been lost, and both the police and fire departments were called out. It was learned that there was no one in either of the buildings.

FOOD RIOTS IN RUSSIA.

Troops Awe Mobs in Petrograd and Crowds Forbidden.

London, March 12.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says that owing to food disorders General Chavaloff, commander of the Petrograd district, has issued a proclamation forbidding all assemblages in the streets and warning citizens that the troops have been authorized to use their arms to preserve order in the capital.

The Petrograd newspapers are not appearing, and the tramway service has been suspended.

VISITING DATES POSTPONED

Peapack-Gladstone, March 12.—Because of an accident to Lester Meserol, principal of the local schools, "go-to-school week" will be postponed to the week beginning March 26. Then it will be held only three days, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of that week. Night school will be in session and that will be open for inspection on those nights.

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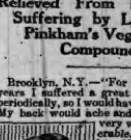

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MEYER LONDON.

Socialist Congressman Is Against Filibusters.

Photo by American Press Association.

Meyer London, Socialist representative in congress, at a meeting of pacifists in Carnegie hall, New York, announced himself as unalterably opposed to the filibuster tactics which recently defeated President Wilson's armed neutrality measures in congress, because the filibuster stifled the desires of the majority of the members of congress.

GERARD LEAVES HAVANA FOR U. S.

Ambassador to Reach Capital Late Today.

Havana, March 12.—James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany, and his party, which arrived yesterday from Corunna, Spain, on board the Spanish steamship Infanta Isabel, did not remain here long. Mr. Gerard left this morning at 10 o'clock for Key West, Fla., on board the steamship Governor Cobb. He will arrive in Washington late today.

As the sunrise gun at Castle Cabanas saluted with a jolting report the morning's first light and the burning disk began to play on the mists outside Havana harbor the black mass of the Infanta Isavel, twelve days from Corunna, fairly leaped into the sudden brilliant glow over the waters.

Flags broke out on Morro castle, even while the light in O'Donnel tower was still darting flashes seaward. A launch out beyond El Morro darted toward the Infanta, curving so near that the watchers aboard made out with perfect clearness the face and figure of the withdrawn ambassador. There was an expression on his face that needed translation into no language. Even the Cuban boatmen understood that it was the expression of utter relief.

No man alive was ever gladder to get home, and that is practically the only statement or sentiment for which Mr. Gerard consents to be quoted. On every essential topic, including his political preferences, he refuses utterance and must continue so to do until President Wilson formally terminates his ambassadorial status.

CARRANZA WINS ELECTION.

Only Few Scattering Votes For Others at Mexican Polls.

Mexico City, March 12.—General Venustiano Carranza has been elected president of Mexico by what is believed to have been the largest vote ever cast in the republic.

Although the voters had the privilege of writing in or declaring any name they desired, General Carranza received all but a few ballots. The estimated vote cast runs all the way from several hundred thousand to a million.

Mexico will now have a constitutional president for the first time since 1911, when Francisco I. Madero received more than 300,000 votes. General Victoriano Huerta called an election in 1913 and declared himself elected, but later nullified the election on the ground that an insufficient number of votes had been cast.

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For Newark—5.00, 6.57, 7.02, (through train to Newark), (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.26, 9.09, 10.26, 11.27 a. m., 12.58, 1.27, 2.27, 3.26, 4.12, 5.26, —2.24, 5.52, 9.34, 10.37, a. m., 12.26, 1.02, 2.30, 3.29, 5.30, 6.34, 7.40, 8.13, 8.55, 9.27, 10.36 p. m.

For Elizabeth, Rahway, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.23 (except Mauch Chunk), 8.09, 8.44, 10.44 a. m., 2.00, 5.46, (5.52 to Easton) p. m. Sunday—5.13, (9.44 to Allentown), 10.57 a. m., 1.09, 5.02 p. m.

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SECOND DEATH TIES THE HOUSE

Republicans and Democrats Each Have 214 Members.

FIVE INDEPENDENTS DOUBTFUL

Senate to Adjourn Wednesday Until Extraordinary Session and Will Devote Time Until Then to Considering Nominations by President—Bryan's $15,000,000 Treaty With Colombia Not Likely to Be Ratified.

Washington, March 12.—The special session of the senate will adjourn not later than Wednesday. It has accomplished the principal object for which it was called—namely, the revision of its rules, so that hereafter no such exhibition of dilatory tactics and interference with the wishes of the vastly dominant majority of the upper house may be re-enacted.

The other object of its assembling, the ratification of the Bryan treaty with the republic of Colombia, whereby the United States engrees to pay $15,000,000 to that nation, will not be gained. The senate has a majority favorable to the ratification of the treaty, but the two thirds majority necessary to the complete acceptance of the pact into the organic law of the United States is lacking.

Death Brings Equality.

The senate has fewer nominations to consider than is usual following on the induction of a new administration. The 2,000 and more of nominations which failed of action in the closing hours of the Sixty-fourth congress were not renewed for the exception of a very few, but among the number was the election of Dr. Cary T. Grayson, U. S. N., the president's aid and family physician, from the rank of lieutenant commander to that of rear admiral in the medical corps of the navy. This designation has had the same effect in this congress as in the last and has halted the progress of confirmations completely.

With the reassembling of congress in extraordinary session only five weeks distant the greatest interest is developing in the probable completion and control of the next house.

The announcement of the sudden death of Representative Cyrus Sulloway of New Hampshire, a Republican, again ties the big parties in the house.

Each has 214 certain adherents. The independent group remains the same, five doubtful quantities, with chances favoring the lineup of three of the so called Independents with the Republicans on questions of organization and the positive certainty of the alliance of the remaining two with the Democrats.

Independents Aligning Themselves.

Representative Schall, the Minnesota Progressive, cleared the situation somewhat by announcing that he would not hold out as an independent or go into any "little group of willful men" willing to halt the organization of the house until they can win for themselves extraordinary consideration in the way of committee places and patronage.

This is accepted at once to mean that Schall will affiliate with the Republicans. Representative Miller of Minnesota will without doubt vote with the Republicans on organization, it is asserted by men who know him. Representative Martin, the Louisiana Progressive, is still reckoned in the doubtful column.

Governor Whitman's announced intention to call a special election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative Conry, Democrat, of New York city, it is expected, will result in a similar action by the governor of New Hampshire to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative Sulloway.

INSISTS ON 1875 TREATY.

German Foreign Secretary Says U. S. Cannot Seize Ships Here.

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville, March 12.—"The treaty of 1875 with the United States is still in force, and I expect America to keep it. The treaty also provides for the eventuality of war, and if America wants to stand on the basis of international law, then she cannot seize German ships lying in American ports."

Foreign Secretary Zimmermann is quoted as making the above statement to a representative of the Budapest newspaper Vilag. He reiterated his assertion of a few days ago that war or peace between Germany and the United States "depends solely upon President Wilson" and that Germany has spoken her final word regarding unrestricted U-boat warfare and will not recede from her position.

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French Soldier Taking His Night Meal on the Somme.

Photo by American Press Association.

BAGDAD CAPTURED BY THE BRITISH

Turks Suffer Their Worst Reverse of War.

London, March 12.—Bagdad has fallen to the British.

From the citadel of the ancient Mesopotamian metropolis flutters the union jack, and far beyond the city's outskirts British cavalry is hard on the heels of the Turks fleeing northwestward along both banks of the Tigris.

When news of Bagdad's capture by General Maude's army reached London it was promptly flashed broadcast and came to all Europe as one of the greatest surprises of the war. That the city would fall sooner or later was generally expected, but that the capture would come so soon surprised even the most sanguine British military experts.

The Turks had been expected to make a stubborn stand on the river Diala, six miles away. Only a few days ago Major General Frederick B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the British war office, had predicted a hard battle. The idea was general that for two years the Turks had been busy constructing powerful defenses to ward off the final British onslaught.

The capture of Bagdad, it is felt, goes a long way toward re-establishing badly injured British prestige in the near and far east. It wipes out the humiliating blot of Kut-el-Amara and obliterates much of the blackness the Dardanelles disaster left behind.

Premier Lloyd-George, Sir Douglas Haig and other statesmen and military chiefs have sent congratulatory messages to General Maude, and a similar telegram is to be dispatched by the king. The British commander's victory at Bagdad is regarded as one of the most brilliant strategic feats of the war. It is a culmination of a long series of victories of which the reoccupation of Kut was the gladdest news London had received since General Townshend's fiasco. Nowhere in all the widely separated war areas, military critics point out, has British pluck and tenacity been better or as well illustrated.

STANDS BY GRANDPARENTS.

Court of Errors Rules They Need Not Support Grandchild.

Trenton, March 12.—The court of errors and appeals has set aside proceedings under which Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stark of Jersey City were ordered to pay a weekly sum for the maintenance of an indigent grandchild, Pierce Stark.

The decision of the court of errors reverses the judgment of the supreme court, which affirmed an order directing the grandparents to provide for their grandchild.

"German Apothecary" Native Born.

Morristown, N. J., March 12.—E. W. Gebhardt unthinkingly put on a sign certain in front of his drug store that he was a German apothecary. There was so much criticism that he has been obliged to issue a public statement that he was native American, and the use of the word German in front of his store was not intended to give the impression that he was a pro-German, but that he and his clerks speak that language.

BOYS BEAT MEN ON STATE FARMS

Raise Big Food Surplus at Jamesburg Home.

CUT MAINTENANCE COST $3,908

Lads Produced More Than 5,000 Bushels of Potatoes Alone, $7,000 Worth of Milk, Beef Valued at $3,000 and Eggs Worth $500—Prison Farm Worked by Men Shows Loss.

Trenton, March 12.—If all the state institutions were run on the principle of the Home For Boys at Jamesburg surpluses instead of deficits would be the rule; also let high cost of living would get a jolt almost of the knock-out variety.

The soaring prices of potatoes doesn't bother the home authorities, for they raised more than 5,000 bushels on the home farm last year, providing the 3,500 bushels needed for the institution and giving nearly 1,500 bushels to sell besides all those needed for seed. The farm also produced more than $7,000 worth of milk, $3,000 worth of farm products, $3,000 worth of beef and $500 worth of eggs and poultry, a total of $16,500. The greater part of the labor was done by the boy inmates.

The annual report of Joseph Mitchell of Jersey City, treasurer of the home, shows that besides all food products raised from the farm for the institution the surplus was sold for $3,908, reducing the cost of maintenance that much more.

The good results from this farm stand out in contrast to the showing made by the prison labor commission of the failure of the state prison farm in Cumberland county. It was shown the prison farm did not produce enough to support the 100 or more convicts and their attendants. Hogs were fattened and the pork sold for 8 cents a pound, and then the prison authorities had to purchase pork at 13 cents a pound for the prisoners.

Y. M. C. A. FOR WILDWOOD.

Movement Follows Discussion of Conservation of Young Men.

Wildwood, March 12.—At the regular meeting of the Wildwood board of trade Arthur E. Armitage, educational secretary of the Camden Young Men's Christian association, spoke on conservation of young men and boys and the advantage of Y. M. C. A. work in a community. Others who spoke along the same lines were J. Pithian Tatem and the Rev. H. P. Cressman.

As a result of the meeting the president, P. P. Baker, appointed a committee to take up the matter of starting a Young Men's Christian association for this city. The committee will sound the sentiment of the community and secure definite information and plans for the organization of a Young Men's Christian association.

VETOES HIS FIRST BILL.

Ventnor Mayor Rejects Sectional Paving as Unbusinesslike.

Ventnor City, March 12.—Mayor Theodore W. Schimpf, a lawyer, who took office on Jan. 1 to serve without pay, gave council a jolt by vetoing ordinance No. 1, the first councilmanic measure presented for his approval. It provided for the paving of sections of streets with asphalt.

Mayor Schimpf explained that to pave streets for one or two squares is not businesslike, but said he would approve a bill for continuous paving from the beach front to the west side of Ventnor.

MINISTER APPEALS OUSTING.

Removed as School Principal, He Takes Case to Board of Education.

Trenton, March 12.—The Rev. A. C. MacDonald, whose dismissal as supervising principal of schools of Hamilton township has been directed by the local board, has filed an appeal with the state board of education. His dismissal has been upheld by Commissioner Calvin N. Kendall of the department of public instruction.

The Rev. Mr. MacDonald was charged with insubordination and conduct unbecoming a school official.

New Spanish Loan.

Madrid, March 12.—Announcement is made by governmental decree of the flotation of a new Spanish loan of 1,000,000,000 pesetas. The loan will be issued at 6 per cent and will be redeemable in fifty years. Subscriptions will be opened March 31.

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NEXT MOVE UP TO GERMANY

Gunners on United States Merchantmen Ordered to Fire on Submarines Showing Hostile Intent, but Not on Sight—War and Navy Departments and National Defense Council Rushing Preparations For Eventualities.

Washington, March 12.—Within ten days the question of actual hostilities or peace between the United States and Germany will be settled. With American armed merchantmen prepared for the dash through the submarine war zone, President Wilson and his advisers have settled down for a period of "watchful waiting."

The administration is convinced that the differences between the United States and Germany will reach a climax when the first armed American merchant ship meets a German submarine. While all ship movements were shrouded behind impenetrable secrecy, it was stated that the departure of American commercial ships carrying naval guns and gunners would be a matter of but a few days and that within ten days armed American ships would be in the war zone.

With the gunners aboard American ships under orders to fire at once on any submarine which approaches in a threatening manner, the first encounter between an American ship and a German undersea boat will bring definite decisive results.

Wilson Still Hoping.

The administration is still hoping against hope that the German submarine commanders will follow international law and respect American rights. If the usual rules of sea warfare are followed and American ships are boarded and searched for contraband the ships will not resist. Only this course, it was stated, can prevent open hostilities between the two nations.

Meantime the navy department is going steadily forward with the work of arming merchantmen. Every American merchant ship which requests protection will be given adequate armament and qualified naval gunners. Every government agency will be invoked to insure proper safeguards in the way of concealing vessel movements and keeping departures, arrivals and probable courses of American ships secret.

Waiting for definite action in the war zone to precipitate the climax in the German dispute, the administration is concentrating all its energies in preparation for any eventuality. The war making machinery of the government is under orders to get into fighting trim, and the mobilization of the industrial and commercial forces of the nation to meet whatever news from the war zone may bring is going steadily on.

Through the Council of National Defense and its advisory committee the work of organizing the nation's labor and business will be continued, and all of the vast energies of the country will be made available for any use the president may need to make of them.

Plan War Legislation.

President Wilson and his advisers have begun planning the program of "war legislation," which will be laid before the extraordinary session of the Sixty-fifth congress called for April 16. All of the matters which the president will bring to the attention of congress will have to do with the international situation.

The war and navy departments have been ordered to prepare estimates of the funds necessary to meet any situation that may arise and to frame tentative legislation designed to accomplish any changes in administrative organization that may prove advisable.

The president expects to have a clear and definite legislative program ready to submit when the extraordinary session convenes and looks forward for a prompt response to his legislative demands.

President Wilson and Secretary Lansing have begun an intensive study of the latest Austrian communication on the submarine question. It is expected that the negotiations with Austria will be continued, temporarily at least. It was stated, however, that the Austrian situation would undoubtedly be brought to a climax if an actual clash between the United States and Germany is precipitated by happenings in the war zone.

CARETAKER KILLED.

Shot by Trespassers on Long Branch Guggenheimer Estate.

Long Branch, N. J., March 12.—William Lackey, caretaker of Fireuze, the country estate of Daniel Guggenheimer of New York, was shot and instantly killed in Sycamore avenue, the Elberon section of the city.

He, with Joseph Whitstock, a greenhouse man, saw two suspicious characters lurking about the place, finally locating them behind a hedge. "There they are," Lackey said to Whitstock. "Shoot!" was the word hurled back. Two shots were fired. The men escaped in the darkness.

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THE MARCH SALE OF GLASSWARE

Glassware is also included in these March Sales in our Basement. All the sets have been taken from our open stock, and you can replace broken pieces at any time. Each set consists of 6 champagne, 6 wine, 6 cordial and 6 cocktail glasses, and also 6 goblets.

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5.76 Crystal Service, 4.50—This set is decorated in a needle etched scroll pattern. Slightly marred. Priced 4.50.

63.00 CHINA DINNER SETS, AT 57.50

Theodore Haviland (Limoges) China Dinner Sets. This is one of our open stock patterns, decorated with a gold line on the edge and a Persian border with pink flower medallions and coin gold handles on all hollow pieces. The set consists of dinner plates, coupe soup plates, tea plates, fruit saucers, individual butters, two meat platters, one open vegetable dish, sauce boat and stand, pickle dish, one oval covered dish, a casserole, a butter dish, tea cups and saucers, a sugar bowl and cream pitcher.

13.50 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 12.00—Each piece in this set has a blue band on the edges and blue traced handles with gold line on the edges.

12.00 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 10.75—This set consists of 56 pieces, in a pink conventional apple blossom border. There is a gold line on the edge of all pieces and coin gold handles.

8.98 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 7.50—A set consisting of 56 pieces. Have conventional border of pink flowers and garlands. There is a gold line on the edge of all pieces. Traced gold handles on all hollow pieces.

5.98 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 5.25—Conventional gold lace design with gold band at edge and stippled gold handles. A very pretty set. Consists of 56 pieces.

17.00 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 15.00—A set consisting of 100 pieces. The blue willow pattern, in the old English shape.

15.00 American Porcelain Dinner Sets, 12.50—100 pieces. Choice of violet and green leaf conventional border or holly berry conventional border. Gold line at edges on all pieces and traced gold line on all hollow pieces.

Items will be on sale for limited time only, but throughout the month of March new items will be added from time to time.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF FILING OF CONSENT BY STOCKHOLDERS TO DISSOLUTION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof deposited in my office, that the

U. S. METAL AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 171 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey (Frederick Martin being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served) has complied with the requirements on "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)" preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate that such consent has been filed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THOMAS F. MARTIN, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, Do Hereby Certify that the said corporation did, on the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1912, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by more than two-thirds in interest of the stockholders thereof, which said certificate and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this Twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(Signed) THOMAS F. MARTIN,
(Seal) Secretary of State.

3—5-12-19-26

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section, in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a bituminous wearing surface upon a Concrete foundation:

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 37528 square yards.

Of foundation, 37528 square yards.

Bids will be received and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2:30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 120 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and blue prints of the drawings by the engineer on proper notice and payment of cost of preparation. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

3—5, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of John Bushnell, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation all demands against the estate of said deceased, and that if any shall neglect or refuse for the space of eight months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

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EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, sole surviving executor of John Ledger, deceased, late of Isaac Ledger, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

MARTIN MANTZ.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscribers, Administrator of Charles Milliken, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

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ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Piscataway, on Monday, March 19th, 1917, at eight o'clock p. m., at the New Market School, New Market, N. J., for the erection and completion of the addition to New Market School, New Market, N. J., according to plans and specifications prepared by J. N. Pierson & Son, Architects, 139 Smith Street, Perth Amboy, N. J. Bids must be made separately as follows: For General Construction, Heating and Ventilating, Plumbing, Electrical Work. Plans may be obtained from the Clerk of the Board, Everett Marshall, R. F. D. No. 2, New Brunswick, N. J., upon the deposit of certified check for twenty dollars, drawn to the order of the Board of Education, Township of Piscataway, or may be seen at the office of the architects. Check will be returned when plans are returned. Certified checks drawn to order of the Board of Education, Township of Piscataway, must accompany each bid for amounts as follows: General Construction, $500.00; Heating and Ventilating, $200.00; Plumbing, $200.00; Electrical Work, $50.00.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish a Surety Bond for the full amount of the bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN GEARY, President.

EVERETT MARSHALL, Clerk.

2—10-12-14

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph J. Aalhuim, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering same against the subscriber.

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He gave the number of men under arms in all war zones as 44,000,000. He said 5,000,000 had been killed, 6,000,000 made prisoners, 5,000,000 wounded and 10,000,000 maimed for life. The number of people in detention camps is 6,000,000.

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"Oh, what is so rare as a day in June?"

A piece of the cow that jumped over the moon."

This condition should not exist. We are in favor of more meat on beefsteak.

"Weather or No"

Two heads are better than one, except on a tack or the morning after.—Old Man Sage.

TWO NEW TEAMS IN BASEBALL LEAGUE

Pond and Spicer Plants Have Applied for Berths in Local Circuit

Recent developments in the local baseball world indicates that the City Baseball League will again be a six-club circuit instead of a four-team affair, as it was planned earlier in the season. Reports coming to this office this morning are to the effect that the Pond Machine Tool Company of the West End and the Spicer Manufacturing Company of South Plainfield will be represented on the league diamonds when the schedule of games is opened up Saturday, April 28.

The Pond concern had a team on the field some fifteen or twenty years ago prior to the old City League days. In those days the old Clinton Avenue Club was in its prime and the Arions, predecessors of the first Hope Chapel nine, was on the field. Dick Scott, now retired from active service on the field, was the mainstay of the old Pond team for a number of years. The Spicer Company had a team in action some three or four years since, when the Manufacturers' League went through the single season of its existence.

The league will hold its next session during the latter part of this month, at which time the schedule of games for the season will be discussed and a committee to care for the details of the arrangement of the schedule will be appointed. The opening date for the season has already been set for April 28. The other four clubs in the league are the St. Joseph's of North Plainfield, Hope Chapel, First Baptist and Netherwood.

BASEBALL DATES ON

The Plainfield High School baseball team has been signed up for a pair of games by the Roselle Park High School nine for the coming season. The first of these will be staged at Roselle Park April 25, while the other is booked for this city June 6.

The Westfield school aggregation has also been booked for a brace of contests—May 16 at Westfield and June 2 at Roselle Park. Of the nineteen games arranged the bulk is with high school teams from this county.

QUOIT TOURNAMENT

The quoit tournament of the Tuckahatcheo Club will open this evening at 8 o'clock. Considerable interest is being shown, and picking the winner is rather a difficult matter. Practice has shown that competition will be keen and close.

Members of the club who are interested in chess spent a most enjoyable evening Friday at the home of Mr. McClymont. This meeting was primarily for those who are making their first venture into the intricacies and beauties of the game.

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THE LAST WORD IN THE TITLE TALK

Borough Has Last Word and Deck is Now Cleared for Action of Teams

Sporting Editor, Courier-News:

At the request of several local people of the city and borough who are interested in interscholastic athletics and who desire the true facts of the claim made by North Plainfield High School to the feminine city championship title, I take this opportunity to reply to the statement made by S. W. McAneny of Plainfield High School, which appeared on this page last week.

In the first place, we specifically stated in our claim that we desired to play any team disputing this claim, naturally hoping that Plainfield would be the first to challenge us, and took this means as a final effort—not only to bring P. H. S. out into the open, but also to dispel any misapprehension on the part of some of our friends who believed the borough girls did not wish to participate in a series this year.

As to North Plainfield's right to the city title, I wish to inform those who have since forgotten that North Plainfield won the city championship last year rather easily, and furthermore, unless the series is played this year, still holds the title, according to all rules of sport. In making the arrangements for the games this year the Plainfield representatives forgot this fact, and instead of North Plainfield dictating the terms, as it had a perfect right to do, inasmuch as it is the defender of the title, the city representatives, including coach, manager and captain, after verbally agreeing to everything at the first meeting between the two schools, took it upon themselves to define a new set of rules under which the series should be played. I think the sport fandom of this city will agree that in every line of sport the holder or defender of the title has a legitimate right to say upon what terms they will defend their title when challenged, in which latter capacity Plainfield High School is now situated.

Considering this fact, which Plainfield has unfortunately overlooked, the claim of North Plainfield surely does not appear so absurd and which Plainfield thinks is nothing.

Furthermore, if all future contests between the two schools are arranged by Plainfield's method—arbitration—the old-time rivalry is doomed to die. The sport fandom of this city wants action—not arbitration.

If the Plainfield High School girls are really sincere and wish to play off the series this year, it would be a great deal more sensible to allow the managers of the respective teams to get together immediately, and with some disinterested third party, arrange the rules to decide the title.

North Plainfield, although the lease on Saengerbund Hall expires this week, will defend the title under these conditions named, until the close of this month.

3. Six players to play one half and five in the other period.

2. A neutral referee.

3. If possible, all three games to be played on a neutral court.

We think these rules fair and square, benefiting neither side, and insert them here for the benefit of the public. The last clause, we think, a good innovation, as a familiarity with the playing floor is always a potent factor in deciding the issue, and the real calibre of the two teams is only fairly demonstrated on a neutral court.

We wish to impress on the minds of those interested that N. P. H. S. does not wish to gain the title of any sort by simply claiming it; never has the past and never will in the future, but we do want to play Plainfield under fair conditions to both sides and still think local fandom will agree that our above conditions are fair.

Yours in sport,
VINCENT P. LAPORTE,
N. P. H. S. '17.

[The sporting department of the Courier-News in giving both sides of this story has done its part. The rest of the discussion must be carried on verbally. The sporting editor desires both managers to get together—and what is more, be sensible when you do get together. No mud slinging; just plain sport business.]

LEE R. JOHNS BRINGS SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Lee R. Johns, former champion bowler of Newark, who is now living at 108 West Forty-eighth street, New York, has brought suit for divorce against his wife, Leona Stevens Johns. Mrs. Johns was an actress who frequently appeared on the stage before her marriage.

Mack Joins His Team

Jacksonville, Fla., March 12.—Manager Mack, with several young pitchers, joined the Philadelphia American League squad here yesterday and prepared for the team's first work-out today.

PLAINFIELD WINS OVER EASTON TEAM

Local Y. W. C. A. Team Doubles Score of Their Hostesses Saturday Night

The local Y. W. C. A. girls won the basketball game from the Easton association at Easton Saturday evening. It was a fast and exciting game, and each side worked to the limit for their points. The locals just doubled their hostesses' score, 16 to 8, the first half score standing 10 to 6.

Miss McAuliffe again proved herself a star forward, doing the greater portion of her team's scoring. The passing of both teams was very good at times. The Plainfield girls were guests of the Easton girls over Saturday night and attended the vesper services of that association yesterday afternoon, returning to this city last night. The teams are looking forward to a return match here soon.

The score:

PLAINFIELD Y. W. C. A.	G.	F.	P.
Miss McAuliffe, f	7	0	14
Miss Blasier, f	1	0	2
Miss Mair, c	0	0	0
Miss Doughty, g	0	0	0
Miss Johnson, g	0	0	0
Miss Steiner, sc	0	0	0
Miss Brower, g	0	0	0
	8	0	16

EASTON Y. W. C. A.	G.	F.	P.
Miss Hartman, f	2	2	6
Miss Lux, f	1	0	2
Miss Reid, c	0	0	0
Miss Buss, g	0	0	0
Miss Dreysbach, g	0	0	0
Miss Weller, sc	0	0	0
	3	2	8

Referees, Miss Stokes and Miss Clara Smith; timer, Miss Van Hise.

SECURES SCORE OF 37, AND IS HAPPY

Some Stunt Startles Spectators of Johns-Manville Employes' Match

A little story concerning one man by the name of Williams, employed at the Johns-Manville factory in the old Finderne section of the State, and vouched for by a gentleman connected with the concern, living in this city, is that the aforesaid Williams recently participated in a bowling match.

Nothing very startling about a man enjoying this sport, to be sure, but when a man can secure a score of 37 in ten frames and get away with the enjoyment of it, he certainly deserves this amount of space in the sporting columns of any newspaper. He is one of the wonders of the world.

Incidentally, we present the following record of the bowling tourney of the above shop for the week ending March 10:

Team	W	L	PC	HS
A	11	1	.917	863
O	7	5	.583	803
P	5	4	.556	802
M	5	4	.556	799
B	6	6	.500	808
D	6	6	.500	805
E	4	8	.333	783
C	1	11	.083	734

High individual average—C. Overasky, A, 178.5. High individual score—R. Conway, C, 229. Low individual average, T. Jobbins, D, 105. Three high games on Somerville alleys—C. Overasky, A, 570 pins.

LOCAL BOY MAKING GOOD ON THE TRACK

Andy McDonough, one of Plainfield's products in the athletic world, is doing some great work with the track team of Notre Dame University at Notre Dame, Ind. The team of which McDonough is a member has already won four trophy cups, the latest of which was copped at Champagne, Ind. The entries in the latter race number 179 men, and the Notre Dame boys had to travel some over a two-mile course to take the honors of the occasion.

The other members of this team are Noonan, Casper and Meehan. The team will next appear in a track meet at Philadelphia Wednesday, March 28, which will probably be attended by a number of local athletic fans of this city to see the Plainfield boy at work. Andy is the son of P. J. McDonough, of Randolph road.

NESS NOW A SEMI-PRO

Chicago, March 12.—Jack Ness, first baseman, who refused to sign a contract for this season with the management of the Chicago American League team, yesterday signed with a semi-pro team belonging to the City League. Ness was sold to Columbus after he refused to come to terms with the Americans, but refused to go to the American Association team.

BOROUGH FAIR SEX WERE THERE, BUT-

Boys Did Not Care to Imitate Sir Walter Raleigh in Letting Girls By

SOME REGULAR STUNTS

Gone, but not forgotten, is the annual contest between the feminine quintet of North Plainfield High School and the boys' varsity, played on the Saengerbund Hall court last Saturday night before the largest crowd that has witnessed a game on the borough floor this year. The game was a scream from start to finish. Although handicapped by potato sacks, the boys proved superior to the fair sex at their own game.

At the start of the contest, after the spectators had recovered their composure on seeing the boys' team assemble on the floor arrayed in middy blouses and feed bags, the boys, just to show their opponents in what light they held their basketball ability, shifted Captain Seidel and Al Willett to the forward positions, with Ahern and LaPorte going into guard. The gruelling contest got under way with the girls' team caging the first two-pointer. After five minutes of play the boys called upon Mr. Earley, the official, for a brief respite, and during the intermission cut the sacks in half. Coming on the floor again their play was a decided improvement. The slaughter ended at the close of the first period 8 to 5 in favor of the boys.

During the intermission an effort to tie the feet of two of the boys failed, so the girls at the start of the second period decided to make a new regulation and play forwards. The half was a terrible one for the male contestants, who, after taking all the punishment they could endure and still play feminine rules, began to run wild. Some rapid shooting by Bill Seidel and Ahern soon gave them a comfortable lead, which the girls were unable to cut down.

The score:

N. P. H. S. GIRLS	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	0	2	2
Miss Chandler, f	1	0	2
Miss McCullough, f, c	2	0	4
Miss Collier, g	0	0	0
Miss N. McDonough, g	0	0	0
Miss Wykoff, g	0	0	0
Miss R. McDonough, g	0	0	0
Miss Vail, g	0	0	0
	3	2	8

N. P. H. S. BOYS	G.	F.	P.
Seidel, f	3	0	6
Willett, f	4	0	8
McDonough, c	1	0	2
Force, sc	1	0	2
Ahern, g	2	0	4
LaPorte, g	0	0	0
Barry, g	0	0	0
	11	0	22

Score by periods:
N. P. H. S. Girls ..... 5 3— 8
N. P. H. S. Boys ..... 8 14—22

Referee, Earley; timer, Lowrie; scorer, Burmer.

GAME IS HALTED BY ROUGH TACTICS

Recreation Five Takes Last Game of Season From Y. M. C. A. First Team

An abbreviated basketball contest was staged at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium floor Saturday evening with the association and Recreation Five teams as the principals, the score standing 30 to 8 in favor of the Recreation players.

Rough tactics on the part of several players made the calling of the play the part of wisdom just prior to the opening of the second period. The contest probably closed the season for the association aggregation, although the second team will probably stage one or two more games.

The score:

RECREATION FIVE	G.	F.	P.
Berse, f	5	2	12
Porter, f	0	0	0
Kyle, c	5	2	12
Davidson, g	0	0	0
Klein, g	0	0	0
	13	4	30

Y. M. C. A.	G.	F.	P.
T. Ricketts, f	1	2	4
J. Ricketts, f	0	0	0
Boyle, c	1	0	2
Smith, g	0	0	0
Naylor, g	0	0	0
	3	2	8

Elected President o Spaniel Club

Mrs. Haley Fiske, of Bernardsville, N. J., was unanimously elected president of the Cocker Spaniel Club at a meeting held during the Westminster Kennel Club show. Walter B. Johnson was chosen treasurer and E. M. Wilson secretary.

BOROUGH BASEBALL OUTLOOK IS GOOD

N. P. H. S. Has Plenty of Material on Hand for a First-Rate Nine

Prospects for a championship nine again are very bright this year over in the North Plainfield High School. With Capt. Andy McDonough, star catcher of the interscholastic title holders last year; Ed Yates, the fleet second sacker; Muir on the first sack, Stewart and LaPorte in the outfield, all of whom are still in school, besides a wealth of new material, the borroughites should get off to a flying start as soon as the weather permits.

N. P. H. S. lost a wonderful pitcher in Oscar Diltz by graduation last year, but has a new recruit, Sid Dunning, who in the few games in which he participated toward the close of last season, showed considerable speed and control. Sid is built on lines that bakes for the successful flinger—tall and rangy—and will no doubt prove very effective in the box for the Canadians. Captain McDonough will again be seen behind the bat, with Mair stationed at his old position on the keystone sack. Second base will be a problem for "Andy" to solve if he decides to switch Yates to third to fill in the position at the difficult corner left vacant by Warren Townley. In the fall practice Barry showed up well at second and may be given another chance. Billy Ahern will be tried out at short most likely, as the former Wilkesbarre boy has had some experience there. There will undoubtedly be a large number of other infield candidates who will make the going strenuous for the above named.

In the outfield are left Douglas Stewart and Vincent LaPorte, who cavorted in the garden at different times during last season. Harry Kirch, Murry McDonough, Al Seidel and Pete Van Mater, the last named who is now attending the New York Military Academy, are gone, the first three named being members of the graduating class of 1916.

Practice will start on Hyde Oval just as soon as the weather permits. No coach as been selected as yet.

INNER-TRIANGLES WIN ONCE AGAIN

Defeat Nifty Netherwoods in Regular Basket Shooting Fest Saturday Night

Saturday night on the Triangle court the I.-T. C. team, regenerated and rebuilt, walked all over the Nifty Netherwoods, trimming them to the tune of 50 to 21. The class of improvement was manifest in the passing and shooting of the Orange and Black men.

At the end of the first half the score stood 25 to 9 in favor of the Inner-Triangles. Campbell, the Triangles' new centre, scored nine baskets. Patterson was knocked out in the first half, but returned to the game after a brief rest.

The score:

INNER-TRIANGLE	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	6	4	16
Gallberg, f	5	0	10
Campbell, c	9	0	18
Scruton, g	1	0	2
Cartwright, g	2	0	4
	23	4	50

NETHERWOOD	G.	F.	P.
Coughlin, f	4	0	8
Wilmerding, f, g	0	0	0
Snyder, c	4	0	8
Mowen, g	2	1	5
Dunn, g	0	0	0
	10	1	21

Scorer, R. Hansen; timer, C. Collins; referee, Denny.

WAR ODDITIES

Paris—Thirty-five different species of birds were found making their nests in deserted trenches on the west front by Dr. Arthur White, an American naturalist.

Manchester—Pleading for exemption on the ground that his nerves were bad, Frank Mauler was given his choice between an open air cure in the trenches or the jail yard. He enlisted.

London—Convicted of the theft of six shillings, Johnny Carlton, 9, was sentenced to stay away from the "movies" for two years.

London—The only cannibal chef in captivity is the proud possession of Clarence Carrigan, the American consul. Alphonse, when not out head-hunting, can flap flap-jacks with the best of them.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Mabel Emmons, of Matawan, has returned home after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. A. McDowell, of Sheridan avenue.

DOUBLE HEADER ON FOR T. A. B. S. COURTS

Basketball fans will be treated to a classy double-header tomorrow night in T. A. B. S. Hall, West Fourth street. In the preliminary game, which will start at 8.15, the Inner-Triangles of Netherwood will lic Service team of that place.

clash with the fast Arlington five, rated as one of the best teams in the city.

The main attraction will be staged between the St. Mary's Social Club team and the representative team of the Y. W. C. A.

Wednesday night the Social Club will go to Newark to play the Public Service team of that place.

BAD ROADS DELAYED BRIDEGROOM

New Brunswick, March 12.—Brothers of the prospective bride were just about to go in search of the missing bridegroom Saturday night when Le Roy R. Seidell, chief chemist of the Simplex Automobile Company, of this city, mud spattered and bedraggled, arrived three hours late for his wedding to Miss Myrtle Stelly, at Kutztown, Pa.

After waiting for three hours the guests were just about to start home from the Trinity Lutheran Church when Mr. Seidell, with C. D. Hibbard and H. L. Green, of New York, best man and chief usher, hurried in, wearing motoring clothes. Bad roads explained their delay and failure to don wedding raiment. The wedding was killed a few days ago on the railroad. thereupon proceeded.

CAT-NIP

A Federal law fixes, in the form of a penalty for killing them, a value of $1.00 on every insect-eating bird. It, as claimed by the editor of one of the country's greatest magazines, cats kill $1,000,000 birds in the United States every year, the nation will have quite a neat little sum due from the feline population by the end of a decade.

BLUEBIRDS AMID SNOW

German Valley, March 12.—Although the snow is several inches deep, bluebirds have been seen for the last two days. The first snake of the season was killed a few days ago on the road.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

The Importance Of Determining What Constitutes A State Of War

The cynical buncombe being emitted by some of our would be publicists and statesmen on the alleged immateriality of determining what constitutes an "overt act," and what amounts to a state of war, has tended to confuse in the minds of those interested in international commerce or affairs the essential issues at stake.

It should be clearly understood that the determination of the question whether a given act will result in the creation of a legal condition of war vitally affects the position of the owners of vessels and cargoes destroyed in the submarine campaign or by German raiders. If the legal status of the United States is that of a neutral, it is obvious that for every vessel destroyed in violation of the accepted canons of international law, a valid claim for damages may be made by the owner and shipper, through the proper diplomatic channels, at the close of the war. It is undoubted that the caution so wisely displayed by our Government in the handling of the present crisis is due in some measure at least to the desire to preserve for American shipowners and business men a complete and unassailable claim for damages for all losses sustained.

It must be equally obvious that any act of this Government which in its nature, under the rules of international law, creates a state of actual hostility between Germany and the United States, will deprive shipowners and shippers of all claim for damages against the German Government. Of course, if the war is provoked by Germany, and is otherwise reprehensible under the rules of international law, indemnity might be claimed in the peace negotiations. But it requires no great astuteness to recognize the weakness of such a claim as compared with the one arising during a state of legal neutrality.

Not only will damages be collectible for the actual destruction of vessels, cargoes and human lives, occurring during a condition of neutrality on the part of this country, but the less direct damages sustained as a result of the tie up of commodities, shipping and transportation in general, will likewise furnish a proper basis for demanding compensation when the proper time arrives.

In the light of the above, the Congress and the President will undoubtedly bear in mind, in passing upon Senator Saulsbury's resolution to tear down the neutrality bars of our ports, by throwing them open to the warships of the allied powers, that the passage of such a resolution would immediately destroy the condition of neutrality now prevailing, and create a legal condition of war, whether or not hostilities in the ordinary sense should ensue.

H. C. Of Paper

By WALT MASON, The Poet-Philosopher

The men who make the white print paper are trying out a get-rich caper. No pent-up Utica contracts them, and no sane statute counteracts them. They view Ye Printer's protests sourly, and keep on raising prices hourly. At noon they send the price up higher, and laugh to scorn the frenzied buyer; and in the solemn midnight watches, they raise the price a few more notches. There is no reason for this plunder, for doubling prices up like thunder, save that the paper sharks are greedy, and are not loath to strip the needy. From every section of the nation come cries of grief and agitation, from publishers and kindred colonels, who say they must suspend their journals, and take in washing for a livin', unless relief to them is given. The paper makers hear the roaring, and see the flood of briny pouring—the storm of wrath around them thickens—and raise the price, to beat the dickens. Before the finish of this winter, we shall behold, methinks, Ye Printer, shorn of his old time smile and chortle, draw near the gloomy souphouse portal, and draw a free and filling ration provided by a weeping nation.

Unwise Praise

You praise your kid before his face, explain to callers he's a peach, the pride and glory of the race, the only pebble on the beach. And soon that kid an aleek grows, a smarty all swelled up with pride; and people long to twist his nose, and jam the sawdust from his hide. The greatest bore that ever was is that obtrusive, forward kid, whose parents gave him wild applause for everything he ever did. When grave and thoughtful people call, to talk of weather and the crops, young Willie grieves and shocks them all, by his persistent, foolish yawps. The grave and thoughtful people look to see the father take a strap, or strip or board, or shepherd's crook, and pound that most annoying chap. But Father smiles as does his spouse; he says, "Our Willie is so gay! He is a sunbeam in the house, he surely drives one's care away!" The callers do not tarry long, they hasten from young Willie's door, and sigh, "How sweet to take a thong, and swat that kid until he's sore!"

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Walt Mason

The Ash Can Tells the Story

There's no need of your spending so much money for coal and having to put out so many ashes. Install a Boynton *Square Pot Boiler* and you'll save much unnecessary expense and work.

Here's the reason: *Square Pot Boilers* burn less coal and give more heat. This is made possible by the *square firepot* that eliminates all waste of heat and coal. It gives as much heat from a small amount of coal as a round firepot gives from a large amount. And as heat can't cling to the square corners like they do to round corners.

Fire always "just right"—enough heat in the radiators to keep the house summer like inside on the coldest day.

Ask your dealer to explain the *Square Pot Boiler* idea. He can also show you Boynton Furnace and Newport Ranges. See him today or write us.

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PETITION IS GRANTED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 12.—The Supreme Court today granted a petition for a writ of certiorari to review the decision of the lower court in a case brought by the Guaranty Trust Company, of New York, against the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, growing out of the return of the liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie to Bar Harbor, at the outbreak of the European war.

LEWIS VOSSLER DIES AT HOSPITAL

Lewis Vossler, of 436 North avenue, Dunellen, died last night at Muhlenberg Hospital, where he had been a patient since last Friday. Pneumonia was the cause of his death.

It was only a week ago that his wife, Amelia E. Vossler, passed away at her home in Dunellen from the same complaint. Both were natives of this State and had resided in Dunellen for some time.

Two children survive them.

ALL VESSELS TO HAVE ARMED GUARD

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 12.—The American Government will make no distinction between the munition ships and others in arming the vessels. All will be given an armed guard although in the case of freighters which specifically request that they be relieved from the burden of guns, exception may be made. The general policy will be to give all American vessels entering the blockade zone some form of self defense.

The statement issued by the *State* Department today makes it clear that the armed ships are to be, in effect, Government vessels with the full support of the United States behind them. It clears away all doubt that the administration might yet modify its decision to make a complete case on the stand it has taken in relation to armed neutrality.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

Miss Roxanna S. Love, of East Ninth street, substituted yesterday at the organ in Grace Episcopal church, taking S. Frederick Smith's place. Mr. Smith was indisposed and unable to play.

The First M. E. Church will start an every-member canvass on Sunday next.

2,000 FREIGHT CARS FOR RUSSIA

Special to Courier-News:

Montreal, March 12.—The Canadian Car Foundry Company has closed a contract for 2,000 freight cars for the Russian Government.

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ENDS CATARRH, ASTHMA, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs and Colds, or money back. Sold and guaranteed by

L. W. RANDOLPH

For Lagrippe Coughs, Use Foley's Honey and Tar

For Many Years the Standard Family Cough Medicine for Old and Young

It's quick in action, just a few doses help. It stops the head-splitting, racking cough that tears at your chest and lungs and seems to fray your throat.

"Oh, for a bottle of FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR to stop this awful cough!"

It heals the inflamed mucous lining of your throat and bronchial tubes. For all coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, tickling throat and hoarseness, for children and for grown persons, use FOLEY'S Honey and Tar Compound. 25c, 50c and $1.00 sizes.

Read what a user says: R. G. Collins, expostmaster, Barnegat, New Jersey writes: "FOLEY'S Honey and Tar upon stopped the severe lagrippe cough that completely exhausted me. It can't be best." Safe and reliable. Remember the name, FOLEY'S Honey and Tar Compound, and accept no substitute

Weiss' Boro Drug Store.

A PARTY IN HONOR OF HER BIRTHDAY

A party was tendered to Miss Grace McDowell on Friday evening at her home on Sheridan avenue, in honor of her sixteenth birthday. The evening was pleasantly passed with games, vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss McDowell was the recipient of many birthday gifts.

Those present were: The Misses Myrtle Bailey, Myrtle Kettering, Phoebe McCormick, Madeline Pennington, Tessie Zoel, Eleanore Manning, Aleta McDowell, Grace McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. McDowell, of Plainfield; Mr. and Mrs. W. Mills, of Perth Amboy; Miss Mabel Emmons, of Matawan; Robert Lee, William Egle, Harrie Egle, Walter Egle, Roy Wykoff, Harold Rockefellow, George Hall, Edward Thompson, Sam Dorman, Donald Patterson, Walter Weber, Walter Straningham, George Stitcher, Henry Smith, George Black.

PRESIDENT NOMINATES

Special to Courier-News:

Washington March 12.—President Wilson sent to the Senate today the nomination of William H. Edwards, of New York, to be collector of international revenues for the second district of New York. C. F. Battigan, of Auburn, N. Y., to be collector of customs, District number eight.

RETURN FROM HONEYMOON

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Holmes, who were recently married here, have returned from their honeymoon, and are making their home with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Vanderhoef, on West Front street.

COTTAGE PRAYER MEETING TONIGHT

A cottage prayer meeting will be held this evening under the auspices of the Evona Chapel, at the residence of Millard Mabb, 1424 Willevor street. On Thursday evening, Philip Vroom will speak at Evona chapel. Rev. Charles Fawn addressed the meeting at the chapel last night.

SEEMS EVERYONE HEARD ABOUT IT

All want to try new drug that dries up corns so they lift out.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezone, the ether discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezone, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so shriveled that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.—Adv.

AN EXPERT ON COLDS

Comparatively few people realize that a cold is a signal of physical weakness.

To treat a cold with weakening physics, alcoholic syrups or drugged pills, may smother the cold but they also reduce the body powers still further and invite more serious sickness.

Scott's Emulsion has always been an expert on colds, because it peculiarly enriches the blood, quickly tones up the forces and strengthens both throat and chest. Try Scott's. Refuse Substitutes.

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STEVENS ALUMNI PLAN STATE ORGANIZATION

Graduates of Stevens Institute at Hoboken, are planning to organize an alumni association through Central New Jersey, the idea being to interest every graduate in this part of the State. The name suggested is Central Jersey Stevens Club.

The organization committee comprises Lawrence C. F. Horle, chairman; Philip March, Nie Heyman, Gurlin Todd and Alfred Karr. One meeting has already been held and another will be arranged for in the near future.

GERMANS ADMIT ARMING SHIPS ADDS TROUBLES

Special to the Courier-News:

Amsterdam, March 12.—The "Kneinische Volks Zeitung," a copy of which has been received here, admits that the arming of American merchantmen will make Germany's position more difficult. It expressed the belief that the Americans will not find it easy to provide guns and gun crews, and says it does not believe the danger to German submarines will be increased.

"We have always maintained," says the newspaper, "that a victory over England would be impossible unless we also determined to face America. This moment has now come. If an American declaration of war arrives the German people will accept it with the same determination and confidence that they have accepted all previous declarations."

GASOLINE PROBABLY WILL CONTINUE HIGH

By United Press:

Washington, March 12.—Congress is too busy with other things to look into the price of gasoline as suggested by Representative Steenerson's resolution in the House, and in consequence automobile owners probably will pay a good stiff price for their gas again this year. Thousands of cars were kept in their garages last year because gas was too high, and unless a substitute is found or prices come down they will probably stay there this year, too.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Covert, of New York, spent yesterday in Plainfield, the guest of friends.

James P. Streeter, of Church street, who has been at Muhlenberg Hospital for the past week for treatment, has returned to his home.

Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, called to the pastorate at Hope Chapel late last fall, will take up a permanent residence in the West End on April 1.

GREAT GERMAN PLOT AIMED AT LEAGUE ISLAND

Philadelphia, March 12.—Explosives in sufficient quantity to blow up every ship and quilding at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and to wreck the drydock have been shipped into League Island since diplomatic relations were broken off. It was learned today, merely as one item in a plot of far-reaching dimensions and danger.

Two persons were arrested in this city yesterday in connection with this plot.

SYRUP OF FIGS FOR CROSS, SICK FEVERISH CHILD

If Little Stomach is Sour, Liver Torpid or Bowels Clogged

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish, and stomach disordered.

When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can not cause injury. No difference what ails your little one—if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Adv.

CAMPHOROLE! AT ONCE RELIEVES COLDS

It easily loosens congestion, and drives out that cold in the head, throat or chest

If you have a sore, tight, chest, cold in the head or a raw sore throat. Get a jar of Camphorole from the nearest drug store, and watch how it will loosen up that cough, cold and congestion in chest.

Do not treat your colds lightly; this is pneumonia season. The remarkable success of Camphorole is entirely due to wintergreen, menthol and camphor, prepared in a synthetic way to give results.

Physicians recommend Camphorole for Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Croup, Whooping Cough, Tonsilitis, Pleurisy, Neuralgia, Asthma, Stiff Neck, useful in Broncho-Pneumonia.

At all druggists, 25c and 50c jars.

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SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH

The following activities have been arranged for the Seventh Day Baptist Church, this city: March 21, all-day sewing meeting; musical in the evening. March 25, annual meeting of the Sabbath school; March 28, concert by the Alfred Glee Club, evening; March 29, rummage sale, all day; April 1, annuoln meeting of the church.

SENATOR PIERCE SPEAKER AT CRANFORD BANQUET

State Senator Carlton B. Pierce, Dr. Charles Meyers and the Rev. Dr. George Frances Greene, of Cranford, will be the principal after-dinner speakers at the annual banquet of the Cranford Board of Trade to be held on Thursday evening in that place.

GOES TO FORMER HOME

William T. Morgan, clerk at the Hotel Kensington, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, was taken to his former home at Allentown, Pa., yesterday, so that he can be under the care of a specialist.

IN FINANCIAL CIRCLES

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 12.—The directors of the Liggett-Myers Tobacco Co., have declared an extra dividend of four percent. on the common stock payable April 2 to holders of record March 16.

Around the Map with Mary Pickford

AND now Mary Pickford can forget about submarines and passports and once again enjoy life in her own country, the land of the stars and stripes, real pies and baseball games, the home of the free and the brave, for "Little Mary" is back in the good old U. S. A., where she hopes to remain for a long time to come. For many years she has traveled o'er the map, regardless of bursting bombs and poisonous gases. In India recently she took a very active part in an uprising, in which many were killed. From the banks of the Ganges to the wind blown fields of Scotland's heather is a long trip, but the "World's Sweetheart" did not mind the change of climate. Prior to her experiences in India she was seen in various different countries indicated on the foreign map, including Japan, Holland, Alaska, England, France and Italy.

Of course in speaking of Mary's travels around the map we refer to the motion picture map and speak of her *reel* life rather than her *real* life. The uprising in question took place in the Artcraft film, "Less Than the Dust," while her next picture, "The Pride of the Clan," disclosed her in the land of kilts and plaids. And now in "A Poor Little Rich Girl," the well known story by Eleanor Gates, which has also proved a big stage success, Mary appears once again as the American child in her newest Artcraft picture, directed by Maurice Tourneur, after appearing in roles of foreign countries for many months.

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Remember what was claimed for the Super-Six one year ago. Then we had only our own records to show—records proving the Hudson Super-Six the fastest stock car built.

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At this time last season orders exceeded our production by 8,000. At no time during the season were there enough Hudsons to go around. From this you can see what the demand will be this year. We are only producing 30,000 cars as against last year's 25,000 because we cannot build more and build them well. That is not a large increase. It shows, however, that if you want a Hudson you cannot afford to postpone buying. Unless you act now you may be like other thousands who will be disappointed this year because they could not get prompt deliveries.

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SMINCK'S PLANS ARE PRESENTED

Tells Research and Advisory Commission of Cause of East End Floods

SUGGESTS A REMEDY

Employment of Engineer to Devise Ways of Abating Trouble Recommended—Commission to Study the Proposition

Councilman Charles S. Sminck, of the First Ward, appeared before the Research and Advisory Commission in the Mayor's office last night, and offered arguments for the purpose of convincing the commission of the seriousness of the flood situation in the east end and the propriety of the commission taking the subject under consideration with a view to recommending to the Common Council means of abating this trouble.

City Engineer Gavett was also present but stated that he had no suggestions to offer at this time as he has not had an opportunity to go into the matter from an engineering standpoint.

Mr. Sminck was accompanied by a representative of the East End Civic Association. When Mr. Sminck had finished his argument, George S. Clay, president of the commission, thanked him, saying that the commission would be very glad to consider the matter and assured Mr. Sminck that as soon as possible it will render a report to the council.

Mr. Clay explained that the commission has just been organized and it will take some time for it to get in full swing. He gave Mr. Sminck to understand that the commission fully appreciates the gravity of the situation complained of by the people of the east end, and that it would be glad to suggest a remedy as soon as it has had an opportunity to go into the matter and determine what should be done.

Mr. Sminck said:

"The problem of flood waters from Green and Cedar brooks has vexed Plainfield and North Plainfield for many years. No fixed plan has ever been agreed upon to remedy the trouble. The city is without a policy. It is now time that something should be done by engaging the services of a consulting engineer to suggest a practical relief and its probable cost.

"It is said that no cure is possible then it is the only engineering problem in the metropolitan district that defies solution.

The new city hall is supposed to be the forerunner of a greater Plainfield.

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FLAG PRESENTED TO CRAIGIELEA LODGE

A meeting of Craigielea Lodge, Daughters of Scotia, was held last evening in Exempt Firemen's hall, Park avenue, when Grand Chief Daughter Mrs. Andrew Wallace, of Jersey City, and Chief Robert Bailey, of Clan Mackenzie, spoke. They were followed by Past Chief Robert Murray who presented a fine American flag to Chief Daughter of the Plainfield Branch, Mrs. Andrew Petrie, for the lodge. Mr. Murray in making the presentation called on all citizens and other residents in this country to respect the flag and all for which it stands.

At the close of the meeting the lodge was joined by Clan Mackenzie and a social hour was passed and refreshments were served.

MARKED IMPROVEMENT FOLLOWS TRANSFUSION

Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, who underwent blood transfusion at Muhlenberg Hospital, is responding promptly to the treatment. Following the first operation yesterday when blood was furnished by Mrs. Frazee's husband, there was marked improvement in the condition of the patient.

In all a quart of blood was transfused. After the first half-pint had been injected Mrs. Frazee recovered consciousness and by the time she had received the balance the color was restored to her cheeks. The physicians in charge plan to give another transfusion on Thursday.

FIRE IN LEVY'S SKIRT FACTORY

A slight fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the loft of Levy's skirt factory on Watchung avenue. The factory for a time was filled with smoke but the employes left the factory without any panic. The fire was extinguished by the fire department. Damage was slight.

—The Laing Garage desires the services of a man of good character to take charge at night.—Adv.

CALKINS NOT AGAINST ARMORY

Has Not Enthused Over Proposition Because of Increased Cost of Government

Mayor Calkins, when asked this morning if he was opposed to the council appropriating $15,000 for an armory for Company K, the local military organization, to be used in connection with an appropriation of $25,000 from the State and $20,000 from the county, said:

"You may state that I am not opposed to this project. It is true that I have no expressed myself enthusiastically about it for the reason that we shall probably have increased expenses in our schools and other branches of the government, which the people must meet in the annual tax levy.

"I should like to see an armory erected for the local military company, because I consider it an asset to the community, but it should always be borne in mind that these appropriations mean additional cost, and while our people may be perfectly willing to assume the cost, it is incumbent upon me to see that the government is maintained at the highest possible degree of efficiency, that we have all the improvements we can get, and last, but not least, that the cost be kept down.

"We shall soon make up our budget for this year and will then know just what our requirements are.

"The amount asked for is not in itself excessive, but when there are several increases of like amount they aggregate a sum which tends to boost the tax rate, and even those who look on approvingly when a proposition is originally submitted, make a wry face when they gaze on their tax bills in December.

"We are making many improvements and there are many more to be made, all of which are essential and will be of lasting benefit to the city, but we must measure the outlay by the income."

POLISH BAND NOW ONE YEAR OLD

The members of the local Polish Band held its first anniversary celebration on Saturday evening at John III Sobieski Hall, East Second street. Alex. Omelerisk, the instructor, was present, and the organization played several selections. Among the floral decorations was a beautiful horseshoe contributed by the senior members of the Sobieski society in honor of the event.

There were speeches of congratulatory nature and a collation was served. On April 14th the band will hold a dance, and on Decoration Day there will be a memorial service and the presentation of the Polish colors.

TEPPER'S MILLINERY OPENING THIS WEEK

Tomorrow, Thursday and Friday are the millinery opening days at Tepper's store, Front street, where there will be a splendid array of smartly trimmed hats on exhibition. Miss Lillian Rogers, who is now at the head of this department, has acquired varied experiences in the largest millinery establishments of this country, and will be found ready to give valued suggestions to the many patrons of the store.—Adv.

P.-T. SOCIETY TO MEET IN HIGH SCHOOL

All members of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Washington school are requested by the president, Mrs. B. F. Tallamy, to be at the High school at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and attend the meeting at which the Rev. Franklin K. Mathiews, of New York, will speak.

BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETS TOMORROW NIGHT

The Business Men's Association will hold an adjourned meeting in Firemen's Hall, 109 Park avenue, tomorrow night, H. R. Kilmer, of the Credit Reporting Company of Newark, will make an address.

FOWLER TALKS ON CRISIS

The national crisis and preparedness were topics touched upon Saturday night by former Congressman Charles N. Fowler, at the fifth annual dinner of Company F, Second Infantry, N. G. N. J., of Elizabeth. The dinner was held at Achtel-Stetter's, Newark, and was attended by some fifty-five present and former members.

Other speakers were Lieutenant Colonel William B. Martin, of the Second Infantry staff; Major Conrad Hall, commanding the battalion of which Company F is a unit; Captain J. J. Thomas, of the United States Coast Defence; Henry Kreh, Jr., a former member of the company, and Lieutenant G. Julian V. Wier, also a former member, now of Newark.

RUNYON'S TALK EXCITES COMMENT

Tells Women's Club Assemblymen Not Supposed to Think for Themselves

Special to Courier-News:

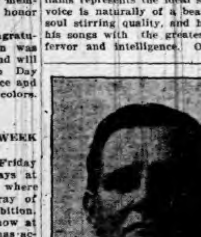
Trenton, March 13.—State House politicians have read with interest some of the remarks made by Assemblyman William N. Runyon, of Union county, before the Women's Club of Hoboken, the other evening concerning his impressions of the Legislature and State politics. Mr. Runyon's comments are of more than ordinary interest by reason of the fact that he is a member of the majority party in the State at the present time, was Republican leader of the House in the session of 1915, has twice been defeated as an independent G. O. P. candidate for Speaker, and is regarded as one of the ablest men in the Legislature.

"Every Assemblyman goes to Trenton an idealist," declared Runyon before the Women's Club," but it is hard to kick against the goads. To play the game according to rule, one is not supposed to think for himself. Favors are granted through "the boss." In every group there are certain men you can absolutely depend on, they are mostly met from the small counties; while they may not be able to construct they can obstruct the passage of obnoxious laws."

The first year of a Governor's term, the Union man explained, the Legislators fawn upon him, for there are fat jobs to be given out. The next year they treat him with courtesy, and in his final year the Executive loses his charm for those who formerly bowed to him. Mr. Runyon said honest men going to the Legislature discover that they must give something in order to obtain anything. He declared former Governor Fielder, Democratic Leader Geran and Secretary of State Martin are "square men though on the other side of the fence." Mr. Runyon poked fun at the Republican Essex delegation whom he described as being without a rudder since the death of their "boss."

DENTISTS' CONCERT EASTER MONDAY NIGHT

Evan Williams is booked for a concert here with the Edith Ruber Trio. Evan Williams has been favorably known in the United States for many years. There is probably no other male singer who has given so many concerts in this country. Vocally, Mr. Williams represents the ideal singer; his voice is naturally of a beautiful and soul stirring quality, and he delivers his songs with the greatest possible fervor and intelligence. One of his



EVAN WILLIAMS
Who Appears Here in the Concert for Dental Association

finest assets is a clear and distinct enunciation that carries his work to the extreme reaches of an auditorium with the result that his hearers understand every syllable.

Mr. Williams comes here April 9, under the direction of the Plainfield Dental Society. Advance tickets can be secured from any dentist. These can be exchanged for reserve seats at the Ideal Music Store, 150 East Front street, on and after Saturday, March 24.

AMERICAN MOTORS CORPORATION ELECTION

Several changes were made in officers and heads of departments at the annual meeting of the American Motors Corporation of this city, which was held yesterday. Joseph A. Carmody was appointed production manager and will have entire charge of the manufacturing operations and the plant on West Front street. He succeeds John C. Spiers, formerly general manager, who is no longer connected with the corporation.

The officers elected for the ensuing years are as follows: President, William Howard Hoople; vice-president, Lewis Chevrolet; secretary, Proctor W. Hand; treasurer, George F. Baright; designing engineer, Austin M. Wolf.

MRS. GEO. MEGREW HOSTESS AT TEA

Second of Series to be Given at The Rookery From 4 to 6 o'Clock This Afternoon

The second in the series of teas in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen, the well-known artists, an exhibition of whose works is being shown at The Rookery on Sycamore street, opposite Grace church, will be given this afternoon by Mrs. George Megrew from 4 to 6 o'clock. She will be assisted by Mrs. William G. Cooke, Mrs. F. C. Cox, Mrs. A. H. Atterbury and Mrs. Arthur Jones. Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Cooke will pour.

The entertainment given by Miss Van Boskerck and Miss Rogers Saturday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Johansen was enjoyed by about seventy-five guests. This is the second exhibition of famous paintings given by Miss Van Boskerck, the first being a collection of painting by Jonas Lie. Miss Van Boskerck transforms The Rookery to make an appropriate setting for each exhibition.

Mr. Johansen, in an informal talk at the opening of the exhibition, made clear the difference between a portrait that is finished with paint and varnish, having the appearance of an exact copy, and one that is complete, because it has expressed on canvas the characteristics of the person being painted. He compared a poor portrait to a badly planned house ornamented to cover up defects.

The artist said the whole life time of technical study does not make inspiration, although it takes most of a life before one can use the inspiration that lifts him into the ability to paint a great portrait. He said that a person about to have his portrait painted should select an artist in whom he has confidence and then refrain from criticism, believing that the right painter will reflect one's best self on his canvas.

DYNAMITE HOUSE IN REVENGE PLOT

Home of George Ellecks at Stirling is Blown Up

Banded together like night-raiders of the Kentucky hills, five men yesterday dynamited the home of George Ellecks, in the Great Swamp, Ellecks told the authorities. They returned later, he said, and demanded that he quit the section on pain of death.

Ellecks told his story to Justice of the Peace Raymond A. Alland, who issued a warrant for five men named by him, and placed Constable Lo Monaco to make the arrests. County Detective Edward L. Brennan, of Morris county also set to work on the case.

Ellecks, who is a bachelor, fifty-eight years old, said that before the second visit from the men he had sent away a Miss Cameron, thirty years old, who had been keeping house for him. She is at the home of Ellecks' sister.

Three of the men named in Ellecks' complaint are brothers of Miss Cameron. The five who are accused by him are Jacob, Charles and Harry Cameron, William Tester and William Henry Edgar. Ellecks said he believed they all worked on farms in the Great Swamp.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers.

We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the question of white news print paper. Many newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt expedients to conserve. Every newspaper has been unable to purchase more than 60 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This has made it necessary to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and to put in effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary paper enough, and for this reason we have had to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscriber owes four or five weeks does not settle the question that subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

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BUSY SESSION OF SCOUT COUNCIL

All Members of Troop 18 Respond to Test Call in Thirty-two Minutes

The regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Council, Boy Scouts of America, was held at Scout headquarters last night. D. M. Lark, first vice president, presided, and Dr. George T. Moore was appointed secretary pro tem.

Councilman Louis Hosmer reported for the executive committee, outlining the resolution which was adopted and forwarded to the Mayor last week. This action on the part of the committee met with the hearty approval of the entire council.

Scout Executive John D. Duffy in his report for the past month's work, outlined the success with which the mobilization plan for troop has worked out. During the course of his remarks a test call was sent from headquarters to Troop 18. The Scouts of Troop 18 were scattered in various parts of the city, but within thirty minutes from the time the call left headquarters Troop 18, in full uniform and equipment, reported with 100 per cent in attendance and the Scoutmaster in charge. This was the first time the call was sent for Troop 18, and the result was most gratifying. The Scout executive and several members of the Council warmly congratulated the boys and complimented them on the state of preparedness in which they were found. This troop is connected with Holy Cross church in North Plainfield, with Newton S. Foster as Scoutmaster.

Mr. Duffy announced the classes in first aid which were being conducted in the various troops, the efficient standing of the whitest club under Mr. Blackford, a brief outline of the semi-annual inspection of troops this month, the patrol leaders' class which is being organized to improve the efficiency of the boy officers.

Mr. Duffy announced the registration and reorganization of Troop 5 of the First Presbyterian church, with Harold Dunning as Scoutmaster. Troop 5 was one of the first troops organized in this city and had as its leader at different times, Secretary Allen E. Beals and Scout Executive Duffy. In the reorganization of the troop many of the older members have returned with a far deeper interest in scouting than heretofore.

The registration has now reached the 500 point, with six new troops holding their first meetings with an attendance of probably 100 more boys. During the past month the following merit badges have been earned: Scout Edwin Addis of Troop 12, first aid, firemanship, pioneering, first aid to animals, automobiling, marksmanship; Scout Wiggins of Troop 9, pioneering, Scout Hall of Troop 9, handicraft.

National Field Scout Commissioner H. Mr. Butler, who is at present conducting a financial campaign in Elizabeth, similar to the financial campaign held in Plainfield recently, has conferred an honor upon the Plainfield Scouts by taking two of the Scouts to Elizabeth to demonstrate to the team workers just what a regular Boy Scout is and what he can do.

Scouts Dunavan and Hall of Troop 9 gave an exhibition last night at Elizabeth, and when Scout Dunavan was questioned as to what scouting had meant to him, he delivered a 15-minute impromptu talk upon the Boy Scout movement, which won for him the heartiest applause any speaker at the campaign supper had yet received.

Among those present were L. M. Leek, Mr. Barlow, Mr. Hosmer, Council members Cox, Genung, Abbe, Bond, Hubbard, Bach, Best.

AUTO RODS BREAK, THREE ARE INJURED

Harry Daniels, manager, and Henry Uhrhahn, driver, for the Keller's Cleaning Shop, Inc., of North avenue, are recovering from cuts, bruises and shock sustained in an automobile accident late Saturday night. There was a third party in the car who escaped with slight injuries.

The men were returning home in the company's car after the close of business, and while driving on Watchung avenue, near Grandview avenue, the borough, the radiator rods broke and the auto partly overturned. Mr. Uhrhahn was driving the machine and all control of it was lost with the breaking of the rods.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIAL MEETING

The Jungenbund of the German Reformed Church, North Plainfield, will meet at eight o'clock this evening in the church.

—Player piano for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant 88-note player with cabinet and rolls, only $175 cash; on storage, 211 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv.

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HOPE TO AVOID BREAK BETWEEN BROTHERHOODS AND RAILROADS

By United Press:

Washington, March 13.—The United States Board of Mediation and Conciliation, which failed to prevent an open breach between the Big Four Brotherhoods and the railroads last April, will make a final effort to reach an agreement in the present recurrence of the controversy.

DIPLOMATS THINK WAR MAY END JULY 1

By United Press:

Washington, March 13.—A general peace move will be launched in three or four months, according to views of diplomats and officials today.

An increasingly acute food situation in all the warring nations, particularly among the Central Powers, a growing unrest among the people, indicated by the dissatisfaction manifested toward the Entente Cabinets; possibility of any one of the principal nations breaking suddenly under the military strain; and growing belief that neither side can achieve an overwhelming victory, such as would force a strictly military peace, they believe point to an early end of hostilities.

It is now believed here that President Wilson's suggested "peace without victory," will result in fact, and possibly not later than July 1.

KAISER'S RELATIVE HERE ARRESTED IN PLOT

By United Press:

Philadelphia, March 13.—The plot to smuggle goods aboard German interned ships in the League Island Navy Yard, which has thus far resulted in five arrests of prominent German-Americans, assumed a more sinister aspect today, when it became known that Adelbert Fischer, one of those arrested, is not only a relative of the Kaiser himself, but is an official of one of the largest, machine engineering companies in Hamburg.

Fischer's daughter is the wife of one of the owners of the Hamburg firm. It is said the firm has amassed a great amount of information about the American navy, especially including plans, specifications, blue prints, and the location of all tanks both in dreadnoughts and torpedo boat destroyers.

Fischer is at liberty on bail. He is a reserve officer in the German army.

NO STRIKE IN CASE OF WAR SAY BROTHERHOODS

By United Press:

Washington, March 13.—President Wilson today was told by four Big Brotherhood leaders that in case of war no strike will be called on the great railroad systems of the country. In a letter from the brotherhoods, which reached White House today, every assurance was given that railroad trainmen will "stand by the President in event of actual hostilities." No promise was made however, that a strike will not be called now.

The letter said the Brotherhood will meet with the railroad managers Thursday, and then make a determined effort to reach some agreement. The letter does not mention any strike orders to be used in event the Thursday meeting fails. This strike order, it is said, sets Saturday night as the time for a big "progressive strike" to begin on Eastern roads and spread to others.

RELIEF NEEDED FOR TORNADO SUFFERERS

By United Press:

Newcastle, Ind., March 13.—Food, clothing and money for the relief of the victims of the tornado which destroyed more than $1,000,000 worth of property, and killed nineteen persons in this city alone, was needed today.

Three persons are still missing, and twenty-five are in hospitals, seriously injured. Two children in the Home Hospital are unable to give their names, and no one has claimed them. It is believed their parents were killed.

HARRY K. THAW IS ADJUDGED INSANE

By United Press:

Philadelphia, March 13.—Harry K. Thaw was adjudged insane today, by alienists who examined him in the sanity inquiry started by his mother. Commissioner E. A. Ballard and six jurors made a report in Common Pleas Court, No. 5, adjudging him insane. An order has been issued placing Thaw in custody of St. Mary's Hospital, where he had been confined since his attempt at suicide.

The move to have Thaw declared insane in Pennsylvania was started in order to have him sent to an asylum in this State, and escape trial in New York on the charge of having beaten Fred Gump, Jr., of Kansas City.

MEN'S CLUB TO HEAR BOROUGH PRINCIPAL

The regular monthly meeting of the Men's Club of the Watchung avenue Presbyterian church, North Plainfield, will be held on Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock. Principal Albert Earley of the Borough High School will entertain the club members and their friends with a lecture, illustrated with thirty-four lantern slides, on the famous Caverns of Luray in Virginia.

LOYAL CIRCLE ISSUES NEW RECEIPT BOOK

A receipt book, compiled by the Loyal Daughters' Circle, of Netherwood, one of the circles of The King's Daughters, has been placed on sale at Estil's Book Shop, on Park avenue. This is a book of tried and reliable receipts, everyone of them having been proved by the various members of the circle.

The book contains receipts for soups, fish, meats, pies, puddings, all kinds of bread and cakes, and a copy of it should be in every household, especially in these times of high prices, for it contains receipts that will help the careful housewife in economizing.

DIRECTOR OF BELGIAN RELIEF OFF FOR EUROPE

By United Press:

New York, March 13.—Herbert C. Hoover, director-general of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, sailed unexpectedly today for Cadiz, Spain, on the steamer Antonio Lopez. New developments in relief work in Belgium and northern France caused him to drop his important campaign for financial support is the United States and hasten to Europe.

PROSPECTIVE BRIDES GUESTS OF MISS COOPER

As an expression of friendship formed as members of the Korulimo Society, of which they are members, and in honor of their approaching marriage to Mr. Hall, Miss Ruth Cooper, of Park avenue, gave a delightful social function at her home last night for Miss Annie Smith, of Netherwood avenue; Miss Ruth Wean, of Park avenue and Miss Ruth Sadler, of East Sixth street.

Unique favors with appropriate sentiments inscribed were presented to the three prospective brides. Miss Sadler, and her parents, who have been residents of this city for some time, will soon remove to Wilkes-Barre, Pa., at which place she will be married. The Misses Smith and Wean will be married in this city. The young women have been prominent in social affairs here and all have a wide circle of acquaintances.

DR. EDMUNDS TO PREACH IN HEAVENLY REST CHURCH

The Rev. Dr. Charles C. Edmunds, professor of Greek testament exegesis in the General Theological Seminary, New York, will preach the Lenten sermon in the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow evening, at 7:45 o'clock.

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BERNHARDT ILL; CANCELS ENGAGEMENT

Sarah Bernhardt canceled her engagement to appear in Sprinfield Mass., last night and returned to New York to remain until she shall have recovered from a severe cold. Mme. Bernhardt arrived in New York about 8 o'clock last night in her private car and went to the Savoy Hotel and retired soon afterward.

The actress caught cold last Wednesday night when her private car was caught in a blizzard at Lawrence, Mass. Her condition had not improved and by request, a her private physician, after a consultation with other physicians and Mme. Bernhardt's manager, William F. Connor decided it would be best to cancel her bookings for the present. There was a slight congestion in one of her lungs, and it was thought unwise to risk more serious complication.

ISABELLA DAUGHTERS TO HAVE PARTY

Plans for a card party and reception were made at the meeting of Court Watchung, No. 291, Daughters of Isabella, held in the Columbus Clubvlast night.

The affair will be the first of the social events conducted by the Court since its organization.

The following were named a committee to arrange the affair: Mrs. H. B. Arnold, chairman; Miss Anna Doyle, Miss Emma Sullivan, Miss *Dusty Mara, Mrs. P. J. McDonough,* Mrs. Keenan, Mrs. Dorgan, Mrs. E. I. Fiering, Mrs. P. S. Kiely and Miss Mary Rielly.

Eleven applications for membership were turned in last night and a decision was reached to have an initiation some time during April.

The next meeting of the court will be held on Monday, March 26.

EXTRA SESSION OF *CONGRESS APRIL 16*

Washington, March 13.—The President has issued a proclamation calling an extraordinary session of Congress to meet on April 16. Congress will be asked to take up other questions involved in the defence of the American merchant marine.

Secretary Tumulty stated in connection with the President's call for an extraordinary session of Congress that the President is convinced that he has the power to arm American merchant ships and is free to exercise it at once. But so much necessary legislation is pressing for consideration that he is convinced that it is the best interests of the country *to have an early session of the Sixty-*fifth Congress, whose support he will also need in all matters collateral to the defence of our merchant marine.

PACIFISTS PLAN PEACE TOUR OF UNITED STATES

New York, March 13.—Senator Robert M. La Follette has been invited by the Emergency Peace Federation to join the coast-to-coast peace tour arranged by pacifist organizations. The federation already has sent delegates to participate in the session of pacifists at Washington. Thousands of cards are being sent to members of Congress urging *a national advisory referendum vote* on the question of declaring war.

WAX NOT A SPY, POLICE SAY

New York, March 13.—The police are convinced that Max Hans Ludwig Wax, the German operator in whose possession a powerful portable wireless set was found, has no connection with the Teuton propagandists in this country. Officials do not believe a spy would have jeopardized his safety and risked the seizure of his instruments by attempting a swindle. Wax was arraigned yesterday on a charge of defrauding Frank Sternberg out of $2,000 and bound over to Special Sessions.

RAISING BIG LOAN

Special to Courier-News:

Petrograd, March 13.—The Moscow Corporation is raising a loan of 16,000,000 roubles at 8 per cent. in America for waterworks and tramways. A memorandum has been presented to the Government proposing a reorganization of the Consular service. The American plan is being used as a model, being more adaptable to the requirements of Russia's foreign trade.

SMINCK'S PLANS ARE PRESENTED

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field, and that is one of the strong reasons that justifies the expense necessary to its erection. In order to have a greater Plainfield it is necessary to solve this drainage problem.

"The greatest damage done by the floods is that it retards the growth of a fine, large and important section of the city. It obstructs progress and destroys values. A plan that would correct the trouble would be valuable and constructive in that it would promptly open up for development some of the best locations for residence within the city limits. That would mean increased values and a greater income for the city. *This question is one of investment* from which the city will in the future reap substantial dividends.

"In order to reach the goal of a greater Plainfield it may be necessary in the future to form a new county because the city and its activities are already reaching into Somerset and Middlesex counties. Also in order to correctly solve the drainage problem it will be necessary to control Green Brook right up to Park avenue, Scotch Plains.

"It is clearly evident that now is the time to act before the situation goes from bad to worse.

"In justice to all taxpayers it is almost axiomatic to state that no expense is justified until you are absolutely sure of the results to be accomplished—no experiments.

"The cause of the trouble is: Drainage area, form and volume of flood; Green Brook, Blue Brook, Diamond Brook, Cedar Brook, Fanwood, Netherwood Heights; small openings under bridges, over streets.

"Narrowing of the beds of Blue and Green Brooks by the operation of the Summit Water Works; dams and encroachments in the beds of the streams through private control.

"*The effect is the flooding* of Terrill road, Netherwood avenue, East Front street, Jackson avenue, East Second street, Johnston avenue, Sumner avenue, George street, Emerson avenue, Berckman street, Leland avenue, Farragut road, Richmond street, North avenue. Also streets and places in the Second and Third Wards near Cedar Brook which makes this a general proposition affecting the whole city.

"The remedy: Control of Green Brook to Park avenue, Scotch Plains; public control of Cedar Brook, care to prevent diversion of water and thus prevent flood water getting in the business section; North avenue at the Netherwood station.

"*After twenty-five or more years* of inertia the people are entitled to expert opinion on the subject by consulting an engineer."

FORMER MAYOR WOOLLEY 76

Long Branch, March 13.—Many congratulatory telegrams were sent to former Mayor Thomas R. Woolley, at Miami, Fla., Saturday, the occasion being his seventy-sixth birthday.

Mr. Woolley lost the use of both limbs about Christmas time and is not able to be moved home. He has held nearly every office within the gift of the city, having been chosen Mayor seven times, besides being controller, freeholder and deputy sheriff, the latter at the age of twenty-one, under his father, the late Jordan Woolley.

Mr. Wooley was joined by his son, former Assemblyman B. Drummond Woolley, and wife a fortnight ago.

SON BORN AT BERNARDSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Basil M. Stevens, of Bernardsville, are being congratulated on the birth of a son. Mrs. Stevens was formerly Miss Helen C. Ward. The child has been named Edwin A. Stevens, 4th, for his grandfather, Colonel E. A. Stevens, of Castle Point, Hoboken, N. J., and is a great-grandson of E. A. Stevens, founder of the Stevens Institute of Technology.

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HEARING ON THE STATE POLICE BILL

Labor Leaders Oppose Measure Introduced by Senator Pierce of Union

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 13.—Arguments for and against the establishment of a *Department of State Police were heard* yesterday by the Joint Judiciary Committee of the Legislature at a public hearing on the bill by Senator Pierce, of Union County, creating such a department. It is Senate bill No. 242. It provides that the Governor shall appoint and the Senate confirm a Chief of State Police, his salary to be $4,000 a year, and that two companies of State Police shall be enlisted for two years. The purpose would be to have these State officers do police duty wherever needed in the State in time of labor troubles, rioting for any cause, or other similar disturbances.

Senator Pierce outlined his measure, stating that it would create a department similar to that in Pennsylvania, where it is generally admitted that the State Constabulary is a good thing. The friends of the bill told the committee that it should be passed because it would give the State protection in times of public disturbances like the strike riots at Perth Amboy and Paterson, or other outbreaks, without the necessity of calling out the National Guard. Labor leaders opposed the bill.

BULGARIA DENIES BREAK

Sofia, March 13.—An official denial was issued here yesterday of a report that the Bulgarian government had addressed a note to the United States which had resulted in the rupture of diplomatic relations between the two countries. No note, it was stated, had been handed either to the United States Minister at Sofia or to the State Department at Washington.

The announcement further denied a report, which it said had been in circulation, that the Hungarian Minister at Washington had been instructed to request his passports.

TUMULTY DINNER MARCH 20

Joseph P. Tumulty, private secretary to President Wilson, will be the guest of honor at a banquet at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark, Tuesday evening, *March 20.*

Four hundred of Mr. Tumulty's friends, most of them from Hudson county; the New Jersey Congressmen, Senator Ollie James, of Keutucky; and Representative J. Thomas Heflin, of Alabama, will be present. Senator James and Congressman Heflin will speak.

FRENCH MAKE GAINS

Special to Courier-News:

Paris, March 13.—The French made further gains in the Champagne offensive last night, according to an official announcement made today. At different points along the front raids and patrol encounters netted numbers of prisoners.

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RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room is to be open tonight.

The West End Boys' Club meets in the High school tomorrow night.

The Alumni Men's Club will use the High school gym Wednesday evening.

The Athenians, Zephyrs and Boy Scout Troop No. 7 meet in the High school gym this evening.

The dancing class is to meet Miss Snyder in the Washington school auditorium tonight.

Miss Scarborough's dressmaking class will have another lesson tonight in the Washington school.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Evergreen avenue school and a Guild of Play in the Washington school, on Wednesday afternoon.

PERSONAL

Councilman Charles Lotzeaux left yesterday for Louisiana on a business trip. He will be away about two weeks.

Captain S. A. Peck, of West Front street, who has been suffering from a severe cold, has recovered and is able to be at business again.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Utzinger will soon remove from West Front street to Grant avenue between Third and Fourth streets.

Vincent Mullen, operator at the local office of the Western Union Telegraph Company, has returned to his position, following an operation.

William Bastier and family, of Leland avenue, will remove about April 1, Mr. Bastier having been transferred from the local plant of the Bosch Magneto Company to the one at Springfield, Mass.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the Park Avenue Baptist Church next Sunday evening.

Cottage prayer services are being planned by the Park Avenue Baptist Church during the week of March 18.

On Friday afternoon, March 16, at the Y. W. C. A., Rev. Thornton B. Penfield will deliver the second of a series of addresses on South America.

A women's union missionary meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church, Friday evening of this week, at 8 o'clock. Lecture by Dr. Brink, on "Missions in Latin America."

A reunion of the Biederwolf campaign choir will be held at the Plainfield Theatre next Sunday afternoon, at a meeting to be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

The Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church will hold another of its get-together socials on Thursday evening of this week. Prof. H. C. Krebs will give a talk on *Irish Patrick. Irish* songs by William Holmes.

DECISION TO BE APPEALED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 13.—Officials of the Department of Justice today declared that the decision of the United States Circuit Court at Salt Lake City handed down last Saturday, refusing to order the Southern Pacific Railroad to relinquish control of the Central Pacific, will be appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States by the Government.

GOLD SHIPPED TO SPAIN

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 13.—Gold coin to the amount of $520,000 has been withdrawn from the Sub-Treasury for shipment to Spain.

SAYS DEPORTATION OF BELGIANS CONTINUES

Princeton, March 13.—Contrary *to all official German reports, the de*portation of both idle and employed *elgians is being carried on with un*abated activity, according to Profes sor Paul van den Ven of the Princeton University. Dr. van den Ven was a professor in the University of Louvain before the war and was in Antwerp during the siege of the city.

He left for England just before the capture, coming to the United *States in July, 1915. He is now* professor of Byzantine history and literature in Princeton. He obtains his information from the Belgium Government at Havre, which publish*es daily bulletins of information ob*tained from men escaping through the German lines to France or into Holland.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 13.

German attack at Verdun shifted north of the fortress.

Germany's captures to date at Verdun were 20,000 prisoners, 41 cannon and 232 machine guns.

Two Years Ago Today.

Germany reported that French used an infernal grenade in the Argonne battles; also explosive and incendiary bullets.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1917.

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

Some kicking has been heard among other than the pacifists against the provision by Congress for military training for young men. There were pacifists during the American Revolution of 1776, who objected to carrying arms. One who owned considerable property that lay in the line of an approaching army of British hurried up to the commander of the local militia who was getting his men into position to resist the enemy, and exhorted him to do all that was possible to save his property. The commanding officer, looking with some disdain upon the civilian, asked: "Is this your property?" The civilian answered affirmatively. "Well, then," said the officer, "take this gun and get busy helping to defend it." It does not need much argument to persuade most people that the defense of life and property should rest somewhat with the owners and not depend wholly upon the men who have voluntarily joined the national police as a part of what they regard their duty to their country. These men who wear the uniform of the army can do a whole lot by their example and energy in making our country safe from incidental troubles, because they are most nearly ready, but one hundred thousand men in a standing army cannot be expected to look after the welfare of a hundred millions of people in a country as vast as ours. Therefore the men in the regular walks of life should assume a little responsibility for the safety of themselves and their property. To that end they should be willing to take training of some kind, more or less, so that if they are handed a gun and told to defend their own property they would know what to do with it. Our experience in Civil War should be all the example we need in demonstrating this proposition. Our people were ready at the first call to jump into the uniform and seize the gun, but it took weeks months to get acquainted with anything like army service or even to know enough to look after their personal welfare. We had overwhelming numbers of men on the field, but it was a sad duty that the commanders had before them to lead these men before the guns of the enemy. There was no lack of courage, no hesitation in facing the shot and shell, but it was murder in many cases to ask men without any military training to go up against the hosts who were well trained. So today even a greater knowledge of military affairs is needed if we would put ourselves in a position for defense. The temper of this people would never presuppose a militarism like that of the old world, but we ever so well armed and prepared, for we have built our civilization upon the lines of peace and have left the Old World and its feudal system, its classes, which have to be defended by arms from the masses, far behind. But this cannot argue that we as a nation can be safe from danger in the dying struggles of effete dynasties without means to ward off such danger. Every citizen is a defender of his own life and property against attack, and a united nation of such defenders trained in modern means of defense make a nation safe.

THAT FILIBUSTER

Some idea of the way the constituents took the action of the filibustering Senators a week ago yesterday in the closing hours of Congress when they held up the majority of their colleagues who wanted to vote on the armed neutrality question is shown in the actions of the people back home in the past week. Oklahoma citizens, formerly from Missouri, who always had a great admiration for Senator Stone, of Missouri, meeting in Vinita, blushed at the action of their one-time favorite. Citizens in St. Louis demand that Stone shall not be reappointed on the Foreign Relations Committee. Some insist that he should be asked to resign as Senator. Mississippians condemning Senator Vardaman for his part in the filibuster hung him in effigy in Clarksdale. Wisconsin is incensed at the attitude of Senator LaFollette. These men were expected to express the sentiments of their respective States, but apparently they did something far from it. The aggravating part of it is that there was no restriction upon the length of debate and that a dozen men could so filibuster as to kill a measure that the great majority of their colleagues wanted a chance to vote on. It must have been assumed by these men that the majority was against them and that they were afraid of the vote. LaFollette appeared unusually anxious that the measure should not be brought to a vote, for when it appeared that a vote was likely, as he started to leave the Senate, he turned back quickly and resorted to some tactics to obstruct the measure. If these men really believed the majority was against them it was a little short of egotism, to say the least, for them to assume that they possessed the intelligence of the Senate and were exponents of the popular will, not only of their own States, but of the United States. They might have felt a little assured if they had been upheld by their own States, even against the others, but when they were "roasted" among their constituents for their attitude it must have been little satisfaction to them to have assumed so much. Whatever may have been the result of the vote that was never reached, the majority sentiment of the country seems to have been crystallized in the sentiment of the majority of Senators who were prevented from voting by a small minority.

PREPAREDNESS

In a recent speech former Governor John Franklin Fort, speaking of the laxity of the Government in preparing for the future, said some things that ought to be remembered and used as a basis for future policy. He said that if ten years ago our government had entered upon a ship-building program, which it is now starting, and had provided for training a million young men each year our country would have been in a position to say some things to foreign nations and there would be less war talk now. It may also be said that with such preparation on our part the present belligerent nations might not have been in war. It could have been foreseen then that just the predicament we are now in would happen some day if foreign nations went to war, for what affects one country now affects all the countries of the world to a greater or less extent, and with ten million Americans trained for service at this time and a competent navy, foreign nations would have readily seen the sign "Keep off" when they assumed to encroach upon our rights on sea or land. Such an army would not need to raise a gun in order to enforce a wholesome respect. They would not need to be in the standing army, but only of those trained in a course that is both good physical and mental exercise if ready for emergency. The nations of Europe have maintained peace in all their past history, when they either were formidable enough to make it dangerous for others to attack or one did not have something that the other wanted. Treaties to be sure, have had a little, but only a little, to do in keeping peace, an witness Italy, which was bound up in an alliance with Germany, and at best are merely "scraps of paper," easily consumed in the combustion that follows the first clash of arms. It is unfortunate that to secure peace a nation must be ready for arms, but the only safety for a nation, the same as with individuals of opposing interests, projects and beliefs, is to carry the soft hand in the mailed fist. The more surely the greedy individual, or nation, the pirate, the bandit, the outlaw or any menace of society knows the other fellow's preparedness, the more surely the prepared one will be let alone.

SOME INGRATES EXIST

Money is the temporal power In some cases as a rival to patriotism. Some men are willing to expatriate themselves and turn traitor for the sake of the dollar. Heramba Gupta, a Hindoo student in Columbia College, was willing to take $40,000 of German money to foment an uprising against the English government in India, and at the same time use his position in the United States, a neutral country, for a base of his nefarious operations. Happily this sort of thing does not prevail among true Americans. They who trace their lineage to the patriots of Lexington and Bunker Hill and to the kind of men, though poor, declined all offers or bribes when they arrested Major Andre, the co-conspirator with Benedict Arnold, think too much of their heritage as a free people to temporize for a moment over foreign gold that would be offered to tempt them from their allegiance. They whose ancestors left foreign lands to seek a home in the land of the free to work out their own successes under the laws of freemen and at liberty to worship God according to the dictates of their own conscience are still loyal to the land of their adoption, although there may be some ingrates who would bite the hand that feeds them and flout the flag that stands for the brotherhood of man and the safety of those who obey the laws of a free, law-abiding people.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

A Snow Shovel Quandary

To the Editor of Courier-News:

Many so-called delinquents were cited to appear before our genial City Judge DeMeza. Some offered excuses which were not clearly substantiated. They paid the fine. Others got off free. Heretofore the city has cleared the walks from properties owned at distances from owners' residences who were willing to pay the tax at the end of the year for this work. Does it seem reasonable to fine an owner, a business man, in addition to the tax, especially when he finds help absolutely impossible to procure?

The snow ordinance is good, in its way, but on account of scarcity of labor, and illness, perhaps, this law could not have been enacted at a more inopportune time. The writer has about 300 feet of walk to clear; has been proud of being among the first to attend to that work, but when one's back is turned, or during absence, a number of school kiddies throw back a quantity of snow for their sleds. Then follows the inspector, who makes a charge against the property. Although the owner thought he was immune, otherwise it would necessitate his playing policeman or do the work over again.

I have paid a snow tax on property I did not own, but paid it to avoid arguments and delays from business. Is it not up to the city to discriminate in the face of the above objections? To properly clear the walks of the city is the paramount object, not the money fine; yet how is it possible to do impossible things?

GEORGE H. BEISER.

PROGRESSIVES WILL CONSIDER PLATFORM

New York, March 13.—A permanent platform or "working plans for the future of the party" will be submitted to the Progressive convention called to meet in St. Louis April 12, 13 and 14. A committee on resolutions will meet at national headquarters here to receive suggestions.

In making this announcement Mathew Hale, acting chairman of the Progressive National Committee, says that overtures have been made to progressive Republicans, Democrats, Socialists and representatives of other parties to discuss plans with the Progressives for the formation of a "league of liberals."

P. H. S. NOTES

The Senior play, "Mr. Pereschon's Journey," will be given April 28.

Aspirants for the baseball team are warming up in the gymnasium.

The Misses Dorothy and Stella Butler are absent from school on account of illness.

Miss Mildred Drake, '17, has resumed her studies after being detained at home by illness.

A meeting of the Omega Literary Society of the Senior class was held yesterday afternoon in the auditorium.

The track team is out daily preparing for the coming track and field events scheduled for early spring.

A meeting of the Alpha Literary Society of the Senior class will be held next Monday afternoon in the school auditorium.

Miss Ethel H. Strong, a member of last year's graduating class, has returned to school for a post-graduate course after attending Rutgers College as a member of the Freshman class during the past year.

BENEFICIARIES TO ESTATE

Mrs. Oldham, wife of Rev. George A. Oldham, of New York, who was the special preacher at Grace church on Sunday, and her sister, are beneficiaries under the will of their mother, Mrs. Gould, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., which has just been offered for probate in the New York State court.

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ORGANIZED LABOR AGAINST PIERCE BILL

Denounce State Constabulary as Aid to Capital in Suppressing Strikes

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 13.—With labor leaders charging that the bill was conceived in the interests of the manufacturers of the State and speakers purporting to represent the State Chamber of Commerce, and the State Grange on the other hand declaring that the measure would be a great benefit to the rural communities of the State, the Joint Judiciary Committee of the Legislature yesterday afternoon listened to arguments for and against the proposed law to establish a State Constabulary in New Jersey.

Senator Pierce, of Union county, the introducer of the measure, declared he believed it a preparedness measure and other speakers in favor of the proposition sought to show that such a force would be very valuable in the event the United States needed the National Guard of the State for war purposes.

On the other hand Henry F. Hilpers, Secretary of the State Federation of Labor, composed of 108,000 men, told the Judiciary Committee that it would be a farce to use a force of 100 State police to preserve order in such instances where strikers do not number more than fifty or sixty men. The opponents all contended that the police of the different municipalities of the State are perfectly able, and have demonstrated their ability to cope with strike disorders.

ASSEMBLYMAN'S VOTE STIRS MAYOR MRAVLAG

Elizabeth, March. 13.—Mayor Victor Mravlag and his official family are chagrined over the course of Union County's three Assemblymen in supporting the Edge road tax bills and the Pierson municipal financing measures. The Mayor looks upon Charles L. Morgan of this city, William N. Runyon of Plainfield and Arthur N. Pierson of Westfield as not having the city's interests at heart. The measures mentioned had the bitter opposition of the Elizabeth officials.

The Mayor has said both privately and publicly that Morgan expressed himself as not caring what the city thought of his course—that the rest of the county elected him. Morgan denies using this language, explaining that what he said was that he didn't care what the Mayor thought.

Mayor Mravlag declares that Morgan and Runyon are both seeking office. Their names have been mentioned in connection with the District Court and county judgeships, respectively, and if they seek the places the Mayor will oppose them. There are several others spoken of for these places. Senator Carlton B. Pierce is a county judgeship possibility, while Donald McLean and G. Bartram Woodruff are being boomed by their friends for the District Court bench.

TRACOMA INVADES ARGENTINA

By United Press:

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DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

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DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR THE NEXT BIG AUCTION SALE. EVERYTHING PERTAINING TO THE HOUSEHOLD WILL BE SOLD DAY AND DATE ANNOUNCED LATER. ROBERT MURRAY, AUCTIONEER. 3-10-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Deren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Parlor furniture, rugs, dishes, etc. 243 Somerset St. 3-8-6t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

BEAUTIFUL Toy Pomeranian pups for sale, from finest imported pedigreed stock. Address "Pom Pom," care Courier-News. 3-12-2t

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 3-12-1t

EGGS White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2535-M. 2-12-2m

GOOD driving mare and two wagons for sale. E. F. Bremer, Terrill road. 3-12-2t

FOR SALE—$800 solid mahogany ten-piece dining room set, reasonable. Tel. 824-W, Westfield. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—White double reed baby carriage. 243 East Third street.

FOR SALE—One pink and white sport suit, blue serge gown, coats, all new, size 36. "Mourning," care Courier-News.

AUCTION SALE—On road from South Stirling to Mt. Bethel, near Stirling, Friday, March 16, at 12 o'clock sharp, household goods, stock and machinery. Sale positive, rain or shine. Harry C. Zaiser, South Stirling. John C. Cooper, auctioneer. 3-13-2t

S. C. B. L. HENS—Cockerels from pen averaging 207 eggs, sons of 251 hen Missouri contest, 1914; price $5. Richard Thomas, Gallagher's Corner, Dunellen. 3-13-5t

PRIVATE PARTY will sacrifice very cheap for cash or terms fine mahogany upright piano purchased this year. Call 836 West Sixth street. 3-13-4t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FOR SALE—Portable chicken house 16 feet long by 8 feet wide, for $10. Can be seen at 216 Netherwood avenue. 3-12-2t

LOT of poultry crates at 30c each, delivered reasonable distance. 842 East Front street. 3-12-3t

AUCTION SALE—On Wednesday, March 14, at 1:30 sharp, near the Catholic church, South Plainfield, on the Louis De Filippo farm, consisting of 2 good work horses, both guaranteed; 2 sets double harness; 2 single 30 inch bed sleds; 40 new hot bed mats, 3 cultivators, plows, disk harrow, lot of lumber, horse blankets, farm wagon, top wagon, 1 one-horse truck, small tools and lot of other useful articles. W. A. Schorb, auctioneer. 3-12-2t

FOR SALE—Acme White Wyandotte hatching eggs from prize stock; big winners at Trenton and Elizabeth; also winners at Morristown and Asbury, 1914-15; price $2.50 per 15 eggs. W. S. Smedley, Dunellen, N. J. Tel. 2534-R. 3-10-3t

FOR SALE—Brand new Cyphers hoover, also wire covered chick runs and coops very cheap. Call 523 West Front street. 3-12-2t

GROCER'S REFRIGERATOR for sale, very cheap. Sharkey, Richmond street, grocer. 3-12-1t

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-1t

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-12-1m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Behring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition $100. 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

CORNISH Game and White Wyandotte eggs, $1.25 setting. S. Bird. 26-A Walnut street. 3-14-1m

SOUND young driving horse; good road mare; can be seen by appointment. Telephone 841-M. 3-13-3t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone Wilson's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

111 ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook, 5 acres woodland large brook, 1,000 peach trees; 10-room house, large outbuildings; silo, all in fine condition; price $125 per acre; cash terms. Will consider trade for desirable income property. Further particulars address P. O. Box No. 324, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-10-3t

$1,200 CASH will buy modern borough residence, centrally located; the rest, $3,200, goes on mortgage; owner leaving; splendid opportunity. Address "Real Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—Lot, Stelle avenue and Union street, 55x200. Jas. J. Tobin, 16 Stone street. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—100 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf.*

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "C," care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-12-2t

TWO OR THREE furnished rooms for housekeeping; also one furnished room. 21 Grove street, 2d floor. 3-12-3t

TO LET—To refined man, in private family, room with all improvements, near station. Address "Private Family," care Courier-News. 3-13-2t

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth street. 3-13-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 119 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-12-3t

FURNISHED ROOM—Two men or couple, $2; privilege of housekeeping. 145 West Second street.

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. T.," care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-2m

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR RENT OR SALE—965 Madison avenue, 10-room modern house, 2 bath rooms, servants' bath, garage and lot if required. 'Phone Mrs. Hull, 1578. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, near trolley; improvements; 2 acres of land; plenty fruit; a store attached; cash business; a bargain; terms. J. E. Van Orden, Jerusalem road, Westfield. 3-12-2t

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 3-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-23-tf

SCRIPPS-BOOTH roadster, new last August; run 2,500 miles; in perfect condition; looks as good as new. Will sell for $500; cost $950. W. J. Flammer, 1218 East Grand street, Elizabeth, N. J. 3-13-2t

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers. Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. J. H. De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 3-24-1y

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-2tf

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 7 rooms, all improvements; $500 down, $30 per month; price $5,000. Address "Bungalow," care Courier-News. 3-7-6t

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$200 cash and $15 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 101," care Courier-News. 2-27-tu,th,s-tf

FOR SALE — Six-room house, toilet, gas and sink; lot 35 feet front; price $2,000. Address "J," care Courier-News. 3,10-3t

BARGAIN — Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell on easy terms. For particulars write National Land & Building Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-13-6t

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1129 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to T. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

FORCE PUMP—Must be in good condition and reasonable. R. F. Bremer, Terrill road. 3-12-2t

SITTING HENS—In large numbers. State variety and price, which must be reasonable. Borgatz Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1248-J. 3-8-6t

25c FOR ONE COPY of issue June 1st, 1916, Courier-News. Please bring to Courier-News office. 3-13-3t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 316 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-20-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street. 'Phone 895-J. 3-10-6t

APARTMENT FOR RENT—April 1st, 5-room apartment, all improvements; low rental; heated. Call or write H. A. Farwell, 512 Leland avenue, Netherwood. 3-12-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

TWO APARTMENTS, improvements, fine location, first floor, five large rooms, $21.00; second floor, six large rooms, $21.00. A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-12-tf

TO LET—Seven-room apartments, all improvements. Inquire 312 Grant avenue. 3-12-3t

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 195 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. tf.*

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-cod-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf.*

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 985. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MILFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also a chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111, Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 431 West Sixth street. 3-9-tf

WANTED—White chambermaid-waitress. Apply 920 Park avenue. 3-7-tf

EXCEPTIONAL opportunity for A-1 stenographer; must be able to handle correspondence; state age, salary and experience. Address "Steno," care Courier-News. 3-10-3t

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; week work. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-3-6t

WANTED—Girl for general office work; beginner preferred. Apply M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Reliable girl to care for baby afternoons and evenings. Apply 332 East Front street. 3-13-2t

WANTED—A sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Tel. 2065. 3-13-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 909 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1095-J. 3-13-2t

WANTED—Experienced waitresses, white and colored; good wages. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-13-2t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work. Only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 407, Babcock building. 3-13-7t

WANTED—A good plain cook at 107 Crescent avenue; references required. 3-13-3t

WANTED—General housework, white; small family. 'Phone 669-J, after 6 p. m. 3-13-3t

WANTED—White girl as sewing maid and to take charge of one child. 105 Rockview avenue. 3-13-2t

WANTED—Apprentice for millinery workroom. Tepper's. 3-13-3t

NEAT white maid for general housework; no washing; small family. Apply 305 Stelle avenue, or Tel. 285-M. 3-13-3t

WANTED—Experienced waitress. 423 Park avenue. 3-12-2t

WAITRESS WANTED for nurses' dining room. Apply to Dietitian, Muhlenberg Hospital.

WANTED—Colored waitress. 143 Crescent avenue. 'Phone 1361-W. 3-12-3t

EXPERIENCED girls for embroidery on kid glove machine, also for hem and binding; best prices paid. Fisk, Clark & Flagg, room 307, Babcock Building. 3-12-2t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 605 Madison avenue. 3-12-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply between 5 and 7 evenings, 646 West Front street. Tel. 2488-W. 3-12-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male and Female

COLORED COUPLE desire place, wife as cook, husband as butler, etc. 630 West Fourth street. 3-13-3t

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Lady's umbrella on east bound Union trolley. Owner can have same by paying for ad at Courier-News office and proving property. 3-12-2t

LOST—Persian lamb muff. Suitable reward at 214 East Sixth street.

LOST—Lady's tan pocketbook in trolley waiting room on Watchung avenue, Plainfield. Finder please notify Mrs. Hayden, 223 Dunellen avenue. 'Phone Dunellen 1279-W. 3-13-tf

LOST—Diamond solitaire ring in paper envelope. Reward and no questions asked if returned to Courier-News. 3-10-3t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheels. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

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DON'T FORGET
NEWARK NIGHT
TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH
Next Rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" Thursday Night.
ON OUR ALLEYS
THURSDAY NIGHT
B. P. O. E. vs. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.
District Deputy visits us tomorrow night.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

STATE B. P. O. E. HERE IN JUNE

Frederick A. Pope, president of the New Jersey State Elks' Association, accompanied by Philip A. Hickey and J. D. Hall, as delegates, and H. Z. Stryker and Charles W. Hoffman, as officers, from Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, attended the quarterly meeting of the association held at New Brunswick, Sunday afternoon. An invitation was extended by the local delegates for the meeting in June, to be held in Somerville, and after a spirited contest on the part of some of the aspirants, the vote was yielded to Somerville Lodge, No. 1068, as a mark of respect to the State President.

The meeting will be held in Somerville on June 10, and be attended by Elks from all parts of the State.

All Want to See "Runaways"

Hundreds of tickets were reserved yesterday by friends and well wishers of the Somerville A. A. for the show "The Runaways," which will be given tomorrow and Thursday evenings in the Regent Theatre. No one was sold more than five seats for either evening, despite many requests.

Road Business Today

An unusual amount of road business will come up before the Somerset Board of Freeholders at their March meeting in the court house this afternoon. The Chimney Rock, Martinsville road will probably be among those taken up.

Crowd Watches Repair Work

Hundreds of people watched the work of cleaning out the ruins of the Kenney fire today. Sisser Bros. are using their large auto trucks, which they operate right within the premises.

Merchants to Meet Tomorrow

The Chimney Rock road will be among the topics of discussion at the meeting of the Somerville Merchants' Association to be held tomorrow night in the Engine Company house.

A number of the local clothing dealers will attend a meeting at the Robert Treat Hotel in Newark Monday when an effort will be made to organize a new State Clothiers' Association.

Several of the local K. of C. members attended the big class initiation held in the Robert Treat Hotel in Newark Sunday afternoon.

Misses Bess and Frances Kline are spending the day in New York.

The Y. M. H. A. will elect officers at their meeting tonight.

P. A. Hickey was in Morristown on business yesterday.

BOUND BROOK

Graham is Seriously Injured

Scott Graham, of East street, had two toes crushed while working in the plant of the Hall Printing Press Co., at Plainfield, yesterday afternoon. He was removed to his home here, and was attended by Dr. C. H. P. Fisher. It is likely that he will not lose the toes.

Muzzle the Dogs

Muzzle your dog or it will mean a fine or imprisonment, according to the proclamation issued by the Mayor, notices of which have been distributed in various sections of the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Judd, of Jersey City, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene D. LaTourette, South Bound Brook.

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of South Bound Brook Reformed church will meet with Mrs. F. A. Applegate tonight.

Mrs. Arthur A. Bergen will be hostess tomorrow afternoon at the meeting of the Presbyterian Sunday school.

Miss Ruth Johnston, of Plainfield, spent the week-end with Miss Gladys Loree.

FANWOOD

The Thursday Afternoon Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. John H. Thompson, of Martine avenue, next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A meeting of the Fanwood American Red Cross Society was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Albert Nichols on North Avenue.

Mrs. Alfred D. Beckenridge of North avenue, left for Dallas, Texas, today, where she will visit her eldest son, Louis Du Pierro Beeker.

Mrs. Samuel W. McAneny, of North avenue, is visiting friends in New York.

DUNELLEN

Wedding Bells in Borough Hall

Recorder David Campbell performed a wedding ceremony at 11 a. m. yesterday, uniting an Italian couple in the holy bonds of matrimony at the borough hall. They were Miss Marion D. Bernardi and Francisco Vannetta. Relatives of the couple acted as witnesses. The bridegroom is employed at the Levzar plant.

Vossler Funeral Thursday

The funeral of Lewis Vossler will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors at 323 West Front street, this place. The Rev. Ernest Brown will conduct the service. Interment will take place at Hillside cemetery.

With the advent of St. Patrick's day and other signs of spring local vegetarians are turning their minds toward gardening. Only yesterday Borough Clerk William Deering was observed planting seed potatoes. Another resident of Washington avenue has already planted a bed of lettuce.

The Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society held its monthly meeting this afternoon at the Presbyterian church. Tomorrow afternoon the Jr. C. E. Society will meet at the same place.

Miss Noyer, the manual training teacher, is still confined to her home by illness and unable to continue her duties at the school. Miss Smalley was absent yesterday from the school.

"Safety First" Van Brunt will give one of his lectures at the P. S. C. trolley barns the latter part of the month. The trolleymen's club is also planning for a "smoker."

Principal G. H. Rentschler is to attend the meeting of the State Superintendents of Schools to be held the latter part of next week at New Brunswick.

The Misses Florence and Katherine Shenk, of Reading, Pa., spent the past week as the guests of G. H. Rentschler, Dunellen avenue.

Evangelistic services continue tonight, the Rev. P. C. Bascom preaching at the Presbyterian church on the topic, "The Way Home."

The Parent-Teacher Association of the local schools has started a movement to hold an out-door festival to be held in May.

Former Mayor William Wyckoff, of the borough, is convalescing from a recent illness at his home on Dunellen avenue.

A number of parents of the children took advantage of the invitation yesterday and visited the local schools.

The installation of the large plate glass windows in Smalley Bros.' stores were completed yesterday.

FLEMINGTON

The Presbyterian Brotherhood Bible class, at its annual meeting elected the following officers: President, H. S. O. Van Dalsen; vice-president, Samuel Schlapfer; secretary, Asa Jones; treasurer, Wm. Krinic.

The juniors of the Flemington high school have selected a comedy, "Tommy's Wife," for their class play the evening of April 13 in the auditorium.

The congregation of the Methodist church has extended a unanimous request to Rev. Austin E. Armstrong to remain as pastor another year.

Miss Mary Hulsizer of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, is at the home of her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. A. C. Hulsizer.

Miss Pearl Miller, of Mt. Sinai Hospital, New York, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller.

WATCHUNG

School Notes

The following pupils have not been tardy nor absent during the month of February: Walter Snoden, Irene Echentille, Russell Acker, Hervey Mobus, Kenneth Schmidt, Edward Snoden, Norman Curtis, Eleanor Bartels, Alice Moore, Marian Papandrea, Mabel Snoden, Margaret Walker, Loraine Coutts, Mary McLennan, Adeline Goidasz, Winston Hedburg Kiesler, Adelbert Miles, and Rocco Papandrea.

The regular monthly meeting of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society was held last evening in the improvement hall. The regular routine of business was followed. President Anderson reported that a large consignment of game had been appocioned to the society to stock the township. The meeting was concluded by a Vitaphone concert by the S. O. S. Society and refreshments served by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Miss Adele Herrmann will be the leader of the Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday evening in the Wilson chapel. "The topic is 'Spreading the Good News" and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society will hold a dance Friday evening in the improvement hall.

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association will be held Friday evening in the Watchung school auditorium.

Dr. Charles A. Eaton, of Sun Bright Farms on Valley road, is visiting in Chicago.

Junior Christian Endeavor will meet Wednesday afternoon in the chapel.

WESTFIELD

LECTURED BEFORE WOMEN'S CLUB

Robert Livingston Schuyler, of Columbia University, delivered an interesting and instructive lecture on "Americanization" before the members of the Women's Club at the meeting held in the parish house of the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. Professor Schuyler paid particular attention to the immigrant in his address and referred to the time when a large number of them came to this country. But since the war this number had been greatly reduced. He said that after the war was over the number of immigrants would increase again and then this country would have its problems to meet in taking care of them.

A feature of the afternoon's program was the music which was furnished by Miss Ella Louise Mills, who was about to go abroad in 1914 when the war broke out, to complete her musical education but was unable to do so and, instead, she went to a conservatory in Chicago. Miss Mills played piano selections from Liszt and Bach and responded to an encore. Her playing was excellent and was greatly appreciated by the members of the club, who were present in large numbers.

At the business meeting of the club Mrs. A. C. Bell, the chairman of the program committee for 1917-18, announced the program for the coming year.

Brotherhood Elects Officers

At the annual meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist church, held in the chapel last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, G. C. Lucas; first vice president, E. F. Blackford; second vice president, E. J. Johnson; third vice president, Harold Welch; fourth vice president, E. W. Huffman; secretary, A. M. Townsend; treasurer, L. H. Leggett; chaplain, Lester H. Lewis.

After the business session Rev. Dr. S. J. Herben, the pastor, gave an address on "Etchings" and illustrated it with several prints and told how they were made. A social hour and refreshments followed.

The Elmwood Catholic Club, of East Orange, will present an up-to-date minstrel show in the auditorium of Holy Trinity church next Monday night. The show will be given for the benefit of Holy Trinity church.

At the meeting of the Mutual Building and Loan Association held last night the election of a director to take the place of John H. Peacheon, who resigned, was laid over until the meeting next month.

G. H. Markley, of Elmer street, is a patient in the Elizabeth General Hospital, where he was operated on for appendicitis on Sunday.

Union Council, No. 3, Loyal Association will hold its monthly meeting in Arcanum hall on Thursday night.

Mrs. E. R. Pearsall, of Ferris place, went to Buena Vista, Va., yesterday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. F. M. Eviston, of Kansas City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. C. Lucas, of Park street.

The Park Commission will hold its monthly meeting in the town hall tomorrow night.

Mrs. Anna Decker, of Broad street, is visiting relatives in New ark.

GERMAN VALLEY

The Helping Hand Sewing Society of the Lutheran church will meet this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Gilbert Dufford.

Miss Marjorie Dufford, of Fairview, is paying a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip S. Dufford.

John Pfeiffer will resume work today after an illness of several weeks from ptomaine poison.

Mrs. Holloway W. Dufford is able to be out after an illness of a week.

Mrs. Charles McCann is seriously ill with acute indigestion.

Mrs. Alvernest Hoffman is ill with grip.

CHESTER

Silas H. Emmons, of Bernardsville, will take charge of the Pullman farm about April 1.

Mrs. John Hamilton, of Far Hills, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett M. Hockenbury.

Albert Mooney, of Brookside, has taken employment with David W. Sharp for the summer.

Chester Grange, No. 198, P. of H., will give a free entertainment on the night of March 23.

Miss Clara Marticals has returned after a visit to Miss Anna Emmons, of Bernardsville.

Mrs. Cornelius A. Segur has purchased the Evans building in Main street.

David W. Sharp is recovering slowly from pneumonia.

Henry Miller is kept to his home with sickness.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

The regular weekly meeting of the Junior Sanergol Association will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock. Weekly prayer meeting will be held in the evening at eight o'clock.

Invitations are out for the St. Patrick's night dance which will be held in Washington Hall next Saturday evening at eight o'clock. Music will be furnished by Gluttman's orchestra from Perth Amboy.

Two births have been reported during the last few days. Mr. and Mrs. Michael Savord are the parents of a son and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sexton are the parents of a daughter.

Miss May Purchese, of New York City, was the week-end visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Purchese, Jr.

Miss Katherine Dolan has returned to her home in Jersey City, after spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Lyman E. Barr.

Joseph Miller, formerly of this place, but now of Newark, spent Sunday with his father-in-law, Harry Sofield, Sr.

Miss Mary Cunning has returned to her home in New Market, after spending a day with Miss Anna Hamilton.

Miss Mary Mitchell returned yesterday from a few days' visit with her parents in Flemington Junction.

Adolph Steengraf, Jr., of Plainfield, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Steengraf, Sr.

Miss Rose Weldgen, of Somerville, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weldgen.

William Hamilton spent Sunday as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, of Fords.

Joe Smith, of Maple avenue, was the guest of friends in New York City several days ago.

Mrs. John Kane, of Lakeview avenue, has returned from a day's visit in New York City.

Elwood Johnson has sold his motorcycle and has purchased an automobile roadster.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The Ladies' Home Circle of the Reformed Church at Lebanon, will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary tomorrow with special exercises in the afternoon, which will be followed by an entertainment at night. Dinner will be served at noon. Admission will be free to the entertainment and a silver offering will be taken.

Arrangements have been completed by the young people of the Methodist Church at Glen Gardner for an entertainment, which will be held Friday night in Hornby's Hall. Rev. J. H. Smith, the pastor, is in charge of the rehearsals and he will also take part in a play to be presented.

The Y. M. C. A. of the Lebanon Methodist Church is planning to give a play the first week in April. Those rehearsing for the same are: Lloyd and Carl Dilts, Edgar Rinehart, Walter Faulks, Henry Bowlby, Walter Allpaugh, Howard Rinehart and George Wagner.

Arrangements have been made for a benefit moving picture show to be held in Rialto Hall at High Bridge, Wednesday evening, March 28, by the Boy Scouts of that place. The feature picture shown will be "The Crucible."

A birthday sociable was held this afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Jacob Aiaugh by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church at Hampton.

Hampton and Clinton bowling teams will meet in a match on the alleys of the Hunterdon Country Club tomorrow night.

Miss Carrie Hawk, of New York, has been spending several days with relatives in Bloomsbury.

The Minnetonka Club will give a musical in Odd Fellows' hall at Hampton, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cope, of Easton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snyder at Bloomsbury.

August Henkel, of Plainfield, was recently a visitor at his former home at Lebanon.

Abram Sexton, of High Bridge, has been spending some time at Yonkers, N. Y.

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WHITEHOUSE

FINANCES OF READINGTON

The annual report of Readington Township has been issued in pamphlet form and is now being circulated among the taxpayers. It contains the statements in detail of the various township officers for the year ending January 1, 1917, and shows the financial standing of the township up to that time. The officers are: Frank A. Cole, collector of taxes; William T. Hoffman, assessor; John H. Reed, overseer of the poor, with the following members of the Township Committee: John M. Potts, clerk; D. Henry Miller, treasurer; Almar G. Cole and David L. Lare.

The report of Collector Frank A. Cole indicates that the amount of the tax duplicate was $20,086. The sum of $476.80 was received from railroad tax, $197.44 from bank stock tax, and $36.86 from franchise tax, making a total of $30,797.10. This was disbursed through the various channels, $4,112.23 being paid out in State school tax, $8,781.89 in county tax, $8,230.10 district school tax, $2,463.21 in road bills and the sum of $3,415.68, which is outstanding taxes. There are 133 names on the delinquent tax list.

The statement of Treasurer D. H. Miller shows receipts to the amount of $7,599.46. The following amounts were paid out: To John H. Reed, overseer of the poor, $2,384.08; for damage to sheep and poultry by dogs, $82.59; for snow bills, $786.17; for extra road work, $224.46; for miscellaneous bills, $1,726.48; for infantile paralysis bills, $745.10, making a total expended of $5,949.53, and leaving a balance of $1,649.13. This balance was paid over on January 24 last to the new treasurer, David L. Lare, together with $305.20, the money on special deposit received from dog tax.

The report of John H. Reed, overseer of the poor, shows that twenty-two people received aid from the township during the year at an expense of $2,384.08.

The Readington Township Committee has reconsidered the matter of submitting the making of a tax map to the voters at the next general election and will, at their earliest convenience, make arrangements to have this work done as soon as practicable.

Roger H. Hall, of New York, is having a tenant house constructed at Lamington Lodge, his country place, near East Whitehouse. It will be occupied by George Eick, who will farm for Mr. Hall.

The Mission Band of the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station netted about $25 at its entertainment Saturday night. The next meeting of the band will be March 24 at Miss Theodosia Reger's.

The first meeting of the newly organized "Boy's Brigade of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church" will be held tomorrow afternoon in the lecture room.

Charles A. Hallenbeck, a student from New Brunswick Theological Seminary, will preach as a candidate in the Whitehouse Reformed Sunday.

Mrs. Peter S. LaTourette will entertain the Octave Reading Club Thursday afternoon at her residence at Whitehouse Station.

Dirt roads leading into Whitehouse are in horrible condition, being hub deep with mud in some places since the recent thaw.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Eunice E. Perry at Whitehouse Station.

Jacob C. Henry returned Sunday to Somerville, after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Henry, near Lebanon.

Miss Lulu Durnett, of Roselle Park, has been visiting Mrs. Peter S. LaTourette at Whitehouse Station.

John Stillwell, of Bound Brook, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Conover at Whitehouse Station.

Harry Carter, of Easton, Pa., has been visiting Marion M. Bennett at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. John Roberts, of Lebanon, is spending a few days at her former home in Brooklyn.

Miss Mabel Todd, of Lebanon, is the guest of Mrs. George Hildebrant at High Bridge.

ORDERS ISSUED TO U. S. GUNNERS

Fire on Threatening U-Boats "at Sight," Navy Decree.

FOREIGN POWERS ARE NOTIFIED

American Merchant Vessels' Guards Told to Permit Legal "Visit and Search," but to Take No Chances. Navy Department to Control All Movements of Armed Passenger and Freight Ships—Seeks Big Submarine Chaser Fleet.

Washington, March 13.—Final orders to the navy gunners who will work the guns on armed American merchant ships have been issued at a conference between Secretary of State Lansing and Secretary of the Navy Daniels. The orders will be transmitted directly to the gun crews by the secretary of the navy.

They provide in detail for compliance with the attitude of the United States in the whole long international controversy over the use of submarines against merchant craft. The gunners will fire at sight on any submarine approaching in a threatening manner, but will respect the rights of the submarine to "visit and search" for contraband if any effort is made to exercise that right. Further than this statement the orders will be kept absolutely secret.

The final form of the orders to gunners were framed after the state department had communicated to every representative of a foreign government in Washington the intention of the United States to arm its merchant vessels. These two actions cleared away the last formalities necessary before American commerce resumes its place upon the seas. The navy and war departments at once settled down to the preparation of all steps to warn placing its nation on a war basis to meet whatever the submarine controversy may bring forth.

United States to Control Ships.

The armed ships starting for the war zone will be absolutely under the control of the federal government. Their courses, their departure and the arrivals will be governed by orders from Washington. The masters of the ships will take their orders direct from the navy department. The state department said that the navy department could use its own judgment as to the need for putting commissioned naval officers on the merchant ships in connection with the gun crews.

The notification to the governments of the world of America's intention to protect her sea commerce was clear, specific and to the point. It was addressed to each of the governments represented here and said:

"In view of the announcement of the imperial German government of Jan. 31, 1917, that all ships, bases of neutrals included, and in certain zones of the high seas would be sunk without any precautions being taken for the safety of the persons on board and without any notice of visit and search, the government of the United States has determined to place upon all American merchant vessels leaving them, the barred areas an armed guard for the protection of the vessels and the lives of the persons on board.

The identic note and explanations made at the state department made it clear that every American ship sailing for the war zone will be armed. This disposed completely of speculation as to whether vessels carrying munitions of war as part of their cargo would be accorded full protection. The state department has always contended, however, that munitions ships as well as all other merchant vessels were entitled to the full protection of international law and they will be armed in accordance with this attitude.

Wants Submarine Chasers.

Pressing his plans for the complete naval preparedness of the nation, Secretary Daniels has taken up with builders of small boats the problem of supplying at once a vast fleet of submarine chasers of the motorboat type now used by Great Britain. Representatives of the Adams Shipbuilding company of East Boothbay, Me.; M. E. Calderwood of Manchester, N. H.; Eastern Shipyard, Shelter Island, N. Y.; Elco Company, Bayonne, N. J.; Essington Shipbuilding company, Essington, Pa.; Gas Engine and Power company, Morris Heights, N. Y.; Great Lakes Boat Building corporation, Milwaukee, Wis.; Greenport Basin and Construction company, Greenport, N. Y.; Herreshoff manufacturing company, Bristol, R. I.; Robert Jacob, City Island, N. Y.; Lawley & Son, Neponset, Mass.; Leathers & Mariner Shipbuilding company, Stamford, Conn.; Marbis Yacht Building company, Camden, N. J.; Matthews company, Port Clinton, O.; Murray & Tregurtha company, South Boston, Mass.; New York Yacht, Launch and Engine company, Morris Heights, N. Y.; Smith & Williams company, Salisbury, Md., and the Mans Yacht Building company, Baltimore, Md., were at the conference.

After reviewing the facilities available for the type of ship the department wants the builders were unable to promise more than 200 boats in four or five months. This was far below the desire of the department. The department wants motorboats 110 feet long, with the highest possible speed, and the builders will be asked to revise their estimates in an effort to supply the greatest possible number of these craft at once.

Edison at Work.

New war inventions to meet the submarine campaign, the navy department said, are being worked out by Thomas A. Edison and other members of the naval advisory council, who are devoting all of their time to this work. Edison is at work on a smoke screen invention to protect merchantmen and battleships on a system of underwater sighting for submarines. All of these inventions will be kept in close secrecy.

A start on a fleet of dirigibles for coastwise work was made when the navy department awarded to four concerns contracts for sixteen dirigibles with the necessary power equipment. They will carry armament and radio apparatus to be supplied by the department.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, biliousness, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoon of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get an quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soon and hot water acts on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

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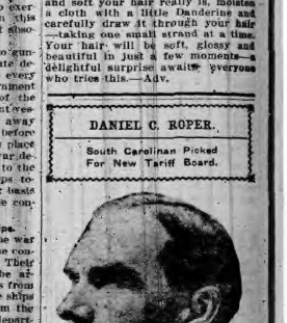
If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Adv.

DANIEL C. ROPER.

South Carolinian Picked For New Tariff Board.



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Mr. Roper has had practical experience in dealing with tariff questions. When the present law was passed he was consulted by the ways and means committee as an authority on statistics.

PARENTS OF BOY BANDITS SPANK THEM IN COURT.

Portland, Me., March 13.—Judge Samuel T. Bates ordered the parents of two youthful bandits who had operated before him in the municipal court to publicly spank their sons, saying one of whipped flogging would be a good thing for a sentence in the case. The two boys, 14 and 16 years old, had two mothers, who were [illegible] with whom [illegible] in the [illegible] while an interested crowd watched.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

Letters with this department from Miss Lee will gladly answer any Lenalty relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

For the ambitious hostess, who is possibly racking her brains for some novel form of entertainment, wherewith she may extend her hospitality, a St. Patrick's party, as the very name implies, will be found to contain delightful possibilities in the table decorations, as well as a variety of delicious dishes that may easily be prepared in the home kitchen.

This latter fact is very important, when one must depend upon her own efforts, instead of employing an expensive caterer. Naturally, the invitations will receive the first consideration. A novel idea is to have them written on square, white cards, adorned with a genuine shamrock from the "auld counthree" and bearing the motto in green water color: "Erin go Bragh," which means "Ireland Forever." Seal the envelopes with a tiny green seal.

Select your menu for the refreshments with care and with two objects in view. First, that most of the edibles shall be of a nature that can be prepared the day previous, or in the early morning. Second, that the different courses, as far as possible, may conform to the motif of the holiday.

The table may be either covered with a crepe paper cloth (printed in clover design) or doilies, as the hostess may prefer. Place directly in the center, resting on a small Irish flag, a wide-mouthed vase filled with green carnations and feathery asparagus fern, and at the corners of the table, set shillelah brass candlesticks, fitted with green candles. Shade the light from the candle with fluffy shades of white crepe paper, adorned with rosettes of green baby ribbon and small artificial shamrocks.

The following menu is suggested:

Menu for St. Patrick's Party

Erin go Bragh Grape Fruit
Salted Nuts Emerald Isles
Chicken Salad with Blarney Stones
Shillelah Sticks
Murphy Ice Cream Deech an Derais
St. Patrick's Cake

For the first course, which should be on the table before the announcement of supper, select grape fruit. After cutting in halves, remove the pulp, clean the skins, tint them a delicate green with a harmless vegetable dye and set aside to dry. Shred the pulp into fine particles, rejecting the membrane, and for each half of fruit add one heaping tablespoonful of sugar (powdered), a teaspoonful of orange juice and sufficient mint cordial to color. Fill into the prepared skins and garnish with a few cream de menthe cherries.

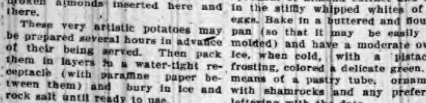
The Emerald Isles are large, pitted olives, and the Blarney Stones the capers that garnish the salad, while the shillelah sticks are simple bread sticks, made with a knob at one end. Add a bit of chopped sausage to the chicken salad, in honor of it being the national dish of Ireland (unless challenged by the potato), and be sure that it is crisp and cold and not used in sufficient quantity to flavor the salad too strongly.

Fancy forms of ice cream are always an expensive item for the hostess, and an excellent substitute will be found in the "Murphy Ice Cream." This consists of very realistic potatoes made from chocolate ice cream. Have the cream very firm before beginning to make them and shape each vegetable by means of butter paddies that have been soaked in ice water. The more irregular they are in shape the better, and the "eye effect" is easily carried out by bits of broken almonds inserted here and there.

These very artistic potatoes may be prepared several hours in advance of their being served. Then pack them in layers in a water-tight receptacle (with paraffine paper between them) and bury in ice and rock salt until ready to use.

For the St. Patrick's cake, try the following: Cream half a cupful of butter with one and a half cupfuls of granulated sugar. Then, very gradually, add half a cupful of milk and two and a half cupfuls of flour, sifted with one-quarter of a teaspoonful of almond extract and fold in the stiffly whipped whites of six eggs. Bake in a buttered and floured pan (so that it may be easily unmolded) and have a moderate oven. Ice, when cold, with a pistachio frosting, colored a delicate green. By means of a pastry tube, ornament with shamrocks and any preferred lettering with the date.

"The Deesh ap Derais," which translated means the last cup at the door, may consist of a "tay punch," prepared after any desired formula, the tea being allowed to marinate with the fruit puree that forms its basis.



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THE SECRET OF THE WITCHES—Part II

Jack looked at the fairy, for it was a fairy, but he was too surprised to speak, and the fairy said: "I will help you because the secret of the magic broth does not belong to these wicked old witches. They stole it from our Queen while she slept."

It was morning now, and the dew was on the leaves and bushes glistening like crystals in the sun.

The fairy touched a dewdrop with her wand, and Jack saw a little silver bottle hanging on the bush.

"Take this and fill it with the magic broth," said the fairy, "and go to the King and tell him the fairies sent you and he will ask no questions.

"He sent to our Queen, asking her to cure the Princess, who is sick, and all the doctors have failed to help her.

"Of course, we never take any gold for the good deeds we do, and when the old witches knew we were to cure the Princess they were very angry and said we should not cure her unless we gave them half of the gold the King gave us. Our Queen told them we never took gold or any reward for what we did, and every time we have tried to get to the palace to cure the little Princess the old witches have in some way prevented us.

"At last our Queen decided to make a magic broth and send it secretly to the King, and she had all the fairies gather the things to go in the broth one night just as the clock was striking 12 and then next night we were to make the magic broth.

"But the old witches sent a bad little elf to steal the things we had gathered, and we were afraid we had lost them forever."

Jack forgot his shyness, he was so interested, and asked, "Why didn't your Queen have the fairies gather some more of the magic things and make the broth before the old witch made it?"

"You are a mortal and, of course, ask mortal questions," said the fairy, shaking her head and looking wise. "You see, mortal boy, that we fairies gather the first growing of everything we use and the second will not do. There was plenty of the same kind of things we had gathered, but it was the first, the very first, that we had to have."

"Oh, I see," said Jack, not at all understanding what difference that could make to fairies, but he did not ask any more questions, for he was impatient to be off and reach the Palace before the old witches did.

When Jack had filled the bottle the fairy told him to hurry.

"The King will give you some gold and it will be right for you to take it, because you will do good with it. You will go home to your mother and take care of her, and your wicked brother will come begging at your door."

Jack thanked the fairy for helping him and off he ran to the palace of the King. He arrived there hours before the old witches did, for they did not hurry, thinking they had the secret broth, and the fairy Queen would not be able to cure the Princess.

The King was delighted and wanted to give Jack two bags of gold, but Jack was not greedy and told him one was all he needed to make his mother comfortable, and off he ran

again. This time he found his way easily, for I expect the fairies guided him.

When the two old witches arrived at the palace they told the King they had the only magic medicine that would cure the Princess and they would sell it to him for a barrel of gold.

The King told his servants to drive them away and to set the dogs after them if they came back, so the old witches knew that the Fairy Queen had outwitted them after all; but, of course, they did not know how or anything about Jack, so they could not harm him.

Jack's mother was overjoyed to have him home again, and Jack bought a farm and went there to live with his mother.

He became a very rich man and he and his mother lived in peace and plenty. One day there came to the door of Jack's house a beggar asking for food and a place to sleep for the night.

Jack recognized the beggar as his brother Ole, who had treated him so badly years before, but Ole did not know Jack, and the next morning when he was going away Jack said: "Ole, don't you know me? I am Jack, your brother."

Ole hung his head in shame, but Jack told him he had forgiven him long ago and to come into the house and see their mother, who was old and could not live long.

Ole told his mother how wicked he had been, and Jack's mother never prospered since he stole from Jack his portion of food and money, that he had been sorry many times and wanted to ask Jack to forgive him, but that he could not find him.

The old mother was happy because her sons were friends again, and Ole and Jack lived together happily the rest of their lives. But Jack never told the secret of the magic broth to anyone, and although he never again saw a fairy, he knew that they had helped him and that fairies really were in the world.

Tomorrow's story — "Inquisitive Billy Mouse."

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A child two to three years old should have for breakfast the juice of one orange, a bowl of gruel or 4 or 5 stewed prunes or apple sauce. Either a well-cooked cereal, cornmeal, Pettijohn, oatmeal, cracked wheat, wheatena, all well salted and not more than one-half teaspoonful of sugar, and he should have a soft boiled or poached egg with stale bread or crisp toast. Also a glass of warmed milk. Give him a glass of warmed milk at 10:30 also.

Add to the list of things that are bad for all babies these: Sleeping on the mother's breast while nursing, sleeping in bed with the mother spitting on handkerchief to remove dirt from baby's face, sneezing and coughing in the baby's face, allowing a person with a cough or cold to hold the baby, or allowing any person with tuberculosis to come for the baby. Tomorrow: something about the summer care of babies.

FOR TWIN BOROUGH SCHOOL BOARD

Peapack-Gladstone, March 13.—Since E. F. Courter has refused to stand for re-election to the borough Board of Education this place is experiencing difficulty in finding a man who will run to succeed him. Mr. Courter was a popular candidate, and the Board of Education was anxious to have him returned. The other two retiring members, J. K. Thompson and John Frost, have consented to run for re-election. The election will take place March 20.

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ANNIVERSARY OF THE FAMOUS COTTON GIN

Today is the 123d anniversary of the invention of the cotton gin, by Eli Whitney, who was born in Westborough, Mass., in 1765, and died in 1825. He entered Yale at the age of twenty-four years, and worked his way through the course. A year after his graduation he perfected the machine which made him famous, and made cotton the king of crops.

After leaving college he was engaged as a private tutor for a family in Georgia, but going to take the position found it taken by another, and he, being poor, sought other employment at odd jobs to earn a living.

The widow of General Greene, of the Revolution, had compassion on him, and took him to her home in Savannah, and found him handy with various implements. Farmers who grew cotton often employed him to repair work and Whitney, seeing the laborious and slow work in the primitive methods of removing the seed from cotton, began with crude materials to devise a machine for doing the work. When it was completed some one stole the model, and began manufacturing the machine before he could get a patent on it.

Objections were raised by cotton buyers in England to the use of such machines, on the ground that it weakened the fibre of the cotton, but makers of the machine from the stolen invention, kept producing it until the cotton growers were forced to use it in order to turn out the cotton fast enough for the demand.

Mrs. Greene financed the young man in securing his patent, and he finally was voted $20,000 by the State of South Carolina for the State rights to his patent.

Discouraged over the treatment he received over this invention, he turned his attention to the manufacture of muskets and built an arsenal in Whitneyville, Conn., where he supplied arms to the Government.

He died in New Haven, June 8, 1825. The invention of the cotton gin placed him in the list with Watt, inventor of the steam engine, and with Sir Richard Arkwright, inventor of the spinning machine, as benefactors of mankind.

ELIZABETH FIRM SUES SHAPIRO BROTHERS

New York, March 13.—Joseph W. North & Son, of Elizabeth, in filing suit in the Supreme Court for the recovery of $2,500 from Shapiro Bros., 171 Canal street, say that Charles M. Lape, who was in the plaintiff's employ as superintendent of their factory, stole manufactured garments, consisting of union suits, infants' wrappers, skirts, vests and other merchandise, shipped nineteen cases to Shapiro Bros. and was paid for the goods.

The suit was filed by August C. Steeltwolf, representing the Elizabeth merchants. He made an affidavit that the information contained in the complaint was derived from what were declared to be confessions made by Lape to him at his office, 233 Broadway. Lape also made an affidavit in reference to the same subject, which the lawyer has in his possession, the latter says.

Shapiro Bros. have twenty days in which to answer the complaint.

JERSEY BOY LAFAYETTE DEBATER

Easton, March 13.—Among the six men that were picked to represent Lafayette College in debating contests this year is John Leslie Parker of Paterson. Parker, who is a sophomore in that institution, was one the team last year and distinguished himself in many intercollegiate debates. He will participate in a contest here Friday with Swarthmore College.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Lewis G. Timpson, of this city, who has been spending the winter in New York, has returned to Plainfield for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Prior-Leahy, of New York, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Adams, of West Front street, for a few days, have returned.

HOW TO RELIEVE HEAD NOISES

GOOD ADVICE TO THOSE WHO FEAR DEAFNESS.

People who are growing hard of hearing are usually troubled with a stuffy feeling of pressure against their ear drums, accompanied by buzzing, ringing sounds in the head like water falling or steam escaping should take prompt and effective measures to stop this trouble. Head noises are almost invariably the forerunner of complete or partial deafness, and most deaf people suffer from them constantly. Sometimes the head noises become so distracting and nerve-racking with their ever changing tone, they drive the sufferer almost frantic and complete nervous breakdown may result.

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OFFICIALS OF MOTHERS' CONGRESS WILL ATTEND

The New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations will hold a Union county council meeting in the auditorium of the Plainfield High School tomorrow with sessions at 11 o'clock in the morning and 2 o'clock in the afternoon. A box luncheon will be served at noon.

Mrs. Wellington Bechtel, of Haddonfield, president, and Mrs. D. C. Cooper, vice-president of the New Jersey Congress of Mothers, will be guests of honor at the conference, the purpose of which will be to strengthen the work of the congress in Union county and to bring the county members in closer touch with the parent organization.

The president, secretary and one delegate from every Parent-Teacher Association in the county is expected to attend the council. There are twenty-five associations in the county representing in all 1,100 mothers, fathers and teachers. In the morning there will be election of officers, adoption of constitution. Informal reports and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. Franklin K. Mathiews, chief librarian of the Boy Scouts' organization, will speak on "Recreational Reading for Children." The public is invited to this session.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Englewood, will give the second in his series of four lectures on "South America," at the Y. W. C. A. rooms, Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

PLAY AT HARRISON SCHOOL

"That Little Rogue Next Door" will be enjoyed by many tonight in the Harrison avenue school, North Plainfield. This play will be accompanied by a few other small acts taken by local talent.

Dancing will follow until a late hour. A good time is anticipated for all who attend.

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JERSEY SENATORS GET IMPORTANT PLACES

Washington, March 13.—In the list of Senate committees announced yesterday, New Jersey, with one Republican and one Democratic member, comes off very well. Senator Frelinghuysen obtains two important and influential assignments in military affairs and public buildings and grounds. Senator Hughes advanced to the chairmanship of the pensions committee, one of the busiest in the entire list, and also goes on postoffice and post roads.

His most important membership is the finance committee, which handles the tariff and all other revenue legislation. In the event of war this would be a most important committee.

Besides military affairs and public buildings, Mr. Frelinghuysen goes to claims, coast defenses, expenditures in the Department of Justice, public health and national quarantine, and the committee on transportation and sale of meat products.

LENTEN SERVICES AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

On Wednesday evening the Lenten preacher will be the Rev. J. S. Fair, of Bernardsville.

The Woman's Guild will hold a Thimble party in the parish house, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. All women are invited to attend.

The Friday afternoon Lenten service for young people will be held as usual. Service will begin at 4:30 o'clock and a cordial invitation is extended to adults to attend.

The Rev. C. S. Wood, of Roselle, will be the preacher next Sunday evening. Service will commence at 7:45 o'clock.

FORMS RED CROSS BRANCH

Flemington, March 13.—A Hunterdon County Branch of the American Red Cross has been organized here with these officers: Chairman, Mrs. F. H. Engeman; vice chairman, Percival Chrystie, of High Bridge; secretary, Miss Marion Williams; treasurer, Nedwill Sutphin; executive committee, Mrs. F. H. Engeman, Mrs. Edward B. Allen, Mrs. Benjamin F. Dewey, Mrs. Fred J. Bodine and Arthur Foran. Hiram E. Deats has offered the organization a large room in the Deats building to be used as a meeting place. A membership committee will be selected to enroll members in all parts of Hunterdon county.

"IMPROVING FROM OPERATION

The many friends of Mrs. McKelvey, wife of the Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey of the Watchung Avenue Church, North Plainfield, will be pleased to learn that she is recuperating from an operation that took place at the Muhlenberg Hospital. Mrs. McKelvey's condition was reported very comfortable today.

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Evap. Apples, pkg.	12c	Steuben Lima Beans, can	10c
Peeled Peaches, lb.	18c	Varsity Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Sun Maid Raisins	13c	Checker Cal. Peaches, can	20c
Rex Corned Beef	25c	W. K. Tuna Fish, can	18c-30c
Steero Cubes, can	25c	New Orleans Molasses, gal.	70c
Not-a-Seed Raisins	15c	Sunshine Coffee, lb.	20c
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For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.41 (except March Chunk, 8.10), 8.44, 11.27 a. m.; 2.36, 5.44, (6.55 to Easton) p. m. Sunday—5.19, (8.44 to Allentown), 10.37 a. m., 2.36, 5.44, 7.05 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—5.21, 8.44 a. m.; 5.44 p. m. Sunday—5.19, 10.37 a. m.; 5.44 p. m.

For Asbury Park, Etc.—3.41, 8.13, 11.27 a. m.; Saturdays only, 12.39, 4.15, 4.36, 6.05, 8.27 p. m., 12.42. For Red Bank only—8.38 a. m.; (12.39, Saturdays only), 1 p. m.

For Atlantic City—2.41, 8.38 a. m.; (12.39 Saturdays only), 3.11 p. m. Sundays—8.42 a. m., 2.15 p. m.

For Philadelphia—5.38, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 12.54 a. m., 1.12, 2.45, 4.45, 5.21, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48 p. m., 1.20 a. m.

Sundays—5.02, 9.39, 9.57, 10.59, 10.43, 11.43 a. m., 2.12, 4.45, 5.21, 6.39, 8.45, 9.56, 10.59, 11.29, 9.11, 9.47, 9.46, 10.59, 11.54 p. m., 1.20 a. m.

For Baltimore and Washington daily 9.02, 10.43 a. m., 1.12, 2.45, 4.45, 9.47 p. m.

AMERICAN SHIPS BEING ARMED

Work Starts on Freighter at New York.

PASSENGER VESSELS NEXT.

Bookings For Early Sailings For England Now Being Arranged—Boats Will Leave Harbor at Night and Date of Departure Will Be Kept a Secret. Seamen Threaten to Strike Unless They Get 75 Per Cent War Bonus.

New York, March 13.—The actual work of arming American merchantmen was begun at New York Monday. Tugs from the navy yard ran alongside an American freighter and put aboard steel beams and plates for the construction of gun platforms.

Next in line for armament are American passenger liners.

Passengers are being booked for the early departure for England of the St. Louis. No bookings, however, are being made until applicants for passage exhibit passports, and even then they are only informed of the vessel on which they may take passage. Prospective passengers are requested to leave their addresses so they may be notified by telephone just when the vessel will sail. No change has been made in the tariff for either first, second cabin or third class accommodations.

Ships to Sail at Night.

At a conference of officials of the navy yard and the steamship company it was practically decided to arrange for the sailing of all passenger vessels at night. Passengers will be told to get aboard before it is dark.

Agents in New York of the French line have been notified from Washington that permission had been granted to the French liner Rochambeau to clear with guns mounted fore and aft. The state department rules that the Rochambeau, as a passenger carrying vessel plying usual routes, is a peaceable merchantman entitled to take adequate precautions against illegal attack.

This ruling, it was said in shipping circles, will lead to a general policy of arming vessels to the fore. The Rochambeau has been regarded as a test ship to ascertain the policy of the United States government, which had notified the owners of the White Star liner Adriatic when that vessel arrived here with guns fore and aft that it would be well to dismount the forward guns.

Sailors Threaten Strike.

P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, conferred with Gustav Braun, secretary of the International Seamen's union. Braun demanded that the men signed to man the St. Louis be paid a war risk bonus of 75 per cent.

Franklin refused to meet the demand. The line is willing to pay 50 per cent bonus. A mass meeting of seamen has been called, and a strike is threatened.

CUBAN REVOLT CRUSHED.

Only Few Small Bands of Rebels Left, Menocal Says.

Havana, March 13.—Fighting still continues in Cuba, but a statement issued from the palace of President Menocal predicted complete pacification soon of all the rebel forces. The statement says advices have been received of many surrenders of small bands of rebels in the provinces of Oriente, Camaguey and Santa Clara.

As further proof that the insurrection is nearing complete collapse, the Menocal statement says that every sugar mill in Cuba is grinding cane steadily. Colonel Matias Betancourt, commander of the army in Oriente, has been ordered to abandon his planned entry into Santiago de Cuba and proceed to Guantanamo valley to engage any rebels he may find there. The rebels since their evacuation of Santiago have split into small foraying units, it was said.

SUSPECT FOUL PLAY.

Bordentown Man's Body Found In Pennsauken Creek.

Bordentown, March 13. The body of James McIntyre, son of James McIntyre, Sr., of Bordentown, who was drowned in the Delaware river here from the lighter Leslie, of which George L. Smith was captain, on the night of Dec. 3, has been found in the Pennsauken creek, West Palmyra. He was twenty-nine years old and married.

An examination will be made of the body, as suspicion points to foul play.

Mountain Lakes Has Dramatic Club.

Mountain Lakes, March 13.—The Mountain Lakes Dramatic club has been formed, with sixty-one members. The club will present plays and study the drama. The following officers were elected: President, William Sawyer; secretary, Edwin S. Wadsworth, and treasurer, L. Kitts.

Wash Away Skin Sores

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PETER GOELET GERRY.

First Democratic Senator From Rhode Island In Fifty Years.

Photo by American Press Association.

Senator Gerry has been assigned to the committee on naval affairs. He is a big navy man and was formerly a member of the house naval affairs committee.

FRENCH STORM CHAMPAGNE HILL

Gain Strategic Point, Winning Back Lost Ground.

London, March 13.—French troops have completed their success in Champagne by clearing the Germans from Hill 185, which dominates the country for miles around. All the important positions the crown prince took in this region by his attack on Feb. 15 are now in French hands.

The French attack was made on a front of a little less than a mile west of the Maisons de Champagne farm, almost to the Butte du Mesnil. Besides recapturing the lost trenches on Hill 185 the French took a fortified work.

Earlier in the day the French made progress toward the trenches on the hill and grenade attack, and in the afternoon extended their gains to the summit. This is typical of the methods of step by step attack by which the French have regained all their lost ground in three days.

On the Somme and Ancre fronts activity of immediate importance secondary to that in Champagne is reported.

A bulletin from the German war office says that on the Somme activity continues and east of the river the artillery in several sectors is livelier than on preceding days. New developments may be reported there. The British position northeast of Bouchavesnes, north of Peronne, has been improved and patrols are active.

Another day of great aerial activity, such as usually precedes infantry engagements, was reported. British airplanes were out to spy out the German positions. Berlin reports that seventeen airplanes and two captive balloons were brought down, while the British report says nine German machines were winged.

No Sheepskins at Lafayette.

Easton, March 13.—There was regret in the senior class in Lafayette college when the members learned the college authorities had decided to present them with plain white paper diplomas at graduation instead of the customary sheepskin.

EXPLOSIVES BILL STRONGLY URGED

Rigid Measure Now Before Legislature.

MAYOR HERSHFIELD THE AUTHOR

Pompton Lakes Assemblyman Has Interested Federal and Pennsylvania Authorities in Movement For Uniform Legislation to Regulate Storage and Carting of Powder and Dynamite—Drastic Penalties Provided.

Trenton, March 13.—The bill of Assemblyman Henry G. Hershfield, mayor of Pompton Lakes, designed to regulate the manufacture, storage, transportation and sale of explosive munitions and providing penalties for the violation of the proposed act, is creating much interest because of the recent explosions of munition works in this state and it is expected to pass the legislature.

Mayor Hershfield has made trips to Harrisburg and Washington to get the cooperation of Pennsylvania and of congress toward enacting uniform legislation on the subject. The Pennsylvania authorities, it is reported, approve of the Hershfield bill, and if it passes the New Jersey legislature, it is said, it will be taken up at Harrisburg.

The bill provides that all munition factories and magazines must be located at set distances from buildings highways and railroads. Those keeping or storing explosives must pay an annual license fee for each magazine of not less than $1 or more than $25.

Each licensed factory or magazine is to be inspected at least once a year by the commissioner of labor or his assistants.

No unauthorized person or persons may enter any factory, building, magazine or car containing explosives.

Every vehicle, while carrying explosives upon the public highway, shall display, the bill says, upon an erect pole at the front end of such vehicle and at such a height that it shall be visible from all directions, a red flag with the word "Danger" on the flag in white letters at least six inches in height, or in lieu of such a flag the words "Explosives Dangerous" must be used.

Any person or company failing to comply with the provisions of the law, when convicted, is to be subject guilty of a high misdemeanor and punished by a fine not exceeding $10,000 or imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for one year, or both.

FEAR GUNS FOR CHICKENS.

Hammonton Residents Fight Proving Ground Location.

Hammonton, March 13.—Safety first for chickens is the impelling reason why the many poultry raisers hereabouts are in close sympathy with the fight being waged against the proving grounds of the Bethlehem Steel company at Mays Landing.

Poulterers fear the vibrations caused by the firing of heavy guns would prevent the hatching of chicks. They point out that the thunderings have killed large quantities of chickens in a certain stage of embryo. Hammonton is only about fifteen miles from the proving grounds.

HOUSE WAS DYNAMITED.

Stirling Man Accuses Neighbors In Revenge Plot.

Stirling, March 13.—Banded together like night-riders of the Kentucky hills five men dynamited the home of George Elleeks in the Great swamp, Elleeks told the authorities. They returned, he said, and demanded he quit the section on pain of death.

Justice of the Peace Raymond A. Aland issued a warrant for five men named by him, Elleeks, who is a bachelor, fifty-eight years old, said before the second visit from the men he had sent away a Miss Cameron, thirty years old, who had been keeping house for him.

China's Break With Berlin.

London, March 13.—The Chinese house of representatives has approved the government's diplomatic course and the proposal for breaking off diplomatic relations with Germany, according to a Reuter dispatch from Peking.

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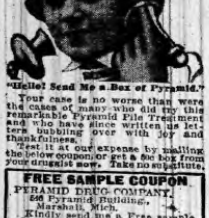

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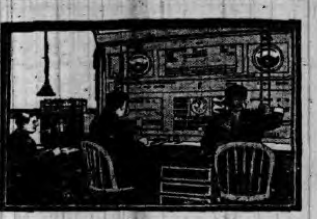

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Proof of it? Here is what we have heard shoppers say:

"I do not know of any collection in town that presents so many conservative, good style hats as here."

"I do not know when I have seen such a varied and beautiful collection of hats."

Another, describing the showing to a friend:

"The collection included every style feature of note, flower-trimmed hats in profusion, combining exquisite colorings, always well done. Especially good was the showing of tan-colored hats trimmed with flowers and fruits in variegated shades.

We have heard others say that the collection of black hats is unusually good, small, medium and large styles being so well represented; that the sports hat shop has a most attractive display of English and American hats, and that from $6 to $25, the ready-to-wear shop is better equipped than any other shop in town.

First floor, Old Building.

Swiss Taffeta---Another Lot from the Importer, $1.95 yd.

First purchase of 10,000 yards sold out rapidly. No wonder. New York women appreciate quality. Such smart checks, plaids, stripes in soft, sleek taffeta are hard to find these days. Especially at a third less than the standard price—for since 1913 we have sold these goods at $3 and $3.50 yard.

Now the remainder that the importer had in his stockroom has arrived. Plenty of black or gray and white, navy blue and other conservative colors, 36 and 40 inches wide.

Silk Rotunda, Main floor, Old Building.

So Many Spring Suits for Young Women and Girls

Three groups, in particular, offer most inviting choice—at $25, $29.75 and $35. In each group are a number of new models, in sizes 14 to 20 years, designed for young women, and quite different from the styles that small women wear. Simplicity is the keynote of the collection. And how remarkable the variety that clever minds have devised.

A gabardine suit at $25, in gray, navy or black, has pleats from small yoke in center of back and at sides; no pockets in coat, but two in skirt; belt; buttons as trimmings.

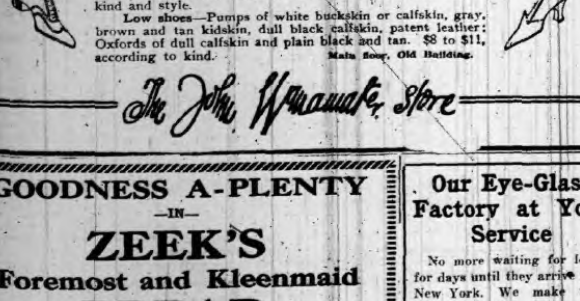
A burella cloth suit at $29.75, in rose or green, is very smart; shoulder yoke, pinch back, notch collar; little kerchief and change pocket above belt. Skirt shows the new fashion; hem turned up outside.

Another gabardine suit at $35, in all spring shades, has buttoning belt and tie sash, pockets, stitchery, box-pleats in back.

Second floor, Old Building.

Fine Footwear for Women

Wanamaker footwear lends distinction to the costume. Leathers show the soft beauty of quality. Cut never falls a hair's breadth from grace and trimness. Perforation, stitching, tongue effects, add the dainty charm of femininity.



In addition, there is great variety.

A woman can find footwear to suit her taste, her dress needs, the lines of her foot to best bring out grace.

High shoes—Tan and black calfskin, black, white and bronze kidskin, and white buckskin, $10 to $14, according to kind and style.

Low shoes—Pumps of white buckskin or calfskin, gray, brown and tan kidskin, dull black calfskin, patent leather; Oxfords of dull calfskin and plain black and tan. $8 to $11, according to kind.

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Rheuma, the wonderful rheumatism remedy sold by Weiss' Boro Drug Store, and all druggists, gives quicker and more lasting relief than other remedies costing many times as much.

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This should give any sufferer from rheumatism confidence to try Rheuma.—Adv.

HERAMBA L. GUPTA.

Hindoo Student Charged With Anti-British Plot.

Photo by American Press Association.

GERARD BRINGING DRAFT OF TREATY

Will Show President What He Refused to Sign.

Key West, Fla., March 13.—As James W. Gerard stepped from the Havana-Key West boat to board his train for Washington, one of the officers of the ship offered to relieve him of the burden of a dispatch bag which swung by straps from his shoulder. Mr. Gerard shook his head, "No." From the day he left Berlin and in all the journeyings through Switzerland, France and Spain, inland travel and sea travel, nobody except Mr. Gerard has handled the bag.

It has been with him waking and sleeping. He alone knows all that it contains in the way of documents and memoranda for the president's private eye, but one of the papers so carefully guarded is the German draft of the old Prussian treaty which the German foreign office was so determined that he should sign, a determination which he met with the defiant statement to Count Montgelas, "You will freeze in hell before I sign that paper."

Mr. Gerard retained possession of this interesting document, in the anxious period of waiting before he was released on Feb. 10 he burned many of his private papers and also many official documents which he did not desire to have the Germans get, but he retained the draft of the proposed amended treaty so the president could see for himself how far the German government dared venture.

PRESIDENT BACK TO BED.

Returned to Work Too Soon, His Physician Says.

Washington, March 13.—President Wilson went back to work a day too soon, according to the judgment of his aid and physician, Dr. Cary T. Grayson, who following the president's attempt to confer with Senator Martin ordered him promptly back to his bed.

Dr. Grayson said that, although the president's cold was much better, he had not regained his strength and that if he expected speedy recovery he could not afford to spend it needlessly. The president obeyed instructions and retired. He was reported an weak, but feeling better today.

Orange Pastor Resigns.

East Orange, N. J., March 13.—Declaring that he considers himself "a square peg in a round hole," the Rev. Ralph Hall Ferris has resigned as pastor of the Grove Street Congregational church. The resignation generally expressed surprise at the resignation. Church officials admitted they knew of its coming, but had not requested it.

MERCHANT ATONES TO MEN FOR YEARS OF SMALL PAY.

Winsted, Conn., March 12.—Although merchant and philanthropist, D. B. Watson, a prosperous merchant of Torrington, has decided to make restitution to his employees for years of small wages.

He will pay them the difference between the wages they received and what he believes they should have been paid and interest on the money. He has asked a lawyer to arrange the details of the distribution.

RAILROAD STRIKE LOOMS UP AGAIN

Union Chiefs Will Confer With Roads Thursday.

Washington, March 13.—Reports of a new strike order by the "Big Four" brotherhoods on all the great railroads were received by qualified denials by the brotherhood chiefs in Washington. *President Stone of the Brotherhood of Engineers said:*

"I can neither affirm nor deny that a strike order has been issued because I cannot discuss the strike. I am in Washington on other matters, and I do not propose to talk about the railroad situation. The brotherhood heads expect to confer with the conference committee of railroad managers in New York Thursday. Until that time, I will have nothing to say."

The other brotherhood leaders, Carter Lee and Shepperd, followed the engineers' chief in refusing to discuss the possibility of a strike. It was understood, however, that the brotherhood chiefs had framed new proposals for the settlement of their difficulties with the railroads based on present conditions, which would be submitted on Thursday.

The failure of the supreme court to give a decision as to the constitutionality of the Adamson eight hour day law brought the whole railroad problem to the fore again. Administration officials, piqued at questions over the situation, nevertheless expressed confidence that the railroad men would not break with the roads pending the court's decision.

FORMER SENATOR HAND DEAD

Was a Republican Leader in New Jersey For Many Years.

Cape May, N. J., March 13.—Former Senator Robert E. Hand died at his home in Erma, near here, from general debility. He had been in failing health for the past year. He was about sixty-seven years of age and had been the Republican leader in this section for many years, retiring in 1913. Early in his political career he was a member of the board of chosen freeholders and served as sheriff from 1892 to 1895. He was in the assembly in 1897 and that fall was elected to the senate and served two terms there. He was succeeded by Senator Emley Schellenger, who served for two more terms, going out in 1912. He was a delegate to the convention which nominated McKinley and Hobart. He was a large contractor and built many of the state improved roads in south Jersey.

ALL SUMMER SESSION.

Speaker Clark Thinks Congress Is Due For Hard Work.

Washington, March 13.—Speaker Champ Clark today expressed opinion that if the extra session of congress *cannot be concluded in six weeks it* will extend through the summer and up to the opening of the regular session. If the legislation taken up is continued to measures pressing for immediate enactment the session can be wound up in six weeks, he said, but if the list of general legislation is once entered there will be no hope of cutting the session short.

"It would not be a bad thing anyway, to have congress around in case of war," said the speaker.

TO GUARD BRIDGEPORT.

Field Guns and Searchlights Placed on Harbor Island.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 13.—First steps in the preparations to protect Bridgeport, "the Essen of America," against attack by war vessels were taken when Lieutenant C. H. Jones, another commissioned officer and twenty-seven enlisted men from the United States coast artillery corps from Fort H. W. Wright landed on Pleasure Beach.

They brought with them three field guns. They are busy preparing to fortify the island and to place enormous searchlights on the island for the purpose of illuminating the sound.

Arrest Politician in Peru.

Lima, March 13.—The arrest of Candidate Montesinos, opponent of Admiral Grau, has been ordered by the Peruvian government. The brother of Admiral Grau has publicly charged the president of the republic with consenting to the assassination of Grau's son.

HE CAN'T BE HANGED, SO GETS A REPRIEVE.

Washington, March 13.—Edward Mayberry, Spokane murderer, who would have been hanged on the federal building there but for a treasury department order forbidding it, has been granted a respite of thirty days by the president. The respite was granted to give Mayberry's counsel time to appeal from the federal court death sentence which conflicts with the state laws.

HOW TO BE RID OF CHRONIC DANDRUFF

The only way to be permanently rid of disgusting, untidy dandruff is to destroy the cause. Destroy the dandruff germ and get rid of dandruff for good by rubbing a little of the genuine Parisian Sage directly on the bare scalp until absorbed. You will surely be amazed at the result of even one application.

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$2.95 Trimmed Sport and Sailor Hats . . . 2.00
Black and colors—large and small—smart ribbon and novelty trimming. Limit two.

$1.94 Untrimmed Hats, Milan and Milan Hemp . . . 1.24
Black and colors—big and little shapes. Limit two.
Trimmed free if materials are purchased here.

49 ct. Roses, Daisies, Dahlias, Pansies, Cherries 36
and other blossoms and fruits, large and small. Limit two.

$12.98 and $13.98 Misses' and Junior Coats 9.75
Variety of newest shades—each, or belt effects — buttons effectively placed—all sizes.
Alterations free of charge.

$2.00 Extra Size Voile and Batiste Blouses 1.54
Well made, fine tucks, lace and embroidery trimmed — sizes 44 to 52. Limit two.

$1.49 Women's Extra Size Silkaline Petticoats 1.09
Flounces pleated or tucked—all lengths—manufacturer's one year guarantee—fitted free. Limit one.

$1.98 Girls' White Dresses . . . 1.54
Lawn or organdie — new models trimmed with embroidery and lace —4 to 14 yrs. Limit two.

59 ct. Babies' Outing Flannel Gowns' 38
Some with warm rolling collars, simply stitched in pink or blue—sizes to 3 yrs. Limit three.

$2.98 Little Children's Trimmed Straw Hats 2.25
All the bright Spring colors for the happy little faces—rose, Copenhagen, green, navy and mushroom or poke shapes, decorated with flowers and velvet ribbons. Limit two.

59 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses .46
Yoke, belted or middy style — nainsook, lawn or linenette — sizes 6 yrs. Limit four.

$1.50 Boys' Trousers 1.28
Straight or Knickerbocker styles — cheviots, worsteds, tweeds—medium or dark twills and mixtures, herringbone stripes and fancies — 7 to 17 yrs. Limit two.

49 ct. Boys' Caps 35
New Spring styles and colors—mixtures and combinations—also checks —taped—full crowns. Limit two.

4.98 Boys' Spring Suits . . . 3.85
Cassimeres—Cheviot — semi-Norfolk models—yoke or pinch-back—patch pockets—cuff sleeves—serviceable linings—4 to 17 yrs. Limit two.

59 ct. Children's Pajamas 44
One or two-piece styles—in fancy striped percales—several patterns, some flannelette—6 to 14 yrs. Limit two.

$1.24 House Dresses 85
Well tailored—striped percales and lawns—contrasting collars—sizes 36 to 44. Limit two.

29 ct. Children's Cambric Drawers 18
Tucked or embroidery trimmed—1 to 12 yrs. Limit two.

49 ct. Women's Drawers 38
Nainsook and cambric — ruffle of good embroideries or lace insertion and edge. Limit three.

$9.98 Genuine Cree Rugs . . . 7.35
9x12 ft.—Oriental, scroll and novelty borders, green, blue, tan grounds. Limit one.

85 ct. Holland Window Shades .63
3x6 ft.—complete with rollers and fixtures—assorted colors. Limit two.

10 and 22 ct. yd. Table Oil Cloth 17
Fresh stock—15 yds. wide. Limit six yds.

13 ct. Welsback Gas Mantles . . 7
Upright or inverted. Limit two.

85 ct. White Enam'd Towel Bars .65
15 inches. Limit one.

19 ct. Paper, Pound 14
110 Sheets, 25 Envelopes; free 7 . . 5

$1.98 Matting Suit Cases . . . 1.38
24 inches—reed around—reinforced ends—brass finish lock. Limit two.

49 ct. Character Dolls 38
Dressed in caps and rompers. Limit one.

$1.25 Crepe de Chines, 40-inch .94
Full crepe weave, new street and evening colors. Limit 15 yds.

$1.39 Novelty Suitings . . . 1.16
48-inch — all-wool checks, plaids, stripes—black and white, gray and white or plain light and dark Oxford grays. Limit 10 yds.

69 ct. Silk Dress Nets 51
White, black, shell—double width. Just the net for Scarfs, Blouses, Evening Frocks. Limit six yds.

$1.39 Women's One-Clasp Washable Capes—Gloves . . . 1.07
Tan and ivory—also shadow white doeskin. Limit two pair.

$1.09 Women's Black Silk Hose .78
Lisle sole, heel, toe and garter top. Limit four pair.

98 ct. Men's and Women's Umbrellas 77
Black American taffeta — plain handles—no case. Limit two.

98 ct. Men's Spring Shirts 76
Mercerized fabrics — neat patterns—all sizes—neat stripes in great color variety. Limit two.

69 ct. Men's Underwear 52
Fine Oita make—ecru shades, double seat, medium weight—short sleeves—ankle length—silk tip sleeve also other makes. Limit four.

49 and 59 ct. Women's Cotton Union Suits 37
Low neck and sleeveless—band finish —tight knee or lace trimmed drawers—regular and extra sizes. Limit four.

49 ct. Coiffure Ornaments and Combs 38
Dent-shell in newest designs, plentifully studded with rhinestones or colored jewels—also fancy studded back pins. Limit two.

25 ct. Ribbons 20
Millinery or girdle width moires, satins, taffetas, Dresdens, checks—black, colors, white. Limit 10 yds.

98 ct. Chiffon Cloth, yd 77
40 inches wide—suitable for waists, gowns and millinery—black, white, colors. Limit 10 yds.

29 ct. Emb'y Flouncings, 17-inch .22
and corset coverings on Swiss and cambric—simple and elaborate designs. Limit 10 yds.

$1.75 Handbags 1.25
Carriage styles—pouch or moire grain—leather lined—fancy catches envelope shape—inside purse—mirror, purse, change compartment. Limit two.

49 ct. Collars 35
Voile, organdie and fine swisses —tucked, hemstitched, lace trimmed or embroidered—new Spring shapes. Limit two.

59 ct. Rogers Silver Plated Teaspoons (per half doz) 45
Latest designs. Limit one dozen.

12½ ct. Men's Handkerchiefs, each 10
Corded border. Limit one dozen.

$1.07 Hemstitched Sheets 77
81x90—free pressing—excellent quality. Limit two.

10½ ct. Unbleached Muslins, yard 7½
36½inches wide — mill lengths — 18 to 40 yds. Limit 20 yds.

$1.69 Full Size Spreads . . . 1.21
Crochet—4 designs. Limit two.

6¾ ct. Cheese Cloth 4½
Bleached—36 inches wide—absorbent. Limit one piece.

12½ ct. Curtain Muslins and Double Border Scrim . . 9½
Assorted styles. Limit 10 yds.

25 ct Ivory Tint Dressing Combs .17
All coarse—and coarse and fine. Limit two.

$1.19 Washable Couch Covers, .78
Figured, colored and tan striped. Limit two.

39 ct. Mercerized Sateens, 36-in. .32
Soft, lustrous—makes pretty petticoats—in all the new Spring colors. Limit 15 yds.

14 ct. Roll Tape 9
24 yds.—white and, tan—¾ inch wide. Limit three.

MORNING SPECIALS—Wednesday and Thurs. Until 1 P. M.

To prevent dealers buying, quantities restricted. No Mail or Telephone Orders.

$1.25 Taffetas—25 inch 85
Soft, lustrous—medium and dark colors.
SILKS—MAIN FLOOR.

69 ct. Shepherd Checks 53
54-inch—pure wool—small and large checks — in demand for Spring suits, skirts, etc.
DRESS GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.

74 ct. Chiffon 40 inch 57
Fashionable colors, also black and white—for blouses, linings, entire gowns, etc.
VEILINGS—MAIN FLOOR.

22 ct. Wide Ribbon 16
Moire, satin and taffeta—black, white and colors—also Dresdens.
RIBBONS—MAIN FLOOR.

29 ct. Mercerized Poplin 20
Yard wide—assortment of light and dark colors.
WASH DRESS FABRICS—BASEMENT.

29 ct. Black Chiffonettes 19
Silk mixed—for dresses, waists, etc.
SILK DEPARTMENT—BASEMENT.

22 ct. Cotton Huck Towels 16
Soft linen finish—hemmed—damask stripe borders or space for initial.
TOWELS—MAIN FLOOR.

98 ct. Armure Drapery Damasks . .58
Brocade designs—various shades of green, red and brown.
UPHOLSTERY—MAIN FLOOR.

$4.98 Marseilles Spreads 3.49
Satin finish—full size—handsome designs.
SPREADS—BASEMENT.

$1.24 Sateen Petticoats 92
Black and colored—pleated scalloped flounce — fitted bands—all lengths.
PETTICOATS—SECOND FLOOR.

$2.98 Boys' Norfolk Suits 2.45
4 to 17 yrs.—wool cheviots, tweeds and cassimeres—mixtures, stripes, herringbones and fancies—well tailored.
BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR.

$6.98 Boys' Norfolk Suits 5.60
6 to 17 yrs.—pleated or pinchback —cheviots, in checks, mixtures and stripes—well tailored—colored or contrast collars—regular and extra sizes.
BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR.

98 ct. Little Tots' Cot'd Dresses 67
Gingham and chambray—variety of models—contrast trimmings.
INFANTS' DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR.

$2.49 Women's and Misses' Shirts . 2.06
Variety of styles—navy and black serge—32 to 40 waist.
MIDDY DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR.

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Some folks seem to think they can't have a good name and a good time both at once.—Old Man Sage.

CENTRAL BASEBALL LEAGUE TO MEET

New Circuit Will Hold Important Session at Tom Apgar's Home Tomorrow

The Central New Jersey Baseball League is to hold another session tomorrow evening at the home of Tommy Apgar, at which time the actual working details of the organization are to be discussed by delegates of the various teams. The meeting is to be called promptly at 8 o'clock, as a number of important matters are to be taken up.

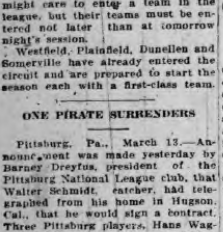
The schedule for the coming season will be one of the important matters considered at this time. It is proposed to get the teams under way at the earliest possible date in order that the towns represented may have a full season of the high type of the national game, which it is expected the circuit will produce.

The officials of the league announce that they would be pleased to hear from other towns which might care to enter a team in the league, but their teams must be entered not later than at tomorrow night's session.

Westfield, Plainfield, Dunellen and Somerville have already entered the circuit and are prepared to start the season each with a first-class team.

ONE PIRATE SURRENDERS

Pittsburg, Pa., March 13.—Announcement was made yesterday by Barney Dreyfus, president of the Pittsburg National League club, that Walter Schmidt, catcher, had telegraphed from his home in Hugson, Cal., that he would sign a contract. Three Pittsburg players, Hans Wagner, infielder; Max Carey, outfielder, and William Fischer, catcher, have not yet signed contracts.



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WESTFIELD RIFLE IN BUSY SESSION

Plans Organization of High School Boys Into Their Own Club

Special Correspondence:

Westfield, March 13.—The Westfield Rifle Club held an enthusiastic meeting at the indoor range on Broad street last night, which was attended by about one hundred members. Several matters of importance were discussed by the club members. Among them were the Business Men's Rifle Club. Howard Cline, chairman of the committee of the latter club, reported that the committee will hold a meeting this afternoon, at which plans will be made to have all business men in town participate in the club and shoot twice a week.

Captain Thomas, president of the rifle club, stated that a number of ladies had made application for permission to use the range for revolver practice and that this request would be granted. He also stated plans were being made to form a rifle club among the high school students, and that Dr. J. J. Savitz, supervising principal of schools, is going to call a mass meeting of the high school boys this week for the purpose of forming a club.

F. S. Frambach, who has charge of the Junior Rifle Club, reported that the club has fifty-two members and that it is expected to increase this number to 200.

There are a number of sharpshooters and marksmen in this club and it is hoped to have some experts before long. Medals for high scores and for qualifications are to be given the members of this club. President Thomas urged the members to come to the range and shoot, as he said the club would not be a success unless they did.

Dr. W. L. Lloyd reported that B. E. Ball had offered to excavate the places for two more targets on the indoor range free of charge. This offer was accepted. George E. Hayes reported that G. C. Lucas won all the honors on the range last week and that W. M. Hoag won the medal in the monthly competition event for February with a score of 1,704.

After the meeting the members enjoyed shooting for an hour.

QUOIT TOURNEY OPENS AT THE PARISH HOUSE

The Tuckahatchee Club of the Congregational Sunday School opened the house quoit tournament last evening when four matches were run off. All members are showing considerable interest in the tourney, as a cup has been offered to the best player. All members of the club are expected to be present at the Parish House this evening to attend the augering-off party to be held under the auspices of the Men's Club.

Last evening's tourney resulted as follows:

A. Brandt, 2; I. Hand, 0. G. Bryan, 2, H. St. Vrato, 0. H. Todd, 2; F. Disborough, 0. A. Brandt, 2; G. Bryan, 0.

POOL EXHIBIT TO BE AN ADDED FEATURE

Special Correspondence:

Bound Brook, March 13.—Local pool enthusiasts are slated to have a royal treat Friday night when Edward Ralph, of national reputation and former State champion pocket billiard performer, will give an exhibition at Ettinger's emporium.

Harvey Smalley, Bound Brook's pride on the green cloth, will be Ralph's opponent. No admission will be charged either in the afternoon or evening.

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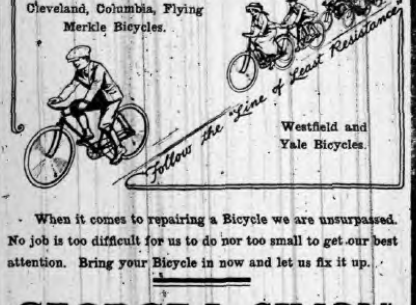

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MIKE GIBBONS READY TO DEFEND TITLE

Mike Gibbons, long recognized as the foremost middleweight in this country, and acknowledged by many to be the peer of any in the world, has declared himself champion of his class and says he will meet all challengers, the only stipulation being that they agree to weigh in at 158 pounds, give or take two pounds.

"I will adhere to the old rules of the London prize ring," Mike announced, "meeting all comers, give or take two pounds from 158, the proper middleweight limit."

Mike has been having the time of his life trying to force Les Darcy, the Australian, into a match with no success. He now is ready to send up the famous Kangaroo jumper and let Darcy do the chasing.

It would be a fine thing for boxing if Mike were given the title. It would put an end to such exhibitions as that put on a short time ago in New York when Jack Dillon and Al McCoy battled. Also, it would end for all time any argument as to whether Al McCoy is entitled to the championship. As a matter of fact, McCoy isn't entitled to the championship any more than any one else. To be a champion a boxer should be able to defeat the best in his class. McCoy hasn't even kept pace with Freddie Welsh.

There is only one real defeat chalked up against Mike since he began boxing in 1908, and that was when Jimmy Clabby was awarded a decision at the end of ten rounds with the famous St. Paul flash. He has shown badly in one or two no-decision contests, among them being one with Soldier Bartfield and one with Packey McFarland. He was generally credited with having been out-boxed in both of these affairs. If Gibbons sticks to his claim and intends to defend the crown he will have plenty of supporters. Most any one will be willing to concede him the title.

MARTIN LEAVES FOR HIS TRAINING CAMP

Jack Martin of the Milwaukee Brewers in the American Association circuit left this city yesterday for the club's training camp at Lake Wichita, Texas. Jack signed his 1917 contract only a week or two ago after awaiting developments of a baseball strike.

That Jack was tendered a contract again by the Brewers was not a surprise to his many friends, both in this city and on the Western circuit, as he more than made good last season.

INNER-TRIANGLE GAMES

This evening the Inner-Triangles will play a preliminary game with the Arlington Five on the T. A. B. S. court. The Arlington Five is composed of some of the best basketball stars in the city.

Owing to the illness of several players, the Union Five-L-T-C game, scheduled for Tuesday night, has been called off, and instead the Triangles will line up against the Employed Boys of the Y. M. C. A. A preliminary game will be played by the Comrade Club and the N. P. H. S. Juniors.

BARBERS WIN TOURNAMENT

Although not yet closed, it is an assured fact that the barber shop team in the borough pinochle contest will win the tournament. Only a few more games are to be played, and the barber shop team has a good lead. At last night's games the barbers won three straight from the Independents. The Dominos defeated the firemen two out of three.

Pich for Mobile

Mobile, Ala., March 13.—Cy Pich, formerly with the New York Americans, has signed a contract to play this season with Mobile of the Southern Association.

Y. M. C. A. SECONDS DEFEAT TRAVELERS

Association Boys Win Their Fourteenth Straight Victory for the Season

Making their record of straight wins chalk up to the fourteen mark, the Y. M. C. A. seconds took the Travelers' A. C. five into camp Saturday evening on the association floor by a score of 22 to 16. The game was marked by some fast playing on both sides, the final outcome being in doubt up until the last few moments of play. The hosts came back strong, secured a small lead again and held it until the close of the contest.

The score:

Y. M. C. A. SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Campbell, f	3	3	9
Brandt, f	2	0	4
Southard, c	3	0	6
Kuldoshes, g	0	0	0
Debele, g	2	0	4
	10	3	23

TRAVELERS' A. C.	G.	F.	P.
Walters, f	3	1	7
Carson, f	3	0	6
Compton, c	0	1	1
Ruttledge, g	1	0	2
Hafner, g	0	0	0
	7	2	16

ANOTHER BUSY WEEK FOR THE RAMBLERS

Tonight is Rambler night at Gates' Somerset street drives, when the Plainfielders will endeavor to put a dent in the record of the St. Joseph's Howling Club record. "It can't be done—by the Ramblers," says Manager Gates. If now remains for Messrs. Dunn, Taylor, Hetzenberger, Worrall and Hyslip to point out Mr. Gates' error.

The third match of a series with the Tuxedos of Bound Brook will take place Friday night on Ettinger's alleys at Bound Brook. Each team has three games to its credit. It is understood that Heflin, Vayda, Stillwell, Searle and Bedner will be the home talent in the deciding series.

Wednesday night, March 21, the Ramblers are scheduled to reduce the chest expansion of the Eagle seconds on the East Second street alleys.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL IN TWO HOT CONTESTS

The Grammar School first team took on the fast St. Mary's five on the high school court yesterday and defeated it by the score of 35 to 12. Randolph, star centre of the Grammar School team, did most of the scoring for his team, while Sullivan led for the losers.

The score:

PLAINFIELD	G.	S.
Lambert, f	6	12
Mowen, f	2	4
Randolph, c	7	14
McCusker, g	0	0
Adelman, g	0	0
	17	34

ST. MARY'S	G.	F.	S.
Sullivan, f	4	0	8
Connolly, f	0	0	0
Sears, c	1	0	2
Kyle, g	0	1	1
Deady, g	1	0	2
	6	1	13

Referee, Starry.

The Grammar School seconds met defeat at the hands of the Evergreen School by the score of 19 to 13. Adams was the individual star for Evergreen, while Chamberlain did some fancy basket shooting for the Grammar School.

The score:

P. G. S. SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Chamberlain, f	3	1	7
Kennedy, f	2	0	4
Spicer, c	0	0	0
Davies, g	1	0	2
Hubbard, g	0	0	0
Hadley, g	0	0	0
Fuller, g	0	0	0
	6	1	12

EVERGREEN	G.	F.	P.
Adams, f	5	1	11
Baker, f	2	0	4
Gerlach, c	1	0	2
Martone, g	1	0	2
Malcolm, g	0	0	0
	9	1	19

Referee, Starry.

NEW HIGH SCORE FOR THIS FACTORY TOURNEY

In the Johns-Manville bowling tourney at Roller's alleys, Somerville, last evening, the Cleaners defeated the Paper-makers in two of three tilts. Sandusky of the Paper-makers in copping the high score of the evening, 231 in his first game, also copped the high score for the tourney thus far.

The scores:

CLEANERS			
Olsen	155	121	155
Kiser	125	181	122
Koolik	112	207	144
Matty	168	141	160
Meyers	141	136	181
	701	786	773

PAPER-MAKERS			
Jarvin	114	109	104
Schupp	118	126	98
Limon	159	151	179
Fialka	124	148	191
Sandusky	231	200	146
	756	734	728

BIG GAME CARDED FOR THURSDAY AT T. A. B. S.

On Thursday night, March 15, the T. A. B. S. will entertain the crack St. Patrick's five of Jersey City. The Saints have a great record this year and have lost only one game so far this season. Last season they were the champions of the Hudson County League and Friday night they are scheduled to play the deciding game in this year's race.

Dancing will follow Thursday night's game.

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PARISH HOUSE IN ANOTHER VICTORY

North Plainfield Reserves, Lost at Scotch Plains Court in Thriller of a Game

The North Plainfield Reserves, a team not advertised about these parts to any great extent during the past season, went down to a defeat before the Scotch Plains Parish House last evening by a 33 to 26 score, thereby letting the suburbans get back once again into a winning streak, which has marked the bulk of the season. The contest was one of thrills and fast shooting, not a dull moment being noticed throughout the entire battle.

Goldstein and Kuldoshes, for the Reserves, and Johnston of the Plainers put up the big game, the latter showing something of his old-time form in accurate basketing of goals from the field.

The score:

SCOTCH PLAINS	G.	F.	P.
Hodge, f	2	1	5
Carrona, f	4	1	9
Lee, c	1	0	2
Johnston, g	5	2	12
Clotworthy, g	2	1	5
	14	5	33

NORTH PLAINFIELD RESERVES	G.	F.	P.
Yates, f	0	0	0
Campbell, f	1	1	3
Carson, c	0	0	0
Goldstein, g	5	1	11
Kuldoshes, g	4	2	10
	11	4	24

Referee, Anson.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

The C. E. Society of Evona Chapel will meet at 2:30 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

Postmaster A. E. Hoagland says he thinks he will be able to get in the new Federal building by May 1 if there is no further delay on the part of the contractor.

The Earnest Workers' Bible class of Grace Sunday school will hold a dime social at the residence of Mrs. Henry DeMott, Somerset street, on Thursday evening of this week.

The contractors completed yesterday the work of installing a storm sewer on West Front street, extending from a point opposite the plant of the American Motors Corporation to Grant avenue.

One of the Main Line trolley cars, westbound, carried 120 passengers after leaving the business section of the city Saturday night, and the conductor remarked: "Why, this car is only half filled."

There is a remarkable scarcity of vacant houses in the city renting from $25 to $30 a month and real estate brokers are experiencing considerable trouble in finding homes for prospective residents.

The Apgar Construction Company, of Dunellen, has about completed the erection of three new houses on Emma street, which extends from Myrtle avenue to West Front street, between Manners place and Clinton avenue.

Within a short time the Public Service Corporation will begin the work of double tracking its roadbed from Watchung avenue and Fourth street to Fifth and Richmond streets. The improvement, it is said, will greatly help the service, for which many people will be thankful.

REPORTS DUETCHSLAND CAPTURED OR SUNK

By United Press

Washington, March 13.—It is reported that the merchant submarine Deutschland, which made two trips to this country, carrying valuable merchandise, has been captured by the British.

This vessel first surprised Americans by rising out of the sea at Baltimore last summer, with Captain Koenig in charge, and exchanging merchandise, and sailing away again under convoy of American steamers, to the three mile limit. She appared later at New London with a cargo and sailed safely away.

This vessel is said to be only one of fourteen undersea craft captured by British recently.

HEAR PROSPECTIVE PASTOR

Elizabeth, March 13.—Members of the First Presbyterian church Sunday heard two sermons by Rev. Charles Atwood Campbell, of Dayton, O., who has been called to fill the pulpit made vacant by the death of Rev. William Force Whitaker. Mr. Campbell is considering the call.

GOETHALS TO HEAD JERSEY ROAD SYSTEM

Trenton, March 13.—Gen. George W. Goethals, famed for his engineering work in connection with the Panama Canal, will become the head of the New Jersey highway system, if present plans do not miscarry. General Gothals called upon Governor Edge this morning by appointment and was offered the position of engineer of the new Highway Commission at a salary to be fixed later, if he will give the tender favorable consideration. It was arranged that the Governor and General Goethals should take luncheon together in order further to discuss the proposition.

PROMISES FREE BALLOT AT SANTIAGO

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 13.—President Menocal of Cuba, has issued a proclamation saying that within ten days after the re-establishment of the Constitutional Government in the city of Santiago, an election will be held with full guarantees of a free ballot. The proclamation is made necessary on account of some complications in connection with the revolutionary disturbances there.

PUDDLERS TO RECEIVE MORE WAGES

Special to Courier-News:

Youngstown, Ohio, March 13.—Over 30,000 puddlers and sheet mill workers will receive more wages in March and April as a result of an examination of the iron bar sale sheets by the Western Bar Iron Association. The sales entitle the puddlers to $11.30 a ton. The highest rate ever paid in the history of the iron business.

RELIEF SHIP CREW IS ACCOUNTED FOR

Special to the Courier-News:

London, March 13.—The entire crew of the Belgian relief ship "Storstads," which was sunk on Saturday by a submarine, has been accounted for, including the Americans. Announcement to this effect was made by the Admiralty today.

$3,000,000 IN SILK HERE

Ogdensburg, N. Y., March 13.—Thirty-four carloads of Chinese silk passed through this city Sunday on the way to New York. It was the largest importation of silk ever received through this port and was valued at approximately $3,000,000.

MORE GOLD FROM CANADA

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 13.—Gold to the amount of $8,500,000 has been received from Canada and deposited at the Assay Office for the account of J. P. Morgan & Co.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT OF CERTAIN STREETS AND PORTIONS OF STREETS IN THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD WITH PERMANENT AND DURABLE BRICK PAVEMENT AND WITH PERMANENT AND DURABLE CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT, AND PROVIDE THE NECESSARY FUNDS IN ADVANCE OF THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS FOR BENEFITS.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the following named streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield, shall be permanently improved with durable vitrified brick pavement, with the necessary surface drains, underdrains and concrete abutments or curbs:

West Front Street, from the present brick pavement at Madison Avenue to the northeasterly curb line of Washington Avenue;

East Second street, from the present brick pavement at Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Park Avenue;

North Avenue, from the present brick pavement at Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Park Avenue;

East Fifth Street, from the northeasterly curb line of Watchung Avenue to the present brick pavement at Richmond Street;

Madison Avenue, from the present brick pavement at West Front Street to the northwesterly curb line of West Second Street;

Park Avenue, from the present brick pavement at East and West Fourth Street to the southeasterly side lines of East and West Seventh Streets;

Watchung Avenue and Crescent Avenue, from the present brick pavement at East Fourth Street to the southeasterly side lines of East and West Seventh Streets.

Section 2. That said streets and portions of streets described in Section 1, be improved in the manner and at the expense of the tracks of the Public Service Railway Company, in and between the tracks and for a distance of six inches outside thereto eighteen inches on each side of the portion of said streets occupied by said tracks, shall be paved for the entire width between curb lines of said streets respectively with vitrified brick having six inch cement concrete foundations, and pavement of the same shall be extended to the side lines of said streets at each intersecting street.

The underdrains shall be of drain tile surrounded by broken stone, screened gravel or slag, and the abutments or curbs (which shall be constructed where there are not existing suitable concrete curbs) shall be of cement concrete, six inches thick and twenty inches deep, with steel corner bars around all circular curves.

Section 3. All work shall be given out upon contract to the lowest responsible bidder for the same, after notice for shall have been solicited and received according to law, and all bids to specify prices for said streets or portions of streets separately, and to offer to contract to perform all the work and furnish all the materials for the paving of one or more of all of the streets and portions of streets enumerated in Section 1, and all bids to be sealed.

Section 4. That for the purpose of obtaining money by the sale of bonds hereinafter specified for the permanent improvement of said streets and parts of streets as aforesaid, in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits to an amount not exceeding fifteen dollars per capita for each of the inhabitants of said City according to the last official census, but not more than the amount limited by law, the Common Council of said City do hereby comply with the Act of the Legislature of said State entitled: "An Act to authorize the improvement of streets and highways in cities of this State, and to provide for the payment of the expense of such improvements by the assessment of the benefits of such improvements upon the property specially benefited thereby," and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, so authorized the issuing of one hundred and fifty (150) coupon municipal bonds of the City of Plainfield, of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each, and aggregating One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000) Dollars, which bonds shall bear date July second, Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, and which bear interest at the rate of four and one-half (4½) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and July of each year, and be payable as follows, that is to say—on the second day of July of each and every year from Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen to Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-three (1919-1933) both inclusive, ten (10) bonds of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) each. Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and the Seal corporate of the City and be attested by the City Clerk and may, severally or collectively, when authorized by resolution of the Common Council, be sold for an amount not less than par and accrued interest, at public sale by tax in each year hereafter such sum of money as may be necessary to pay the interest on all outstanding bonds and the principal of such bonds as may mature during the year, and the money derived from the assessments made upon the property benefited shall, when collected, be held as a fund toward the payment of said bonds.

Section 5. That it is hereby determined as follows:

(a) The probable period of the usefulness of the vitrified brick pavement and cement concrete pavement is twenty years.

(b) The average assessed valuation of the taxable real property (including Improvements) of the City of Plainfield, computed upon the next preceding three assessments thereof by the assessors fixed under Section 12 of Chapter 252 of the New Jersey Laws, 1916, is $32,980,450.00.

(c) The net debt of the City of Plainfield computed in the manner provided in Section 12 of Chapter 252 of the Laws of New Jersey, 1916, is $654,12.

(d) That the statement required by such section 12 of said act has been made by the Treasurer of the City of Plainfield, the chief financial officer of said City, and filed in the office of the Clerk thereof as required by said act.

Section 6. That after said improvements shall have been completed, the Common Council shall, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, apply to the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union for the appointment of Commissioners to estimate and assess benefits upon the owners of the lots or parcels of land and real estate specially benefited by such improvements in proportion, as near as may be, to the amount equal to the amount of benefits actually acquired by the lands and real estate so benefited upon the streets or portions thereof, respectively, by reason of such improvements, respectively, and to report in the costs and expenses thereof shall exceed the amount of said bonds, the excess thereof shall be paid by the City at large and raised by general tax, no property or owner thereof to be in any case assessed beyond the amount of benefit actually derived from said improvements.

Adopted by the Common Council March 5, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March, 6, 1917.

LEIGHTON CALKINS, Mayor.

Attest:
JOHN J. CARROLL, City Clerk.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LICENSING AND REGULATING OF PEDDLERS, HAWKERS, CARMEN AND THE OWNERS AND DRIVERS OF VEHICLES USED FOR HIRE; AND CONCERNING STREET TRAFFIC REGULATIONS," APPROVED FEBRUARY 14, 1910, AND AMENDING SAID ORDINANCE APPROVED APRIL 12, 1910.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That section 10 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Providing for the Licensing and Regulating of Peddlers, Hawkers, Carmen and the Owners and Drivers of Vehicles used for Hire; and Concerning Street Traffic Regulations," approved February 14, 1910, and amended by ordinance approved April 12, 1910, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 10. That any person or corporation required under this ordinance to use for hire or wages any hack, omnibus, stage, motor vehicle or other vehicle for the carriage of passengers may charge therefor the following rates and no more, that is to say:

(a) As to all vehicles except "motor vehicles" as defined in Chapter 113 of the Laws of New Jersey for the year 1906, for the carriage of any passenger or passengers from any point within to any point within that part of the city bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeasterly boundary line of Plainfield and Scotch Plains at the southeasterly side line of Johnston Avenue produced, would intersect Green Brook; thence following said line and the southeasterly side line of Johnston Avenue to North Avenue; thence along the same in a direct line to the northwesterly side line of South Avenue; thence along said side line of South Avenue to the easterly side line of Woodland Avenue; thence northerly along said line of Woodland Avenue to the southeasterly side line of Martine Avenue; thence along said side line of Martine Avenue to the easterly side line of Hillside Avenue; thence along said line of Hillside Avenue to the southerly side line of Randolph Road; thence along said side line of Randolph Road to the southwesterly side line of Plainfield Avenue; thence in a straight line to the intersection of the southwesterly side line of Spooner Avenue with the southeasterly side line of West Eighth Street; thence along said last line of West Eighth Street to the southwesterly side line of Grant Avenue; thence along said side line of Grant Avenue and the southwesterly side line of West End Avenue to the northwesterly city line in Green Brook; thence following the northwesterly city line to the intersection of said city line with the northeasterly line of Johnston Avenue, produced, the point and place of beginning; thirty-five cents for one passenger, fifty cents for two passengers and twenty-five cents for each additional passenger carried from the same point to the same destination at the same time and from any point within any one point without the aforesaid limits the sum of fifty cents for one passenger and twenty-five cents for each additional passenger provided, however, that after eleven o'clock at night until five o'clock in the morning, the charges may be double the said fares, excepting the charges for trips to and from the railroad station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, Plainfield, New Jersey, which are not to be increased during said hours. Every hack and carriage, omnibus, stage or other vehicle shall be engaged by the hour or person licensed to use for hire or wages to such vehicle may charge one dollar for the first hour and seventy-five cents for each hour thereafter.

(b) As to all "motor vehicles" as defined in Chapter 113 of the Laws of New Jersey for the year 1906. For any number of passengers from one to four, inclusive, for the first half mile or fraction thereof, fifty cents; for each quarter mile thereafter, ten cents; for each six minutes waiting, ten cents; for any distance not exceeding one mile within one mile and a half from any point or station to the point offered at which the passenger or passengers enter said motor vehicle, no charge shall be made; and for ordering such motor vehicle more than a mile and a half from and not within one mile from any point or station to the point at which passenger or passengers enter said motor vehicle a charge may be made at the rate of twenty cents for each mile or fraction thereof in excess of one mile and a half, provided that children under ten years of age shall be counted as passengers if accompanied by older persons.

(c) That any person licensed under this ordinance as a Expressman may ply for the delivery of each trunk, bag or other piece of baggage the following rates, but no more, that is to say: From any point within to any point within the boundaries described in paragraph (a), twenty-five cents and from any point within to any point without said boundaries, fifty cents.

That every person or corporation licensed as aforesaid and the driver of every hack, omnibus, stage, motor vehicle or other vehicle for the carriage of passengers or baggage who shall demand for any service mentioned in this section more than the amount or rate fixed herein for such service or who shall not deal with and charge all persons alike, or who shall refuse to carry any person or baggage on account of color or race, or who shall not act in good faith in the presentation of the bill for the charge must be drawn in the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and facilities to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on two plans, differing only in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications the entire work must be completed within the months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

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RUNYON BILL NOT RECONSIDERED

After Lively Fight Assembly Sustains Action Taken Two Weeks Ago

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 13.—After the House of Assembly had witnessed Assemblyman Runyon, Republican, of Union county, commence an attack on the fairness with which Speaker Schoen handled the roll call on the Union man's bill to obtain sentiment on public questions in municipalities of this State, the lower legislative branch this afternoon by a motion to reconsider the bill for the purpose of amendment by a vote of 30 to 29.

Mr. Runyon, who introduced the bill for the Mayor and Council of Plainfield, charged that there were 31 votes against reconsideration and 28 for and that deliberately a change in the tally had been made and the announcing of the result was being held up. Local opinion was the question behind the parliamentary encounter between the Union member and the speaker, and the vote was not finally announced until Republican Leader Oliphant, of Mercer, came to the assistance of Runyon by demanding that it be declared.

During the course of the jockeying with the roll call at the clerk's desk Assemblyman Read, of Mercer, Republican, arose and asked:

"Is the Republican party committing suicide tonight?"

"I think that has already been done," replied Democratic Leader Geran.

Runyon's bill was passed by the House several weeks ago. It permits second-class municipalities to hold elections for the purpose of ascertaining sentiment on any question of local government, which, however, shall not be binding upon the city governing body to carry out. The danger of it being a local option bill caused an attempt to have the measure reconsidered, Runyon, while admitting that excise questions might be voted upon, stated the measure was a very distant approach to local option.

Following his victory in defeating the move to reconsider, the Union member had it immediately signed and sent to the Senate. It was singular that members from two counties not in sympathy with local option stood by Runyon in his fight. They were Pancoast, Republican, of Camden, and Taintra, Democrat, of Hudson. They did so, believing in the amendment of the bill's sponsor. Several other Hudson men and the Monmouth representatives as ported Mr. Runyon's fight.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the County House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:30 a. m., Wednesday, April 11, 1917, for the following described work:

New Strauss Bascula Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The new bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the foundations thereof and other work complete appertaining to the same.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and including two safety gates as specified in sheet 37 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit prices for additional work under the specified work according to the following list:

(1) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(2) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(3) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(4) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(5) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with certified check for $40,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check must be drawn in the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and facilities to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

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JENNINGS KILLED 55 YEARS AGO

Death Caused by Explosion of Cannon He Was Firing as Salute to Soldiers

Yesterday was the fifty-fifth anniversary of the death of Henry Jennings this city, who was killed by the explosion of a cannon that he was firing as a salute in honor of the departure of the first company of soldiers from Plainfield, for the war, March 12, 1862.

The cannon was driven up on the old circus lot, which occupied the site of the present depot park, at the North Avenue Station, east-bound side, where hundreds of commuters now daily drive up to take their trains. Plainfielders are now recalled as having been present at the time, are P. Newton Drake, his brother Thompson Bunyan Drake, Charles H. Hand, John F. McIntyre and William Campbell, who remember the accident very well. They were boys at the time, and had gathered with the crowd to the station to see the soldiers depart. It was about eight o'clock in the evening when the train pulled out, and the cannon was fired.

Henry Jennings, who was foremost with the late Nathan Hedden, in everything that was going on of public nature, had taken opportunity to use the old cannon that had been lying on the ground, on the circus lot and used in Fourth of July celebrations.

He loaded the cannon, plugging it with sod so as to make the noise louder, then taking a red hot poker he touched it off. The cannon burst, killing Mr. Jennings instantly, a piece of the gun striking him in the side and carrying him up in the air as high as one of the buildings.

Mr. Drake remembers seeing the body of the unfortunate man carried on a shutter through Park avenue and West Front street to the corner of Mechanic (now West Johnson) street, where the Endress building is now located, and where the Jennings' home then stood.

One piece of the cannon, about eighteen inches wide and equally long, flew over to the corner of Fifth street and Park avenue, and fell through the roof of Captain Kellogg's octagon house, into his room and was found in his bed. The house occupied the present site of Mayor W. L. Smalley's market. This piece of cannon has since been kept and is now among the curios owned by the Exempt Firemen's Association. For years it was in the lodge room in Coward Hall at 109 Park avenue.

Mr. Jennings was mourned by a large circle of friends, who knew him for a young man of sterling worth and uprightness. He was a son of Manning Jennings, who had a blacksmith shop in the rear of the lot where his home was, at the corner of West Front street, and what is now Madison avenue. About 20 years ago, When J. W. Jackson built the building now owned by Fred Endress, he tore down the shop, which had been used by iron workers who were engaged on the construction of the Babcock building about three years before. At the time of his death, he was a member of the Gazelle Engine Company.

Mr. Jennings was one of several children, two of whom are Mrs. Isaac Benway, and her sister, Miss Jane Jennings, who now live on Duer street.

DEATH OF MRS. COMBES

Mrs. Mary A. Combes died last night at her home on Orchard street, in the ninety-fourth year of her age. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. James A. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church, officiating. The interment will be made in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Combes was born in London, England and came to this country fifty-two years living for some years in New York, from whence she came here twenty-three years ago. She had a remarkable memory and delighted her friends with anecdotes of old London days. She was among the first to ride on the underground railroad; she saw the coronation of Queen Victoria and she was a visitor at Court when the late King Edward was born in 1841. She was a playmate with members of the Hethschild family in childhood days.

She leaves one sister, Mrs. Robert Lee, and several nephews, one of whom is Walter J. Lee, proprietor and publisher of the Westfield Leader. She leaves also nine grand-nephews and six great-grand-nephews and nieces.

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The first impression of a person's character is often made by the hair and its appearance. Does your hair allow you to comb it to suit you best? Possibly it looks dead and straggly and hurts your appearance. How much a little care on your part would bring back to your hair that healthy glow, admired by everybody.

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TRINITY BIBLE SCHOOL RE-ELECTS OFFICERS

Librarian Van Emburgh Resigns After Many Years' Service

At its annual meeting last night, Trinity Reformed Bible school re-elected its superintendent, F. L. Smith, and most of the department heads of the organization. The meeting was held in the Bible school room and very encouraging reports of the year's work were submitted.

Among the resignations received was that of H. C. Van Emburgh, who for the past twenty years has been librarian of the school. His resignation was received with regret, and Sidney Frazee was appointed in his place. Mrs. P. M. Smith, of the Beginners' Department, also resigned. Miss Edna Dilts succeeds Mrs. Smith. Mrs. J. Y. Brock succeeds Mrs. Rapalje at the head of the missionary committee. Miss Lela Wherry is secretary of this committee.

Trinity school has an enrollment of over 1,150 members, with the second largest Home Department in the State. It was voted to hold the annual excursion to Asbury Park on August 2.

The nominating committee, of which C. M. Doiliver was chairman, reported the following officers, who were unanimously elected: Superintendent, Fred E. Smith; assistant superintendent, Edgar F. Sheppard; second assistant superintendent, William F. Oliver; superintendent of intermediate department, Mrs. L. S. Smith; superintendent junior department, Miss Lena Bowman; superintendent primary department, Mrs. H. Cooke; superintendent of Beginners' Department, Miss Edna Dilts; superintendent cradle roll, Mrs. H. E. Gayle; superintendent home department, Mrs. Frank L. Woodruff; superintendent of temperance, Henry Sendel; assistant superintendent home department, Mrs. Elmer Wheeler; secretary of home department, Mrs. Edgar F. Sheppard; assistant secretary home department, Mrs. LeRoy DeCamp; teacher training class, Miss Ruth Wilson; secretary, William J. Trembath; assistant secretary, Chauncey P. Colthar; second assistant secretary, Clarence Rittenhouse; treasurer, James B. Conkling; librarian, Sydney Frazee; assistants, G. E. Volk, Arthur Becker, Wm. Wyman, Harry Kenyon and Mr. Carhart.

BOROUGHITES BACK FROM FLORIDA TRIP

Former Freeholder and Mrs. Andrew Lutkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dubele and Charles Dubele, of North Plainfield, returned yesterday from a six weeks' trip through Florida. They went and returned via water from Philadelphia.

Mr. Lutkins proved the better sailor, as on the voyage down the coast, which was particularly rough, he was only one of the party who was able to appear regularly at meal times.

All members of the party returned in excellent health and report a most enjoyable sightseeing trip. They visited all the important places along the east and west coasts, spending considerable time at Fort Meyers, Key West, Miami, Palm Beach, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. They visited Al Smalley at Fort Pierce.

The crops in Florida, especially the orange groves, have been badly blighted by the frosts. The groves are filled with decaying fruit that fell from the trees which were bitten by frost.

They brought home a number of trophies of their trip and plenty of stories of their experiences.

PLANS FOR JEWISH WAR RELIEF MEETING

Arrangements are being made by William Newcorn, chairman of the general committee for the annual public meeting in the interest of the Jewish War Relief Fund to be held at the Columbus auditorium on Tuesday night, March 27. At that time the interested hope to raise a substantial amount for this fund.

The movement is non-sectarian and representatives of different denominations will be invited to have a part. Mr. Newcorn is now trying to secure one or two members of prominence from New York, who will tell something of what has and is being done to aid the sufferers in the European war. Last year a large sum of money was secured at a similar meeting, all classes of people contributing to the fund.

NOONDAY SERVICE TOMORROW

The speaker in the men's noonday service, to be held tomorrow from 12 to 1 o'clock in the hall on Madison avenue, will be F. H. Andrews. There will be good singing and a brief, bright service.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

A praise and testimony service will be held in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening. All who attend will find a warm welcome.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Wood of Morrell Mine, Box 18, P. O., writes: "We both rescued from the effect of weak sluggish, imperfect kidneys and bladder action by the use of Foley Kidney Pills. Mrs. Wood writes: "Foley Kidney Pills helped me so much, found relief as soon as I began taking them. My husband is also much benefited by their use and better since taking Foley Kidney Pills. He was so lame he could not stoop, had to get down on his knees to pick up anything, so lame he was in his back and hips.

I remain always your well wisher," Mrs. Frank P. Wood.

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COUNTRY STORE AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Although the vaudeville at the Plainfield Theatre will be the main portion of the bill tonight, "Country Store" will be a feature that will attract many. The high cost of living has barred the giving of potatoes and onions, but $25 in gold will be distributed to the lucky ones.

The vaudeville bill will be headed by "The Four Hayseeds" in a singing vehicle, and others will include: Honey Johnson in a return engagement; a comedy sketch entitled "Good Service"; a playlet "In the Shoe Shop," featuring Edyth and Eddie Adair, and the Two Juliuses in an acrobatic novelty offering.

Pathe-Hearst News and Mutual comedies round out today's program, while Friday the last episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown.

BON TON GIRLS TO BE HERE MONDAY

The "New Bon Ton Girls" appear at the Plainfield Theatre next Monday afternoon and night, March 19.

Everything in the production is new, from jokes to the scenery, and no effort has been spared to see to it that the lively atmosphere of the show is not permitted to lag anywhere.

At the top of the unusually clever cast are: Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen and Babe LaTour and the piece has dash and frolic bristling all through it. Capable support is lent by these by Gladys Parker, June Le Veay and Callahan and Jackson, the latter of whom do a whirlwind dance that is declared by dancing experts to be unsurpassed.

A charming chorus also has been provided for the show and care has been exercised to see to it that its members can both sing and dance well. Several novelties in the way of scenery add the desirable finishing touches to a burlesque production that will be hard to duplicate.

Babe La Tour, with "Bon Tons," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

"WAR BRIDES" WITH NAZIMOVA AT PROCTOR'S

"War Brides" will appear at the local Proctor Theatre today, tomorrow and Thursday, with Mme. Nazimova in the leading role.

"War Brides" has to do with conditions brought about by war, but there are no battle scenes. A teench is shown and the effect of the fighting upon the troops, but no battle scene is enacted. The main story has to do with the sufferings of the women at home.

Jean, the young widow, defies the military authorities, and urges her beliefs upon the other inhabitants of the village.

The usual serial creations will be presented in addition to this feature production and these three days will doubtless prove eventful ones in the history of local theatricals.

At Proctor's Theatre today, tomorrow and Thursday

COMMUNITY CENTRE TO LAY TENNIS COURTS

The West End Community Centre held a meeting last evening in the Washington school when the matter of laying two tennis courts on the Bifmm property adjoining the school was talked over and was left with the extension committee, which committee hopes to have the courts ready for use early in May.

It was proposed to amend the constitution so as to omit the regular school meetings that are set for every third Wednesday evening throughout the year and to hold such meetings at the call of the president only. Action will be taken on this proposition at the April business meeting.

Reports showed that all activities are in a flourishing condition and there is a balance of over $200 in the treasury.

SUPERINTENDENT GILDROY OF LEHIGH RAILROAD RESIGNS

Official announcement was made today of the resignation, because of illness, of George J. Gildroy, superintendent of the Mahanoy & Hazleton Division of the Lehigh Valley Railroad. Mr. Gildroy had been in charge of the Mahanoy & Hazleton Division for fifteen years and the company's circular says his resignation was accepted with regret.

To succeed Mr. Gildroy, General Superintendent C. T. O'Neal announced the promotion of M. A. Mulligan, superintendent of the New York Division, with headquarters at Jersey City. Succeeding Mr. Mulligan, Sidney S. Swope, now a special agent, will become superintendent.

GERMAN LADIES' AID MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed Church will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Lincoln, 912 West Front street.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. CATHERINE HUFF

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Huff, who died on Friday, was held yesterday afternoon at her late residence on East Seventh street, the Rev. E. Myers Mountford, rector of Grace church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The bearers were: P. J. Melvin, John Powers, William Drake, Peter Crowley, John Dix Nye and John Sullivan. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 13.—Arrived this morning:

S. S. Harde, from Havana.

S. S. John S. Archbold, from Bergen.

S. S. Metapan, from Jamaica.

S. S. City of Savannah, from Savannah.

S. S. Madison, from Norfolk.

S. S. Rio Grande, from Brunswick.

S. S. Hudson Maru, from Philadelphia.

S. S. Elizabeth Maersk, from Cienfuegos.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lohrman, of Richmond Hill, Long Island, were guests over Sunday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neidig, Lincoln place, North Plainfield. Miss M. Reuter, of New York, was also a visitor at the Neidig home.

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RUNYON PUTS UP STIFF FIGHT

Repels Effort to Have Vote on Plainfield Bill Reconsidered

HE GAINS HIS POINT

Tells House He Has Never Resorted to "Underground Methods" as He Appealed for Support for His Measure

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 14.—Fighting, as he described it, "like a rat in a corner," Assemblyman William N. Runyon, of Union county, Republican, yesterday afternoon staved off another attempt to have the House reconsider his bill, which many regard smacks of local option because it enables governing bodies of second-class municipalities to ascertain public sentiment on matters of policy for their guidance. The attack this time, following the victory of Runyon on Monday evening to have the bill sent out of the House to the Senate and not reconsidered by the former body, was in the nature of a resolution to recall it from the Senate for the purpose of amendment. The resolution by Dwight, Republican, of Passaic, who does not favor local option, offered the resolution.

Runyon, who at noon had shaken hands in the Republican House conference with Speaker Schoen over their previous night's clash on the bill, had been during the morning and early afternoon of yesterday endeavoring to find out why his measure had not been "forthwith," as his motion had provided, been sent to the Senate for consideration there, as was ordered by the House Monday night.

When the Union man heard the resolution read by Clerk Jeffreys, of the House, he was upon his feet instantly protesting. He wanted to

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RESIDUE OF ESTATE LEFT TO MUHLENBERG

Muhlenberg Hospital becomes a beneficiary under the will of Albert H. Stebbins, which was just been offered for probate in the Surrogate's office at Elizabeth. Under the terms the local institution will receive the residue of the estate, the exact value of which is not known at present. The rest is divided among a few relatives and friends, including an uncle and cousins. These bequests, it is said, aggregate between $60,000 and $70,000.

While it is not known what the residue will amount to, it is believed that it will almost equal the total amount of the other bequests. Asa F. Randolph, of this city, is the attorney in the matter, he having drawn the will.

Mr. Stebbins, who died at his home on West Seventh street, Wednesday, February 28, had been a resident of Plainfield for many years. He was vice president of the Niles-Bement-Pond Company, and in charge of the concern's local plant, and was also vice president of the Plainfield Savings Institution. In 1897 he served the city as councilman. During his active business career he amassed a considerable fortune.

MEN'S CLUB POSTPONES "SUGARING-OFF" SOCIAL

The Men's Club of the Congregational church held its meeting last night but owing to the lack of snow postponed the "sugaring-off" affair that had been planned. President James McClymont stated that this annual event would surely take place later.

Two new members were added to the club last night. Following the business session the members adjourned to the basement of the parish hall, where quoits and other games were played.

A. O. H. TO HOLD ANNUAL BALL

The forty-second annual ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Division No. 4, will take place on Friday evening in Columbus Hall. There will be American and Irish music for the dancing, by Prof. Halbfoerster's Tango Band, of Elizabeth. There will be dancing on two floors. Refreshments will be served.

SESAME CLUB TO MEET

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Rogers, 645 West Seventh street.

For Sale—Second-hand motor-bicle, slightly used, at Leo Zeisel's. —Adv. 3-14-1t

M'LAUGHLIN TELLS OF CANAL ZONE

National Warden of Columbians Delivered Interesting Lecture at Columbus Club

The members of Watchung Council, Knights of Columbus listened to an interesting lecture on the Panama Canal, delivered by the National Warden Thomas McLaughlin, of Newark, at the Columbus Club last night.

Mr. McLoughlin recently returned from the canal zone where he participated in the institution of several Knights of Columbus Councils, and his observations of the great waterway were presented to his audience in a clear and interesting manner. He said that the United States Government has taken necessary precautions to fortify the canal; that ammunition and guns of all kinds have been taken there within the past seven years; that millions of tons of coal are stored in concrete vaults beneath the surface of the waters adjacent to the canal and that every precaution seems to have been taken to insure the safety of the link connecting the Atlantic with the Pacific oceans.

He spoke of conditions in the canal zone which he described as greatly improved through the instrumentalities of the American government.

The Knights of Columbus are doing a great work in the canal zone, he declared, and enumerated a number of instances to prove his statement.

Switching from the canal zone to the Mexican border, Mr. McLaughlin declared that forty per cent of the soldiers who went to the border last summer were Catholics, and those who did not belong to the Knights of Columbus were benefitted by the conditions which the Columbians effected. He then told how the Columbians had gotten together in clubs and provided meeting places where they and their co-religionists might practice their religious duties.

He pointed out that this move on the part of the Columbians gave the Catholic soldier the same means of spiritual betterment that was provided for the non-catholic, through the Young Men's Christian Association.

MISS PHILLIPS TO STAY IN THIS CITY

Charity Organization Refuses to Accept Her Resignation as Local Agent

Miss Mabelle C. Phillips, who, for the past nine years, has been the efficient agent for the Charity Organization Society in this city, presented her resignation at the society's meeting last night, it being her intention to accept the position of superintendent of charities in Elizabeth, succeeding Miss Harriet Townsend, who has resigned.

Miss Phillips was offered considerable more money by the Elizabeth society, but after careful consideration by the local body, it was unanimously decided not to accept Miss Phillips' resignation, but to persuade her to remain here. In this connection she will receive more money for her work as an inducement for her to continue her work in Plainfield.

Miss Phillips not only looks after the detailed work of the Charity Organization Society, but that of the Anti-Tuberculosis League, and is personally interested in the work at the Kenyon Gardens and the Open-Air School. Under these circumstances she has decided to stay in this city.

Just now the Charity Organization Society is absolutely without any supply of children's clothing and Miss Phillips makes an appeal in the hope that while so many people are busily engaged in making clothing for relief work they will not forget the home needs. Further information can be obtained from Miss Phillips.

SURPRISE PARTY IN HONOR OF HER BIRTHDAY

A surprise party took place last evening in the home of Miss Jessie Craig, of Evona avenue, in honor of her birthday, and was arranged by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Craig. Music, games and dancing were enjoyed during the evening and a dainty collation was served at midnight.

Among those present were: The Misses Elizabeth and Jessie Craig, Florence and Elsie Leighs, Edith Mowen, Lucile Van Name, Elsie Widstrom, Harriet Roberts, Irene Weber, Laura Taylor, of this city and Miss Ruth Miller, of East Orange. Norman Scribner, Edward Cougan, Harry Weber, Robert Marsh, Joseph Greenwood, Jack McQueen and Allen Haver.

URGED TO ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. John A. Peterkin, president of the City Union of The King's Daughters, requests that all members of the different circles attend the meeting of the National Special Aid Society, to be held at the Hartridge auditorium at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when Henry L. Wesat, of the National Security League, will speak.

PROTEST AGAINST TENEMENT HOUSE

Edward Schenck Denied Building Permit by North Plainfield Council

The North Plainfield Common Council at an adjourned meeting last night heard protests against the proposed plans of Edward Schenck to remodel a house in Somerset street near Jackson avenue, so that it will provide accommodations for four tenant families. The building is at present a two-family structure.

Mrs. Fannie Force Andrew Lutkens and others spoke in protest. Borough Counsel Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., was called upon and he advised the council that had no jurisdiction to grant Mr. Schenck a permit to do what he proposed.

Mr. Hetfield said that the matter was one for the State Tenement House Commission to pass upon, and Mr. Schenck was told that he must first take his plans to this commission for approval.

The application of U. G. Pierson for permission to erect a barn on the rear of his lot in Grandview avenue was also opposed. The Committee on Fire and Buildings will confer with Mr. Pierson today and will determine whether or not it would be proper for him to construct the building.

Mr. Pierson originally proposed to erect a frame structure, but has since agreed to make it fireproof, using brick or concrete for construction. It was represented to the council that if the barn is constructed as proposed, it will be located near a dwelling house of Charles H. Avery.

Henry Crofut White tendered his resignation as a member of the Shade Tree Commission.

Mayor Smalley announced the appointment of Charles V. Smith, A. C. Wadley and C. R. Pratt as sewer assessment commissioners.

They will levy assessments throughout the borough to collect $45,000 for the purpose of retiring sewer construction certificates of indebtedness.

They are disinterested citizens, appointed in accordance with the law covering this subject.

THREE OF ALLEGED DYNAMITERS HELD

Cameron Brothers and Tester in Jail, Two Others Are Sought

As the result of their attempts at the moral uplift of the Great Swamp near Stirling by the use of dynamite, Charles and Henry Cameron and William Tester have been lodged in the Morris County Jail, at Morristown, charged with attempting to murder George Ellecks, Jacob Cameron and William H. Edgar also are charged with the crime, but they got away.

The commitment asserts that the men placed dynamite under a room in which Ellecks was sleeping, throwing him out of bed and up against the ceiling, and damaging the house.

Justice Raymond D. Alland, of Stirling issued the warrants and the commitment, and Constable Joseph H. Germereschausen assisted in the arrest of the men. It will be learned that the explosion occurred early *Sunday morning, and not Monday* morning, as previously reported. Ellecks had the idea that he could not complain on Sunday and consequently postponed his visit to the justice until Monday.

The whole trouble arose over the fact that a sister of the Camerons was Ellecks' housekeeper, and her brothers objected. The objections of the Cameron brothers finally resulted in three warrants for Ellecks. Tester declared, unless the couple parted, Ellecks charged that Monday the men again threatened him with death and the burning of his house, unless he left the neighborhood.

The house is located on the road from Myersville to New Vernon. The side of the house was partly blown away and considerably damaged by the dynamite, which it is contended, was set off by Tester while the others looked on. The men arrested deny being guilty.

GAVE PLAY AT BOROUGH SCHOOL

The play, "The Little Rogue Next Door" was well presented last night at the Harrison avenue school, and greeted with a good attendance. Those taking part were applauded repeatedly for their dramatic efforts. The play was also interspersed with vocal selections. *Dancing concluded* the entertainment.

A DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richmond, of Trenton, formerly of Plainfield, are entertaining Miss Winifred Gloria Richmond, who arrived at their home Monday, March 12, 1917.

PARENT-TEACHER COUNCIL IN SESSION

Officers Are Elected and Addresses Enjoyed at Meeting in High School

Officers were elected, informal reports presented, and several interesting addresses were made, including one on the "Motion Picture Problem," at the Union county council meeting of the New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, held at the Plainfield high school this morning. There was a good representation from the 178 associations in the county with an aggregate membership of about 1,100. The session will be continued this afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. Warner, of Roselle, presided at the morning session, upon the invitation of Mrs. William M. Sandford the retiring county chairman. Mrs. Frank W. Rowley finished up her work as recording secretary.

The early part of this session was *devoted to making some amendments* to the by-laws, the most important of which was the changing of the article referring to officers. It was decided to have a second vice-chairman, who shall be the retiring chairman, and two secretaries and an executive board of three members at large to be appointed.

These officers were chosen for the year: County Chairman, Mrs. W. R. Hill, of Roselle; first vice-chairman, Mrs. G. L. Demarest, of Roselle Park; second vice-chairman, Mrs. William M. Sandford, of Plainfield; recording secretary, Mrs. John Strawbridge, of Hillside, Elizabeth; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Orin Simons, of Plainfield; treasurer, Mrs. George B. Wean, of Plainfield.

During the morning session, Mrs. J. Wellington Bechtle, of Haddonfield, State president of the New Jersey Congress of Mothers, who was a guest, made a brief address, urging hearty co-operation on the part of all the women carrying the association work forward.

Mrs. Howard M. Canoune, of this city, read a paper on the "Motion Picture Problem," in which she asked every member to join in the movement for clean pictures, the kind that are safe for children as well as adults, and she spoke of an effort that is being made to secure pictures shown to be given in the morning for children. Mrs. Canoune told of the work of the censor committee here and the work being done along that line elsewhere.

Mrs. H. M. Maxson also addressed the gathering on "The Duty of the Parent-Teacher Association to the Teacher," suggesting that in her opinion too much stress had been laid on the importance of what she had done for the parent.

During the noon hour a box luncheon was served in the school lunch room, and this afternoon Rev. Franklin K. Mathiews, chief librarian for the Boy Scout movement, will address the council on "Recreational Books for Children."

PRINCE OF WALES COMMITTEE TO MEET

The Prince of Wales Relief Committee, New Jersey Branch, U. S. A., will meet at Grace M. E. Church parish house tomorrow at 10 a. m. Matters of importance will be under discussion and all members are asked to be present.

Stone Square Lodge, No. 28, F. & A. M., of this city, will hold its twenty-ninth annual reception in Voorhees Hall, Bound Brook, Thursday night, April 12.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers. We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but every item that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The further difficulty is the scarcity of white news paper, many of our contemporaries have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt strenuous reforms. The Courier-News is unable to purchase more than 60 per cent. of the quantity of paper it consumed in the month of the first of the present year. While this has necessitated a cut down the size of the paper from 16 or 18 pages, and a decided effect on the quality, it is certailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to meet the necessary forty per cent., and for this reason we have been forced to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscription is in arrears a few weeks does not mean that we misunderstand that subscriber, but forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open to us—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate after the announcement of the change in price.

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Six months (in advance)	2.90
One year (in advance)	6.00

As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

THE DEATH OF REV. J. A. CUBBERLEY

Former Pastor at New Market and South Plainfield Passed Away Yesterday

The Rev. James Albert Cubberley, for many years pastor of the New Market Baptist church, and afterwards for about twelve years pastor of the South Plainfield Baptist church, died yesterday afternoon at his home on West 122d street, New York, where the family removed last November from East Second street, this city. Mr. Cubberley had been ailing for the past six years, and grew worse as the time went by, but his condition was not believed by his family to be critical until Monday afternoon, when he suffered a stroke of cerebral apoplexy, and died yesterday as stated.

The funeral will be held on Friday morning at his late residence, at 11 o'clock, the Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, pastor of the First Baptist church, of this city, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside cemetery.

Mr. Cubberley was born near Hamilton Square, N. J., and was sixty-seven years of age at the time of his death. He was a graduate of Peddie Institute and of Colgate University. He held pastorates in Rome, N. Y., New Market, N. J., Toledo, Ohio, and South Plainfield, N. J., and lastly at Worcester, N. Y., where his health began to fail, causing his retirement. He was a member of Washington Camp, P. O. S. of A.

Among the nearer relatives left by Mr. Cubberley are: His wife, five children, Claude A., now on his way home from the border, where he has been serving with Company G, Thirteenth Infantry, of Pennsylvania; Hollis B., of Philadelphia; Mrs. Gideon Fountain, of Bridgeton, N. J.; Hober M., of New York, and Marjorie Cubberley, at home; also a brother, George Cubberley, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Reed and Miss Laura Cubberley, all of near Trenton.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. E. T. DE FOREST

Erected Fountain on West Second Street in Memory of Her Daughter

Mrs. Elizabeth T. De Forest died this morning at her home on West Second street, between New and Liberty streets, following a stroke she sustained at eight o'clock last evening. She was in the eighty-first year of her age. The funeral will be held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at her late residence, the Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating.

Mrs. De Forest came here forty years ago from New York, and had resided in the same house on West Second street, where she died, for the past thirty-five years. In front of her home she caused a fountain to be erected in 1894 for horses and dogs, in memory of her daughter, the late Mrs. May Francisco, who had always shown much sympathy for animals when they were tormented with thirst in hot weather.

Mrs. De Forest was an excellent Christian woman, a member of the First Baptist church and of its home department; also of the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the S. P. C. A.

Among the nearer relatives left by Mrs. De Forest are: A brother, Adam T. Green, of Pasadena, Cal.; a granddaughter, Mrs. Francisco, of two granddaughters, Mrs. John Dixon and Miss Isabel Godown, and three great-grandchildren, all of this city. A son, William Newman, a member of the fire department, died several years ago.

PADEREWSKI GIVES A RECITAL HERE MARCH 26

The incomparable Paderewski is coming to Plainfield to give a recital on Monday evening, March 26, in the High School Auditorium, under the auspices of the Musical Club of Plainfield. Plainfield has been favored this season with unusual musical celebrities, but this will be the crowning event.

Paderewski stands prominent and alone, above all other aspirants for fame. This will be a wonderful opportunity for the Plainfield public to hear him.

All proceeds after paying expenses will be divided by the Musical Club between the three organizations, Belgian Relief, Mercy Committee and Prince of Wales Society.

Player piano for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant 88-note player with cabinet and rolls, only $175 cash; on storage. 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-tf

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ALGONQUIN CASE DOES NOT ALTER THE AMERICAN SITUATION ON SEA

By United Press:

Washington, March 14.—Sinking of the American ship Algonquin confirmed the expressed Administration hint that Germany would carry her ruthlessness into American shipping, but for the moment does not alter the American situation.

Armed ships will go forth, and for the time being, at least, will constitute United States defense against Germany's illegal sea interference.

While there was general agreement that the Algonquin case did not mean war at present, State Department officials regard it very seriously, and as showing that Germany is conforming her acts to her threats.

SUBMARINE SINKS AMERICAN FOOD SHIP

By United Press:

London, March 14.—The American steamer Algonquin, bound for London, was torpedoed without warning Monday morning. All the crew of 27, including eight Americans, were saved. The submarine refused to assist the seamen to the life boats.

The cargo of the Algonquin was provisions consigned from Swift & Co., packing house products. The ship was valued at $500,000, and the cargo at a million. The ship was not armed. She carried oil cakes, corn syrup, chemicals, drugs, machinery and sheet brass. Miscellaneous cargo was listed on the manifest.

She was commanded by Capt. Andrew Nordberg, a naturalized American citizen.

The Algonquin was in lake traffic, but when trans-Atlantic demand became great, many lake ships were bought for such service. Lloyds lists Algonquin, registered at Port Arthur, Ontario, as a steel-screw, three-masted steamer, 1,806 tons, built 1888 at Glasgow, formerly owned by A. B. Mackay, and transferred to the American Star Line. It was put under American registry and flew the American flag. The Clyde line has a coastwise ship of the same name not engaged in trans-Atlantic trade, but plying between New York and Florida.

PRESIDENT TO CALL FOR SHARP MILITANT MEASURES

By United Press:

Washington, March 14.—President Wilson's message to the sixty-fifth Congress, which is called for April 16, will be sharply militant. Defense measures such as the country has not been called upon to furnish since the Spanish-American War, will be urged by the President *for immediate consideration and* prompt action. These are expected to include:

Legislation covering all matters collateral with defense of the American merchant marine; suggestion for action of some form on universal service or training, to prepare youths for service on land and sea if needed; appropriations for army conservation measures to release for immediate use mineral and oil resources now locked up in public lands; immediate action on a measure to extend the powers of the shipping board to meet the special needs of commerce forced upon us.

In addition to the outstanding preparedness measures the President will urge the new Congress to act on the following:

Increase of the gold reserve of the national banking system to meet financial circumstances; appropriation of funds for West Point, and *action on the general deficiency bill;* increase of membership of the Interstate Commerce Commissioner; action on the water-power bill, and an enactment of legislation permitting such combination of capital and organization in export and import trade as circumstances of international competition have made imperative.

Little doubt is expressed here that Congress will be in session all summer if it is to enact this program. It appears inevitable now that the whole railroad legislative program will have to be threshed out by the new Congress.

NEGOTIATIONS TO AVERT THREATENED R. R. STRIKE

By United Press:

New York, March 14.—Two camps from which negotiations to avert the threatened country-wide railroad strike will be conducted were established in the Grand Central terminal district today. Brotherhood chiefs want peaceful settlement, if possible, but are determined that there shall be a great labor war if necessary.

Reports from railway centres indicate that strike orders are automatically set, subject to recall, if managers meet their terms.

President Wilson, through Secretary of Labor Wilson and the Federal Board of Mediation, is prepared to watch every move made here in the next few days.

CHINA HAS SEVERED GERMAN RELATIONS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 14.—China has severed diplomatic relations with Germany according to a dispatch reaching the Navy Department today from the senior officer in command in Asiatic waters.

The Chinese government has seized all German merchant vessels at the Port of Shanghai and placed an armed guard upon them. The crews have been sent ashore.

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED BY SENATE

Trenton, March 14.—In executive session yesterday afternoon, the Senate confirmed the appointment of William W. Watson, former judge of the District Court, of Passaic City, as Common Pleas Judge of Passaic county. The other appointments made by Governor Edge on Monday night were likewise confirmed, including: George Bont, of Wayne township, Passaic county, to the Passaic County Tax Board; Laura H. LeF. Brown, of Somerville, and Charles Ennis, of Morristown, as members of Board of Managers of the State Reformatory for Women, Clinton, Mrs. Brown succeeding Mrs. James F. Fielder, wife of the former Governor, and R. L. Cox, of Montclair, as a member of the State Board of Education, succeeding Senator Edmund B. Osborne, resigned.

300 CHILDREN ATTEND FIRST OPERA REHEARSAL

More than three hundred children attended the first rehearsal for the little folks of the new comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," to be given at the Plainfield theatre on April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks, which was held at the Elks' club house yesterday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, the authors and producers of the opera, were very pleased with the hearty response on the part of the children, many of whom were in last year's show, "The Mystic Rose." Any other children wishing to take part in this opera are requested to communicate with the committee of children, of which Mrs. C. L. Crist is chairman. The children will be trained to take part in a "Ballet of the Fairies," said to be one of the most attractive features of the popular opera.

THE FUNERAL OF WILLIAM H. LEE

The funeral of William H. Lee, of West Fourth street, who died on Saturday, was held yesterday afternoon in the funeral chapel, West Fourth street, the Rev. G. W. Hamlet, pastor of the Jerseyland church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were the following members of Josephus Lodge, No. 16, K. of P.: Thomas Harvey, Henry L. Walker, Samuel Pickens, Jefferson Walker, Isaac Brown and William H. Carter. The interment was made in New Brunswick.

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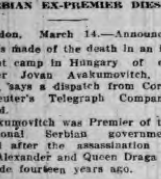

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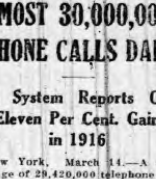

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EMANUEL C. TIGAR DISAPPEARS FROM HOME

Belvidere, March 14.—James M. Tigar, a miller of this place, went to Phillipsburg and Easton Monday, to find, if possible, his son, Emanuel C. Tigar, aged twenty-one years, who went away the latter part of the week. Mrs. Elizabeth Myers Schaumberger, a young married woman of Belvidere, also has left town.

Mr. Tigar learned that his son had been seen in Easton. Mrs. Schaumberger also was reported to be in Easton. Before leaving town it is said that Young Tigar sold his auto for $150. Mr. Tigar declared he thought his son might have gone West to visit an uncle in Wisconsin.

The mother of Mrs. Schaumberger said she thought her daughter, who for some time has been separated from her husband, had gone to Easton on a visit, as she had been working hard and had expressed a desire for a vacation. She said that her daughter and young Tigar were friends, but that she did not believe the departure of one had anything to do with the other's leaving.

SILK STRIKE ENDS; GIRLS ACCEPT OFFER

BAYONNE, March 14.—Offer of a five per cent. wage increase made by Schwarzenbach, Huber & Co., silk manufacturers, ended the strike of the 500 girl operatives yesterday. The girls quit their looms Thursday, when a demand for a ten per cent. raise in pay was refused by the concern.

The compromise offer was reported to the strikers by Director of Public Safety Wilson at a mass meeting last night. Mr. Wilson had been asked by the girls to intercede with the company on their behalf when the strike was declared. After a lengthy discussion the proposed increase was accepted.

EIGHTY-FIVE RUTGERS MEN SUPPORT SELVES

New Brunswick, March 14.—Eighty-five, or sixteen per cent. of the 510 Rutgers College students earn their entire college expenses, it is shown by a census just completed by the Rutgers Faculty. The combined yearly earnings of this group are $23,250, an average of $270 for each student.

The census revealed 107 men, or twenty-one per cent. of the student body, who worked during the college year only. Their aggregate yearly earnings are $10,945.

Work of students embraced numerous tasks from selling books to making munitions.

MISS ESTHER WOLFE BRIDE OF S. I. HADDESON

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Wolfe of West Front street, today announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Esther Wolfe, to Samuel I. Haddeson, of New Brunswick. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kramer, of Elmwood place, Sunday afternoon by Rev. Jacob Cohen, of Perth Amboy, an uncle of the bride.

Mr. Haddeson is a chemist in the laboratories of the Hercules Powder Works at Parlin. Mr. and Mrs. Haddeson will be "at home" to their many friends after May 1, at 256 Delevan street, New Brunswick.

INTERESTING HISTORY OF OUR COUNTRY

The Journal of American History, for the first three months of this year, has been issued by the National Historical Society, containing illustrations and early history of the Western Hemisphere, incidents of settlement of the western coast of this country, glimpses of Indian history and a map of New York City drawn two hundred years ago.

The National Historical Society has vice-presidents in all the States, those representing New Jersey being Mrs. Joseph Dorsett Bedle, past president of the New Jersey Society of Colonial Dames, and wife of former Governor Joseph D. Bedle; Mrs. Erastus Gaylord Putnam, honorary vice-president-general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and Dr. Eleanor Haines.

GOT STOMACH ACHE, SUES FOR $25,000

New York, March 14.—Anthony Castelli brought suit in the Supreme Court against Delmonico's on account of a stomach ache which, according to the papers, has lasted for almost four years. Castelli said he was formerly employed as a bookkeeper at the restaurant, receiving $75 a month and meals.

On July 28, 1913, he swears, he had been served with victuals, which he described as unfit. He declares his digestion has been put out of repair to the extent of $25,000.

ANDERSON ISSUES A STATEMENT

Doesn't Know Whether or Not People Want Him for Senator

According to William Delaroche Anderson, of Watchung, it is he, and not the Republican party, to whom credit is due for changing a deficit of $1,500,000 into a surplus of $2,000,0000 in the State treasury. This bit of information is contained in a statement issued today relative to the prospects of Mr. Anderson becoming a candidate for the Republican Senatorial nomination in Somerset county this fall. Mr. Anderson's statement is in part as follows:

"Whether I shall be a candidate for the Senate in Somerset county or not depends on whether or not the people of the county want a man who stands for carrying the principles that nearly every man has in his home and in his business into public affairs. By that I mean ordinary common-sense economy. As I have a record for this in a public way, and as I stand unalterably for it, I must find out if the people want it—maybe they don't, and if so I shall not be a candidate.

"If I have had legislative experience; maybe they don't want a man with legislative experience.

"I have the minutes of the appropriation committee of the State signed by Senator Smalley which contains a resolution by Hon. Thos. J. Smith, chairman of the House Committee, placing in my hands the task of solving the State's financial difficulties.

"I have the report, gotten up by myself as directed in this resolution and signed by Senators Smalley and Gaunt and Assemblymen Smith, Oliphant, Pierson and Hammond, the carrying out of the recommendations of which has resulted in the turning, in the space of two years, a deficit of $1,500,000 into a surplus of $2,000,000, and prevented the plan being carried into effect of bonding the State or adding to the tax burden of the citizens a method of getting rid of a deficit. I must show these to the people of Somerset, and find out if they desire one who does these things to represent them in the Senate before I can tell whether I shall become a candidate or not.

"Two years ago I made a single handed fight for a principle and lost financially, and my political standing was sacrificed. Maybe the people of the county do not want one who is willing to fight and sacrifice for a principle. I shall have to find that out.

"After losing this round I undertook to remove the cork-screw from the politics of Somerset county by enlisting assistance and by organized effort. The cork-screw is at present out. Maybe I was wrong.

"I am in possession of a very kind testimonial from the governing body of my home community, over which I had the honor for the past six years to act as its chief executive, and also the annual report of the last year of my administration which to me seems to indicate true public economy and a very high efficiency in local rural government."

THROUGH THE WICKET

The Plainfield Nest of American Owls will initiate candidates at its next meeting night.

Martha Washington Council, D. of A. will hold a euchre and "500" party on Saturday evening, March 24.

Unity Lodge, K. of P., is planning for a celebration on the evening of March 22. It will be the occasion of the thirty-second anniversary and an appropriate program will be given.

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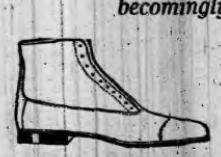

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SERBIAN EX-PREMIER DIES

London, March 14.—Announcement is made of the death in an internment camp in Hungary of ex-Premier Jovan Avakumovitch, of Serbia, says a dispatch from Corfu to Reuter's Telegraph Company, Limited.

Avakupovitch was Premier of the provisional Serbian government formed after the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga at Belgrade fourteen years ago.

REHEARSED PRIZE SONG AT ITS MEETING

The singing section of the Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein turned out a full representation last night at its weekly rehearsal. The society recently decided to take part in the singing contest of the United Singers' Society to be held in Newark in June. At the meeting last night the song that will be sung at this affair was practised for the first time.

ALMOST 30,000,000 PHONE CALLS DAILY

Bell System Reports Over Eleven Per Cent. Gain in 1916

New York, March 14.—A daily average of 29,420,000 telephone calls were recorded in 1916 by the Bell system, about 9,785,100,000 calls for the year, which was approximately at the rate of 100 calls a year for every man, woman and child in the United States, according to the annual statement of the company, made public here today. It was announced that the pressure of business had been so great that it was planned to spend $90,000,000 this year for improvements, as against $66,000,000 last year.

The business of the Bell system is shown to have made an unprecedented increase in 1916. The total wire mileage is given at 19,850,315 miles, an increase of 1,344,770, fifty-eight per cent. of which is underground. It is also pointed out that the average revenue per station to the Bell system has been reduced fifty-five per cent. in the last twenty years, and is less than the average charge of any other system that gives an immediate service anywhere in the world.

Total operating revenues for 1916 were $267,500,000, an increase of $30,151,000, or more than eleven per cent. over 1915. Of this, $84,556,000 was used for depreciation and maintenance, $52,749,000 for traffic expenses, $25,699,000 for commercial expenses, $11,902,000 for general and miscellaneous, and $14,918,000 for taxes assignable to operations. The total gross income was $79,353,000, an increase of 14.7 per cent. over 1915. Of this, $22,114,000 was paid for interest, rents, etc., leaving $35,160,000 for dividends and more than $22,000,000 to be added to surplus.

The report of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., separated from that of the Bell system, showed net earnings of $44,743,376, an increase of $2,625,889 over 1915.

Over the entire Bell system during the year there were added 1,344,770 miles of wire, bringing the total to 19,850,315.

OFFERS $300 MORE FOR RETURN OF DAUGHTER

New York, March 14.—Disheartened at the lack of results from his offer of $1,000 reward for information leading to the return of his daughter, Ruth Cruger, Robert Cruger offered yesterday a reward of $500 for any information leading to the discovery of the whereabouts of Alfredo Cocchi, the machinist, who disappeared at about the same time the girl left home.

Nothing tangible has been discovered by the police. Many letters of the usual crank variety have been received to hinder the work of the authorities.

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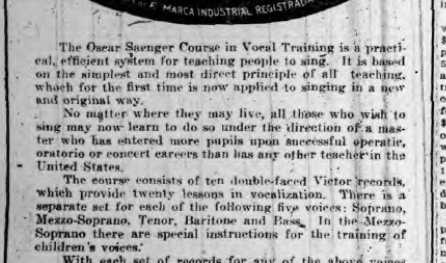

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At the Park Club Arthur Guy Empey Tells Thrilling Story of War

Vividly portraying many of the thrilling and terrible scenes which are a daily occurrence in the European war, Arthur Guy Empey, of Brooklyn, addressed a large audience at the Park Club, last night, and deeply impressed those present with some of the horrors of the greatest conflict in history.

Empey served sixteen months with the British army in France. He enlisted with the Royal Fusiliers in London in 1915, soon after the Lusitania was torpedoed, later being transferred to the machine gun corps. His official designation was machine gunner and bomber with the 167th Brigade, Fifty-sixth Division, Third Army Corps, British Expeditionary Force in France.

Prior to going abroad Empey had been a soldier in this country for thirteen years, six years in the U. S. Cavalry, three years with the Forty-seventh Regiment, Brooklyn, one year with the Seventy-first Regiment, New York, and three years with the Fourth New Jersey Regiment.

In characteristic soldier language Empey described a thrilling midnight raid on a German first line trench on the French front. He was wounded by a bullet in his face and two bullets in the left shoulder, a bayonet thrust in the left shoulder and was buried by a shell, and was thought to have been killed. He told how he was rescued, and after the lapse of several hours landed at Paignton, Devonshire, going thence to the American Women's War Hospital and placed in a ward which is supported by Frank Munsey, the well-known publisher, where he finally recovered sufficiently to return to America.

Empey's story as to how he went to London, was finally accepted as a soldier in the King's army, proved a failure as a recruiting officer, was then sent to the training quarters and eventually to the western front, was filled with interesting and amusing incidents which kept his audience in almost continual laughter, until he came to the more serious part of the actual fighting.

During his trip abroad he became quite familiar with the English dialect and at times one would think that a real Britisher was talking instead of an American boy from Jersey City.

Perhaps the most thrilling part of Empey's recital was that of a midnight raid on a German trench, in which he told of the intense feeling of suspense experienced by every soldier as he waited for the appointed time to make the advance. He said that when the time came he found the upper part of his body enthusiastic for the assault, but his feet scarcely seemed to move. He then told how he and his comrades became entangled in a barbed wire fence and were trapped by the Germans. For twenty hours afterward he remembered nothing and when he became conscious again found doctors and nurses working over him.

Empey described the terrible weapons used in the modern warfare, including the "persuader," a club studded with barbed wire points and filled with lead, the barbed wire noose and the dagger, and explained how the various kinds of bombs are made and the method of throwing them.

The nervous work, as he described it, of cleaning a trench of Germans, was illustrated in an interesting way, as was also the methods of chasing the enemy from the dugouts, a place of refuge. His description of intense bombardment, which sometimes lasted for two hours, with the accompanying shower of star shells from the German lines, gave the audience a genuine thrill.

Empey said that the Britisher got along with the Saxon soldier very well, and oftentimes they would establish a truce, but this, he said, could not be done with the Prussian soldier, whose one purpose is to kill everything in sight.

During Empey's stay in town he was the guest of John Phillips, of Madison avenue, the two having been friends for several years.

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RESOURCES

ns and discounts		$1,127,316.25
drafts		11.18
bonds deposited to secure circulation		150,000.00
e other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	$20,000.00	
rities other than U. S. bonds owned unpledged	2,090,592.94	
Total bond, securities, etc		$2,110,592.94
ks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		9,500.00
k of Federal Reserve Bank		9,000.00
e of banking house		60,000.00
e estate owned other than banking house		6,662.37
Amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	$140,367.66	
Amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	93,852.20	234,219.86
Amount due from banks and bankers		14,622.75
Net checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		7,976.95
Outside checks and other cash items	$1,542.12	
Fractional currency, nickels, and cents	625.50	2,267.62
Due from other national banks		10,552.06
Due from Federal Reserve notes		9,500.00
Total reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		249,160.94
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		7,500.00
Total		$4,033,793.75

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$200,000.00
Surplus fund		100,000.00
Undivided profits	$77,066.21	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	10,500.11	66,565.10
Circulating notes outstanding		142,905.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers		12,195.53
Dividends unpaid		5.00
Individual deposits subject to check		1,988,267.68
Demand certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days		62,765.98
Certified checks		7,105.03
Cashier's checks outstanding		81.78
Total of savings deposits	$1,120,104.35	10,244.54
Total demand deposits		$3,372.70
Deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days' or more notice)		2,288,602.78
Certificates of deposit		
Time deposits	$2,295,977.78	
Total of time deposits		$4,033,793.75

Total

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PHILIP W. HALL,
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FAVOR SMALL BOARD FREEHOLDERS

Judge Connolly and Freeholder Meisel Say It Would be Good Thing

Judge James C. Connolly, who if the Roberts Small Board of Freeholder bill passes in its original form will be a member of the commission to district the county, and Freeholder Peter Meisel, of Springfield, both favor the measure introduced by the Burlington Assemblyman.

"I think the Roberts bill providing for a small board of freeholders contains the best features of all those so far suggested," said Judge Connolly in an interview published in the Elizabeth Journal yesterday. "It will give a more equal representation to all parts of the county than any present statutory regulations."

As one of the three commissioners who will have charge of dividing the county into seven districts, if the bill goes through in its original form, Judge Connolly gave particular attention to this provision of the measure now before the Legislature.

"I somewhat objected to the fact that the Judge of the Court of Common Pleas is one of the Commissioners to divide the county into districts, because I believe that such an office should be kept out of the political field. After some consideration, however, I feel that the officers selected to make the division are, by reason of their positions, qualified to do the work properly. Instead of bringing the judicial office into politics, the act serves to insure a fair and unpolitical representation."

There has been introduced an amendment to this provision of the bill which puts the appointment of this commission up to the Governor.

In answering the objection that Elizabeth might have too large a representation on the small board, Judge Connolly pointed out that at present that city, although possessing half of the county's population, has only four of twenty-one representatives. "Surely the small board would not be more unbalanced than the present board," he added.

Although Judge Connolly sees a loss of democracy in a too centralized form of government, he believes firmly that a smaller board would be an improvement over the existing state of affairs.

"I believe the board ought to be somewhat larger, say, of ten or twelve members, that the county might be more thoroughly represented," Judge Connolly added. "But if this bill passed in its present form, and a larger board shall appear more desirable to the people, amendments will probably follow."

"I have been in favor of a small board of freeholders for several years," said Freeholder Peter Meisel yesterday, "and I think the Roberts bill, with its districting plan, is the only way to get such a board satisfactorily." Although Mr. Meisel added that Union county's representatives in the Assembly were doing their best to pass the bill, he said that opposition had arisen in Essex and Hudson counties against the measure.

MANSLAUGHTER JURY FAILS TO AGREE

Twenty-four hours after the case had been put in their hands, the jury which for several days had heard testimony in the trial of Frederick C. Hanson in Elizabeth on a charge of manslaughter reported their inability to agree yesterday. They were discharged by Judge James C. Connolly. Hanson was continued in bail of $1,000.

Hanson, a driver of an auto truck for the Arctic Storage Company of Jersey City, was indicted a year ago following the killing by the truck of Henrietta Bowen, seven years old, of Westfield avenue, Elizabeth.

IN LINE FOR DRILL MASTER

Trenton, March 14.—Announcement was made yesterday by the Civil Service Commission that four candidates qualified in the examination for the position of drill master in the Jersey City police and fire departments. In order of merit they are as follows: Joseph S. Norton, John W. Desmond, Marcus T. Hendricks and Henry H. Young, of Jersey City.

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MRS. COARD SPEAKS TO STUDENTS ON TEMPERANCE

Mrs. E. B. Coard, who recently returned from Berlin, Germany, addressed the students of the North Plainfield high school yesterday morning on "Efficiency."

She related a number of personal experiences in her work in several foreign countries, and commented on the apparent abundance of food and the corresponding low prices of everything in the city of Berlin, as compared to living in this country.

In closing, Mrs. Coard said: The National Temperance Union of the United States offers the pupils of every high school in the country the sum of five dollars for the best theme or essay on "Temperance," subject to the following rules of composition: That the essay must consist of not more than one thousand words nor less than five hundred; direct quotations from any book on the subject may be used. The papers will be marked on the basis of seventy-five per cent. for subject matter twenty-five per cent. for construction and correct spelling.

There are also prizes for State and National contests, of twenty-five and one hundred dollars, respectively, which competition is open to any citizen of the United States.

RAYMOND HOFFMAN DEAD

Raymond Hoffman, twelve years old, of Lebanon, died last night in Muhlenberg Hospital.

PROPOSED SETTLEMENT OF DENNICK'S ACCOUNTS

J. D. Loizeaux, representing the creditors of William H. Dennick, contractor of the Emerson avenue school, who is alleged to be in default, appeared before the Board of Education last night, and suggested a plan for settling the accounts of the contractor.

The board after listening to what Mr. Loizeaux had to say, advised him that the matter would be referred to Charles A. Reed, counsel to the board.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

The trench digger used in connection with the installation of storm sewers completed its work on West Fifth street, between Park and Arlington avenues, yesterday, and is now working on West Sixth, near Park avenue.

JUNKMAN ARRESTED

Morris Louvitz was arrested yesterday by Captain Flynn, charged with using defective scales. Louvitz is a junkman. Judge DeMeza fined him $10 in the City court this morning.

WESTFIELD MAN TAKEN ILL

John Ross, of Westfield, was stricken ill in front of police headquarters last night. Dr. Currie was called to attend him. His brother was summoned from Westfield and took him home.

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The funeral of Lewis Vossler, late of Dunellen, will be held tomorrow afternoon from the funeral parlors, 124 West Front street, Dunellen, at 2 o'clock. Interment will take place in Hillside Cemetery, this city.

OVERCOME WITH GAS

Clifton, March 14.—Trapped in a closed garage yesterday, Daniel J. Smith, a blacksmith, was overcome and fell to the floor as he was trying to crawl through a window. He was rescued by Harry G. Geist, who carried him to his home.

Mr. Smith, who had gone to the garage to recharge the storage batteries of his automobile, found the entrance to the building blocked by snow. He crawled in through a window and began work on the machine. In a few minutes he felt faint and was trying to get out through the window when he fell. He suffered several cuts on the face and head.

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New York, March 14.—Because they fear a call to arms at any moment might interfere with the wedding planned for after Easter, Miss Penelope Sears and Sherman Phelps Platt, a nephew of the late United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, were married here today. Platt is a member of Squadron A, N. Y. N. G., and is subject to call at any moment.

BIBLE STUDY AT CRESCENT AVENUE CHURCH

The mid-week service this evening at 8 o'clock in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will take the form of Bible study and will be conducted by the Rev. J. Gresham Machen, of Princeton Seminary, who is taking for his subject, "The Way of Approach to Jesus." This evening the Gospel of Luke and particularly the 15th chapter will be studied.

CHECK FOR FIREMEN

The Nat Levy Skirt Company, of Watchung avenue, has sent a substantial check to the Firemen's Pension Fund as an expression of their appreciation of the efficient work of the fire department at a blaze in their factory on Monday afternoon.

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German attack repulsed northwest of Verdun.

The Italian armies attacked along the whole Isonzo front, making gains on the Corso plateau.

Two Years Ago Today.

German cruiser Dresden, which survived battle off Falkland islands, Dec. 8, 1914, sunk by British fleet off Chile, according to British report.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1917.

ARE YOU A REAL AMERICAN?

In the address of the Defense Committee of the City of New York, to the citizens, asking them to declare themselves in a formal way as to whether or not they are patriots, by signing their names to the letter which is to be sent to President Wilson, pledging their loyalty, the same as was done by Plainfielders, recently, some very pointed facts are presented as the reason why the real Americans should go on record as pledging their loyalty. The address includes the following:

"At this time of crisis in the affairs of the nation, when at any moment we may find ourselves forced into a war that we have steadfastly sought to avoid, it is fitting that American men and women should have the opportunity as unquestionably they have the will to give assurance of their loyal support to the Government in its measures to uphold American rights and protect the lives of American citizens."

It continues with what seems to be a very important fact, as follows:

"It may be said that public approval of protective measures is to be taken for granted. But what is *understood at home may be easily* misunderstood abroad. The great stir raised by small but energetic groups whose cry is "surrender" is calculated to encourage new aggressions upon our National rights. These groups hold meetings, circulate petitions and wait upon the *President and Congress, while the* vast body of patriotic citizens not organized for such demonstrations, remain inarticulate, both in voice and action. We may be sure that the clamor of the disloyal, and of the misguided few who believe that perpetual yielding is the solution of *all our National difficulties, is heard* abroad, and there it has its exhilarating effect which intends to have just the opposite effect upon our loyal people at home. It is now time that the great majority of Americans should speak, and that their meaning should be unmistakable."

The point is well made in the remark that the opponents of our methods of preparedness are organized, and the really patriotic people who want to avoid war, but are not willing to submit to a surrender of National inalienable rights are not organized in anything like the strength that they should show. Organization makes its point while the lack of organization prevents making a point for truth and right. The number of opponents of measures of preparedness is small, but what it lacks in strength it makes up in or*ganization in its creation* of a sentiment of opposition to the majority will, when the sentiments of such organization are so well known abroad. If the voice of pacifists had never been heard during the past three years, the majority sentiment of our country, even if not expressed *by organization, would* have left foreign countries something to think over before presuming to dictate to us, as to our rights as a nation. The pacifists have done just enough to create an impression abroad that we would stand for almost anything.

THE FLAG BURNING

It is about time to interne Bouck White, and others concerned in the burning of the American Flag, last summer, in what they presumptuously called a "sacred ceremony" under the auspices of *the Church of* the Social Revolution, of which White was pastor. Just what the ceremony was intended to mean is not apparent, unless it be some strained notion of appeal to a strange idea, but the effect on the minds of foreigners in our country, is anything but patriotic, at a time when the people of this country are called upon to assert their patriotism in word and act. The incident which was declared by White to be a symbol of the "melting of the flags of all nations," several other flags having been burned at the same time, might have passed at a time when the whole world was at peace, but at this time it is a challenge to the intelligence of American citizens, as to their belief in their flag, and the challenge is answered by the fact that this "sacred ceremony" is an offense to patriotic American people. The more significant is this fact when it is recorded at the trial of White, and witnesses for him, that when asked if they would enlist in an army to repel invasion of the United States, promptly replied that they would not. This is not the kind of citizens who should be allowed to interpret the meaning of the American Flag, or to use it in any of their ceremonies. One or two pastors of prominent churches in New York, who were called as character witnesses in the trial of White, because they had spoken in his church, must have felt that they were in strange company for American citizens to say the least.

EDITORIAL NOTES

National Song Week has been observed by telephoning to the music store to get the latest bit of ragtime.

With those suffragist pickets surrounding the White House, it was clearly a mistake not to provide the executive mansion with a secret underground exit.

As the result of the leak investigation, the speculative activities of the office boys will no doubt be severely condemned.

Several more ranchmen have been killed by Mexicans, but people who expect to make money anywhere near the border must not complain at a little thing like that.

The price of vegetables is away out of sight, but the farmer keeps on looking discouraged until he gets down out of sight behind the barn, when he can smile unobserved.

When two drunken roughs punch each other gently on the street, it is a disgraceful fist fight; when two professional bruisers nearly kill each other on the stage, it is the gentlemanly sport of boxing.

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WANTED—Machinist, all round, for accurate work on lathes, millers, grinders; must be thoroughly experienced; no war machinist need apply. State your age, experience and wages under "Machinist," care Courier-News. 3-14-2t

HANDY MEN WANTED. International Motor Co. 3-10-4t

WANTED — Competent farmer wanted; good salary; good place; married man preferred. Write for appointment and state qualifications. Dr. Hicks, 5-mile lock, Bound Brook. 3-10-4t

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 3-8-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

TO LET—Half house, six rooms, partly furnished, part improvements. G. Meissner, 432 Watchung avenue. 3-12-3t

FOR RENT—Modern nine-room house with garage; centrally located. Inquire E. & W. Schloss. 3-12-6t

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Manson place; 6-room apartment, latest improvements, 636 West Front street. Jacob Sachar, 636 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

CLASSIFIED AD RATES

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HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AT THE COURIER-NEWS OFFICE AS FOLLOWS:

A N; Belgian; Board; Box B; Coffee; Chauffeur; E A; E M; F L C; G Z; Gentleman's Residence; Home; Instruments; L J L E; Lady; L M; M K; Music; Max; N T; No. 6; Owner; Pocket Money; Foreman; R C; S M; South; S W; Two Adults; Upright; W; W R; Y S; 1, 2, 3; Post 1; Box 46; Box 5; Box 53; Box 73S. Answers will be held 15 days only.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR THE NEXT BIG AUCTION SALE. EVERYTHING PERTAINING TO THE HOUSEHOLD WILL BE SOLD, DAY AND DATE ANNOUNCED LATER. ROBERT MURRAY, AUC., PIONEER. 3-10-tf

FRESH COWS and springers, Holstein, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-28-tf

FOR SALE—Half Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE — Parlor furniture, rugs, dishes, etc. 243 Somerset St. 2-8-6t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Brennan, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-17-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, $1 setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2535-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—$800 solid mahogany ten-piece dining room set, reasonable. Tel. 824-W, Westfield. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—An upright Pease piano, in good condition. Apply by letter, Miss Mary A. Mellick, 205 East Seventh street. 3-14-3t

RABBITS FOR SALE for pets only. Address "Rabbits," care Courier-News. 3-14-2t

AUCTION SALE—On road from South Stirling to Mt. Bethel, near Stirling, Friday, March 16, at 12 o'clock sharp, household goods, stock and machinery. Sale positive, rain or shine. Harry C. Zaiser, South Stirling. John C. Cooper, auctioneer. 3-13-2t

CORNISH Game and White Wyandotte eggs, $1.25 setting. E. S. Bird, 26-A Walnut street. 2-14-16-1m

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage, in good condition, $5. "C. B." care Courier-News. 3-14-3t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn planters, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith's forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 5 p. m. Mrs. Charles Railway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Soda fountain, first-class condition, all marble with mirror will sell cheap. 1220 West Front street. 3-14-1t

S. C. R. I. REDS—Cockerels from pen averaging 207 eggs, sire son of 251 hen Missouri contest, 1914; price $5. Richard Thomas, Gallacher's Corner, Dunellen. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—Handsome mahogany piano, $150.00, cash or terms. Address "Upright," care Courier-News. 3-12-14-16

PRIVATE PARTY will sacrifice very cheap for cash or terms fine mahogany upright piano purchased this year. C. H. 830 West Sixth street. 3-13-4t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

LOT of poultry crates at 30c each, delivered reasonable distance. 842 East Front street. 3-12-3t

GROCER'S REFRIGERATOR for sale, very cheap. Sharkey, Richmond street, grocer. 3-12-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

SOUND young driving horse; good road mare; can be seen by appointment. Telephone 843-M. 3-13-3t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762. Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles; cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE—Second-hand motorcycle, slightly used, at Leo Zeisel's. 3-14-4t

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

$1,200 CASH will buy modern borough residence, centrally located; the rest $3,200, goes on mortgage; owner leaving; splendid opportunity. Address "Real Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—Lot, Stelle avenue and Union street; 55x200. Jas. J. Tobin, 16 Stone street. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE—Farm 80 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton, Augustus Duryea, Somerville, N. J. 1-31-2taw-26t

FOR SALE—Country home of 30 acres on fine road, main road, 2½ miles Bound Brook; 800 feet frontage, Raritan river rear boundary; 11 rooms, 2 baths, all improvements; in excellent condition and partly furnished; barns, poultry houses, modern machinery, garage; ideal for country club, boarding house or road house; ideal location; price $18,000; terms; closed for winter. Koeller, 49 Third street, Weehawken, N. J. 2-28; 3-2,7,9,14,16,21,23

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf.*

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V," care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

TWO OR THREE furnished rooms for housekeeping; also one furnished room. 21 Grove street, 2d floor. 3-13-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

TO LET—To refined man, in private family, room with all improvements, near station. Address "Private Family," care Courier-News. 3-12-2t

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth street. 3-12-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double, 110 East Fifth street. Phone 2661. 3-12-3t

TO LET—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, with private family; breakfast if desired. Address "N. T." care Courier-News. 3-7-tf

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive, Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1924-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail them, Kline, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

SITTING HENS—In large numbers. State variety and price which must be reasonable. Forsgate Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-8-6t

WANTED—Best bargain for cash in Overland 83, Dodge, Buick, Oldsmobile or other 1916 touring car. Give full description, where seen and price to receive attention given. "Old Car," care Courier-News. 3-14-2t

WANTED—Light business wagon. 224 Richmond street. 3-14-2t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

ROOM WITH BOARD for two men or couple, reasonable. 77 Chatham street. 3-13-3t

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 226-232 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 3-13-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 2-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage; will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SELL 7-room house, bath, improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-21t

BARGAIN—Modern nine-room house on Belvidere avenue, large lot. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-12-14-16

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$200 cash and $15 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 161," care Courier-News. 2-27-3m,th,s-tf

BARGAIN—Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell on easy terms. For particulars write Mutual Land & Building Co., DeCelicin, N. J. 2-12-6t

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements, near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1126 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-11-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, near trolley; improvements; 3 acres of land; plenty fruit; a store attached; cash business; a bargain; terms. J. E. Van Orden, Jerusalem road, Westfield. 3-12-3t

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House, six-room house, 1308 South avenue, five minutes' walk from Netherwood station, water, gas, toilet. Apply 1320 South avenue. 3-14-2t

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; every modern convenience; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, garage, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED—A good paying business proposition that can be bought right; no brokers. "C," care Courier-News. 3-8-6t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-3-1m

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas; steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-26-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street. 'Phone 895-J. 3-10-6t

APARTMENT FOR RENT—April 1st, 5-room apartment, all improvements; low rental; heated. Call or write H. A. Harwell, 812 Leland avenue, Netherwood. 2-12-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Eighth street. 2-2-3t

TWO APARTMENTS, improvements, fine location, first floor, five large rooms, $21.00; second floor, six large rooms, $21.00. A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-12-1t

TO LET—Seven-room apartments, all improvements. Inquire 312 Grant avenue. 3-12-3t

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sauer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 12-9

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf.*

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2569-J, W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address "Private," care Courier-News. 2-14-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-23-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 329 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 431 West Sixth street. 3-8-tf

GIRL to work on Singer machine; steady all year; week work. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-9-6t

WANTED—Girl for general office work; beginner preferred. Apply M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Reliable girl to care for baby afternoons and evenings. Apply 322 East Front street. 3-13-2t

WANTED—A sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Tel. 2065. 3-13-tf

WANTED — Maid for general housework. 809 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1695-J. 3-13-2t

WANTED—Maid for housework; also girl to look after children. 615 East Second street. 3-14-4t

WANTED—Experienced waitresses, white and colored; good wages. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-13-2t

WANTED—Young woman as general office assistant. Apply Laing's Garage. 3-14-3t

YOUNG white girl not under 16, with reference, to assist with light housework and take child out. Apply 219 West Front street. 3-14-2t

WANTED—Girl that can sew. Apply Dressmaker, 1001 South avenue. 3-14-3t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work. Only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 407, Hubbock building. 3-13-7t

ROSENBAUM'S, 135 West Front street, require the services of a few extra salesladies in the various departments. Applicants must have ability and experience; good pay. 3-14-2t

WANTED—To assist in general housework, a young girl or woman; no washing or ironing; family of three adults; good home; house has all improvements. 'Phone 245-R. Address R. H., Millington, N. J.

MILLINERS—Only those of ability need apply; also an opportunity for an apprentice to learn the business. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

SALESWOMAN—We require an experienced saleswoman; none others need apply. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

WANTED—A good plain cook at 107 Crescent avenue; references required. 3-13-3t

WANTED—General housework, white; small family. 'Phone 669-J, after 6 p. m. 3-13-3t

WANTED—White girl as sewing maid and to take charge of one child. 105 Rockview avenue. 3-13-tf

WANTED—Apprentice for millinery workroom. Tepper's. 3-12-3t

NEAT white maid for general housework; no washing; small family. Apply 305 Stelle avenue, or Tel. 383-M. 3-13-3t

WANTED—Experienced waitress. 423 Park avenue. 3-13-2t

WANTED—Colored waitress, 143 Crescent avenue. 'Phone 1361-W. 3-12-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Headlight glass and ring from Chalmers limousine. Reward for return to Courier-News office.

LOST—Wallet containing small sum of money and tickets. Reward on return to Courier-News.

LOST—In post office, one envelope containing money, railroad pass marked Ernest Sutter, also letter to Mr. Hilton, Jersey City, and other valuable receipts. Finder can keep money and also be rewarded by returning envelope to 64 Washington avenue. 3-14-3t

LOST—On Saturday afternoon a sum of money between Olmstead's store and 214 East Fifth street. Finder please return it to 216 East Fifth street.

LOST—Lady's tan pocketbook in trolley waiting room on Watchung avenue, Plainfield. Finder please notify Mrs. Haynes, 223 Dunellen avenue. 'Phone Dunellen 1279-W. 3-14-2t

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DON'T FORGET
NEWARK NIGHT
TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH
Next Rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" Thursday Night.
ON OUR ALLEYS
THURSDAY NIGHT
B. P. O. E. vs. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.
District Deputy Visits us tonight

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

CHIMNEY ROCK ROAD BEATEN

Every section of the county was represented at the meeting of the Board of Freeholders yesterday in the court house when the proposed construction of the Chimney Rock road was brought up. The needs and wants of each particular section was voiced and sounded out while the various representatives stated their reasons for favoring the improvement or objecting to it.

After about three hours had been consumed in argument pro and con, Freeholder Charles F. Smith, of Bridgewater moved to award the contract for the proposed road work. Freeholder F. H. Smith, of Bound Brook, seconded the motion, which was defeated, Freeholder William I. Robinson, of Montgomery, having been excused from voting. Those who supported the proposed improvement were: Baldwin of Bernards; Codington, of Warren; Kitch, of North Plainfield Borough; Mobus, of North Plainfield Township; Smith, of Bridgewater, and Smith of Bound Brook. Those who voted against the measure: Director Remsen, of Franklin Township; Poulson, of Bedminster; Hoagland, of Branchburg; Brown, of Somerville, and Van Cleat, of Hillsborough. Another vote was necessary to carry the measure.

The chief objection to the proposed construction of the road was the expense, the cost having been estimated at about $70,000.

Fred Thomas, on behalf of 75 Somerville petitioners; W. B. R. Mason and Harry Herbert, of Bound Brook; Augustus Campbell, and Mr. Bartels, of Washington Valley, pleaded for the improvement. People from the southern end of the county were the principal protestants.

Want to Change Road

A delegation representing the Board of Trade of Bernardsville, the Bernards Township Committee, and property owners along the Mine Brook road, between Far Hills and Bernardsville, appeared requesting consideration of a proposal to change the course of the road so as to run around instead of over Page's hill providing for the elimination of the dangerous railroad grade crossing at Far Hills. William Page, one of the largest property owners along the road, spoke in favor of the proposition and presented a sheaf of petitions showing unanimous approval of the plan among the property owners in that section whom he stated would dedicate land for the proposed new road, in exchange for the old. He further stated that the cost of building the new road would probably be less than that of making necessary repairs to the old.

The matter was refered to a committee consisting of C. F. Smith, S. S. Baldwin and William Poulson.

To Have Board of Governors

Following a suggestion made at their meeting last night it is likely that the Young Men's Hebrew Association of this place will adopt a new form of government within a few months. The proposal is that a Board of Governors, consisting of, five or six members, direct the policy and activities of the association throughout the year. A committee was appointed to consider the matter. The members are: J. J. Levine, Max Schwed and D. T. Wilentz.

Another committee was named to look into the matter of holding Cabaret Night in April. This committee will meet Thursday night with Bernard Woldin.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local postoffice: Mrs. R. C. Borchers, Mrs. Martha Cuff, Davenport street; Mrs. J. Dreyfus, care of Mrs. R. F. Watson, R.-F. D. No. 2; D. Littlehale, P. O. Box No. 652; Frank Reid, Mrs. A. D. Renwick, 130 N. Mountain avenue; Mrs. George Robertson, 145 E. Cliff street; Mrs. Mary Schenck, Miss Johanna Schild, Mrs. Sievins, Andrew Soelick, R. F. D. No. 2; John B. Waldron, J. M. White, 31 South street.

High School Dance Friday

On Friday evening of this week, the Athletic Association of the Somerville high school will give an entertainment and dance in the auditorium at 8 o'clock. Some of the best talent in the borough has been secured for this occasion and a most enjoyable evening is in store for the patrons. There will also be dancing.

The commercial students of the high school visited the county clerk's office yesterday morning to inspect the filing system. Assistant Clerk F. N. Voorhees explained the system.

James Russell, who is in charge of the work of reindexing the records in the county clerk's office, left this week for a two weeks' stay in Pittsburg.

The Merchants' Association will hold the regular monthly meeting tonight in the Engine House.

WHITEHOUSE

The winter weather has been hard on the macadam road from this place to Lambertville via Flemington and the Hunterdon County Board of Freeholders has started a force of men to make repairs with cracked stone. Warren L. Thompson, of Whitehouse Station, who was awarded the contract to build a short stretch of road to connect Lambertville with the Mercer county line, expects to start work April 2 to complete the same.

Taxpayers of Readington Township will meet at Pleasant Run Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of electing three members to the Board of Education.

The Whitehouse bowling team was defeated by High Bridge on the alleys at the Hunterdon Country Club, near Clinton, on Monday evening. The score was 801 to 676.

The Misses Harriet and Elizabeth Messler returned today to their home near East Whitehouse, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Roger R. Hall in New York.

The meeting of the Whitehouse Station Five Hundred Club will be held tomorrow night instead of this evening at the residence of Miss Ethel Reed.

Rev. Frederick S. Benson will lead the congregational prayer meeting of the East Whitehouse Methodist church tonight in the lecture room.

The offering at the services in the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station next Sunday will be for the benefit of Somerset Hospital, Somerville.

Miss Marion Mellick, of New Germantown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvah L. Pickell at the San Esther farm, near Whitehouse Station.

The Wishbone Improvement Society was entertained today by Mrs. Charles P. Oliver at her residence in East Whitehouse.

The coal famine in Whitehouse and vicinity was alleviated yesterday when the local dealer received four carloads of coal.

William P. Catlin, Sr., of East Whitehouse, left yesterday for Florida, where he expects to spend two months.

Miss Blanche Osmun, of Asbury, has been visiting Mrs. George C. Mannon at Lebanon for a few days.

Mrs. George Tucker has returned to Lebanon after a visit to her former home in Newark.

Mrs. Fremont K. Shafer, of Lebanon, has been spending a few days in Somerville.

FANWOOD

Parents of the pupils of Fanwood Township School No. 1 are displaying much interest in the work of their children, by attending the school while in regular session this week. The week is generally known as "Go-to-school Week" throughout the State, as opportunity is being offered to parents to observe the work of the schools in daily session.

Fanwood sidewalks are being overlayed with a covering of stone which was badly needed on all the walks in the borough with the exception of only a few.

The weekly Lenten services were held in All Saints' P. E. Church last evening. The Rev. James A. Smith, of St. Paul's Church in Westfield, officiated.

The Ladies' Aid Society of All Saints' P. E. church met at the residence of Mrs. Richard Full, of North avenue, this afternoon.

There will be no meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Bible class this week.

SCOTCH PLAINS

The members of the World Wide Guild are making arrangements to hold a dime social in the church tomorrow night. Everyone is invited.

Miss Edith Jahn, of Park avenue, entertained the members of the Stitch and Chatter Club at her home last evening.

Pastor Hare will be in charge of the weekly prayer meeting in the Baptist church tonight.

Mrs. Lewis Coddington, of Park avenue, spent yesterday with her daughters in Dunellen.

Thomas Weller, of Park avenue, has purchased an automobile.

GERMAN VALLEY

Mrs. Mary Gillen went to Hackettstown yesterday to spend a week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Seals.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Maas entertained the officials of the Presbyterian and Lutheran churches last night at the manse.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Front are entertaining for a brief stay their youngest son, Clarence Front of Bound Brook.

Miss Iva Nunn will spend this week and the following week with Mrs. Floyd Lance of Hill Top, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip S. Dutford entertained for the first of the week Rufus Kittenhouse of Lebanon.

Welsh Down has a pen of ten single comb brown leghorn yearlings that are laying nine eggs a day.

Roy Swackhamer, of Plainfield is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Swackhamer.

Mrs. George N. McLean is recovering from grip and neuralgia.

BOUND BROOK

REV. BOULT TO REFUSE CALL

Rev. William T. Boult, pastor of the Congregational church, will refuse the call offered him by the First Congregational church of Council Bluffs, Iowa. Rev. Mr. Boult preached at Council Bluffs on February 25 while on a visit there. It is the largest church in that city, which has a population of 30,000.

Through the earnest efforts of the local congregation, Rev. Mr. Boult was induced to remain here.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Congregational church celebrated its fortieth anniversary last evening with a party in the chapel. "Grandma's Attic Treasures" was read to an accompaniment of music.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koechlein, of Main street, were the recipients of a flood of congratulatory messages yesterday, following the confirmation of the report that a son was born to them yesterday morning.

The banquet of the Firemen's Bowling League will be held tonight in the Berkeley Hotel.

Mrs. D. C. Dorchester is entertaining the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church today.

Mrs. Peter W. Koechlein, of South Bound Brook, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Pioneer Council, No. 58, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight in Voorhees Hall.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

Ladies' Circle Observes Anniversary

The Ladies' Home Circle of the Lebanon Reformed church is today celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of its work for the church. Luncheon was served at noon and this was followed with addresses by former pastors and a report in detail of the past quarter of a century of the Home Circle's activities. Tonight a play, "The Old Peabody Pew," will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Gifford Hoffman, Mrs. John Hunt, Miss Lilla Felmly, Mrs. W. E. Bird, Mrs. Willard Young, Mrs. Agnes Ramsey, Mrs. Sanford Ramsey and Mrs. Lucas A. Voorhees.

Among all the groups of the Y. M. C. A. in this county the New Germantown branch ranked second during the month of February for efficiency. Now this branch has arranged to conduct a contest between two teams to further increase interest and raise efficiency and expects to occupy first place for the present month. The best record for attendance during the past month is held by the Cadets of the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station.

Glen Gardner and High Bridge bowling teams will try conclusions on the alleys at the Hunterdon Country Club tomorrow night.

Miss Margaret McCoy, of Clinton, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Shea, in High Bridge.

Miss Myrtle Sutton, of Annandale, was the recent guest of Miss Mabel Ward at Gladstone.

NORTH BRANCH

The annual statement of the Reformed Church here has just been compiled. It indicates that the church is clear of debt with all expenses of the past year paid, leaving a balance of thirty-five cents in the treasury. There will be no service next Sunday, as the pastor will be away. Sunday school at the usual hour. The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a sociable in the chapel on Friday evening, March 23.

Earl Haver, of Dunellen, is spending a week with former Freeholder and Mrs. William E. Haver, at North Branch Depot.

Mrs. James L. Stillwell entertained the North Branch Pinochle Club at a dinner last night.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Marietta Quick, March 27.

John Dunham, of Dunellen, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jane Dunham, for a few days.

Mrs. H. A. Lifland is spending a few days at her former home in Newark.

Mrs. Frederick Hunt is the guest of relatives in Elizabeth.

FLEMINGTON

Elizabeth B. Smith, William Stockton and Charles Deats will represent the Flemington High School in the debate with the Clinton High School March 23. Carolyn Miller will be alternate. The team will debate on the affirmative side of the compulsory arbitration question.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society Monday afternoon discussed "Work at Ellis Island" and "Orphanage in Turkey and Armenia." The leaders were Mrs. C. S. Alvater, Mrs. Clarence O. Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Coon and Mrs. E. A. Allen.

The Men's Club of the Methodist Church held a banquet in the chapel last night. The principal address was delivered by Dr. Edmund D. Soper of Madison. The Woodruff Bible Class served the dinner.

Professor Norman Landis on Sunday completed his twenty-first year as organist for the Presbyterian Church.

DUNELLEN

Local Young Man Sails From 'Frisco

According to post cards received here, Ed. Maurer was to have sailed on Monday from San Francisco to his new location at Java. Mr. Maurer goes to the Orient in the interest of the concern of which his father is the head.

Contractors Lang & Haslin, who are now completing the joint sewer work on Jefferson avenue and West Front street, near the dividing line with this borough, have made excellent headway of late with their trenching machine. The contract is about completed.

Mrs. S. A. Wagner has just received a membership in the World Star Thousand Dollar Club, of Bay City, Mich. This honor is awarded to representatives of this firm selling the largest amount of goods.

At the annual meeting of the school district on Tuesday evening next it is expected that the question of additional school accommodations will be discussed and action taken in the matter.

Rev. P. C. Bascom, who is conducting the union evangelistic services at the First Presbyterian church will hold what is known as souvenir night on Saturday evening next.

Otis M. Webber has just completed the installation of modern sanitary plumbing in Paul Ratti's building, and the residence of Mrs. P. W. Brakeley.

Holy Innocents' Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet tomorrow afternoon in the Guild room. The meeting will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Herbert E. Nelson, the taxi-cab proprietor, is doing his best to keep down the gasoline price. He is now selling it for 24 cents.

Robert Bogardus has purchased from Otis Webber another horse which he has added to his bakery delivery business.

At its meeting last night William Holton Council, No. 55, Jr. O. U. A. M., received one new application for membership.

C. B. Carman has returned to his work in the Simplex factory, New Brunswick, after several days' illness.

News items of interest to this column may be left at David Campbell's confectionery store, North avenue.

At present there is not a vacant store in the borough. This speaks well for the business conditions.

The store of Frank Margentino, North avenue, is undergoing alterations.

The Borough Council will hold an adjourned meeting on Monday evening.

Mrs. Edgar Shively is resuperating from her recent illness.

NEW MARKET

Lakeside Council of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty is planning for a demonstration supper to be held early next month.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church is holding its monthly meeting this afternoon.

Friendship Circle of this place will meet tomorrow with Mrs. J. E. Meeker in Plainfield.

The township schools will hold a manual training exhibition Friday of this week.

W. H. Thompson is on a trip through the southern part of the State.

CHESTER

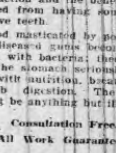
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church will meet this afternoon with Mrs. William F. Appleby, Jr.

Mae Young resumed her studies Monday at the local school after a week's sickness.

William Kohler will move into the Smith property in Main street about April 1.

Ernest A. Barker began work Monday with the power company at Kenvil.

Donald Frazier has returned from the hospital much improved in health.



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WESTFIELD

ACTIVITIES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Next Tuesday evening in connection with the annual school meeting, some of the departments of the high and grammar school will be in session from 8.15 to 9.30 in the high school building. Patrons of the school and citizens generally will have an opportunity to observe how the work is conducted in the Domestic Science, Domestic Arts and Manual Training Departments.

Classes will also be at work in the physical and chemical laboratories and in the commercial department. A special feature will be an exhibit of the work of the Physical Training Department. Students will participate in the regular exercises prescribed for the development of strong, healthy boys and girls.

The Senior Class will present the play "Green Stockings" during commencement week. Miss Allene Buckout, of the Washington school, is coaching the play and will select the cast the latter part of this week.

Dr. H. McLachlin, principal of the Grant school, was called to his home in Pennsylvania during the past week on account of the illness of his father.

Miss Mabel E. Bray, supervisor of music in the schools, has announced the following spring concerts: Glee Club concert Saturday evening, May 19; Lincoln and McKinley schools, Thursday afternoon, May 10; Washington school, Friday afternoon, May 4; Grant school, Tuesday afternoon, May 8; orchestra recital on Tuesday morning, May 15th.

The prizes for graduation dresses for 1917 are as follows: Mrs. H. E. D. Jackson's prize of $5. Dress to be cut and made by the graduate and the material to be used in the dress to cost $5 or less. Woman's Club prize by School Auxiliary Committee. Dress must be made in the home and materia' used in dresses to cost $5 or less.

Miss Ruth Jackson, of Riverton, visited the Washington school kindergarten. Miss K. E. Brown, of Cranford, visited the third and fourth grades of the Washington school; the Misses E. E. Arleth, C. Sampson, and A. Robins, of Sayreville, visited the schools on Wednesday of last week.

The inter-class basket ball games began yesterday when the Seniors defeated the Freshmen 25-20 and the Sophomores defeated the Juniors 43-11.

Miss Marion Gerry and Elbridge Gerry have entered the high school in the Junior and Sophomore classes. This makes the total enrollment in the high school 308.

Second Lecture on "Mosquitoes"

The second lecture on "Mosquitoes," by Russell Gies, of the Union County Mosquito Extermination Commission, was given in the auditorium of the High school last night and as well attended. The lecture was illustrated and showed the mosquito in all of life and the different kinds which are to be found all over the world. In addition to the lecture Dr. R. G. Savoye, the president of the Board of Health made a brief address, his subject being "Flies." Dr. Savoye urged the co-operation of the citizens of the town with the Board of Health in keeping their houses and property clean so that it will not be a breeding place for flies.

The lecture was given under the auspices of the Grant, McKinley and Lincoln Schools Parent-Teacher Associations.

Monthly Meeting of S. P. C. A.

The Westfield Branch of the S. P. C. A. held its monthly meeting in the town hall last night but owing to so few of the members being present not much business was transacted. In the absence of the president and vice president Mrs. Minnie Beck, the secretary, presided. Mrs. F. L. Washburne, the special agent, made her monthly report which showed that she had taken in hand eight cases which had been brought to her attention. The question of either organizing a junior branch of the society or a band of mercy was discussed but on account of the small number of members present it was decided to defer action until next Tuesday night when a special meeting will be held for the purpose of discussing the question more thoroughly.

Dr. Lewis Bevier Dean, of Rutgers College, spent yesterday in this town looking up the members of the Rutgers Alumni for the purpose of getting contributions from them for an endowment fund for the college. Among those who belong to the alumni of Rutgers College from this town are: H. G. Atwater, Paul Q. Oliver, B. M. Prugh, W. D. Reese, R. J. Raritz, R. G. Savoye, Spencer D. Embree, G. F. Herben, R. W. Hunt, J. D. Laurent and Stanley Marsh.

The address given by Rev. Dr. Milton S. Littlefield, secretary of the Congregational Board of Sunday School Work on "Music in the Sunday School" in the Baptist church last night, was attended by about one hundred persons and was interesting and instructive. He illustrated his address by several Sunday school hymns which were played by Mrs. John Bethune. The address was under the auspices of the Baptist Bible Circle.

The Westfield High School Alumni Association will give a musical concert in the High school auditorium on Saturday evening, March 24. This will be the last of the series of entertainments and lectures under the direction of the Board of Education for this season.

Harry Englehart, of Garwood, has taken the position of day man at the Central Railroad station in place of Arthur R. Sanders who has been transferred to Elizabeth.

Miss Adele Beattys, of Stoneleigh Park, has issued invitations for a Saint Patrick's wedding to be held at her home on the evening of March 23rd.

Miss Josephine Hoppock, of Clark street, has taken a position in the millinery store of M. L. Van Der Veer at Plainfield.

Miss Gladys Brown, of New York, is spending the week with Miss Adele Beattys, of Stoneleigh Park.

Miss Beatrix Budell, of Fourth avenue, has returned from a few days' stay at Atlantic City.

The Misses Frances and Emma Peirce will spend the week-end with friends in Brooklyn.

C. L. Beach, of Clark street, has just returned from a trip to Havana, Cuba.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Lenten Services in Sacred Heart Church

Weekly Lenten service will be conducted in the Sacred Heart Church tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Kennedy, O. S. A., of the Augustinian Order, will deliver a sermon, the subject of which will be, "A Prevalent Neglect of Which Few Are Guilty." Father Kennedy is an excellent preacher, this being appreciated by the large number who were present to hear him on Thursday evenings. Father Kennedy will preach on the following subjects the remaining Thursdays of Lent: March 22, "The Sinner's Greatest Danger"; March 29, "The Seat of Mercy"; April 5, the concluding sermon, "Love's Old Story." Benediction immediately after the sermon.

On Friday afternoon, from 2 to 3:30, there will be an exhibition of the work accomplished by the Manual Training classes in the local public school during the present term. The work will include bench work, basketry and sewing. This will be the first exhibit of this kind ever conducted in the local school and it is expected that a large number will be present. Parents and all others interested are extended a cordial invitation.

Miss Dorothy Lammers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lammers, has been spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. J. Mackrle, of New Springville, Staten Island.

Miss Stella Zolendeck, recently of Brooklyn, is now staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zolendeck, of South Plainfield avenue.

John Lambyers, who has been residing with Mr. and Mrs. James Leahy on Lehigh avenue, for the past six months, has moved to Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Snyder and daughter, Lillian, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Snyder's mother, Mrs. John Fiester, of Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Norman, of Plainfield, have returned from a visit with Mr. Norman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Norman.

Miss Florence Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon, of Hancock avenue, has returned from a visit with out of town friends.

John Geary, Sr., of Plainfield, who has been confined to bed with illness for some time, is reported as slightly improved.

Mrs. Louis D. Randolph has returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bunting, of New Market.

Miss Alice Sisty, of Dunellen, is spending a few days with her aunt, Miss Emma Manning, on Brookside avenue.

Mrs. C. Wycoff and Mrs. J. Temple, of Metuchen, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soper, on Lehigh avenue.

Miss Mary Parrel, of Metuchen, returned from a few days' stay with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary McDonough.

Mrs. P. Nagle, of Dunellen, is spending a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Thornton.

Frank Gobrino, formerly of this place, but now of Easton, visited friends in this town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Kaine have been entertaining Mrs. Kaine's brother, John McCaffrey, of Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. John Geary, of Plainfield avenue, recently entertained James Hurley, of Plainfield.

Mrs. William Miller and daughter, Myrtle, recently were the guests of friends in Easton, Pa.

John Miller, formerly of this place, but now of North Plainfield, has been visiting friends here.

Mrs. John Mattison, of Plainfield, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Michael Saverd.

Mrs. Paul Gestinz, of Catasaqua, Pa., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. Weidgen.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipshitz are entertaining Mrs. Lipshitz's brother from New York city.

Mrs. William Ledden, on Brookside avenue, has been visiting relatives in Elizabeth.

William Shields has been detained from work several days owing to illness.

Miss Alice Snyder is spending a few days visiting friends in Easton, Pa.

Peter Konowitz has returned from a visit with friends in New York city.

WATCHUNG

Small Child Bitten by Bull Dog

Ephraim Acker, the three-year-old son of Ephraim S. Acker, of Hillcrest road, was bitten through the nose yesterday by a bull dog belonging to William Campbell. How the accident happened no one knows, as the dog is in the habit of coming into Acker's yard and playing with the child. When last seen the dog and child were having a jolly time romping together. After the child was bitten he was too frightened to explain what happened, whether accidental or intentional. Medical aid was summoned at once to attend the boy, and Dr. Herbert, veterinary, was called to examine the dog.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society held the regular meeting, which was postponed from last Thursday, yesterday at the home of Miss Agnes B. Davis, of "Two Brooks," on Mountain Boulevard. The regular routine of business was carried out and plans were concluded for the dance which is to be given Friday evening in the Improvement Hall. After the business meeting a social time was held.

The Christian Endeavor will meet tonight in the chapel and Miss Adele Hermann will be the leader. The topic is "Spreading the Good News," and a large attendance is desired.

All parents and friends of the Watchung public school are asked not to forget the "Go-to-School Week" which is being observed this week.

Mrs. Fred Bailey, of Nutley, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Fetherston, of Valley road.

Miss Agnes Mantz, of Plainfield, spent yesterday visiting friends here.

MIDDLE VALLEY

A community committee was formed Saturday at a meeting of farmers of this vicinity. William R. Neighbour is chairman and Frank Dufford secretary.

After being a guest for ten weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fritts, Mrs. Ava Seabrook has gone to her home at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Frank Hoffman entertained the first of the week her sister, Mrs. Charles Apgar, and son Lamont of Califon.

The Lower Valley cottage prayer meeting will be held tonight at the home of George Allegar.

Miss Minnie Ader of East Orange is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ader.

GENERAL GEORGE BELL, JR.

He Will Cross Mexican Border as Dinner Guest.

Photo by American Press Association.

General Jose Murguia, commander of the Juarez brigade, has invited General George Bell, Jr., commander of the El Paso patrol district, and staff to be his guests at a luncheon in Juarez March 19 to celebrate General Murguia's saint's day. General Bell has accepted the invitation. He will be the first American commander to cross the bridge here since General Steever called upon General Huerta in 1914.

THOUSANDS FIGHT LOCAL OPTION BILL

Big Delegations Go to Albany to Register Protest.

New York, March 14.—An organized fight against the Hill-Wheeler local option bill was launched today from all quarters of the state.

A delegation of 500 business men of New York city—one-third of them representatives of the city's large hotels and restaurants—left for Albany to protest against the bill. Other delegations of prominent men went from Buffalo and other up state cities. There may be 2,000 or more men in the fight against the bill.

It is explained by the leaders in the movement that it is not to be a fight against regulation of the liquor traffic. The delegates are prepared to champion the bill of Senator Elon Brown or similar legislation for the regulation of the sale of liquor.

The opponents of the measure say they would be forced into politics by the clause of the Hill-Wheeler bill calling for periodical elections on local option.

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INFANTILE PARALYSIS EPIDEMIC IN SOUTH AMERICA

By United Press:

Santiago, Chile, March 14.—A good deal of infantile paralysis having been reported in South America lately, Chile has established special inspection corps at Arica, Punta Arenas, Upsallata and in the Andean passes. In spite of all precautions there have been some Chilean cases of the disease.

THIRTY-SIX ENGINES ORDERED

Special to Courier-News:

Philadelphia, March 14.—During the week ended March 10 the Baldwin Locomotive Works received orders for 36 locomotives.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR GUNNERS ARE COMPLETED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 14—Secretary Daniels has confirmed reports that the code of instructions for American gunners on merchant vessels had been completed. The nature of the instructions will not be divulged.

MORE REVENUE FOR JERSEY

Trenton, March 14.—The revenue from corporation taxes to the state will be increased $2,000 annually as the result of the Tidewater Oil Company, of Bayonne, yesterday filing an increase in its capital stock from $30,000,000 to $40,000,000. It was filed with Secretary of State Martin.

PASTOR UNDECIDED ON CALL

New York, March 14.—The Rev. Dr. J. H. Jowett, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, told his congregation Sunday that he had not decided whether he would accept the pastorate of Westminster church, London, to which he recently received a call.

BACKACHE—KIDNEY TROUBLE

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CHURCH SOCIETIES RE-ELECT OFFICERS

Members of First M. E. Church Plan for Supper and Entertainment

The three women's societies of the First M. E. Church held their all day sessions yesterday. At noon a luncheon was served, forty-one enjoying this affair. All societies re-elected the officers, and reports were submitted by the officers.

The officers selected by the Ladies' Aid Society were: President, Mrs. A. E. Crane; first vice-president, Mrs. Judd Stewart; second vice-president, Mrs. Harry Gee; secretary, Mrs. D. S. Dunavan; and treasurer, Mrs. N. Y. Hull.

Both the Home and Foreign Missionary societies held inspiring sessions, papers being read in the interest of the work.

It was voted by the Ladies' Aid Society to hold a supper and entertainment on March 23. The supper will be held at six p. m., and to be followed by tableaux and numbers depicting songs thirty years ago. About sixty children will take part in the entertainment.

CALLED FROM CITY BY DEATH OF MOTHER

Miss Evaline Huff, one of the teachers in the Lincoln school, is in Hornell, N. Y., where she was called last week by the death of her mother. The funeral was held there yesterday.

Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their sight greatly improved through the use of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind, could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to say active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Optos tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eye two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its combined ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. Many whose eyes grow dim and strengthen overnight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for use in almost every family. It is sold in this city by L. W. Randolph.

WAR BRIDES TODAY AND TOMORROW AT PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's Friday

"War Brides," the eight-part film story, starring the noted tragedienne "Nazimova," appeared at Proctor's yesterday and continues today and tomorrow. It holds the intense interest of the spectators throughout, and is one of the most impressive big photo-plays ever shown here. Nazimova scores even a bigger hit than she did in her vaudeville sketch of the same name.

Today also Hank Mann appears in the two-part Fox comedy, "Chased Into Love." Tomorrow besides "War Brides," Pearl White appears in "Pearl of the Army."

On Friday Clara Kimball Young is presented in a special William A. Brady feature entitled "Without a Soul," one of the most entertaining of her long list of successes. Valentine Grant is also seen on Friday in the Paramount picture, "The Daughter of MacGregor."

On Saturday Pauline Frederick is starred in her latest Paramount vehicle, "Ashes and Embers," and Ethel Barrymore appears in a special Metro production entitled "The Awakening of Helena Richie," adapted from the famous novel of the same name.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

...ion with this department often I've will gladly answer any Laundry relative to domestic science. A stamped envelope bring necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Eggs are such universal favorites and are, moreover, so wholesome and nutritious, that they should be freely used upon the family table. Fortunately, too, there are so many appetizing ways of preparing them, that they may be varied almost indefinitely.

Boiled eggs are probably the most popular, but every housekeeper is not familiar with the best method of boiling them. The ordinary general maid plunges them into boiling water. If they are to be soft boiled, they are taken out in three minutes; if they are to be hard boiled, they are left in ten.

What is the result? In the former instance, the white of the egg has hardened unevenly, while the yolk is not cooked sufficiently. In the latter, the white and yolk are both hard and the yolk is dark-colored and as heavy as a ball of lead.

The proper rule, however, for cooking eggs in this manner, is to put them into a saucepan and cover with boiling water. Let them stand for about ten minutes, where the water will be kept evenly below the boiling point. Then, when done, the white of the egg will be of a soft, jellylike consistency, and the yolk soft, but not liquid.

Almost everyone likes a good omelet and, with a little care, they are not difficult to prepare. The following rule is one of good proportions, which produces a light fluffy result. The ingredients required are two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of water (milk toughens an omelet), one saltspoonful of salt and a pinch of paprika:

Separate the whites from the yolks of the eggs. Beat both until they are very light and the whites will "stand alone." Then add to the yolks the water and seasoning, fold and cut in the stiffly whipped whites and turn into a hot, smooth omelet pan, that has been coated with hot, melted butter.

Be very careful that the fire is not too hot (for any egg preparation will quickly scorch) and cook slowly. Loosen the sides of the omelet from the pan, as it begins to set, with a wide-bladed, flexible knife. As soon as the omelet leaves the sides of the pan easily, slip a cake turner under half of it and fold over into a neat half circle. Cook for a moment or two longer, so manipulating the pan that it browns evenly, and serve inverted on a hot platter. Serve immediately, as the most perfect omelet falls quickly.

Chopped ham, parsley, oysters, mushrooms, or small portions of cooked meat and vegetables may be added to the yolks before cooking, thus giving a fancy omelet, or they may be spread in a layer over the top before the omelet is folded.

With the present high prices, however, a baked omelet will not only be found more economical, but it is also easier to prepare. Scald one pint of milk, melt in it one tablespoonful of butter, add three heaping tablespoonfuls of grated, soft bread crumbs and season to taste with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring constantly, in the upper part of the double boiler until very smooth, remove from the fire, beat in the yolks of four eggs and, when slightly cooled, fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites. Turn at once into a deep earthenware dish (brushed over with butter) and bake about twenty minutes in a quick oven. This omelet should raise very high. Serve immediately.

Still another form of egg cookery, that is not known to the majority of housekeepers, is the recipe for pickled eggs. This makes a delicious luncheon or supper relish, to serve with cold meats, as it cannot be excelled for piquancy or delicacy of flavor:

Boil the eggs for twenty minutes and place immediately in cold water. When cold, remove the shells and place them whole in wide-mouthed jars. Season vinegar to taste with a spice bag containing whole cloves, allspice, stick cinnamon, mustard seed, celery seed and ginger root and cook the vinegar for twenty minutes. Remove the spice bag and pour the scalding vinegar over the eggs, filling the jars to overflowing. Adjust the covers and rubbers, screwing the former tightly in place, and let the eggs stand for a month before using.

Scotch Woodcock

Chop six hard-boiled eggs with a silver knife. Make a roux of two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and one tablespoonful of flour. Then gradually add half a pint of rich milk and stir constantly until it boils and thickens. Dilute one tablespoonful of anchovy paste with a little of the hot milk mixture, blend in with the remainder of the thickened milk and add the eggs and a pinch of cayenne. Cook until the eggs are heated, spread on buttered toast and serve immediately.

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INQUISITIVE BILLY MOUSE

Little Billy Mouse was very inquisitive. When his father and mother came in at night, Billy Mouse always jumped right up in his bed and began to ask, "Where have you been? Have you brought me anything?"

And when they went out he would follow them right out to the very edge of their hole in the wall and ask, "Where are you going? Can't I go, too?"

"Billy Mouse," said his father one day, "you must not be so inquisitive. Some day it will get you into trouble. Inquisitiveness is a very bad quality in a mouse."

But Billy Mouse did not take warning or heed his father's wise words. He continued to poke his nose about and ask questions, and one day he followed his father and mother outside the hole, and if it had not been for his father seeing him, Billy Mouse would have ended his days right then and there.

Mistress Puss had her eye on that hole in the wall of the pantry for a long time, but Billy's father and mother were old at the game of hide and seek, so Puss did not catch them.

But now she was sure there were one or two little mice in the hole, and Puss knew they would not be as clever at escaping her as their parents, so she watched and waited.

This morning Billy's father and mother were scudding across the pantry floor to a place of safety, when Billy's father happened to see him, and in another minute he knew that Mistress Puss would have Billy Mouse by the neck.

So brave Father Mouse ran right back in Puss' face, and almost into her paws, while Mother Mouse ran back and ran Billy Mouse back into his hole.

Of course, any wise little mouse, after such a narrow escape as that, would have listened carefully to all the good advice his father gave him, but not so Billy Mouse.

"They think I can't take care of myself," said Billy Mouse, after he had been put into bed and told not to get up until his father and mother came home.

"I could have run away from that Puss, she can't run half as fast as I can, I know; for she is much bigger, and, of course, cannot move as swiftly. Besides that, she cannot run under a door, and I can. I did it one day when father and mother were out, and I could get away from Mistress Puss any day—I know I could.

"How am I going to see the world if I am kept in bed all my life and never allowed out of this hole? It is silly, and I will not be made a baby of any longer."

And this was the way Billy Mouse reasoned with himself until he began to think he was grown up already, and out of bed he jumped and ran to the hole.

He poked out his nose, and there was no Puss in sight; all was as still as could be; then Billy Mouse smelled something, and it smelled good; so he poked his head out and looked about.

No, there was nothing to be afraid of, and he wanted to see what was in a box he saw not far from the hole.

"I'll just run over and look at it," said Billy Mouse. "I wonder what can be in such a queer-looking box? I don't believe mother and father would blame me for looking in that. It is all full of little holes, and if Puss came along I could run in one of the holes and hide. I am going, anyway."

So out of the hole ran silly little Billy Mouse and looked at the strange box.

"My!" he said, poking his nose close to the box; "that nice smell comes from this box. I do believe it is cheese. Mother brought me a piece one time, and it liked it very much."

And then Billy Mouse poked his nose closer to the box. "It is cheese, and it is in this box," he said; "perhaps it is full of cheese, and I can eat all I want. I will just run in and see."

"Snap!" went something just as

Billy Mouse poked in his nose, and Billy kicked hard.

"Oh! look, look!" said Mother Mouse, "it's Billy caught in one of those horrid traps. What shall we do?"

"Hush! Don't make such a noise," said wise Father Mouse, "Do as I tell you and we can save him. Take hold of his tail and pull hard."

Mother Mouse did as her husband told her, and she pulled as Father jumped up on top of the trap and, with his front paws, pushed down the little wire that held Billy Mouse fast.

Mother Mouse pulled so hard that when Billy Mouse was freed she lost her balance and over she went on her back, right into a pan of milk, and Billy Mouse with her.

The cool milk brought Billy Mouse to his senses, and he began to squeak loudly.

"Keep quiet," said his father, pulling Billy Mouse and his mother out of the milk and hurrying them into the hole.

"I guess you have done enough mischief for one day," said his father. "The next time we go out we will tie you in your bed; you are the most inquisitive child I ever knew."

Poor Billy Mouse was too frightened this time to care much if his neck ached, and when his mother gave him some medicine with a very unpleasant taste, Billy Mouse swallowed it without a squeak.

The next day he had to stay in bed with a flannel around his throat, and even if he had not been tied in he would not have gone out of the hole, for Billy Mouse was no longer inquisitive; he was too frightened and sick to care about anything.

And he made up his mind that when he was well he would obey his father and mother and never, never again try to find out what was in a box.

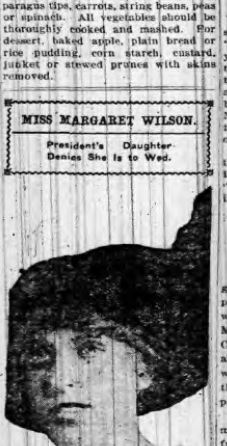
Tomorrow's story—"The Lost Fairy."—Part I.

MISS MARGARET WILSON.

President's Daughter Denies She Is to Wed.

GETS $8,400 FOR HUSBAND'S DEATH

Jersey City, March 14.—A jury in the Circuit Court yesterday gave an $8,400 verdict to Mrs. Florence Healy, of 908 West Side avenue, this city, in her suit to recover $30,000 from the Erie Railroad Company for the death of her husband, John A. Healy, a yardmaster in the company's employ. Healy was run down by a freight train in the Croxton yards, near this city, April 15, 1916.



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Miss Margaret Woodrow Wilson, eldest daughter of the president, denies that she is engaged to Frank R. Crompton, a Chicago publisher, as published in news dispatches from Grand Rapids, Mich.

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BON TON GIRLS MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Real burlesque is the description given by experts of the new production provided for the "New Bon Ton Girls," who will be seen this coming Monday, March 19, at the Plainfield Theatre. Cast, music, jokes, songs and scenery all are new, and the program is solid with good, genuine entertainment of the variety patrons of this popular playhouse have been used to seeing.

Just how much fun, frolic and enjoyment may be expected is to be realized from the fact that the cast is led by Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen and Babe La Tour, and just behind them in importance come Gladys Parker, June La Ray and Callahan and Jackson, the latter with a whirlwind dance that might better be termed cyclonic.

June La Veley, with "Bon Tons," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night.

FOUR VILLAGE CUT-UPS AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

"The Village Cutups," a quartet of typical country hayseeds, head the vaudeville bill at the Plainfield Theatre tonight and offer a repertoire of songs and dances that aim for the amusement of patrons of the Second street playhouse. Tomorrow there will be an entire new bill.

Besides "The Village Cutups," there are four other good numbers on the vaudeville program today, they being: Honey Johnson in his second appearance of the season; a typical country hayseeds, head the comedy sketch entitled "Good Service;" a playlet, "In the Shoe Shop," with Edyth and Eddie Adair, and the Two Alfreds, a team of excellent acrobats. Hearst-Pathe Weekly and other moving pictures are included as attractions.

Tomorrow night the feature of the new bill will be "Tyrouts," when four other vaudeville numbers in addition to the regular bill will be offered.

ARGENTINE OFFICERS RECOVERING FROM DUEL WOUNDS

By United Press:

Buenos Aires, Mar. 14.—Rear Admiral Juan A. Martin and Capt. Diogenes Aguirre, of the Argentine navy, who have been nominally ill, but who are reported really to have fought a duel with one another, are recovering. It is understood that the fight was with swords, that it was over a grave personal difference of opinion, that it occurred in the patio, or courtyard, of a house in the Buenos Aires suburb of Belgrano and that both the principals were wounded.

ITALIANS THINK GERMANY WANTS U. S. IN THE WAR

By United Press.

Rome, Italy, March 14.—Germany's diplomacy is not so much statesmanship as trickery. This is the opinion in certain allied circles here today.

Many think Germany really wants the United States in the war. These say that her recent announcement of an "unrestrained submarine campaign" has this purpose among others.

Germany is now certain she can not win the war, it is asserted. Consequently she is beginning to intrigue for her future position in Europe.

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For Newark—5.08, 6.17, 7.02 (through train to Newark (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.36, 9.29, 10.26, 11.27 a. m., 12.39, 12.58, 1.19, 2.39, 2.11, 4.33, 4.36, 5.05, 5.30, 5.37, 5.41, 6.21, 7.02, 8.38, 9.34, 10.37 a. m., 12.26 a. m.

Sundays—7.22, 8.52, 9.34, 10.37, a. m., 12.39, 12.58, 1.19, 2.39, 2.45, 4.33, 5.37, 6.21, 7.02, 8.38, 9.34, 10.37 a. m., 12.26 a. m.

For Boston, Berkeley, Allentown and Manch Chunk—5.21 (except Manch Chunk, 8.50, 9.44, 11.27 a. m.; 2.00, 5.44, 10.30 to Easton), 9.44 a. m. Sunday—10.44 to Allentown), 10.57 a. m., 1.56, 5.44, 7.00 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—5.21, 9.44 a. m.; 5.41 p. m. Sunday—5.19, 10.57 a. m.; 5.44 p. m.

For Asbury Park, Elberon, 7.41, 8.12, 11.27 a. m. Saturdays only, 11.39, 4.36, 5.09, 8.21 p. m., 11.42. For Red Bank only—5.36 a. m. (12.39, Saturdays only), 2.31 p. m.

For Atlantic City—7.41, 8.26 a. m., (12.39 Saturdays only), 2.11 p. m. Sundays only 9.00 a. m., 5.09 p. m.

For Philadelphia—5.38, 7.41, 9.02, 10.42, 11.54 a. m., 1.12, 2.45, 4.02, 4.46, 5.21, 6.47, 8.46, 10.45 p. m., 12.20 a. m.

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For Baltimore and Washington daily—9.02, 10.43 a. m., 1.12, 2.45, 4.02, 6.47 p. m.

WILSON READY TO AVERT STRIKE

Will Use Full Power to Halt Threatened Rail War.

DEPENDS ON CONFERENCE.

Meeting Between Labor and Railroad Chiefs In New York May Result In Compromise, but Brotherhoods Are Perfecting Plans For Nation Wide Walkout if It Fails—Pledge Loyalty to Country if War Should Come While Strike Is On.

Washington, March 14.—President Wilson will act promptly and decisively to prevent any general tie-up of the commerce of the country through a great railroad strike while the nation is confronted with the dire possibilities of the present international situation.

Convinced that both the railroads and their employees will put aside their own differences to join in the defense of the country, the president is prepared to once more step into the railroad controversy if the strike threat once more becomes acute.

Although confined to his room, the president is in close touch with the railroad situation. He conferred with Secretary of Labor Wilson, who has been watching the developments in the railroad controversy closely, and received a detailed report of the present situation. He will be kept advised as to the progress of discussions between the four big brotherhood chiefs and the conference committee of railroad managers in New York.

Under his direction the federal board of mediation and conciliation will be prepared to act at once and to exert all of the influence of the federal government to prevent a clash between the railroads and their employees. The board met and reviewed the situation, but no announcement was forthcoming.

Trainmen Finish Plans.

In a secret meeting W. S. Stone of the engineers, W. G. Carter of the firemen, L. W. Sheppard of the conductors and W. G. Lee of the trainmen went over with the brotherhood chairmen from the southeastern lines the proposal which will be submitted to the railroad managers. The local representatives indorsed the proposal, which will not be made public until it is laid before the railroad representatives.

It was stated in railroad circles, however, that the new proposal will demonstrate the sincere desire of the brotherhoods to avert a strike in the present crisis. The Southern, Norfolk and Western and the Chesapeake and Ohio local organizations are represented.

The announcement of the brotherhood chiefs carried the assurance that in the event of a declaration of war the railroad employees would "support the country." It pointed out that far more than a year ago railroad men had sought to settle the eight hour day question.

The statement was issued by W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen, and was signed by himself, L. E. Sheppard, acting president of the conductors; W. S. Stone, president of the engineers, and W. S. Carter, president of the firemen.

All members of the general committee representing a number of railroads in the southeastern territory conferred here, and gave thorough consideration to the application of the basic eight hour day as submitted by the chief executives, which was presented to and refused by the national conference committee of the railroads last December.

Will Stand by Country.

It was then hoped by the brotherhoods that an application of the eight hour season law could be agreed upon that would give train, engine and yard employees at once the benefits intended by the president when proposing the eight hour law.

The proposition submitted by the chief executives was unanimously approved by the various general committees, thus authorizing the chief executives to again renew their attempt to effect a speedy settlement with the conference committee at the meeting to be held in New York.

A declaration to the effect that transportation employees are not loyal 64 cents because of their attempt at this time to secure from their employers the benefits contemplated by the law is issued, and assurances of our willingness and intention to support our country should war be declared has been given to the president of the United States.

Surely the public must recognize that for more than a year we have made every effort to bring matters to a decision and our membership realizes that this question should be disposed of and industrial peace brought before our country becomes involved in war, which fact seems probable.

Recognizing it has been the purpose of the railroad companies to postpone final settlement of this question until either a panic or a state of industrial depression

Shifts to New York.

The scene of action of the threatened strike has been transferred to New York city.

It is apparent that neither employer or employee were confident that the strike would be avoided. Spokesmen of the 400,000 employees of the railroads are going ahead with plans to attempt

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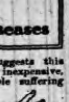

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Almost any soap will clean the skin and hair. But those who want a soap which not only cleanses but actually helps the completion and hair are wise to choose resinol soap.

WILLIAM D. STEPHENS.

Governor of California Succeeding H. Johnson.

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EDGE CALLS FOR BIGGER HARBOR

Wants Joint Board to Boom Nation's Port.

CO-OPERATE WITH NEW YORK

Move to Relieve Congestion, Acquire More Piers and Terminals, as Well as Connecting Railroads on New Jersey Side Urged by Governor in Special Message to Legislature Today.

Trenton, March 14.—Governor Edge sent a special message to the legislature today requesting authority to name members of a proposed New Jersey-New York interstate commission to deal with the question of water front and terminal facilities. This action follows a conference between Governor Edge and Governor Whitman of the Empire State. A similar request is to go to the New York legislature from Governor Whitman.

The New Jersey governor will suggest to the lawmakers that appropriations be provided of $7,500 in the supplemental bill and $10,000 in the annual bill as New Jersey's share in the work of development of New York harbor and the extension of the water front facilities in both states. The plan of the two governors is said to have been given indorsement by the New York Chamber of Commerce after a recent speech before that body by Governor Edge, in which he urged more of the spirit of co-operation between the two states.

"This commission," said the governor, discussing his plans, "if the legislatures of New York and New Jersey give the governors the power to appoint it, will, of course, not concern itself with the proposed vehicular tunnel under the Hudson river. That is a matter which is being taken care of by a different commission. The work of the proposed commission will be along the lines of relieving congestion in the port, encouraging commerce from every standpoint, including the acquisition of more terminal facilities, particularly on the New Jersey side, connecting railroads and allied activities.

"New Jersey is to be congratulated that New York state is taking such an unselfish interest in this proposition. I believe that the port of New York is just as much a New Jersey institution as it is a New York institution and that when New Jersey makes it such New York will benefit the same as New Jersey. That Governor Whitman and the state of New York are perfectly willing to recognize the partnership of New Jersey in the port of New York and are ready to accept the co-operation of New Jersey in my mind indicates the broad attitude of view which the sister state is taking of the whole matter."

OPPOSE HUNTING CHANGE.

Butler Gunners Want Woodcock Season Left as It Is.

Butler, March 14.—Sportsmen hereabouts are protesting against the bill introduced in the legislature to allow the shooting of woodcock only after the season has opened in November for rabbits, quail, pheasants, partridge and other game. Having the season open for woodcock Nov. 10, instead of Oct. 15, as for the other game, it would be impossible for nimrods in northern Jersey to shoot this bird, as by that time it has migrated south.

The exponents of the bill state that the reason for its introduction is to lessen the killing of other game out of season, on the theory that when a hunter is in the woods after woodcock he will shoot anything he sees. Those who are protesting point out that this condition will not be remedied, as the season for snipe and plover opens in September.

DR. HENRY L. COIT DEAD.

Founder of Babies' Hospital, Newark, Ill Only Day.

Newark, March 14.—Dr. Henry Lebed Coit, founder and medical director of the Babies' hospital, father of the certified milk movement and one of the best known specialists in infant diseases in the country, died at his home, 277 Mount Prospect avenue, from pneumonia and heart complications. He was ill only twenty-four hours. Dr. Coit would have been sixty-three years old Friday.

Dr. Coit's illness came on him Sunday shortly after what proved to be his last visit to the hospital, of which he had long been the guiding spirit.

Drill For State Prisoners.

Boston, March 14.—State prison inmates will be given military drills as a preparedness measure, according to Colonel Cyrus B. Adams, director of the state bureau of prisons.

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GOVERNOR EDGE MADE THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS

Members of the State Board of Medical Examiners—Dr. Davis P. Borden, eclectic, of Paterson; Dr. Alexander McAllister, of Camden, allopath, and Dr. F. Wilbur Cornwell, of Plainfield, homeopath, all reappointed.

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Farnum Preparatory School in Beverly in which the State has an interest—Dr. Calvin N. Kendall, of Princeton, who is State Commissioner of Education, and the Rev. Arthur Phillips, Alexander Ferguson, Jr., C. A. Neidich and W. A. Cortright, all of Beverly, and all reappointed.

Members of the Board of Managers of the State Reformatory for Women at Clinton, Hunterdon county—Laura H. Le F. Brown, of Somerville, to succeed Mrs. Mabel C. Fielder, of Jersey City, wife of former Governor James F. Fielder, and Charles W. Eanis, of Norristown, to succeed Alfred G. Evans, of Madison.

Members of the State Board of Education—Robert Lynn Cox, of Montclair, to succeed Edmund B. Osborne, of the same town, resigned owing to his position as Senator. This appointment is for the unexpired and full terms. Mr. Cox is third vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, of New York. This position is not salaried.

CUNARD LINER SUNK

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, Mar. 14.—A dispatch from Consul Wesley Frost, at Queenstown to the State Department, tells of the sinking of the Cunard non-passenger liner, Brolla, near Waterford, March 10. The survivors were landed at Dungannon. The sole American on board was the ship's surgeon; W. J. Core, of Nashville.

PERSONAL

P. Welsbecker, who has been on the border with the 12th New York Regiment, is spending a short time at his home in North Plainfield.

Frank Reynolds, of the borough fire department, is confined to his home with an attack of the grip. His position is being taken at the headquarters by A. A. Fritz.

Dr. David Leavitts, of the Stirling building, who has recently recovered from an operation that took place in St. Luke's Hospital, New York, expects to resume his practice this week.

AMERICA MAY WITHDRAW FROM BELGIAN RELIEF

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 14.—The United States probably will be forced to withdraw from Belgian relief work in the near future, according to Secretary of State Lansing. Germany, it is believed, is now planning to put this work in the hands of Holland and Switzerland.

COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

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BISHOP WOODCOCK COMING HERE

The Rev. Henry Teller Cocke, of St. Andrew's church, Mount Holly, is to be the special preacher at Grace church on Sunday evening next at eight o'clock. Mr. Cocke is a Southern clergyman recently transferred to the diocese of New Jersey. He is a speaker whom the public will enjoy hearing.

The rector announces the coming visit of Bishop Woodcock, of Kentucky, on Sunday, March 25. All members of the community will remember the mission held at Grace church a year ago, when Bishop Woodcock made such far-reaching and substantial impressions. One of the outstanding memories of that occasion is the men's service held on the last Sunday afternoon of the mission. Grace church was filled to the doors with men only. The service was unusual and impressive to a degree. The same evening, the attendance at the closing service was so great that the capacity of the church was overtaxed.

The public will no doubt be eager to renew a privilege so valued, and Grace church will make preparation for the hospitable reception of all who are minded to attend. The Bishop will preach twice only, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m.

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MEAT CAUSE OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts to flush Kidneys if Back hurts or Bladder bothers

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or side, headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's poisonous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate *sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize* the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
½ cup water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron
½ cup shortening
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon salt
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together, and mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan greased with a hole in center (a boat) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

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RECREATION NOTES

The Alumni Men's Club meets in the high school tonight.

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school tomorrow evening.

The West End Boys' Club will use the high school gym tonight.

A social evening will be enjoyed tomorrow in the Lincoln school.

The regular monthly meeting of the Public Recreation Committee will be held Thursday evening in the high school library.

Athletic games are to be conducted in the Franklin and Bryant schools and a Guild of Play in the Irving school tomorrow afternoon.

GERMANS SMASHED IN AFRICA SAYS SMUTS

London, March 14.—Gen. Smuts, former commander of the expedition against the German forces in East Africa, who was made a privy councilor recently, arrived in England yesterday. Speaking of the situation on the East African battle-front he said:

"The campaign in East Africa is virtually ended. After the rainy season in March and April the Germans will be obliged either to surrender or enter Portuguese territory, where the Portuguese are ready to deal with them. The operations against the mere remnant of Germans will be undertaken by native troops. I have trained, because I found the white troops were unable to stand the climate for any length of time. The natives make a splendid fighting infantry, and at the close of the operations will be available elsewhere.

"East Africa is enormously valuable and productive. The Germans spent millions in developing it. The mere suggestion that any part of it should be returned to Germany is preposterous. The native population has stood magnificently by us, and I shudder to think what would happen if any part of the territory were given back to Germany. All the African colonies would be aghast at the mere idea, and moreover our prestige would suffer materially."

MANY SHIPS REACH ITALY SAFELY

Special to Courier-News:

Rome, Mar. 14—An official report, issued today, says that in the past week 493 vessels, aggregating 291,211 tons, arrived in Italian ports and 464 vessels sailed. The figures include fishing boats, four steamers, the report says, three of more than 1,500 tons and one under the capacity, and three sailing vessels were torpedoed. A steamship and two sailing vessels were attacked by submarines but escaped.

INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL COMPANY ELECTION

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Industrial Alcohol Company, yesterday, F. W. Harden, E. W. McKenna, W. S. Kies and R. P. Tinsley were elected directors in place of F. S. Flower, Crawford Livingston, Julius Kessler and J. P. McGovern, resigned. With these exceptions the retiring directors were reelected.

MEXICANS TO GET AMNESTY

El Paso, Tex., March 14.—Amnesty will be offered to all Mexican refugees by Gen. Carranza after he is inaugurated President on May 1, according to information received here today.

The only exceptions will be Francisco Villa his immediate followers and those implicated in the murder of President Madero and Vice-President Pino Suarez.

LAW TO PROTECT PRESIDENT

New York, March 14.—Attention was called Monday by the United States Secret Service, whose duty is to protect the President, that threats of violence against the President will bring about instant arrest. In other words, the man who stands arguing in a barroom over the President's policies and says "Wilson ought to be shot" is liable to instant arrest.

AMBOY'S NEW HOTEL IN FULL SWING

The beautiful new Packer House a Perth Amboy, under the supervision of Peter Floersch, formerly of the Queen City Hotel, this city, is now formally opened. At the opening on Saturday night last Van Epe' banjo orchestra furnished music for dancing and a male quartet also entertained. Souvenir card cases were given the gentlemen and new style fan wells were presented to the ladies. A sumptuous banquet was served the guests, who came from this city and elsewhere.

The new hotel is five stories in height, handsomely furnished, has running water in every room; 48 of the rooms have private baths, every room on the top floor has a connecting bath room.

The handsome dining room has a seating capacity of 300. The color scheme is pale blue and ivory, giving a very rich appearance by its simplicity of tone.

Every modern convenience known to the hotel business has been installed, from the mechanical potato peeler in the kitchen to the mail chute in every corridor in every floor.

The ladies' writing room is in a balcony, overlooking a fine large lobby where many easy chairs are scattered about for the comfort of the guests.

SERVICE THIS EVENING IN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

There will be an address in the Congregational church at the midweek meeting this evening by Miss Pavlowa, who has been on the mission field in Salonica for the American Board of Missions, and the pastor, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke, who will speak on: "Some Practical Implications of Christ's Doctrine of the Work of Every Man." The service will begin at 8 and close at 9 o'clock sharp.

MARTINE PREPARING TO MOVE BACK HOME

The Washington, D. C., dispatches say:

"While Senators Hughes and Frelinghuysen are attending the daily sessions of the Senate, former United States Senator James E. Martine has been busily engaged packing up his books and papers for shipment to his home at Plainfield. He is not settled as to what he will do in the matter of a residence, but will probably spend a part of his time in New Jersey and some part of the year in Washington, which he finds congenial in many ways."

Hon. E. R. Ackerman, of this city, has been a recent visitor at Washington.

HER SOLDIER BROTHER WOUNDED IN FRANCE

Mrs. Robert Murray, of West Front street, has received a letter from her family in England stating that her brother, Frank Mildon, recently sustained two wounds during one of the battles in France, and he is now in a hospital in London. Mr. Mildon was in the Australian Territorials.

WILL DISCUSS PREPAREDNESS

Trenton, N. J., March 14.—The Governors of four States—Pennsylvania, New York, Delaware and Maryland—have afinished their acceptance of a proposal by Governor Edge for a joint conference to be held at the Union League Club, Philadelphia, next Saturday, to consider military preparedness as it will affect States along this section of the Atlantic coast.

Navajo Runs U-Boat Gauntlet

New York, March 14.—The American steamship Navajo, which arrived at Liverpool from this port February 1 and sailed homeward later, was reported passing Sandy Hook at 10 o'clock last night, having run the German submarine gauntlet without mishap. She will dock this morning.

JURY SEES OSBORNE AND WAX TOGETHER

Testimony Given to Prove That New York Lawyer Was Not in This City

Testimony tending to prove that James W. Osborne could not have been in Plainfield on the day that Rae Tanzer declares he brought her here, was given by Mr. Osborne, his wife and several other witnesses in the United States Court, New York, Monday, they being called by the prosecution in closing its case against the young woman. During the day the jury had the opportunity of seeing Mr. Osborne and Charles H. Wax, who says that he posed as "Oliver Osborne," side by side.

Prosecutor Rand brought out the fact that Wax was musically inclined while Mr. Osborne testified that he could hardly tell the difference between "Star Spangled Banner" and "Dixie," and that the first he had heard of Rae Tanzer was when he received letters from her in December, 1914.

Mr. Osborne told of October 18, 1914, the day he is alleged to have come to this city with the young woman. He recalled that he had had an appointment to meet Matthew J. Smith, then District Attorney of Queens county, and Reuben Packham at the Bar Association. He further testified that he overslept that day, was awakened by Mr. Smith and Mr. Peckham who later had lunch with him at his home. Then the three went to the Bar Association, where they remained until 5 o'clock. Several witnesses were called to prove that Mr. Osborne was in the Bar Association rooms on October 18 and on another date he was in Providence, R. I., when Rae Tanzer said he was in her company.

ENGLAND WILL TAX EXTRAVAGANCE

British Government to Take All Profits on Useless Business

London, March 14.—Many new taxes will be included in the new budget which is soon forthcoming. Chancellor Bonar Law's general plan will be to impose heavy duties where they will prove the most effective deterrents to extravagance.

He proposes to make utterly impossible any earning of profits in any business or line of business that tempts the people to waste. The Government will take profits, thus ending such enterprises. A big increase in general taxes on excess profits is expected also.

MAY SAVE MEXICAN MINES

Washington, March 14.—Owners of idle American mining properties in Mexico may yet secure exemption from Gen. Carranza's recent confiscation decree if they file immediately with the Carranza Government their reasons for not resuming operations and ask for extension of their concessions.

Ambassador Fletcher notified the State Department today that he had been assured such applications would be granted if accompanied by the proper data and by a statement of how soon mining work can be resumed. The Ambassador said, however, it was imperative the applications to be filed immediately.

FATAL EXPLOSION IN COAL MINE

Special to Courier-News:

Henderson, Pa., March 14.—Seventeen men are believed to be dead, following two explosions yesterday, that wrecked the Henderson Coal Company's mine here. Seven men were rescued after being entombed in the mine. Rescuing parties were unable to get far into the mine because of the suffocating gases.

MONDAY CLUB DISCUSSES CITY PLANNING

A meeting of the department of miscellaneous topics, of the Monday Afternoon Club was held Monday afternoon in the parish house of the Congregational church. Miss Mary Wells read an interesting and instructive paper on "City Planning" and Mrs. Charles A. Reed read a paper on "Does Plainfield Need a Women's City Club House?" The two papers led to animated discussions.

TAKE PRIDE IN YOUR HAIR

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The first impression of a person's character *is often made by the hair* and its dress. Does your hair allow you to comb it to suit you best? Possibly it looks dead and straggly and hurts your appearance. How much a little care on your part would bring back to your hair that healthy glow, admired by everybody.

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P.-T. SOCIETY MEETS IN IRVING SCHOOL

A meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Irving-Jefferson schools was held in the former school yesterday afternoon, when the question box was opened and the queries answered by Dr. Henry M. Maxson. The questions were of more than usual interest and largely concerned school methods. Appreciating the value of the questions Dr. Maxson took a noticeable interest in them and answered each one fully. During the meeting a violin and piano duet was played by Carl and Walter Denckla; Miss Watson contributed a vocal solo and songs were sung by the pupils of Grades six and seven. It was arranged to give a teachers' party on Friday, March 23.

Refreshments were served by a committee of which Mrs. Charles Wenzel was chairman.

A MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was tendered last evening to Miss Myra Lippincott, by Miss Stella Vermeule, at the Home of the latter, on Jackson avenue, North Plainfield. There were upwards of forty guests present and a delightful hour was passed with music and games. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Lippincott is engaged to be married to Charles Starbuck, of Clifton, in the near future.

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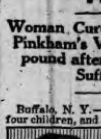

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MATCHES

The world is cursed today with the temperamental match. Formerly the match was a big, saucy sliver of wood with a head full of fire and brimstone. It was a hair-trigger match—one you could strike anywhere and get results. But matches today are different. Thin, stunted, puny little things, and so darned particular—they have to be scratched on their own brand of sandpaper or they won't light. You have to coax them all the time. And the heads fly off on the slightest provocation. They're no good. Drat a match that has to be wheeled into doing its duty, anyhow!

"Weather of No"

The only peace some men find at home is in the dictionary.—Old Man Sage.

FAMILY BOWLING TEAMS TOGETHER

Luthmans and Matthews in Feud on South Bound Brook Alleys

Five Luthman brothers, North Plainfield's pride in the bowling world, came into its own last evening when they walloped the Mathews family of South Bound Brook on the alleys at the latter place. The S. B. B. aggregation never appeared to have a look-in, as the boroughites took everything in sight, with the possible exception of individual high score, which went to O. Mathews, who secured 260 in his second tilt.

Not very often does it occur when two bowling teams made up of members of two families can come together on the alleys. Such, however, was the case last evening, and it is expected the two teams will be booked up for a return match on the borough alleys in the near future.

The scores:

LUTHMANS

				Ave
N. Luthman	157	190	170	172
C. Luthman	153	150	156	153
P. Luthman	146	185	128	152
E. Luthman	124	165	185	158
A. Luthman	180	148	184	170
	760	838	823	807

Total pins—2,421.

MATHEWS

				Ave
E. Mathews	147	164	133	148
J. Mathews, Sr.	130	117	169	128
J. Mathews, Jr.	134	170	149	151
W. Mathews ..	184	144	182	170
D. Mathews	129	200	165	164
	724	795	798	772

Total pins—2,317.

TABS' WEEKLY GAME

The St. John's basketball team of Jersey City, one of the fastest teams in northern New Jersey, will oppose the Tabs on the Fourth street court tomorrow evening. The regular line-up will be on hand and Ben Berse will referee.

Dancing will follow the game.

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ARLINGTONS BEST INNER TRIANGLES

East Enders in Another of Their Season's Few Defeats

Last night the Inner-Triangle Club went down to inglorious defeat at the hands of the fast Arlington five on the T. A. B. S. court. Patterson, the star I.-T. C. forward, was way off color and did not secure a basket from the field all evening, while he caged only four out of twice as many tries from the foul line. Campbell played a ripping good game at centre.

In the first half Brandt ran away from his guard and made four baskets, but in the second half he played against a different man and could not even see the basket. Campbell had his eye on the basket, making five neat shots from the foul line and one two-pointer from the centre of the floor. Coughlin played in the last five minutes and stayed in the game just long enough to put one through. Kuldoshes was also in bad form, securing only one basket out of several tries.

The score:

ARLINGTON

	G.	F.	P.
Brandt, f	4	0	8
Campbell, f	1	5	7
Southard, c	3	0	6
Debele, g	0	0	0
Kuldoshes, g	1	1	3
Coughlan, g	1	0	2
	10	6	26

INNER-TRIANGLES

	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	0	4	4
Gullberg, f	3	0	6
Campbell, c	3	1	7
Scruton, g	0	0	0
Cartwright, g	1	0	2
	7	5	19

Referee, Kyle; timer, Oswald; scorer, Hansen.

SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

Miami, Fla.—The Boston Braves look fine. Fred Baily, the former Washington and Lee player, will land a berth this season.

Cleveland, O.—Matt Hinkel, the boxing promoter, wired Danny Morgan yesterday, offering him a substantial guarantee for battling Levinsky to box Billy Miske March 30. Miske is willing if his hand is all right.

Hot Springs—The Dodgers will have only one practice session daily from now on. A full nine-inning game will be played every afternoon between the regulars and the Cubs.

New York—If the management of Madison Square fail to get a year's lease for the Garden the ten-round bout between Joe Welling and Charley White, both of Chicago, will be transferred to Racine Wis. It is planned to have the go on March 28.

St Petersburg, Fla.—Manager Moran of the Phillies received a telegram from Infielder Misnoff, reiterating his determination to get more money. Light practice will be indulged in today, so as to give the boys a chance to rest up.

New York—Benny Leonard arrived home from Philadelphia yesterday morning and immediately resumed training for the ten-round go with Freddie Welsh, the lightweight champ, at the Manhattan A. C. March 28. Benny expects to decisively defeat the champion, who he thinks is on the down grade.

Marlin, Tex.—Manager McGraw gave the players a baseball talk yesterday morning. He ordered his athletes to try no hook slides and keep away from the fast pitched balls.

Philadelphia—It was reported yesterday that Exposition Hall, which can hold 15,000, will be turned into a boxing arena. Nick Hayes, the promoter, it is said, will head the scheme. Johnny Kilbane and Benny Leonard have been offered $10,000 to box six rounds there any time their managers decide upon.

Frank Baker's Birthday

Frank Baker, the Trappe Master, celebrated his thirty-first birthday yesterday at the Yankee camp in Macon, Ga. "Baker" was not satisfied with his birthday party, for he failed to make a hit for the first time this year.

Comrade Club Game

Thursday night the Comrade Club will clash with the N. P. H. S. Juniors. It will be the second game of a series and will be staged on the Netherwood church court.

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SOCIAL CLUB IN WELL EARNED GAME

In a fast and well-played game the St. Mary's Social Club defeated the basketball aggregation hailing from the Y. W. C. A. at the T. A. B. S. court last evening by a score of 14 to 8. The first period wound up with a score of 5 to 4 in favor of the Social Club.

In the second period the home team sewed up the contest in the first few moments by some fast and accurate shooting in rapid succession, securing a sufficient number of baskets to make the title of contest secure.

Miss Wright was easily the star of the game, securing five baskets and two fouls. Miss McAuliffe did some good work for the visiting aggregation.

The Social Club aggregation, together with a number of rooters, will leave this evening on the 6.38 train for Newark, where the team is booked to play a return game with the Public Service girls of that place.

Last evening's score:

Y. W. C. A.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss McAuliffe, f	2	1	5
Miss Blazier, f	0	3	3
Miss Mair, c	0	0	0
Miss Johnson, g	0	0	0
Miss Doughty, g	0	0	0
	2	4	8

ST. MARY'S S. C.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Wright, f	5	2	12
Miss McCauley, f	1	0	2
Miss B. Gill, f	0	0	0
Miss Neighl, c	0	0	0
Miss M. Gill, g	0	0	0
Miss Rinehart, g	0	0	0
	6	2	14

Referees, Miss Smith, Jack Denny; scorer, Hines; timer, Scruton.

CHAPEL LASSIES WIN VERY EASILY

On Monday night the Comrade Club met defeat at the hands of the Hope Chapel five by the score of 18 to 6. The game was well played, however, and the guarding of Louise Snowden of the Comrades brought forth much praise. She held down Bessie Overbaugh to one basket. The Comrade centre, Naomi Fritts, was also on the job, easily out-playing her opponent.

Myrtle Townley scored the only points for the Comrades, caging four fouls and one field goal. She was so closely guarded that she made only a few tries for goals.

The score:

COMRADE CLUB

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Townley, f	1	4	6
Miss Saunders, f	0	0	0
Miss Scruton, f	0	0	0
Miss Fritts, c	0	0	0
Miss Snowden, g	0	0	0
Miss Adams, g	0	0	0
	1	4	6

HOPE CHAPEL

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Overbaugh, f ...	1	2	4
Miss I. Peterson, f ..	7	0	14
Miss MacMillan, c	0	0	0
Miss Marsh, g	0	0	0
Miss J. Peterson, g	0	0	0
	8	2	18

Referee, Heron; umpire, Morris; timer, Doig; scorer, Scruton.

ST. JOSEPHS PUT RAMBLERS TO ROUT

Bowling is just one defeat after another for the Ramblers, but despite this condition they continue to ramble right along. Last night the St. Joseph's Club of the borough donated another defeat to the Rambler collection on Gates' alleys, the borough, by winning all three. While the first two belonged to either side up to the tenth, there was no question as to who would gather in the third, for the Saints swept everything before them.

Hyslip, last year's Rambler anchor for part of the season, and Davenport, who will finish the season with the Rams, were given an opportunity to display their wares in last evening's series, and while their pinning was considerably below par, much can be expected of them in future matches.

Only two double century scores were recorded, Ferraro and Connolly sharing alike.

RAMBLERS

				Ave
Dunn	167	134	145	148
Betzenberger	159	178	132	156
Davenport	175	163	132	156
Worrall	165	186	162	171
Hyslip	125	194	152	157
	791	855	723	789

Total pins—2,369.

ST. JOSEPH'S

				Ave
Scheller	170	189	189	182
Ferraro	153	170	165	163
Connolly	171	157	221	183
J. Vitini	114	174	202	173
Gates	168	182	143	164
	806	872	922	867

Total pins—2,601.

PFEFFER SIGNS CONTRACT

Special to the Courier-News:

Hot Springs, Ark., March 14.—Jeff Pfeffer, the National League star twirler, signed a contract this morning after a short conference with President Ebbets, which was brought about by Jack Coombs. The contract calls for a slight increase in salary and a bonus agreement, according to the number of games he wins. Jake Daubert and J. W. Snyder are expected at camp this afternoon.

N. P. H. S. AT NEW BRUNSWICK

The North Plainfield High School basketball team will take its last trip of the season this afternoon to New Brunswick to play the high school team there. Those who will make the trip besides a large number of rooters are Ahern, LaPorte, McDonough, Willett, Force, Barry, Clay, Dunning and Captain Seidel.

MID-WEEK RIFLE PRACTICE

The mid-week rifle practice under the auspices of the Plainfield Rifle Club will be held this evening at 8.15 at Company K armory. All members of the club are urged to attend. Interested men who may not be members of the organization are invited to visit the practice and become acquainted with the members. Applications for membership may be left with the sporting editor of the Courier-News.

Coopertites Tied With the Barbers

John Cooper and his partners sat in last night and tied the pinochle contest between the team and Edward Gaub's players on Somerset street. It was somewhat of a surprise for the barber trip, as it expected to end the contest last night. The score is now ten games each, and the deciding game will be played off next week.

No doubt the deciding game will draw a large gathering of pinochle fans at Domino Club headquarters.

"Tyrants Transformed Into Skunks"

The contemptible plan of malicious slander to injure the sale of CAMEL cigarettes has been exposed. Such an insult to the intelligence of Mr. Jobber, Mr. Dealer and Mr. Smoker has been rightfully resented. That great force of justice and fairness that the average man always upholds still prevails.

Some say those responsible for this malicious slander once forced their way by biting and clawing the trade. Since having their teeth and claws pulled out, and realizing their inability to longer continue biting and scratching, they put on gum shoes, transformed themselves from tyrants into skunks, and are fighting by using their fetid odor to destroy a great brand which has won the confidence of the public.

Now that the object of these low-down tactics of lying to injure the sale of CAMEL cigarettes is known to the trade and consumer, it is acting like a boomerang, and the hides of these skunks, as they are called by some, are now being pierced by their own malicious slander.

We know from facts in our possession whose employees are circulating the damaging falsehoods about CAMEL cigaret es.

Here's Why They Are Doing It

The purity and delightfulness of CAMEL cigarettes have made them the largest selling brand of cigarettes in the world. We sold over four billions more CAMELS in the year 1916 than we sold in the year 1915. Think of that wonderful increase—a gain of four billions in one year! We have already sold over one billion more CAMELS during 1917 than we sold for the corresponding period of 1916. These record-breaking increases were made unassisted by coupons or premiums—standing alone on purity and delightfulness. Our increase alone in the sale of CAMEL cigarettes is more than the total sales of any other brand of cigarettes for the period stated.

What more positive testimonial of the purity and delightfulness of CAMEL cigarettes could be furnished than this tremendous and steady increase in their sales? Smokers will not permit themselves to be prejudiced against CAMEL cigarettes, to give up a brand that has brought them so much pleasure, now that they know that only envy and jealousy were the foundation for the malicious falsehoods put into circulation for the purpose of injuring the sale of CAMEL cigarettes.

CAMEL cigarettes are pure and they are delightful. We invite comparison with any cigarette in the world, at any price, and welcome fair and aboveboard competition from any manufacturer.

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Women! Keep This On Dresser! Never Let Corns Ache Twice

Instantly! Few drops stop corn-soreness, then corns and calluses shrivel, loosen and lift out with fingers—No pain!

The world owes thanks to the genius in Cincinnati who discovered freezone, the new ether drug.

Small bottles of the magic fluid can now be had at any drug store for a few cents. You simply apply a few drops of this freezone upon a sore, aching corn or a hardened callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose and shriveled that you can lift it off with the fingers. Not a bit of pain or soreness is felt when applying freezone or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the skin or flesh.

For a few cents one can now get rid of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of feet. Everyone who tries freezone becomes an enthusiast because it really doesn't hurt or pain one particle.

Tell your druggist you want a small bottle of *genuine freezone*. Each bottle is packed in a little round wood case. Don't accept anything else.—Adv.

SPEAKS ON DUTIES OF A SOLDIER

Address by Capt. Peterson at Busy Session of East End Civic Association

The East End Civic Association meeting last evening drew a large attendance. Capt. Charles A. Peterson gave an interesting talk on "Duties of a Soldier." A member of Company K was present in full uniform and with complete equipment.

Captain Peterson exhibited and explained the marching tools, rifle and different items of the equipment. He then showed by diagrams on the blackboard the manner of advance and defense of a marching column of troops in the presence of an enemy. Many details of a soldier's life and military tactics were made clear by the address.

During the business session the Public Utilities Committee reported that the matter of the refusal of the Public Service Railway Company to accept school tickets on Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays had been taken to the Public Utilities Commission of the State and as yet no final decision made.

The school committee presented a letter from the State Board of Education, showing that an inspection had been made of the basement rooms of the new Emerson School and that these can be made fit for use as schoolrooms, provided the changes suggested by the inspector are made.

A resolution was adopted, asking the city council to include in the budget this year appropriation for the removal of the embankment on Midway avenue, for paving East Second street, from Netherwood to Hillcrest avenues, the Public Service Company to meet its share of the cost; for the placing of the fire plugs needed for this section, for paving Hill street, George street, Midway avenue and St. Mary's avenue, and for the erection of the remainder of the Emerson School.

It was voted to hold the next meeting on the third Tuesday in April in the Emerson School; to make it a formal opening of the building, and to invite the Mayor and City Council, the Board of Education, the City Planning Commission and all citizens.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the entertainment committee.

SURPRISED MR. AND MRS. ANDREW LUTKINS

The members of the congregation of Grace M. E. church went to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lutkins last night, and surprised them. It was in the form of a welcoming home, Mr. and Mrs. Lutkins having just returned from a six weeks' trip through Florida. There were about fifty present to enjoy the social evening.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

If Cross, Feverish or Bilious Give "California Syrup of Figs"

No matter what ails your child, a laxative, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and *sweeten the stomach and they dearly* love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

RUNYON PUTS UP STIFF FIGHT

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know the record on the bill. After some dallying with the Speaker's rostrum it was announced that the bill had gone to the Senate. Runyon *was not satisfied* with the mere statement of the Speaker, and demanded that he be shown the record in the world's history has a number at peace taken steps similar to that now under way by the United States. There are no precedents to guide the department, and every move will be made with extreme caution in order to keep the international legal record straight.

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The guns will be put aboard to protect the ships and the lives of the crews. Under international law these ships cannot be destroyed at sea without making ample provision for the safety of the lives of those on board, and the guns aboard are to prevent any disregard of this requirement.

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AMERICANS OUT OF BELGIUM

Relief Work Taken Over by Spanish and Dutch and Usefulness of United States Citizens There at End—Navy Department Rushing Work of Closing Bids For Construction of New Warships.

Washington, March 14.—Armament heavy enough to combat any submarine that ever plunged beneath the seas is being mounted on American merchant vessels bound for the German war zone.

While details of the guns and gunners placed aboard the merchant ships are still concealed, the state department admits that the armament would be sufficient to protect the ships. It is understood that in some instances the navy department plans contemplate placing as many as four big guns on liners, one mounted forward, one aft and two amidships.

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back to get all Americans out of the *German territory are expected shortly.*

Rush Ship Building Work.

The navy department pressed vigorously its work of preparedness for the next move in the game with Germany. Secretary Daniels today opens bids for six fast scout cruisers to cost $6,000,000 each under the last two naval appropriation bills. The limit of cost of these vessels, invaluable in combating submarines, was $5,000,000 under the 1916 law, but *was raised to* $6,000,000 because ship builders would not bid.

Tomorrow the secretary will take up with a conference of ship builders the problem of clearing the way for the construction of the 157 destroyers already authorized. These ships have been delayed for months by differences over prices. The conference will complete the navy department's survey of the nation's shipbuilding facilities, and it is expected that Secretary Daniels will at once recommend to the president that he issue a proclamation declaring a national emergency *exists.*

This will make available the bond issue of $7,000,000 authorized by congress to speed up naval construction in case of a crisis.

BITTER FIGHT ON COLOMBIAN TREATY

Republicans to Oppose Payment of $25,000,000.

Washington, March 14.—Republican opposition to the Colombian treaty as revised and reported to the senate will present a united front, which even before the discussion of the new convention has begun spells defeat of its ratification. For bitterness and intensity of partisan utterance the fight bids fair to take rank as the most acrimonious in which the senate has indulged.

*The treaty originally extended to Co*lombia the regret of the United States at the forceful participation of American naval forces in the overthrow of the Colombian control of Panama and the establishment of the Panamanian republic. It conveyed to Colombia a contribution of $25,000,000. Later this amount was reduced to $15,000,000. The senate committee on foreign relations voted favorably on the amended document with an increase to $25,000,000 and the munalization of the expressions of regret and the inclusion of a guarantee by Colombia of the rights of the United States in Panama in perpetuity.

*Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, sen*ior minority member of the committee on foreign relations, gave voice to the Republican opposition in a statement. After charging former Secretary of State Bryan with original responsibility for the instrument Senator Lodge said:

"The reasons given for its ratification at this moment are enough to condemn it. Even if I favored the treaty I would not support it at this time because I am not willing to have my country blackmailed. We are told—and truly I have no doubt—that German intrigues and German influence have been active in Colombia, and *therefore we must ratify this treaty* and pay Colombia $25,000,000."

FULL CREW REPEAL PASSES.

New Jersey Assembly Reconsiders Former Action.

Trenton, N. J., March 14.—After having beaten it last week by a vote of 27 to 24 through a combination of Republican and Democratic votes, the house after two hours' debate reconsidered its action and passed the Roberts bill to repeal the full crew law by a vote of 37 to 22.

All of the Democrats present (fifteen) and seven Republicans voted to retain the law on the books, and the majority obtained for the repealer was recruited entirely from the Republicans. The bill now goes to the senate.

Princeton With President.

Princeton, N. J., March 14.—Undergraduates of Princeton university have sent the following message to President Wilson: "The undergraduate body of Princeton university wishes to voice its confidence in the president of the United States and states its readiness to stand behind him in any emergency which may arise."

Insanity Follows Fortune.

New York, March 14.—The day after the organization of a company which is now making a fortune for him, Leroy A. Williamson, a local inventor of electrical devices, lost his mind. This was disclosed here in a petition filed for a lunacy commission.

CRYING FOR HELP

Lots of It in Plainfield but Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys often cry for help. Not another organ in the whole body more delicately constructed.

Not one more important to health. The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisonous blood.

Backache is one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble.

It is often the kidneys' cry for help. Heed it.

Read what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys.

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GERMANS QUIT NEW BAPAUME LINE

British Again Advance on Ancre Front.

London, March 14.—The official report from British headquarters in France announces the abandonment by the Germans of their main defensive system west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles.

The British troops drove back the German rear guard to a depth of a mile and occupied Grevillers and Loupart wood, *lying just west of Bapaume.*

The retirement followed a heavy British bombardment and was made under cover of hazy weather.

British cavalry from Bagdad has occupied Kazimain, on the Tigris river, five miles above Bagdad, it is officially announced. The occupation took place on March 11.

Considerable booty was taken in Bagdad. Five hundred wounded were left in the city and made prisoners by the British.

German troops advancing against the Russian lines on the Narayurka river, in Galicia, took more than 250 prisoners, army headquarters announced. The statement reads:

"On the eastern front, in an advance on the Narayurka we took more than 250 prisoners."

An earlier official report announced that thirteen machine guns and more prisoners were taken.

WOMEN'S AERO CORPS.

Ruth Law to Train Girls For Coast Defense Work.

New York, March 14.—Miss Ruth Law, champion long distance aviator of America, is to organize and train the first woman's aero corps of the United *States. Her intention to take up the* training of her countrywomen for service in the air was made known here in a letter from Paris, where she has been looking for an aeroplane suitable for women, and studying aerial military work.

The daring aviatrice wrote that she had found the type of machine she sought, and she expected to return to the United States in a few days with it. *Miss Law believes that her organiza*tion would be of great value to the nation in coast defense work.

END INDIGESTION OR STOMACH PAIN IN FIVE MINUTES

"Pape's Diapepsin" makes *sick, sour, gassy stomachs* feel fine.

Time it! In five minutes your *sour, acid stomach* feels fine. No indigestion, heartburn, or belching of gas, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, blasting, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is touted for its *speed in sweetening upset stomachs.* It is the surest, quickest and most certain stomach antacid in the whole world and besides, it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from such misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here for that. Make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and enjoy it, without dread of acid fermentation in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home and you should have one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement due to *fermentation and acidity, at daytime* or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.—Adv.

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TRIAL BEGINS IN FANWOOD TRAGEDY CASE

Special to the Courier-News:

That no warning sound came from Rolland Depew's *automobile* when it ran into a group of girls, killing one of them, Hilda Hodgson, of Fanwood, in Mountain avenue, December 3, last, was the testimony of witnesses at Depew's trial for manslaughter which is in progress today before Judge James C. Connolly and a jury in the Court of Quarter Sessions in Elizabeth.

Depew, an Orange youth, and several other young men, with young women companions, were in the auto at the time. Edna and Esme Hodgson and Hattie Perrine were walking arm-in-arm, going home from church with Miss Hodgson when the latter was killed, according to Edna Hodgson's testimony yesterday afternoon. The others were injured. She then told of the absence of any waaning, and despite rigid cross-examination by Judge Abe J. David, counsel for the accused, insisted that there was plenty of artificial light for the autoist to see the party.

Charles Perrine, who walked behind the young women as they returned from church services, corroborated this testimony, adding that the young women were on the right side of the road and that the machine was traveling at the rate of 20 miles an hour. It swerved toward the group as it approached, he said. They were walking in the gutter at the time, as there was no sidewalk.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Township of Union, Union County, N. J., on Monday, March 19th, 1917, at eight o'clock p. m., at the New Market School, New Market, N. J., for the erection and completion of the addition to New Market School, New Market, according to plans and specifications prepared by J. S. Pierson and Son, 1060 Park Avenue, Plainfield, North Avenue, N. J. Bids must be made on forms as follows: For General Construction, Heating and Ventilating, Plumbing, Electrical Work. Plans may be examined at the office of the Board, Everett Marshall, E. F. Ely, Jr., Secretary, Union, N. J., upon the deposit of a certified check for twenty dollars, which will be refunded to the Board of Education, Township of Union, when plans are returned. Certified checks shall be made out to the Board of Education, Township of Union, Union County, and shall be for amounts as follows: General Construction, $500.00; Heating and Ventilating, $200.00; Plumbing, $200.00; Electrical Work, $50.00.

Successful bidders will be required to furnish a surety bond for the full amount of their bids.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. LEARY, President.
EVERETT MARSHALL, Clerk.
3—10—12—14

ADMINISTRATRIXES' NOTICE

Estate of John Darling, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or *affirmation their claims* and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

ELIZABETH DARLING,
LIZZIE D. LOWRY,
MABEL D. FITCH,
Administratrixes.
ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
2—14—ow—9w Fees, $11.10

SEALED PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals will be received by the clerk of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., up to 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, March 21, 1917, for the installation of a new window to be installed in the office of the County Collector in the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J.

Plans and specifications may be had at the office of Oakley & Sud Architects, 1123 Clinton Place, Elizabeth, N. J., by depositing a certified check in the amount of $5.00 as a guarantee of good faith, a security for the return of same.

By order of the Public Grounds and Buildings Committee, Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, State of New Jersey.

W. I. McMANUS,
Chairman.
3—14-17

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY

To Samuel M. Rossomer:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made the 5th day of the date hereof, in a certain cause wherein Ivelis M. Rossomer is petitioner, and you, Samuel M. Rossomer, are defendant, you are required to appear, and plead, answer or demur to petitioners petition on or before the first Monday in April next, or the decree thereof such decree will be taken against you as the Chancellor shall think equitable and just.

The object of said suit is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of marriage between you and the said petitioner.

Dated, February 16, 1917.
ROBERT NEWTON CRANE,
Solicitor of Complainant,
P. O. Address, 202 Park Ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.
2—28 5—7—14—21—28

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Maria F. Gardner, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:30 a. m., on Wednesday, April 11, 1917, for the following described work:

New Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, Union County.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, more fully described in the specifications hereof and other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and operative, safety gates as specified on sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete and in place of the safety gates.

(3) Price per ton to state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following items:

(a) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(b) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(c) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(d) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(e) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $6,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check may be made out to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the organization, plant and experience and the plant to carry out the work fully and properly and within the time specified.

Bids will be received for this work *on two plans differing only in time* limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Plan No. 1 bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications the entire work must be completed within nine months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Plan No. 2 bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to use all or any part of the time of the work which must be not more than four months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.
2—13, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28 4—2, 5

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section, in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield, in the County of Union, with Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation.

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 37525 square yards.

Of Saturday, March 24, 1917, at 3 p. m. and opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2:30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications, forms of bid and contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, may be seen at the office of said engineer at 329 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and copies of said specifications will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and the blue prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper writing and by payment of a deposit of $5.00. Bids must be made on the Standard proposal forms in the manner directed and must be accompanied by the specifications, must be inclosed in sealed envelopes, directed to the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or bond for the sum of $4,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. A bond and proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.
2—8, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Sarah Hird, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ASA F. RANDOLPH,
Executor
Fees, $11.1

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Albert C. Stebbins, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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To all students of "New Thought," "Divine Science," "Higher Thought," and Metaphysical Subjects generally:

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Export Borax Soap 6 cakes 25c	Lively Sally Naphtha Powder a pkg. 4c	Fancy Prunes or Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs. 25c	Finest Imported Smoked Sardines 18c can; 3 cans 50c
Empress Brand California Asparagus, large cans 20c			
Macaroni or Spaghetti; 20-lb. box in bulk $2.25	Old Dutch Cleanser 3 cans 25c	Coarse or Fine Barley a lb., 8c; 3 lbs. 22c	Sauerkraut 3 lbs. for 25c
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Domestic Sardines in Oil, 7c 4 cans 25c	Premier Brand Baked Beans No. 2 can; 2 cans 28c	Fresh Baked Fig Bars 2 cans 25c	Welsh Rabbit or Nippy Cheese each 10c
Premier Brand Pure Peanut Butter, a lb. 15c			
Pure Cocoa in bulk, a lb. 20c			
Toilet Paper 6 rolls for 25c	Fancy Crepe Toilet Paper large rolls; 4 for 25c	Steamed Clams Medium can 15c Large can 25c	Fresh Baked Raisin Bread daily; loaf 10c
Golden Santos Coffee, 20c lb.; 5 lbs. 95c			
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MOTHERS HEAR DR. MATHIEWS

Former Pastor of Scotch Plains Church Addresses County Council

RECREATIONAL READING

Urges That Special Supervision Be Given Boys and Girls During Period Commonly Called the Reading Age

At the afternoon session yesterday of the County Council of Mothers' Associations, with Mrs. Hill, of Roselle, presiding, Dr. Franklin K. Mathiews was presented to talk to a large and appreciative audience of representative women. Dr. Mathiews spoke especially on "Recreational Reading," and near the close of his address he also devoted a little time to speaking about moving pictures. As these are subjects in which every mother is keenly interested, with regard to her children, the speaker held the earnest attention of his audience for an hour and a half.

Dr. Mathiews pointed out that there was a wide difference between recreational reading and that of an educational curriculum. He urged that special supervision be given to the boys and girls between the age of ten and fourteen, as that period is commonly called the reading age. On either side of that age, some children are very precocious; others, very backward in grasping and digesting what they read; and, as one can have a surfeit of even good things, so it is possible to overdo in reading, no matter how good and wholesome the books are. Dr. Mathiews believes that books should have a proper amount of thrill, and punch, and "pep," but he strongly opposed "red pep."

He declared that, in his opinion, there are not more than fifty books that may be termed boys' books, that have real literary quality; "and perhaps," he added, "on close analysis, there are not more than twenty-five." He deplored the fact that not much was being done by the schools to arouse and cultivate the imagination of the boy, as imagination was one of the first essentials of a good boy scout. Much could be done by a sympathetic interest on the part of educators, and by their getting in touch with real high-grade authors, and having them turn out books worth while for boys and girls.

In touching upon the physical and emotional side of the growing boy, the doctor pointed out that, above all, good reading will have more to do in keeping him clean and wholesome than anything else. Hundreds of books, he said, which are selling anywhere from twenty-five to fifty cents, are but nickel novels in disguise.

Dr. Mathiews' views in regard to moving pictures can be briefly stated. He said, that unless we worked for and secured the very best, then the best way to educate our children in regard to the moving pictures is to keep them away from them.

At the close of Dr. Mathiews' splendid address a rising vote of thanks was given him.

CORNER STONE LAYING AT PROCTOR'S

Exclusive pictures, taken by Proctor's own cameraman, of the corner stone laying of Plainfield's new City Hall, will be an added feature at Proctor's Theatre for two days only, Monday and Tuesday, in conjunction with the showing of Mary Pickford, in "The Poor Little Rich Girl."

If you were at the ceremonies, see yourself in the movies, also Mayor Calkins laying the corner stone, the entire parade which preceded it and other features of the big event.

WHO IS THE FRENCH TEACHER?

Some time ago a man who had just returned from Brussels put an advertisement in the Courier-News for pupils to study the French language. He signed the advertisement simply "M. E." and called later for the answers. Since then he has not come in, but several have inquired for him with a view to engaging him.

Would "M. E." please call at the Courier-News office, and learn something to his advantage?

LECTURE ON "LATIN AMERICA"

In view of recent happenings there is unusual interest in Latin America, and it is believed that many will attend an illustrated lecture to be given by Gilbert Brink on "Mission Work in Latin America," at the First Baptist Church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. This will be a union meeting of the First Temple Baptist and Park Avenue Baptist church, and the public is invited.

—For Sale—Second-hand motor-cycle, slightly used, at Lee Zeleski's. —Adv. 3-14-4t

SUFFRAGE BILL IN JEOPARDY

Mrs. E. F. Feickert Expresses Surprise at Action of Republican Majority

Trenton, March 15.—Following the drastic action taken by the suffragists yesterday afternoon to pry their bill for woman suffrage on Presidential Electors from the hands of the Assembly Miscellaneous Business Committee, after they learned that the Republican majority was planning to kill the bill by not moving it, Mrs. E. F. Feickert, of Plainfield, president of the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, today issued a statement expressing amazement that the Republicans would quibble over a question endorsed by the Republican State Convention last fall.

After working Tuesday and yesterday to get their bill from committee in both Senate and Assembly and finding it was the plan of the Republicans to let both measures die in committee, the suffragist leaders yesterday afternoon got the necessary fifteen Assemblymen to sign a petition to force the committee to report the bill. This petition was filed with Assembly Clerk Upton S. Jefferys by Assemblyman Roy E. Robinson, of Bergen county, the introducer of this bill.

The fifteen signers were as follows: Assemblyman Robinson, Emmor Roberts, of Burlington; Timothy F. Aaron, John J. Dugan, Charles H. Felton, Allan W. Moore, Ulysses G. Borden, Frank A. Dolan, William J. McGovern, Jacob J. Singer and Theodore Talstra, of Hudson; Clinton H. Read, of Mercer; James A. Edgar, of Middlesex; John S. Amerman, of Somerset, and Philip S. Wilson, of Sussex.

When Clerk Jefferys received the petition he said it did not appear to be regular, that it had some parts marked out and bore names also crossed off. Assemblyman Robinson asked to have it returned, but Republican Leader Oliphant objected, claiming that having been presented to the House, it should not leave that body.

DOUGLAS MARTIN WEDS MISS SADIE E. HUYLER

Mr. and Mrs. John Huyler, of 700 West Front street, today announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sadie E. Huyler, to R. Douglas Martin, son of Mrs. Laura Martin, of 825 Park avenue. The ceremony was performed in Elizabeth yesterday afternoon. After a short honeymoon the couple will reside in Plainfield.

LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS TO FIRST WEEK IN APRIL

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, N. J., March 15.—Under a resolution presented in the Legislature yesterday, no bills now pending will be acted upon after Friday of next week. It is proposed to take a one-week recess then, returning only to pass the appropriation bills and consider any vetoes by the Governor. Final adjournment is set for the first week in April.

LAUDS SUMMIT'S DEFENSE SOCIETY

Collier's Weekly in its current issue bestows editorial praise on the Summit branch of the National Defense Organization and upon Mayor Ruford Franklin, its president. It finds particularly laudable the enrollment of 500 members and the taking of what virtually constitutes a military census of the city.

NO CAUSE FOR ACTION

No cause for action was the decision of Judge J. Henry Crane in the District Court yesterday afternoon in the case of H. H. Bohl against James Cavan to recover for injuries alleged to have been sustained one month ago, when it was alleged by Bohl that Cavan struck him on the head with a shovel.

WILL SHOW CAVERNS OF LURAY

Next Wednesday evening, March 21, Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will be entertained by Albert Earley, principal of the North Plainfield public school, with thirty-four slides of the caverns of Luray, Virginia. All members of the lodge are urged to be present.

WILL LECTURE IN HIGH SCHOOL

An illustrated lecture on "Farming in the Middle West" will be delivered in the High School, at assembly, tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock by J. C. Evans.

PARENTS OF BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Bremmer, of Harrison avenue, are the parents of a baby boy, born the forepart of the week. The child has been named Roland Elbridge Bremmer.

BOROUGH SOLDIER HOME FROM BORDER

Herbert Weisbecker Speaks Highly of United States Service

Looking every bit a soldier and in great deal better health than when he departed, Herbert Weisbecker is back home for a visit with his parents on Somerset street, North Plainfield. Mr. Weisbecker spent nearly seven months of military duty on the Mexican border as a member of Company K of the Twelfth New York Regiment.

Since July 5, Mr. Weisbecker has been at McAllen, Texas, participating in the routine of duties, including patrol service, long hikes, trench digging, drills, army maneuvres and battle formations.

One of the notable tasks of the regiment in which he participated was the digging of the irrigation ditch a mile long which was used in making the camp sanitary. The Twelfth enjoyed the distinction of being the most capable regiment when it came to long hikes, and in other ways distinguished itself in peaceful maneuvres.

The regiment had been away since July 5 and left McAllen on the return trip in February 26, stopping at Washington, D. C., to do guard duty during the inaugural ceremonies for President Wilson.

The most notable change in coming North for Mr. Weisbecker and his comrades was the difference in the atmosphere of the two sections. The regiment left a climate where the thermometer registered 105 degrees and striking a snowstorm before he reached home, experiencing a difference of eighty degrees or more in temperature. The borough soldier speaks highly of the service. He and the other members of the regiment expect to be called out again shortly should international troubles increase.

SMALLEY SENTIMENT IN NO. PLAINFIELD TWP.

There was a meeting in North Plainfield Township last night, at which the availability of William L. Smalley, Mayor of North Plainfield, for the Republican nomination for Senator from Somerset county, was discussed.

Those at the meeting seemed to be favorably inclined to Mr. Smalley, whose progressive ideas of government, his insistence upon local option as the best means of regulating the liquor question, and his freedom from any factional disputes, coupled with his recognized business ability was recognized by all.

Wm. Delaroche Anderson sent a letter to the meeting in which he expressed regret that he could not be present as he may be a candidate for the office himself.

MISS RICHARDS TO GIVE TWO APRIL TALKS

Miss Richards' audience will not let her stop this year with her tenth talk on March 29. The demands for more have been so urgent and numerous that the management has arranged with Miss Richards for an extra series of two April talks, on Thursday afternoons, the 12th and the 26th.

Tickets for this course may be obtained at the Hartridge auditorium at the close of Miss Richards' next talk on March 22d.

LEFT $566.81 IN CASH

Mrs. Erna Muller, who died in Cranford on January 27 last, left $566.81 in cash on deposit with the German Savings Bank, New York, according to exemplified letters of administration upon her. New York property issued to her son, Herman Muller, by Surrogate Kotchum, of New York. The records were on file in the surrogate's court today. Mrs. Muller left two children and two grandchildren.

APOLLO CLUB DANCE

The Apollo Club entertained a large gathering at its first annual dance held last night at Debold's auditorium, North Plainfield. The place was crowded, and a feature of the affair was the good music rendered by Marks' banjo orchestra. Intermingled with the one-steps and waltzes were the shadow dances. The affair broke up about 2 a. m.

ESTATE GOES TO WIDOW

The will of Edgar Powell Hicks, who died at his home in Cranford on February 5 last, was filed for probate today in the surrogate's court, New York. It gives his entire estate to his widow, who is named as executrix. The New York property consists of about $500 in personal.

WHEN MAINE WAS ADMITTED

Maine was admitted as a State ninety-seven years ago today, March 15, 1820.

BUSINESS MEN HELD MEETING

A goodly number of the members of the Plainfield Business Men's Association met last night in Exempt Firemen's Hall for the transaction of regular business.

The subject of credits was an important topic presented. Officers of the Credit Reporting Bureau of Newark, N. J., attended the meeting and outlined plans for the proper handling of this vital branch of the retail business.

The holding of "Fashion Week" was discussed and a committee was appointed to arrange for this event for next week. "Fashion Weeks" are very popular in progressive cities nowadays. The merchants all unite in displaying new spring merchandise in a most attractive manner, and this gives the shopper an excellent opportunity to view the newest of the current season's offerings. Further announcement in regard to this will be made later.

The committee on securing a public comfort station reported that action would soon be taken by the city fathers to make this a reality.

The following new members were elected by the association: H. J. Flynn, S. Krauthamer and Plainfield Ice and Supply Co.

ST. PATRICK'S SOCIAL AND VAUDEVILLE SHOW

Under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. a St. Patrick's social and vaudeville entertainment will be given at the association building at eight o'clock tonight, the affair being arranged by the social committee of the Camp and Conference Club and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the club.

An Irish program will be presented with the following numbers: Vocal solos, Miss Annie Casey; selections by Mahoney's orchestra; dialogue, "Paddy's Reflections on Cleopatra's Needle," Wilkins and Dinah; selections, Mulligan's orchestra; sketch, "Mike Flannagan Advertising for a Wife," O'Brien & Co.; dialogue, "Severe Attack of Indigestion," Flanegan and O'Reilly. There will also be pantomime and shadow pictures, after which refreshments will be served. Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock the juniors will have a St. Patrick's party with a pleasing program.

LOCAL COUPLE LEAVING FOR WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Blackwell and niece, Miss Mary Ellis, leave tomorrow for Missouri, the former home State of Mrs. Blackwell. Hopes are entertained the change of climate will benefit Mr. Blackwell.

SANG AT FALL RIVER

William Holmes, baritone soloist, of this city, sang with the Royal Scottish Quartet at a Scotch concert given at Fall River, Mass., last night, under the auspices of the Scottish clan of that city.

RUTGERS NOW A UNIVERSITY

Rutgers College has been designated as a university by the Legislature, and the board of directors and faculty are preparing for some big developments in the course of study.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers.

We regret that the present economical rise makes this increase, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper, and newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt alternative reforms. The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 80 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally used during the first half of the present year. This has made it necessary to curtail the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and put into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient, however, and it necessary forty per cent., and for this reason we have had to announce that we will subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscription is in arrears for two weeks does not mean that we question that subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only very sporadic discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No credit in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change in price.

The subscription rates of the Courier-News are now:

Single copy	$ .02
One week (in advance)	.12
Three months (in advance)	1.50
Six months (in advance)	3.00
One year (in advance)	6.00

As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

Y. M. H. A. RAISED $1,440 LAST NIGHT

Several Contributed at Meeting Held at Home of B. J. Kline

The most arousing and enthusiastic meeting of the Young Men's Hebrew Association Building Campaign Committee was held last night at the home of Benjamin J. Kline, 922 West Front street, where $1,440 was raised and immediately turned over to the treasurer.

The two largest contributors were Samuel Schwartz, $500; Benjamin L. Kline, $500; Samuel H. Schwartz, $100; Harry Deckel, $100; Ezbell Bronston, $100; Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society, $50; Samuel Krauthamer, $50; Irving Kunzman, $25; Jacob Kaiser, $5; S. Stern, $5, and "A Friend," $5.

Previous to last night's meeting these contributions were received: Dr. Ellis Campus, $10; Morris L. Abrams, $5; Jerome Berkowitz, $1, and David M. Goldberg, $1.

The meeting last night started at 8:45, and did not adjourn until midnight. A light luncheon was served by Mrs. Kline.

The enthusiasm was unbounded and applause greeted those who made the subscriptions.

Dr. Israel Sitnig, a representative of the National Central Council of Y. M. H. A. spoke impressively on what other associations are doing in New Jersey, and the great need of a Jewish community center here.

He put particular stress on the need of giving young men and women of the community a home where they might develop themselves along broad Jewish cultural lines, and presented a plan whereby the financial success of the undertaking would be a certainty.

His plan was to enlist other forces in the work to make personal solicitations of funds, and to have a captain for each group of solicitors. Mrs. Benjamin J. Kline volunteered her services as the leader of a women's team. She will select her assistants today.

Contributions may be sent by mail to Harvey Rothberg, chairman, or Benj. J. Kline, treasurer.

NEWSDEALERS TO DISCUSS RAISE OF PRICES

Newsdealers of the city who say that they are feeling the pressure of the increasing cost of all newspapers, have arranged to hold a meeting tonight to discuss plans for meeting the situation. They claim that the wholesale price of nearly all newspapers has been raised, and they will be compelled to increase the retail price to their customers, which in some cases has already been done.

For many years the price of all Sunday newspapers was seven cents, but recently this was raised to eight cents, and within the past week another advance of one cent has been made. Still, the dealers say, that at the latter price they cannot make a reasonable profit.

It is expected that practically all of the local newsdealers will attend tonight's meeting, when it is hoped that some concerted action will be decided upon. The fact that Sunday newspapers are sold in Elizabeth and even Bound Brook for less money than here is something that the local newsdealers are unable to explain, but they have decided to investigate the matter.

PADEREWSKI RECITAL HERE MARCH 26

Plainfield can hardly believe that it is going to have the unusual privilege of hearing Paderewski, the greatest pianist in the world, but Plainfield deserves and supports the best when it comes. This time will be no exception to the custom, and Paderewski is coming here March 26 for a recital in the Plainfield High School, under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club.

The tickets will go on sale Saturday, March 17, at Miller's drug store. All mail orders enclosing remittances will be filled in the order in which they are received, prior to the public sale of tickets.

Other information in the display advertisement on another page.

MISS PAVLOWA SPOKE IN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The mid-week service at the Congregational church was well attended last evening. Besides the special address by the pastor, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke, there was also a talk by Miss Pavlowa, a returned missionary from Macedonia, who appeared in costume and gave many interesting experiences of her work in foreign fields.

—Player piano for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant 88-note player, with cabinet and rolls; only $175 cash; on storage, 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-tf

FRANCE BELIEVES PEACE RESTS ON U. S. ENTRY INTO THE WAR

By United Press:

Paris, March 15.—France believes a speedy decision in the war rests with Washington. If the United States today, at the last step before war with Germany, takes that step, and joins forces with the Entente Allies, it means a swift decision with the Entente. The French Government regards the entry of the United States into the war of vastly greater importance than all forthcoming battles.

The United Press was authorized to state these views as the opinion of high government officials.

GERMAN PEOPLE, HUNGRY, LONG FOR PEACE

By United Press:

Washington, March 15.—Longing for peace is the great deep-seated emotion of the German people today. With grim stolidness they are enduring hunger and privation, of all kinds, confident that with their last and most ruthless war weapon, the U-boat, an end to the devastating European struggle may soon be reached.

These are in substance the outstanding features of Ambassador Gerard's first report to Secretary Lansing, and other government officials on German conditions. Another feature of Gerard's report is that despite the food shortage and tottering financial structures of government, Germany will be able, unless there is a crop failure, to struggle through another year, by application of the most drastic self-denial, if peace does not come before that time.

RAILROADS WOULD COMPROMISE ON STRIKE THREAT

By United Press:

New York, March 15.—The first managers arriving at the eight-hour day conference headquarters gave out, unofficially, the tip that the railroad's attitude would be conciliatory, and inclined to meet the brotherhood demands with a compromise.

The only compromise intention the Brotherhoods had shown was a statement of willingness to agree to pro-rate pay instead of time and a half overtime above eight hours. There was evidence that the railroads will seek to negotiate overcompromise proposals, hoping to postpone strike action until Monday, when they believe the Supreme Court will announce the decision on the constitutionality of the Adamson eight-hour law.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION IN DUPONT POWDER PLANT

By United Press:

Wilmington, March 15.—One man was killed when a corning or graining mill, in the Hagley yard of the Dupont Powder plant, on the Brandywine river, near here, exploded today. Albert Van Natta, of Wilmington, operator of the mill, was blown to atoms. Wilmington was rocked worse than ever before, and many windows were blown out. The explosion was felt 30 miles distant.

JAPANESE WARSHIP WITH GUTHRIE'S BODY COMING

By United Press:

Washington, March 15.—The State Department today agreed to modify its neutrality regulations enough to permit a Japanese warship bearing the body of American Ambassador Guthrie, who died in Japan, to come into the San Francisco harbor and remain longer than 24 hours. Details of the Guthrie funeral services in this country are not completed.

MISS KIZZIAH AYERS DIES IN NEW YORK

Miss Kizziah C. Ayres, for many years a resident of this city, died yesterday in New York, to which city she went from here about a month ago. The funeral will be held privately at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William J. Tallamy, of East Sixth street, Plainfield.

Miss Ayres was the daughter of the late James C. and Hannah A. Ayres, and was born in New Market. She was a member of the Seventh Day Baptist church. She leaves one brother, H. R. Ayres, of Point Pleasant, a sister, Mrs. J. G. Miller, of North Plainfield, two nieces, Mrs. Tallamy, of this city, and Miss Ayres, of Westerley, R. I., and four nephews, H. B. Ayres, of Pittsburg, Pa.; Walter G. Dunn, of New Market; Lawrence Miller, of New York, and Joseph Miller, of Plainfield.

TURNERS ORGANIZE A BOWLING TEAM

A bowling team has been organized among the members of the Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein, with Louis Menzenbach captain. The other members include Messrs. Muff, Rummel, Luthman and Anderson. Already the team has challenged the St. Joseph's and will roll that quintet on Gates' alleys, Somerset street, Monday night.

The alleys at Saengerbund Hall are to be put in shape and thoroughly sandpapered and otherwise put in perfect condition. New balls and pins will also be provided.

EXPECT DISCLOSURES IN GRACE ROBERTS CASE

By United Press:

Philadelphia, March 15.—More than 50 witnesses will be called for tomorrow's inquest into the death of Grace Roberts, art model, who was murdered in her apartment here, in December.

Although police still cling to the theory that the murder was committed by Bernard Lewis, who committed suicide in Atlantic City, some days later, it is expected that the coroner's inquest will make some startling revelations.

PLANNING RECEPTION FOR GERARD TOMORROW

By United Press:

New York, March 15.—Plans are being made for an impressive reception for James W. Gerard, returning ambassador, from Berlin, who will reach here tomorrow. He will be met at the Jersey Central terminal, and escorted to the City Hall.

Mayor Mitchell has asked that flags be displayed along the line of march from the battery to the City Hall. The mayor will greet him there.

BERKSHIRE FARM GETS ITS FIRST SCHOLARSHIP

The thirtieth annual report of the Berkshire Industrial Farm, Canaan, N. Y., of which Soimuel T. Carter, Jr., of this city, is the president, has just been issued. It contains much valuable information concerning the many activities at the farm which is ranked first among institutions of this kind for boys. The president's report, which is part of the annual review of the past year's work, includes the following item of interest to Plainfielders:

"Another important event is the gift of H. C. Munger, of securities approximating $6,000 in value, the income of which is sufficient to fully take care of one boy at the farm—a gift in the nature of an endowment and along lines which are especially needed. In view of the many scholarships which are constantly being given to the larger and better known institutions of the land, it seems strange that, in the thirty years of the farm's history, this is the first scholarship to be founded there. May it lead to others of like nature."

PRIVATE BIDS FOR FOUR OF THE FIVE CRUISERS

By United Press:

Washington, March 15.—Dissatisfaction with recent bids of American shipbuilders for naval vessels, has caused the Navy Department to decide to build four of its five new battle cruisers on a cost basis, plus a ten per-cent profit to private builders. The fifth cruiser will be built in a Government yard.

FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY
Let the Victrola Furnish Your Entertainment

JOHN McCORMACK
WILL SING SOME IRISH SONGS
Just to Mention a Few:

"Dear Little Shamrock;" "Mother Machree;" "Macushla" (Rowe-MacMurrough); "Wearing of the Green;" "Harp That Once Thro' Tara's Halls;" "Where the River Shannon Flows;" "The Low Back'd Car;" "My Wild Irish Rose" (English); "It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary;" "Little Bit of Heaven" (Ball); "Killarney" (English); "Come Back to Erin;" "Molly Bawn;" "Kathleen Mavourneen," McCormack.

And there is some Dance Music to suit this occasion. Come in and let us help you make your selections.

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Royal Scarlet Canned Fruits

Evidence of the best is found in every package of goods these people pack—especially so in their Fancy California Canned Fruits. Extra quality fruits packed in heavy syrup—

Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple; can, 25c; dozen	$2.50
Extra Fancy Lemon Cling Peaches; can, 30c; dozen	$3.00
Large Egg Plums; can, 25c; dozen	$2.50
Fancy California Red Cherries; can, 30c; dozen	$3.00
Assorted, per dozen	$2.75

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS, 40c

Sardines — Crescent Brand, domestic; packed in pure olive oil; ¼ tins	10c
Mackerel—Normanna Brand Fancy-Fresh Mackerel; oval tins	25c
Peas—Early June; can	13c
Peas—Early June; doz.	$1.35
Good standard pack.	
Cheese—Kraft Cheese — The Cheese with a rich, creamy mildness; tins 15c and 30c	
With Pimentos	15c
Pappy's Marmalade (Orange) Pure fruit and sugar; large jars	25c
Per ½ dozen	$1.40
Rice—Fancy Full Head Carolina; no finer grade can be obtained—	
lb.	10c
6 lbs.	45c

OUR OWN JAVA AND MOCHA (BLEND) COFFEE
The enormous sales of this blend give us every reason to believe that our efforts to secure for our patrons a moderate priced Coffee, giving excellent cup qualities, has been obtained.
32c pound; $1.50 for five pounds.

B. T. Babbitt's or Light House Cleanser 6 cans for - - - - 25c

Soaps—B. T. Babbitt's Best; seasoned hard cakes; packed 100 to case	$4.35
Hams—Moland's Quaker City; tender, smoked just right; lb.	28c
Tomatoes—White Label Extra Fancy Pack; red, ripe fruit; can, 18c; dozen	$2.00
Honey—Comb; Pure White Clover or Buckwheat; absolutely pure; comb	20c
Teas—Tetley's; Formosa, Oolong or India Ceylons— ½-lb., 35c; lb.	65c
Salmon—Pholo Brand; first cuts Columbia River; tin	18c and 30c
Prunes — California; large meaty fruit; fine cookers; 40-50 size, lb.	15c
10 lbs.	$1.40

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

In either of these departments you will find an assortment that far exceeds any in the city. Selections from near and far, each one perfect in quality—

Strawberries	Bananas
Pineapples	Malaga Grapes
Table Pears	
Fancy Grape Fruit	
Florida Oranges	
Cal. Oranges	
Winter Banana Apples	
Winesap Apples	
Spitzenberg Apples	
Delicious Apples	
Baldwin Apples	
Cauliflower	Beets
Fresh Tomatoes	Lettuce
Spinach	Oyster Plants
Radishes	Egg Plant
Brussels Sprouts	Carrots
Romaine	Cucumbers
Table Celery	Spanish Onions
Green Peppers	Mushrooms
Rhubarb	Cranberries

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Has been responsible for the failures and life's mistakes of many a man. Your immediate decision to carry adequate insurance, with this agency, will be the correct beginning for a successful career.

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OLD PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK KIDNEYS

A medicinal preparation like Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, that has real curative value, almost sells itself. Like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited to those who are in need of it.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is a physician's prescription. It has been tested for years and has brought results to countless numbers who have suffered.

The success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact that it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder diseases, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

Do not suffer. Get a bottle of Swamp-Root from any druggist now. Start treatment today.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Plainfield Courier-News.—Adv.

DEFENSE IS HEARD IN FANWOOD TRAGEDY CASE

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 13.—All the witnesses for Rolfind Depew, on trial in Quarter Sessions Court for the death of Hilda Hodgson through his auto which struck her as she walked in Mountain avenue, Fanwood, December 3, including Depew, testified that he shouted to the quartet of girls on the road and that he tried to avoid hitting them. The witnesses for the defendant also said it was difficult to see because of the darkness.

Depew took the stand in his own defense this morning. Other witnesses were his sisters, Hazel and Hilda, his fiance, Georgianna Lawless, William Marriott and Albert Henry.

BUYS MANY BUILDINGS; TO ERECT APARTMENT

Phillipsburg, March 15.—Purchase of seventeen buildings from the Cook stock estate was announced yesterday by James Maddock, a grocer, of South Main street. He proposes to erect an apartment house, at South Main and Front streets. The purchase price was not disclosed.

The property bought by Mr. Maddock includes five buildings in South main street, *five buildings in Main street, four buildings in Fox* street and three buildings in Second street. The property was bought from the executor, Ernest E. Bailey, of Essex county.

PRATT ADVISES QUICK DEVELOPMENT

By United Press:

Washington, March 15.—Warning to American automobile manufacturers to enter the world market before the American market becomes "saturated," was voiced by Dr. Edward Ewing Pratt, Chief of the U. S. Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce today.

"If the production of automobiles continues its present rate of increase," Dr. Pratt warns, "and unless cost changes are effected, either in the buying public or in the price of automobiles, this 'saturation' point may not be far off. For the commercial vehicle, however, development has probably only begun in this country."

American automobiles would have no difficulty in overcoming competition abroad, except possibly in the higher priced cars—above $1,200—Pratt declares. European manufacturers, he said, are not equipped to turn out cars on the extensive and highly efficient basis in effect in the United States.

NEW YORK POLICE MEET SPEEDERS HALF WAY

By United Press:

New York, March 15.—The police of this city have inaugurated an experiment to ascertain whether citizens are willing to co-operate with the city authorities in enforcing the law. When a policeman spots a speeder he does not arrest the offender unless the offense is flagrant, but sends his name and license number to headquarters.

The speeder's record is investigated and if it is found that he has committed a similar offense previously he is summoned before a magistrate to plead his case. If it is evident that automobilists do not appreciate this treatment, the Police Department, after a thorough test, will abandon the system of giving speeders a chance.

BILLS OF INTEREST TO MOTORISTS ARE PASSED

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 15.—Three Assembly bills of interest to motorists were passed by the Senate yesterday. They now go to the Governor for his approval. One extends the reciprocity law to Canada, another prohibits use of the "spot light" on cars and the third bases license fees for commercial motor vehicles upon their own gross weight when carrying to capacity instead of upon horse-power.

WILL HOLD CAKE SALE

The Count on Me's class of Trinity Reformed Bible school will hold a St. Patrick's cake sale at Randolph's drug store on Saturday morning beginning at 10 o'clock.

It is the desire of this class that it may be well patronized and those interested will not regret getting supplied.

YOUTH WITH MAPS HELD AT MILLBURN

A seventeen-year-old youth, who gives his name as Edwin Black, and his address as Hoboken, is held at Millburn pending an investigation by the Secret Service men and the police, because when he sought lodging at *the station house there Tuesday* night he is said to have in his possession maps and sketches of government property.

Although the youth says he made the sketches from memory, Police Captain Brodesser, of Millburn, says they are excellent reproductions of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, showing the positions of the various buildings there, with measurements. Some of the maps were of the bridges, tunnels and terminal facilities in New York city, Bayonne, Hoboken and Jersey City.

The youth says he used the maps principally as an aid to get about New York and New Jersey. According to the Captain, the young man says his mother is a German and that his father is a native of Sweden.

ELIZABETH EXPENSES ARE NO HIGHER

Elizabeth, March 15.—The Board of Excise has agreed that to increase the saloon license fee from $500 to $1,000 was unfair to those who recently invested money in the business, and laid on the table a resolution providing for the advance.

President G. Barham Woodruff introduced the measure and explained that he was desirous at present only of having it passed on first and second reading and then of holding a public hearing on the question. Opposition to the move came from Robert Hutchinson, one of the Republican members, ordinarily a supporter of Mr. Woodruff in his reform measures.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. ISAAC BROWN

The funeral of Mrs. Maria A. Brown, the wife of Isaac P. Brown, who died on Saturday, was held yesterday afternoon at her late residence on Watchung avenue, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends, and there were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were E. C. Wescott, G. O. Stevens, Arthur McVoy, Carroll T. Runyon, H. Keller and John Pedefleus. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

HARRISON SCHOOL APPRECIATES GIFT

A large sized portrait of Abraham Lincoln now adorns the hall of the new Harrison school, North Plainfield. This picture was *the gift of Daniel* Douglas, of Grove street, and the teachers and scholars of the school greatly appreciate this gift. The picture was unveiled at the recent patriotic exercises held in the school under the direction of the principal, Miss Julia Kiernan.

FORMER LIEUT. GOVERNOR SHEEHAN DEAD

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 14.—W. F. Sheehan, former lieutenant-governor of New York and leading lawyer, died at his home here today after a year's illness.

FRIENDS OF IRISH FREEDOM WILL MEET

There will be a meeting of the Friends of Irish Freedom this evening in *Social Hall, Liberty street, at* 8 o'clock. Much business of importance will be transacted.

RELIEF WILL CONTINUE

The Belgian relief work will continue, according to an official statement by W. H. Rounsell, director in America of the Relief Commission, made public today. The commission is positive that the work will go on. At present there are sixteen ships under way and the commission has every confidence that the major part of them will reach their destination.

The cargoes are insured so as to cover loss.

RETURN TO CANADA

Mrs. Charles Parfitt and daughter left for their home at Gravenhurst, Ontario, Canada, today, after a visit at the home of Mrs. Parfitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph, of East Front street.

TAKE PRIDE IN YOUR HAIR

It tells your character

The first impression of a person's character is often made by the hair and its dress. Does your hair allow you to comb it to suit you best? Possibly it looks dead and straggly and hurts your appearance. How much a little care on your part would bring back to your hair that healthy glow, admired by everybody.

Dandruff kills the hair roots. To stop it use Pompeian HAIR Massage. It is a clear amber fluid, not oily, not sticky, and has a very pleasant disappearing odor. Simply massage it into the scalp two or three times a week. Your Dandruff will soon disappear, your hair will become soft and brilliant, easy to dress, and you will point to it with pride.

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Spring Suits and Top Coats
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UNION COUNTY UNIT OF DENTISTS SUGGESTED

At a meeting of the Plainfield Dental Society, held last evening in the Park Club, Colonel William B. Martin, of Elizabeth, was present and spoke on behalf of the Union County Society on Preparedness. He advocated the formation of a Dental Unit from this county to look after recruits who may be rejected because of the bad condition of their teeth. The matter was received favorably and may be acted upon in the near future.

Dr. Shambers, of New York, addressed the society in "Focal infection as related to stomatic diseases."

Plans for the big concert to be given by the society on April 9, for the benefit of the dental department of Muhlenberg Hospital, were further developed.

The following dentists were present: Doctors C. W. Leonard, R. S. Stevens, C. G. Davis, George and Charles Moore, W. L. Mancill, W. E. Stelle, D. R. Miller, D. Thickstun, F. T. Clawson, G. H. Hillman, C. W. Monfort, of this city; Harry Powelson, of Round Brook; Dr. Voorhees, of Somerville; Doctors Egel and Davis, of Westfield, and Dr. Hinman, of Cranford.

FINAL REHEARSAL FOR PROBASCO CLASS PLAY

The last rehearsal of the cast for the farce comedy, "Too Many Husbands," to be presented in Floor Leader Geran styled Speaker Schoen a "Czar" as a result of the Speaker's action in ruling the minority whip out of order for posting out the Republicans' alleged inconsistency.

Geran was chiding the majority members of their passage of the Senate bill making it mandatory that two women be members of the boards of managers of the State asylum in Trenton and Morris Plains. He said the Republican "board of guardians" was against the bill because it would take away the non-partisan nature of the boards and yet the administration's bill creating the State highway commission did not call for a non-partisan board to run the new road department.

Speaker Schoen's action was upheld by Assemblyman Pancoast of Camden, who said he had heard the Democrats had planned to talk on every bill brought up for final consideration during the remainder of the session.

GIVEN A SURPRISE PARTY

Miss Gladys Larabee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Larabee, of East Second street, was given a surprise party at her home yesterday afternoon, when a company of fourteen young people called to spend a pleasant social time. Games and music were features of the affair. During the afternoon refreshments were served.

CHURCH NOTE

Rev. H. St. George Burrill, of the Church of the Holy Cross, preached last night in Grace Church, in the absence of the rector, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson. In the Church of the Holy Cross, Rev. J. H. S. Fair, of Bernardsville conducted the services.

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QUALITY is the dominant note in the GRIFFITH line of pianos—for the instruments that compose that line are the RECOGNIZED best in their class.

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WILSON NAMES TARIFF BOARD

Professor Taussig, Economic Expert, Chairman.

Washington, March 15.—President Wilson has selected members of the new tariff board as follows:

Professor Frank Taussig, who will act as chairman.
W. S. Culbertson, Texas.
David J. Lewis, Maryland.
E. P. Costigan, Denver, Colo.
Daniel Roper of the postoffice department.

Professor Taussig is a political economist of the front rank and noted for his research on the tariff. He is professor of political economy at Harvard and is author of textbooks on the tariff studied at leading universities. He is president of the American Economic association and is editor of the Quarterly Journal of Economics.

Daniel C. Roper is a former first assistant postmaster general, but has studied the tariff situation thoroughly, having compiled the tariff handbook published as an appendix to the report on the Underwood tariff bill. He also made a systematic study under government direction of the textile industries in the United States and Europe and is a cotton expert. He is a resident of South Carolina and a Democrat.

William Kent is an independent who represents a congress district in California and is a graduate of Yale. He is not noted for any research along tariff lines, having contented himself mainly with civic and municipal affairs. He supported President Wilson at the last election.

David J. Lewis was defeated for election to the United States senate from Maryland last fall. He is a lawyer of considerable reputation and enjoys a lucrative practice. He is a Democrat.

W. S. Culberson, a Republican, is from Kansas and gained an insight into the tariff situation through association with the legal department of the Federal Trade Commission.

E. P. Costigan is a Progressive.

INDICTED UNDER SPY ACT.

Crank Held For Trial For Threat to Kill President Wilson.

Baltimore, March 15.—Ahos H. Paupl of York, Pa., who is said to have been the first person arrested under the new espionage act recently passed by congress, was indicted by the federal grand jury for giving public utterance to threats against President Wilson's life.

Paupl or Paul, who is seventy years old, was arrested in the Pennsylvania railroad station here on the Friday before the inauguration. He was on his way to Washington and told a railroad detective he intended to kill the president. A book was found in his possession containing notes mentioning Japan and Mexico and 2,000,000 men.

The old man has a long criminal record, according to the United States district attorney, which includes an assault to murder and other serious charges.

While the man is thought to be demented, the federal authorities regard him as a dangerous person to be at large.

MAY SEEK ELKS' MEETING.

Atlantic City Men Talk of 1918 National Reunion There.

Atlantic City, March 15.—Atlantic City may enter the lists as a candidate for the national reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in 1918.

Mayor Harry Bacharach, a past exalted ruler of Atlantic City Lodge, is said a call for representatives of the chamber of commerce, Hotel Men's association, the Rotary club, the publicity bureau and other civic bodies to meet a committee of Atlantic City lodge tomorrow to discuss the advisability of making the fight. The financing of the campaign will be one of the most important matters.

Hammonton Women Name Trustees.

Hammonton, March 15.—The Woman's Civic club has closed one of the most successful years in its history. The following trustees were elected: Mrs. H. Kirk Spear, chairman; Mrs. L. M. Parkhurst, Mrs. T. C. Elvins, Mrs. Joseph R. Imhoff and Mrs. E. P. Fry. This organization is composed of 100 of the best known women of this town and has done much for the betterment of the community.

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SYDNEY POWELL KARR TO WED MISS RUTH WEAN

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Ruth Wean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wean, of Park avenue, to Sydney Powell Karr, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Washington. The ceremony will be performed at the First Presbyterian church, Saturday, April 14, by Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring, the pastor.

Mr. Karr is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Powell Karr, of Washington. Both Miss Wean and Mr. Karr are graduates of the Plainfield high school.

GEORGE S. DALLEY

Flemington, March 15.—George S. Dalley, a Readington township farmer, died at his home near Pleasant Run Tuesday. He was injured three weeks ago, when a tree fell upon him, breaking one of his legs. He was thought to be recovering until Sunday, when pneumonia developed. He was about fifty-three years old. His wife and two sons survive.

Mr. Dalley was a member of Darey Lodge, No. 37, F. and A. M., of Flemington, and Washington Camp, P. O. S. of A., of Three Bridges.

Funeral services will be held at his home tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in the Readington Cemetery.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

Harry Whitton's orchestra is now playing nightly at the Plainfield Theatre and giving excellent satisfaction.

The Sample Clothing Store on Somerset street, is about to move to the vacant store in the Sebring building, Watchung avenue.

The Women's League of St. Joseph's church has arranged to accommodate a large attendance at its euchre and "500" to be held tomorrow afternoon in the Parish Hall of the church. The games will begin at 2.30 o'clock.

A number of visitors have taken advantage of the fact that this is "Go-to-school Week" and visited the local schools. About twenty-five visitors have registered at the borough schools thus far. This idea has given parents and others a chance to observe the work in the different grades of the schools and otherwise become acquainted with the teachers.

RETURN FROM BORDER

Alfred Seal and Raymond Manley, of this city, members of Battery C, N. G. N. J., returned with the battery yesterday, reaching East Orange, the home station, in the afternoon. It will probably take several days before they are mustered out. The young men are in excellent health and glad to get home.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school tonight.

The Commuters' Club meets in the high school this evening.

A social evening is to be enjoyed in the Lincoln school tonight.

A piano class meets in the Whittier school tomorrow afternoon.

The Recreation Five will use the high school gym Friday evening.

The ladies' swimming class will use the high school pool Friday evening.

The night school men's gym class will meet in one of the high school gyms Friday evening.

The Dunbar dance will be held in the Washington school auditorium Friday evening.

The monthly meeting of the Public Recreation Committee is to be held this evening in the library of the high school.

The International Motor Company Band will rehearse tomorrow evening, in the Washington school.

WILL GIVE PIERSON PERMIT

The North Plainfield council fire and buildings committee has agreed to allow H. G. Pierson a permit for a barn on the rear of his lot in Grandview avenue. Mr. Pierson, it is understood, will construct a fire-proof building. It was originally his intention to erect a frame structure.

CHANGE MEETING HOURS

The hours for the Junior Associate members of the National Special Aid Society will be from 3 to 5 o'clock, on Friday afternoons, instead of from 2 to 5 o'clock, as previously announced.

BEGINS DISTRIBUTING TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

The New York Telephone Company has started the distribution of a new issue of telephone directories for its subscribers in New Jersey. This book is bound in covers of gray, contains 145,000 names of telephone subscribers on its 402 pages, and will have a circulation of approximately 173,000 copies.

The work of distributing the directories for subscribers in Plainfield and vicinity is now under way and probably will take a little longer than usual because of the difficulty in getting enough carriers to make the deliveries as rapidly as the telephone company desires.

On the front cover of the directory appears a statement from the telephone company to the effect that, in order to conserve the limited supply of print paper and at the same time serve the interests of all subscribers, the telephone company has found it necessary, with this issue of the directory, to restrict deliveries to the number of books absolutely required in each case.

PROPOSE TO SPEND $25,000 ON PRISON FARM

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 15.—That a recommendation would be made to the Board of Freeholders to call for a public hearing to get sentiment on the proposition to expend $25,000 on a prison farm and quarry was the promise of the Freeholders' jail committee at a hearing on the matter yesterday afternoon. Freeholder William F. Marsh is the committee chairman, William T. Day of the Elizabeth Charity Organization Society, Rev. Dr. Frank Moore of the Rahway Reformatory and Judge Abe J. David urged the need of outdoor employment for the prisoners.

Givers and Takers

By WALT MASON, The Poet-Philosopher

We know how cheerful givers look good, in heaven's eyes, when they distribute livers, and coin and shoes and pies. Methinks the cheerful takers deserve, as well, some praise, and I shall hand them acres of eulogistic lays. I took old Billiam Bickle, who's up against it bad, a beautiful dill pickle, the finest one I had. I heard old Billiam mutter, I heard old Billiam hiss, "I need some bread and butter, and you bring trash like this!" It shocked me beyond measure—my tender heart still bleeds; such talk takes all the pleasure from doing kindly deeds. Today I took a ramble where poor folk live in huts, and gave old Gaffer Gamble a pound of hazel nuts. The poor old man embraced me, and thanked me o'er and o'er, and when I left he chased me, to thank me yet some more. He said he'd long been sighing for such treasures to obtain; for weeks he had been trying to steal some, but in vain. And now at last he had 'em, and he could die in peace, and sleep with Father Adam, as slick as axle grease. I am a great believer in kindly deeds and words, and giver and receiver should both be gay as birds.

Uncle Sam Busy

Old Uncle Sam is tiring of "Cost of Living" fuss, and now he is inquiring just why such things are thus. When government committees go snooping round for facts, in all our eminent communities, and populated tracts, we feel there's something doing; we shake off our despair; now Justice is pursuing the pirates to their lair. But we'll be dead and sleeping, our weary frames at rest, before the land is reaping much good from Uncle's quest. It is a thousand pities, wet blankets to produce, but government committees! Oh, thunder, what's the use? Perhaps in nineteen-thirty committees will report that speculators dirty should all be haled to court, for boosting eggs and taters, excelsior and bread; but all the speculators will then be lying dead. The little chortling suckling will be all bent with years, and down to labor buckling, when that report appears. The happy schoolboy friskers, enjoying sunny lives, will have long, snowy whiskers, when that report arrives. And prices will be normal, this crisis all forgot, when, all correct and formal, that blamed report is brought. And I who write this ditty will sleep beneath the yam, before the first committee reports to Uncle Sam.

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Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

Industrial and Financial Complications.

Not long after the beginning of the European war, the German government debarred by public sentiment as well as by the insurmountable physical obstacles connected with the transmission of money and securities in large quantities, began in a quiet way to float securities in this country, and the process has been going on in an inconspicuous way until the present time.

Among the consequences of the impending conflict with Germany will be the legal impossibility of further floating such securities, even though the money is to be transmitted to Germany through neutral channels, or is to be retained here for the present or future use of the German government.

Likewise, it will be impossible for the German government to make any new provision for the payment of interest or coupons on its bonds and other securities here, even through neutral channels, for funds transmitted to this country in any way for such purposes would be treated as governmental property of Germany and as such subject to confiscation.

It is possible, of course, that provision has been made with German bankers in this country for the payment of maturing interest or principal obligations of the German government, held in this country, but money held here for that purpose, though provided before the outbreak of hostilities, would come within the rule of confiscation as government property, as above set forth.

It might be argued that German funds so provided would inure to the benefit of this country, and that therefore payments of the kind in question should not be interfered with. This, however, is simply a reason why it would be unlikely for the German government to attempt to provide funds for disbursement here. As to the United States, the action would be in direct contravention of the rule of non-intercourse which is strictly enforced in regard to the citizens of belligerents with each other, or to the citizens of one belligerent and the government of the other.

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PLEASING PROGRAM AT HARRISON SCHOOL

Civic Social Club Presented Play and Interesting Entertainment

The entertainment and dance given by the Civic Social Club at Harrison avenue school on Tuesday night was greatly enjoyed by a large audience. "The Little Rogue Next Door" kept the audience in suspense until the close.

Those taking part in the sketch were: Bertha Keller, as Miss Patricia Howard, the maiden aunt; Ethel Journeaux, as Marjorie Graham, the niece; Dot Keller, as Prudence, the maid; Carl Klotz, as Jerry, the butcher boy; Herman Klinsman, as Basil Raymond, the Little Rogue.

Lawrence Barret favored with one of his pleasing solos, for which the audience certainly showed its appreciation. He was followed by the "Two Wandering Jews," Jack Journeaux and Carl Klotz. They received a big shard of the applause.

Miss Emma Ryne then gave a very pleasing fancy dance, called "The Fortune of the Daisies," and was followed by a sketch entitled "After the Ball," taken by Dot Keller as "Maggie" and Herman Klinsman as "Jimmy." Their appearance alone was a scream. They closed their sketch with a song named "Why Did You Make Those Eyes at Me?" for which they obliged with encores. This was followed by a song, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," sung by Miss Ethel Journeaux, which was nicely rendered.

The butterfly dance by six small girls, all dressed in white butterfly dresses, came next and was done very gracefully in the colored spotlights. They were Kathleen Regan, Bessie Perry, Eldora Bolomy, Beatrice Riemann, Edna Bimble and Emma Bolomy.

The entertainment closed with a tableau, in which six girls sang "America, I Love You." Henry White was very entertaining in the way he announced the acts.

Dancing was then enjoyed until a late hour.

ASSEMBLY DEMOCRATS ARE GETTING "PEEVED"

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 15.—Although it is planned to take a one-week recess from Friday of next week, preparatory to final adjournment, the Legislature continues its filibuster tactics. Both houses are scheduled to meet at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, but it was 12 before the Assembly got started and later than that when the Senate convened.

The Assembly Democrats, outnumbered by Republicans more than two to one, are getting "peeved" at the majority's handling of bills and had a caucus yesterday to consider the situation. It is said they plan to talk on every Republican bill that is brought up in an effort to force action on Democratic measures as a compromise.

HOME FROM ATLANTIC CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metcalf, of this city, have returned from Atlantic City, where they spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sandford, formerly of Plainfield. Mrs. Metcalf is a sister of Mr. Sandford.

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Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs.	25c
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Buckwheat Flour, per lb.	8c
Fancy Head Rice, 4 lbs.	25c
Hotel Astor Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
Midland Corn Starch, 4 pkgs.	25c
Fancy Large Cal. Prunes, per lb.	15c
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Y. W. C. A. NOTES

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A business women's supper will be served at the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow night at 6.30 o'clock. Those planning to attend are requested to notify the association.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Young People's Society of the Temple Baptist church will have charge of the service in the Rescue Mission Hall, on Madison avenue, this evening. There will be bright singing and a cheerful service. Everybody will receive a hearty welcome.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 15.

German Aviators Immelmann and Boelcke brought down their tenth and eleventh enemy aeroplanes, respectively.

Italian attack repulsed on Podgora heights.

Grand Admiral von Tirpitz resigned as German minister of marine. He was the creator of Germany's navy and also responsible for the submarine warfare; succeeded by Admiral von Capelle.

The Dutch passenger steamer Tubantia, bound for South America, sunk by a mine or torpedo off the coast of Holland.

Two Years Ago Today.

British refused to modify food blockade and issued orders cutting off all outside trade with Germany.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1917.

DR. HIBBEN SPEAKS FORCEFULLY

In his recent address before the Economic Club in the Astor Hotel in New York, Dr. Hibben, president of Princeton University, made a ringing speech for loyalty in this time of national crisis. In part, he said:

"The young men of the country are its hope and its defense, and no university or college today is fulfilling its task unless it is holding prominently before its young men the true obligations, as well as the privileges of citizenship. Some of us university teachers are under severe criticism from our pacifist friends, who say that in encouraging military training we are turning the thoughts and ambitions of our young men toward militarism and war. Certainly none of us would willingly choose war rather than peace, but we are confronted today as citizens by the most serious ethical problem that ever confronted a free people. We stand pledged as Americans, as Christians, to pursue the course of peace to the very limit. But there is a limit where we cannot turn our backs upon duty, and today we are called upon to choose between the easy comforts of peace and the course that means sacrifice and abnegation. There is no doubt in my mind concerning the choice we ought to make. King Albert, of Belgium chose the thorny path of suffering rather than sacrifice the pledged word of his nation. If we are to go into war—and that seems to be the summons—who is to do our fighting for us? That is no ethical question; it is a practical question. Is it to be as it was in England at first, where only the young men from Oxford and Cambridge, the flower of the country, sprang to the front at the call? Are we to permit our best and most patriotic to go out to be slaughtered for lack of training?

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ESPIONAGE BILL

A great hue and cry is being raised by some of the newspapers over the passage of the espionage bill, empowering the Federal Government to exercise a very exacting search for sedition, conspiracy, plots and other manifestations of hostility against our Government in case of war. One of the arguments criticizing it lists a number of "ifs" in which are pictured annoying incidents of the authority for espionage and telling how personal liberty would be abridged in this country of free speech, etc. The people who thus criticize a protective measure which was inaugurated as one means to root out plots against our Government that have too long for our welfare escaped notice. We have too long temporized with the conspiracies that have honeycombed our country, threatening disaster, destruction of life and property just for spite, if for no military reason, like the havoc that was created by the explosion of a bomb in the National Capitol some time ago. We have received among us people from foreign lands, opened the way to them for all the privileges and immunities we enjoy who are native to the land and helped create them. Our secrets of State have been in the custody of people of foreign extraction, if not actually those of foreign birth, who often, if thoroughly tested, are found to have anti-American sentiments, and there is not much that we enjoy as American citizens which the foreigner of every race has not been permitted to enjoy with us. Yet we are confronted by the fact that some of them are ravening wolves, trained in the habits of the lamb. Is it not about time that we begin to sift out the sheep from the wolves? The espionage bill may leave the way open to abuses of privilege, but that is not so much the question as whether we are to know how truly American the suspect is. In times like these we must know who our neighbor is and how much we can depend upon his loyalty. The true American will make no objection to showing his colors and the other fellow should be looked after. Our land is peopled from centre to the seas with those whom we have welcomed to our shores, but if one of our citizens had done in a foreign land any of the anarchistic acts that have been done in our land by foreigners it would have been a signal to drive every American out of the country.

THE MERCHANT'S CAREER

An interesting feature of the recent meeting of the National Dry Goods Association at New York was the extending of honors to the ten oldest retail dry goods merchants in the United States. In the record of these men it was brought out that most of them were passing goods over the counter by the time they were fourteen or fifteen years old. It is a remarkable record when a man begins supplying human needs at 13 and keeps it up half a century. In a period when most people are changeable, moving around from place to place and frequently changing business and professions, the retail merchant located in one place and supplying faithfully the changing needs of that place, is one of the most permanent of old landmarks. Were it not for his faithful service many homes and many lives would go without daily comforts and conveniences. He is a mainstay of public progress and a substantial promoter of the growth of the community.

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An effort has been made at this session, but was beaten by a close vote, to put through Congress a proposition increasing the postage on newspapers. Probably some wise legislators think the publisher is so rolling in luxury at the present cost of paper that he could view calmly a proposition to soak him at the post office. There is no more reason for increasing newspaper postage 50 to 100 per cent. than there is for raising letter-postage to three or four cents. If anyone should pay increased costs, it is the magazine publisher, who sends enormous bundles of his literature all over the country at exceedingly low rates. Most newspapers that go by mail do not travel a long distance. There are few handlings of them, and they take up car space only for a short time. The service is inexpensive to the government, and should not cost the publisher heavy. The publisher would be willing to pay increased costs when all other classes of postage users pay higher rates, and not before.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

The popular idea of public improvement is for the municipality to spend a lot of money in front of your own house.

The farmers who have not been moved by the tales of children going hungry for lack of potatoes are deeply stirred by the possibility that the potatoes may rot in the cellar.

Another definition of international law is a code that all other nations are strictly bound to keep.

There is a general agreement among the pacifists that it would be unfeminine for the United States to prepare for war.

Appealing to national honor is not sure to bring results, but wait until people are thrown out of work by interference of submarine warfare with shipments of goods!

Those Congressmen who are proposing to raise the tax on newspapers didn't talk that way when they were begging for free publicity before the last election.

HYMNS SUNG AT FUNERAL SUPPLIED BY MUSIC BOX

At the funeral of W. W. Stratton, formerly of this city, which was held in Elizabeth Tuesday, hymns by a music box were used for the first time in that city, as music during the service.

One of the records was a quartet, "Nearer, My God, to Thee"; others were "Face to Face," by McCormack, a favorite hymn of the deceased; "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me," by Evan Williams, who is to sing in the Plainfield High school April 9, for the dentists' concert.

George H. Adams Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Newark, with Loyalty to American Council, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, held services for Mr. Stratton Monday evening, as did Elizabeth Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Stratton was a native of Elizabeth, and was the son of Mrs. William E. Keyser, who died here some time ago. Both lived here a number of years, and were deeply interested in patriotic fraternities. Mr. Stratton was, up to the time of his death, superintendent for the Moose headquarters in Elizabeth.

PILGRIM'S PROGRESS AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

"Pilgrim's Progress," in story, music and song, illustrated by a $50,000 motion picture, will be shown in the First Baptist Church, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, March 21 and 22, at 8:15 o'clock.

The story is told by Colonel Frederick Ray and has been heard by more than one million people. The great picture that illustrates the story is a work of art, a masterpiece of dramatization and is four thousand feet of film.

SET FIRE TO BUILDING PUTTING ON TAR ROOF

Workmen putting tar on the roof of a building belonging to Emanuel Kapelsohn, in Arlington avenue, near Randolph road, this morning, set fire to the roof. For a time it looked as though the building would be destroyed. The fire department was called and put out the blaze after the tar had been burned off the roof. The damage was slight.

SUBURBAN TRANSIT CO. SELLS OUT BUSINESS

The Plainfield Auto Transit Company which has been doing business in conveying passengers from this city to the suburbs yesterday disposed of its lines to C. A. Dana, president of the Spicer Manufacturing Company, of South Plainfield.

It is understood that Mr. Dana is to form a company and operate the autobus line, the schedule to be changed to either hourly or half-hourly as the business will demand. The old Spicer factory, Madison avenue, will be used as a garage.

DEATH OF AGED METUCHEN WOMAN

Mrs. Anna A. Stillwell, widow of John Stillwell, died at her home at Homer Place, Metuchen, early yesterday at the age of 75 years.

The funeral will be held from her late home, Homer Place, Metuchen, tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock and will be conducted by Dr. J. G. Mason, pastor of the Metuchen Presbyterian Church.

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE
of Valuable Real Estate on Saturday, March 17, 1917
at 3 p. m.

on the premises, No. 119 West Fifth street, between Madison and Arlington avenues, only one-half block from Arlington avenue street car line, and within a few minutes' walk from main Central Railroad Station.

The property is a cosy, modern dwelling, with all improvements, and is desirable, in the residential section, centrally located. It contains 9 rooms, viz, three on the first floor, kitchen and pantry; three light, airy bedrooms and large bathroom, open plumbing, on the second floor, also two bedrooms finished off on third floor. Slate roof and well-built, with stone wall foundations, including large front porch. Several fruit trees and grape arbors, very productive, and small tool house on premises. Size of lot 41½ feet front by 136 feet deep, more or less. This will be a good chance for anyone looking for a home already built, and on easy terms, or to purchase as an investment, as the property is going to be sold. Reason for selling is the owner is moving to another part of the State where he has large interests. For inspection of property, or any other information, apply to the auctioneer.

ROBERT MURRAY,
326 West Front Street,
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Saturday, March 24

This desirable plot of building lots is situated part on Jackson avenue and Belmont avenue, and situated in a very promising residential section of the borough. A number of new residences have been built there and to any one anticipating building a home or buying for investment this will give them an opportunity to do so. The hour and a more detailed description of the property will appear in a later date of this paper. The property will be sold free and clear from all incumbrances. For further information apply to the Auctioneer—

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Heins Spaghetti, Italian style, can	10c; 3 for 25c	Fancy Smoked Bloaters, each 5c; 6 for	25c
Richardson & Robbins' Chicken Broth, 3 cans	25c	Boneless Herring, per lb	20c
Maraschino Cherries, reg. 25c bottle	21c	Smoked Sardines, in pure olive oil, can	12c
Large bottle Fancy Queen Olives, reg. 25c, at	21c	Lenox Laundry Soap, 10 cakes	25c
Japanese Crab Meat, ½ lb can	25c	Argo Starch, 2 lb box	10c
Fancy Barataria Shrimp, 2 cans	25c	Safety Matches, Imported, 4 pkgs.	25c
California Shad, No. 1, tall cans	12c	Parlor Matches, 2c boxes, 12 for	15c
Herring Roe, No. 2 can, worth 20c at	15c	Toilet Paper, large rolls, 6 for	25c
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Services at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William J. Tallamy, 118 East Sixth street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-15-2t

DE FORREST—Suddenly, on Wednesday morning, March 14th, 1917, Elizabeth T. De Forest, in her 81st year.
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FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn sheller, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Parkway road. 3-2-1m

S. C. R. I. REDS—Cockerels from pen averaging 207 eggs, son of 251 hen Missouri contest, 1914; price $5. Richard Thomas, Gallagher's Corner, Dunellen. 2-13-5t

PRIVATE PARTY will sacrifice very cheap for cash or terms fine mahogany upright piano purchased this year. Call 830 West Sixth street. 3-13-4t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

GROCER'S REFRIGERATOR for sale, very cheap. Sharkey, Richmond street, grocer. 2-12-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

SOUND young driving horse; good road mare; can be seen by appointment. Telephone 841-M. 3-13-3t

PARTY will store fine upright or player piano with privilege of purchasing if satisfactory at sacrifice for cash or terms. Address "Reference," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect beauty; prices reasonable. Greenbrook Farms, 'Phone 2546. 3-15-6t

FOR SALE — Kitchen range, cheap. 368 New Market road, Dunellen.

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762. Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

MAN'S BICYCLE for sale, in good condition. 91 Myrtle avenue.

FOR SALE—Second-hand motorcycle, slightly used, at Leo Zeisel's. 3-14-4t

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

$1,300 CASH will buy modern borough residence, centrally located; the rest, $3,200, goes on mortgage; owner leaving; splendid opportunity. Address "Real Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-8t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 318 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V," care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-9-6t

TWO OR THREE furnished rooms for housekeeping; also one furnished room. 21 Grove street, 2d floor. 3-13-3t

TWO large furnished rooms for housekeeping; all improvements. 201 West Sixth street. 3-15-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth street. 3-13-3t

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 2-13-1m

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED—Cornstalks in bundles, cash on delivery. Address "H," care Courier-News, or 'phone 2560.

WANTED—Best bargain for cash in Overland 83, Dodge, Buick, Oldsmobile or other 1916 touring car. Give full description, where seen and price, or no reply given. "Cash Car," care Courier-News. 3-14-2t

WANTED—Second-hand timbers, 2 by 4, short lengths, 2 by 6 and 2 by 10. Address 321 East Front street. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Second-hand Harley motorcycle, 1915 or 1916, single or twin. Address "Motorcycle," care Courier-News. 3-15-17

WANTED—Light business wagon, 226 Richmond street. 3-14-2t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 316 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2356-M. 6-6-1y-*

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweller, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

ROOM WITH BOARD for two men or couple, reasonable. 77 Chatham street. 3-13-3t

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SELL 7-room house, bath; improvements, $2,300. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-1-2tt

BARGAIN — Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell on easy terms; for particulars write National Land & Building Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Two new 6 and 7-room houses, very desirable, well designed, well built homes, all improvements, restricted section, rich garden soil; six minutes' walk from station; high quality and low price. P. O. Box 432, Dunellen, N. J. 3-15-3t

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements, near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1129 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home; all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House, six-room house, 1208 South avenue, five minutes' walk from Netherwood station, variety gas, toilet. Apply 1320 South avenue. 3-14-2t

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent, in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric and telephone service, butler's pantry, laundry, hot water, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 7-1-1-5-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent, ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

SIX NICE ROOMS, fine neighborhood, with improvements, $23.00. A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-15-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street. 'Phone 895-J. 3-10-6t

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, third floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-15,16,17,22,23,24

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sauer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 166 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. tf-*

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

$1,500.00 on first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-12-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 2-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat. Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED—Competent waist draper and finishers; also errand girl. 431 West Sixth street. 3-9-tf

GIRL to work on Singer machines; steady all year; work week. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

GIRLS to work in factory; good pay; clean work. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up. Look for name on door. 3-9-6t

WANTED—A sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Tel. 2065. 3-13-tf

WANTED—Maid for housework; also girl to look after children. 616 East Second street. 3-14-4t

WANTED—Girl, 18 to 21, to be companion of traveling girl, to travel through the United States; all traveling expenses paid outside of salary. "J. A. T." care Courier-News.

WHITE GIRL wanted to do mending and sewing and care for girl aged eleven. 105 Rockview avenue. 3-15-tf

WANTED—Immediately, a good white cook (no laundry) at 107 Crescent avenue; reference required. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Bookkeeper who understands shorthand and typewriting for afternoons, 12:30 to 5:30. Box 70, care Courier-News.

WANTED—Good reliable nurse to care for small child. 325 Franklin place. 3-15-3t

YOUNG white girl not under 16, with reference, to assist with light housework and take child out. Apply 219 West Front street. 3-14-2t

WANTED—Girl that can sew. Apply Dressmaker, 1001 South avenue. 3-14-3t

WANTED—At once, girl for cooking, down stairs work and to help with ironing. 672 West Seventh st. Tel. 379-W. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Two white girls, one as chambermaid and waitress, other as waitress. Apply 312 East Seventh street. * 3-15-2t

AN EXPERIENCED saleslady wanted for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 403 Watchung avenue. 3-15-2t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work. Only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 407, Babcock building. 3-13-7t

ROSENBAUM'S, 115 West Front street, require the services of a few extra saleslades in the various departments. Applicants must have ability and experience; good pay. 3-14-2t

MILLINERS—Only those of ability need apply; also an opportunity for an apprentice to learn the business. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

SALESWOMAN—We require an experienced saleswoman; none others need apply. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

WANTED—A good plain cook at 107 Crescent avenue; references required. 3-13-3t

WANTED—General housework, white; small family. 'Phone 669-J, after 6 p. m. 3-13-3t

WANTED—Apprentice for millinery workroom. Tepper's. 3-13-3t

NEAT white maid for general housework; no washing; small family. Apply 305 Stelle avenue, or Tel. 383-M. 3-13-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male and Female

COLORED COUPLE desire place, wife as cook, husband as butler, etc. 630 West Fourth street. 3-13-3t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—In post office, one envelope containing money railroad pass marked Ernest Sutfler, also letter to Mr. Hilton, Jersey City, and other valuable receipts. Finder can keep money and also be rewarded by returning envelope to 64 Washington avenue. 3-14-3t

LOST—Hound dog, medium size, brown, white, black; name Brownie. Return 19 Craig place. 3-15-3t

LOST—Red enamel wrist watch, between Plainfield Seminary and Martine avenue. Reward if returned to 1203 Martine avenue. 3-15-3t

LOST—Lady's tan pocketbook in trolley waiting room on Watchung avenue, Plainfield. Finder please notify Mrs. Haynes, 223 Dunellen avenue. 'Phone Dunellen 1529-W. 3-13-tf

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

"THE RUNAWAYS" IS BIG SUCCESS

Under the personal supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Philbrook, of New York, the Somerville Athletic Association last night presented "The Runaways," a musical comedy, in a manner so characteristic of successful professional productions.

Miss Maude Klotz, of New York, whose musical art has gained the admiration of famous critics, played a leading role and was greatly appreciated, as were all the others who participated.

Every seat in the Regent Theatre was occupied and it is expected that as large an attendance will be in evidence tonight when the production is repeated.

The following were members of the cast:

Fred A. McCullough, Frances Labaw, Maude Klotz, Dorothy Hutchison, Taylor J. Brokaw, Mary Labaw, W. Walter Barnes, Carl Garretson, Robert J. Vanderbeck, Herbert E. Durham, Shermer D. Brunt, Schuyler Davenport, William Staats.

Musical selections were rendered by: Mr. Davenport, Helen Weldon, Mrs. Brokaw, Mr. Garretson, Miss Klotz, Grace Hayes, Betty Cornellson, Mildred Edgar.

Act II.—Miss Labaw, Mr. Barnes, Eunice Philbrook, Herbert Smith, Theresa Rosanic.

Invalids, guests, etc.—Grace Shepard, Helen Weldon, Esther Van Fleet, Isabel Varley, Blanche Naylor, Ethel Bowman, Louise Quick, Mary Haynes, Abbie Lamoreaux, Ruth Bateman, Grace Crevelling, Theresa Rosanis, Miss Higgins, Mildred Garretson, Elsie Graef, Dorothy Amerman, Irene Lewis, Helen Shepard, June Sammis, Martina Dilts, Blanche La Barr, Ethel Holcombe, Eleanor Stitphen, Isabel Edwards, Margaret Jackson, Ida Stillwell, Olive Haberle, Adele Smith, Pearl Hunt, Mary Sheridan, Rose Wachter, Susie Wachter, Grace Stitphen, Hazel Erickson, Helen Smith, Blanche Brant, Geraldine Beavers, Helen Stillwell, Clara Davis, Edith Parramore, R. W. Haver, W. V. Perry, William Staats, Herbert Smith, R. Veghte, William McCrea, Arthur Meredith, Karl La Barr, Albert Porter.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Samuel Ayres, Mrs. W. W. Barnes, Mrs. P. C. Beardsley, Mrs. J. W. Brokaw, Mrs. Robert Brunt, Mrs. C. E. Case, Mrs. C. A. Cawley, Mrs. Wm. H. Cawley, Jr., Mrs. W. M. Hutchison, Mrs. E. L. Keenan, Mrs. C. C. Kenyon, Mrs. Voorhees Kline, Mrs. F. R. Kopf, Jr., Mrs. J. F. Lake, Mrs. E. M. Lounge, Mrs. C. H. Mathews, Mrs. J. H. Chapman, Mrs. Stockton Cranmer, Mrs. J. N. Davis, Mrs. Howard K. Dilts, Mrs. Walter Durling, Mrs. J. T. Fritts, Mrs. S. J. Galpin, Mrs. W. F. Garretson, Mrs. F. A. McCullough, Mrs. C. D. McMurtry, Mrs. W. H. Moorehead, Mrs. H. F. Moosbrugger, Mrs. Edward Meyers, Mrs. George R. Nevius, Mrs. C. D. Phoenix, Mrs. S. Schoonmaker, Mrs. J. G. Gaston, Mrs. C. F. Halsted, Mrs. P. A. Hickey, Mrs. E. B. Hoagland, Mrs. L. W. Hoagland, Mrs. F. C. Hoffman, Mrs. C. C. Holcombe, Mrs. W. F. Scott, Mrs. F. H. Stryker, Mrs. J. Q. Ten Eyck, Mrs. F. G. Thomas, Mrs. F. S. Vanderveer, Mrs. H. G. Vanderveer, Mrs. R. B. Veghte.

Ladies' Executive Committee—Mrs. John D. Case, Mrs. William J. Kirby, Mrs. L. P. Gaston, Mrs. O. G. Allen, Mrs. William H. Parry, Mrs. C. J. Smith.

General Committee—William J. Kirby, Augustus Duryea, L. W. Hoagland, George R. Nevius, Thos. F. Hickey, William H. Parry, P. C. Beardsley, B. J. Vanderbeck, D. H. Brewer, H. E. Durham.

Ushers—H. F. Moosbrugger, head usher, O. G. Allen, J. T. Fritts, P. C. Beardsley, Voorhees Kline, E. L. Keenan, W. S. Vroom, Augustus Duryea, Wm. H. Cawley, Jr., C. C. Holcombe, Samuel Ayres, H. L. Seltzer, C. H. Ten Eyck, L. W. Hoagland, S. A. Holmstrup, Frank Hoffman, Annie Hoffman.

Charles Houston's Funeral Tuesday

The funeral of Charles Albert Houston, 74 years old, formerly of this borough, will be held from the home of Erick Houston, East High street, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Frederick Binser, pastor of the Baptist church, will officiate.

Mr. Houston died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Muriel Rehrig, at Los Angeles, Cal., last Thursday after an illness of two days. Mr. Houston left this borough on February 7 to visit members of his family now residing in the West. He had been quite prominent in this borough. Mr. Houston was also a Civil War veteran.

Local Woman Gets Desired Position

Mrs. George H. Brown, of Cliff street, has been appointed by Gov. Walter E. Edge as a member of the Board of Managers of the Reformatory for Women at Clinton. Mrs. Brown succeeds Mrs. J. F. Fielder. The term is for three years. Mrs. Brown before her marriage was Miss Lo Favre.

Held for Alleged Theft of Gloves

Adam Ostogovosa is being held by the local authorities for the alleged theft of a pair of gloves said to be valued at $4.50. Marian Tyminski, of this place, is the complaining witness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Epstein are rejoicing over the arrival of a son yesterday.

WHITEHOUSE

The New Jersey Telephone Company of Lebanon has a force of linemen busy extending its lines from East Whitehouse toward Lamington. Phones will be installed in the homes of H. Martin Mosher, Joseph Butler, Roger R. Hall, Theodore G. Vliet and Lewis A. Compton.

The old office building, which was formerly used for many years by the Postal Telegraph Company at Whitehouse Station, has been purchased by Thomas W. McPherson, who will move it to his property.

The Helping Hand class of the Methodist Church at Lebanon, will give an entertainment tonight in the chapel there. A play, "The Voice of Authority," will be presented by local talent.

The Mission Band of the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station will entertain the members of the Cadets and Boy Scouts at a sociable to be held in the lecture room tomorrow night.

Mrs. James N. Pidcock and daughter, Miss Belle Pidcock, of Whitehouse Station, and Mrs. S. P. Bawden, of Davenport, Iowa, are spending ten days in Cuba.

A congregational meeting for the election of officers for the opening year will be held in the Reformed Church at Stanton Saturday afternoon.

Edward Smith has purchased the farm of the late Melick Conover in Round Valley and expects to move there about April 1.

Nelson LaTourette, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter LaTourette, is recovering from an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

Hunterdon County Pomona Grange will hold a meeting in Grange Hall in East Whitehouse on Friday, April 13.

Hugo Hofstetter, of Whitehouse Station, is improved after undergoing treatment in a Newark hospital.

Miss Rachel Landon, of Annandale, has been visiting Mrs. J. Newton Shafer at Whitehouse Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Titus Apaugh will move from Elizabeth to Whitehouse Station the first of the month.

Raymond Smith and family, of Plainfield, are the guests of Mrs. Arietta Smith at Stanton.

NORTH BRANCH

Miss Rose Eisenberg, of New Brunswick, is the guest of Mrs. David Katcher for a few days.

Miss Margaret Jeanson, of Newark, is spending a week with Miss Sadie L. Johnson, near here.

Robert Burd and family, of Far Hills, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Burd.

Miss Edna Shook, of Neshanic, is visiting Miss Elena Fransbergen at Somerville.

Miss Leila Martin is visiting Miss Sarah Totten at Middlebush.

CALIFON

Miss Minnie Emmons, of Washington, N. J., has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Emmons at Vernoy.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Beam, of Vernoy, recently.

Clarence Hann will move April 1 to the Farley House in Centre street.

William Philhower is ill.

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BOUND BROOK

CHESTER WELLS WEDS IN MARYLAND

Chester Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells, of Beechwood Heights, married on Monday Miss Marjorie Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey, of Watchung Drive. The ceremony was performed in Maryland.

Chester Wells is a graduate of Rutgers College. Miss Bailey had been attending a preparatory school in New York. They had known each other for many years and the affection between them had been known to their friends.

Brotherhood Elects

At the meeting of the Presbyterian Bible Brotherhood, Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. B. Musselman; vice-president, J. Raymond Stryker; secretary, Charles V. Hoffman; treasurer, John H. Wilson. The business session was followed by a ladies' social at which about 75 were present. The program was under the direction of Hugh D. Maydole.

Camp Middlebrook Chapter, D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. George W. Yeandle, of East High street on Tuesday afternoon of next week.

Mrs. M. Wreden, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Fritts, Hamilton street.

Charles F. Speare is on a business trip to New Orleans, La.

FANWOOD

CIVIC SOCIETY TO GIVE MOVIE TREAT

On Saturday evening, March 17, the Fanwood Civic Association have arranged for a "Real Movie Treat," to be given in Fanwood Hall. One of the best of the metropolitan operators has been engaged and the committee in charge has selected six reels, which include Tom Moore in "A Love Poem" and two of the Keystone comedies, "At the Bottom of the Sea" and "Cartoons" by Hy Myer.

When the expense of giving such an entertainment, in as small a town as Fanwood is considered, the members of the association and their friends can look upon this as a real "bargain counter show." Admission tickets have been issued to all members. These will be paid for at the door.

Affirmative Won Debate

The Debating Club of Fanwood township school No. 1 held a debate yesterday afternoon on the question, "Resolved, That homework should be assigned to all students above the primary grades." The affirmative contestants, who were Charles Collier, leader, and Paul Tuzo, were decided to be the withers over the negative representatives. Miss Sophie Nelson, leader, and Miss Marjorie Tuzo. Those who acted as judges were Miss Harriet M. Squire, Miss Anna Littell and Miss H. Crowley, of the faculty. Cramer Reed was chairman of the debate.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of All Saints' P. E. church was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Richard Tull.

WATCHUNG

A St. Patrick dance will be given Friday evening in the improvement Hall under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society. The bus will leave Front and Somerset streets at 8.15 o'clock and Venerable Brothers will furnish the music.

Theodore Juergsen was the leader of the Junior Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday afternoon in the chapel. The topic was "How Are Our Sins Forgiven?"

The Parent-Teacher Association which was to be held Friday evening in the Watchung school has been postponed until Friday, March 23.

Henry Guinard has purchased a new Lozier.

ANNANDALE

While playing at his home Tuesday, John, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Butler, accidentally ran a buttonhook into one of his eyes when he collided with his smaller brother Edward. It is feared the sight will be impaired.

Mrs. George Cavalier and son, Raymond Cavalier, and Mrs. J. B. Silvers and daughter, Miss Helen Silvers, left Tuesday on a visit to relatives in High Bridge.

Mrs. Abby Burd is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Howard E. Edmonds, near Annandale.

William S. Weaver is recovering from a severe illness at his home in Centre street.

Mrs. Thomas Hoffman and daughter, Miss Ethel Hoffman, are ill at their home.

Mrs. Jane E. Stiger is entertaining Mrs. Augustus Henkel, of Plainfield.

DUNELLEN

LEWIS VOSSLER LAID TO REST

The funeral of Lewis Vossler was held at two o'clock, this afternoon, from Runyon's funeral parlors, West Front street, this place, the Rev. E. R. Brown, of the Presbyterian Church, conducting the services.

Only a week ago the wife of the deceased was buried from the late home on North avenue, having succumbed from the same disease, pneumonia.

Mr. Vossler passed away in Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, on Monday, which was the anniversary of his forty-first birthday. He was a member of W. Holton Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. Two children, a girl and boy survive the couple. The body was conveyed to Hillside cemetery, Plainfield, for interment.

Local Educator to Address School Meeting

Principal G. H. Rentschler will speak on a special topic at the meeting of county superintendents and supervising principals to be held on Thursday next at New Brunswick. The object of this meeting is to consider some of the more important duties of the school supervisor in training inexperienced teachers and in measuring the efficiency of teaching.

Rev. P. C. Bascom, of Bound Brook, who is conducting a series of special evangelistic services in this borough, has announced a "Sunshine Hour" for children tomorrow afternoon, at four o'clock, in the chapel of the local Presbyterian Church. Not only the children, but their parents and "grown-up" friends are cordially invited to this service.

Mrs. Leonard E. Fay has received word from her mother, Mrs. E. S. Jamison, that she has so far recovered from her recent operation that she has been able to take several short walks on the recent pleasant days.

Henry Blaine, of New Brunswick, called here the other day to see his father, C. W. Blaine, who is suffering with gangrene. The elder Blaine's condition is now greatly improved.

Rev. Dr. E. S. Jamison, of this borough, will preach next Sunday, March 18, in the First Presbyterian Church of Arlington, New Jersey.

The Agpar Construction Company, of this place, has about completed the erection of three new houses on Emma street, Plainfield.

Earl Haver has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Haver, of North Branch Depot.

The New York Telephone Company distributed its new directories here this week.

John Dunham is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Jane Dunham, North Branch.

Work of enlarging F. Margentino's confectionery store is under way.

Mrs. F. F. Hamloph is recovering from her recent illness.

NEW MARKET

The Rev. T. E. Vassar, Jr., of the local Baptist Church, was one of the officiating clergymen last night at the wedding of Miss M. V. Morton to Henry A. Cozzens, Jr. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride in Newark. The bride is a cousin of Pastor Vassar.

"Go-to-school Week" will close here tomorrow with exhibitions of manual training work in the schools.

The proposition of establishing a district court in these parts is meeting with some opposition.

Mrs. Ellen Hayes, who has been very ill at her residence in this place, is convalescing nicely.

LINCOLN

Tomorrow evening a concert will be held in the Watchung school. The program will include selections by C. R. Sours and A. L. Franke, local talent. Irving D. Manley, of Plainfield, will sing. Miss Anna Franke will be the accompanist.

At the monthly meeting of the School Board, held on Monday night arrangements were made for the annual meeting to be held in the Watchung school on Tuesday evening next.

Miss Hassey, of Clifton, has been a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Young, Harris Lane.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The funeral of William H. Hibbler, sixty-six years old, was held yesterday at his home near Sunnyside. Rev. Ira McNulty, pastor of the Methodist Church at Centreville, officiated, and burial was in the Newell Cemetery at Stanton. Mr. Hibbler died of an attack of pneumonia, following the grip. He is survived by his widow.

Rev. Ward C. Peabody, pastor of the Musconetcong Presbyterian Church at Hampton for the past twelve years, has been dismissed by Newton Presbytery to the Presbytery of Otsego, New York. He has accepted a call to the Shaftertown, N. Y., Presbyterian Church.

Arrangements have been made by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church at Califon for a sociable, which will be held on Thursday evening next.

WESTFIELD

ASK ALLOWANCE FOR PARK WORK

Representatives of the G. W. Lawrence Company, of Newark, who are doing the work on the improvement to the park property, on Broad street, and Mountain avenue, appeared before the Park Commission last night and asked the Commission to make an allowance to them for extra work that they had to do in the excavating of the park lake. The representatives claimed that when they put in their bid for the contract they did not know the conditions which existed in the lake and that when they found it out it was too late for them to include it in their bid. They claimed that the extra excavation meant a loss to them of about $9,000.

After they had presented their claim President Grape, of the Commission, as well as the rest of the members, stated that the company should have found out the conditions and that they knew what the conditions were. The Commission did concede something at least. The matter was discussed at some length and was finally left in the hands of Architect J. Wallace Higbins to try and straighten out.

Six bids for the construction of concrete bridges on Elmer street side of the park and culverts were received and referred to the grounds committee. After some minor matters the Commission adjourned to meet again on Saturday, March 24. President Grape presided and the other members present were H. E. Perry, G. B. Taylor, C. M. Affleck, E. D. Clark and Architect Higgins.

Jack Platt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Platt, of Mountain avenue, sailed on Monday to join the American Ambulance Relief Corps in France. He was one of the thirty who left on the Rochambeau, of the French line, and will soon be taking an active part in the work of which the people of this town now have such a keen interest. Young Platt was given a big farewell by a large number of relatives and friends at the pier when the big ocean liner left her dock.

The annual school meeting to be held next Tuesday night in the high school promises to be a quiet affair as from present indications there will be no opposition to the candidates who have been placed on the ballot by the Board of Education. E. S. Malmsy and W. A. Dempsey will retire from the board and Alfred J. Platt and Frank W. Perkins have been selected to take their place by the Board. W. R. Orr and J. E. Cutler will be candidates for re-election.

Miss Maud Klotz, who is acclaimed throughout the country as one of the greatest of American sopranos and who is a resident of this town, will give a song recital under the auspices of the Grant School Parent-Teacher Association in the auditorium of the high school on Thursday evening, April 12. Miss Klotz will be assisted by noted New York musicians.

The funeral of Miss Mary A. Combes, who died at her home on Orchard street on Monday, was held this afternoon from her late home and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The service was conducted by Rev. James A. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church. Rod interment was made in the family plot in Fairview cemetery.

Reports from those who have been to Melrose, Florida, and returned and who have seen Dr. R. R. Sinclair, who is recuperating there, are to the effect that the doctor is considerably improved and has taken on a quantity of flesh and that he is enjoying every minute of his vacation in that sunny clime.

R. S. Nichols, ex-president of the Union County Sunday School Association, will address a meeting of the Young People's Bible Class of the Congregational church in the parish house tomorrow night. The topic will be "The Relation of the Bible to Modern Life."

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. W. Gill on Walnut street this afternoon. Mrs. Trewin, secretary of evangelism, is the speaker of the meeting.

The pantomime "O Zion Hasten" which was to have been given by the members of the Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church in the chapel tonight, has been postponed indefinitely.

Mrs. Leslie R. Broome entertained sixteen friends at luncheon at her home on the Boulevard this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Edwards, of Lewis, Delaware, who is the guest of Mrs. C. H. Learned, of Harrison avenue.

At the meeting of the membership of the First Methodist church held at the close of the prayer meeting last night, H. L. Abrams, W. A. Bishop and J. H. Pearsall were elected trustees to succeed themselves.

John Julius, of Brooklyn, who was arrested by Officer Steuernagel on Tuesday for panhandling, was sent to the county jail yesterday morning for five days, by Recorder Springstead.

The World Wide Guild of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Miss Edna Platz, on First street tomorrow night. The subject of the meeting will be "The Immigrant."

Mr. and Mrs. William Morrison, of Mountain avenue, have been entertaining Miss Ada Nisson and Miss Violet Cuneo, of Brooklyn, during the past week.

K. C. Smith, of Philadelphia, has leased the S. G. Foster house on Washington street and will move there with his family about April 1.

Dr. J. J. Savits, superintendent of the local schools, has been named as president of the Council of Education of the State of New Jersey.

Mrs. W. S. Filtcraft and Miss Anna Riley, of Harrison avenue, have gone to Winter Haven, Florida, for a two weeks' stay.

Mrs. Frosm, mother of Mrs. Alexander Gray, of Park street, went to Florida yesterday for a stay of several weeks.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Grant school will hold a Victrola dance on Friday evening of next week.

Mrs. C. B. Peddle and Miss Genevieve Peddle, of East Broad street, are spending several days at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kelley, of Fairfield Circle, have returned from a visit of several weeks in Florida.

Miss Florence Gemdt, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with her sister in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Harry N. Taylor, of Elm street, has returned from a visit to St. Petersburg, Florida.

M. B. Broomer, of Stoneleigh Park, has gone on a business trip to Toronto, Canada.

A. J. Beckley and family will go for a trip to Florida next week.

Mrs. Julia Affleck is quite ill at her home on Elmer street.

FLEMINGTON

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Three Bridges Reformed Church will meet at the home of Rev. M. N. Kalenjian Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Horace D. Sassaman of Easton will occupy the pulpit in the Mt. Pleasant Church Sunday owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. A. B. Jamison.

Miss Amy Post of Batavia, N. Y., is spending several days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Connet of Three Bridges.

The Woman's Department of the Baptist Church will hold a birthday social in the lecture room tonight.

Norben Clark of Ringoes is spending a few days with friends in New York.

GENERAL ALVARO OBREGON

Carranza War Minister Who Will Quit Office.

Photo by American Press Association.

GERARD BRINGS SECRET PAPERS

He and Lansing Go Over Documents From Berlin.

Washington, March 15.—A moderate sized black leather bag containing documents brought from Berlin by the personal care of Ambassador James W. Gerard is safely locked in the vaults of the state department. During his 7,000 mile journey, covering a period of more than four weeks, Ambassador Gerard and the bag have not parted company for a moment.

Mr. Gerard was warmly welcomed on his return. He repaired to the state department, where he was greeted by Secretary Lansing. The black bag and its contents occupied attention for several hours. "It is a relief dinner and a long rest for me," Gerard remarked, as he left the state department, and the "moderate sized black bag" was forsaken for the first time in four weary weeks.

Ambassador Gerard resumed his conference with Secretary Lansing this morning and will leave for New York on an early afternoon train. His meeting with President Wilson has been postponed until the chief magistrate is recovered entirely from his present indisposition.

Drop in Sugar Prices Forecast.

Chicago, March 15.—At the annual meeting of the United States Sugar Manufacturers' association Truman G. Palmer, secretary, urged members to be prepared for a slump in prices when the war, which, he said, was responsible for the present high prices, is over.

HIGHWAY BOARD IS APPOINTED

Ira S. Kipp, Jr., Represents Essex County.

SENATOR GAUNT IS MEMBER.

Road Commissioner Edwin A. Stevens, John W. Herbert of Helmetta, Anthony R. Kuser of Bernardsville, Watson G. Clark of Tenafly, Walter J. Buzby of Atlantic City and George A. Blakeslee of Jersey City Also on Commission.

Trenton, March 15.—With Ira S. Kipp, Jr., of South Orange as Essex county's representative the new state highway commission of eight members was nominated by Governor Edge in a message to the senate.

Besides Mr. Kipp the nominees are John W. Herbert of Helmetta, for one year; Anthony R. Kuser of Bernardsville, one year; Senate President George W. F. Gaunt and State Road Commissioner Edwin A. Stevens, for two year terms; Watson G. Clark of Tenafly and Walter J. Buzby of Atlantic City, for three year terms, and George A. Blakeslee of Jersey City, who, with Mr. Kipp, was given a four year term.

Commissioner Stevens and Mr. Clark are the engineers required under the law to form a part of the commission.

In his selection of the men the governor sought representation of the various interests intimately connected with the project of road improvement. Mr. Herbert was chairman of the special road commission appointed by former Governor Fielder. Mr. Buzby, who was a member of the state board of conservation and development, resigned that position to accept the road commissionership. In his place on the conservation board Percival Melville of High Bridge was nominated.

A bill has been introduced in the senate paving the way for the employment of General George W. Goethals as the chief engineer. The governor approved the bill, and it was given to Senator Richards for introduction.

PATERSON STUDIES FOOD.

Conference of Eighteen Organizations Booked For Tonight.

Paterson, March 15.—With a food conference of eighteen organizations arranged for tonight in Eilers' auditorium, Mayor James H. Radcliffe said it was his hope to extend the investigation now in progress by city departments, probably by the appointment of a food investigating committee of citizens.

Thus far the food question has been of greatest concern to County Sealer of Weights and Measures Harry Rosenfeld, who had been checking up this city's food market scales. The mayor and Mr. Rosenfeld conferred and announced afterward the work of Mr. Rosenfeld's inspectors would be pushed. The mayor said also he is expecting a letter from George W. Perkins, in charge of the food investigation in New York. Mayor Radcliffe asked Mr. Perkins for an outline of the plan under way in New York for local adaptation.

Jersey City Women Ask Food.

Jersey City, March 15.—A delegation of women, headed by George H. Mead, chairman of the High Cost of Living league, has asked the city commissioners to appropriate money for the purchase of food supplies to be sold to poor people at cost. The request was referred to the city law department for an opinion on the legal powers of the board.

Suffrage Gains in Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 15.—The lower house of the Missouri legislature passed a bill permitting women to vote for president. The bill now goes to the senate.

URGES EVERYONE TO QUICKLY GET ON WATER WAGON

Drink glass of hot water before breakfast to wash out poisons.

To see the tinge of healthy bloom in your face, to feel your skin get clearer and clearer, to wake up without a headache, backache, coated tongue or a nasty breath, in fact to feel your best, day in and day out, just try inside-bathing every morning for one week.

Before breakfast each day, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it as a harmless means of washing from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and mucus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the blood and internal organs. Those who are subject to constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, rheumatic twinges, also those whose skin is sallow, and complexion pallid, are assured that one week of inside bathing will have them both looking and feeling better in every way.—Adv.

STOLEN AUTO CLAIMED BY ELIZABETH MAN

Roselle, March 15.—The auto mobile left with the Roselle police Sunday night by a young man who gave his name as Aneas McMillan and address as 236 South Broad street, Elizabeth, was found Tuesday, the police say, to be the machine stolen from Dr. Leo F. Froomis of Elizabeth avenue, Elizabeth, Sunday night.

"McMillan" was arrested for not having proper lights. He left the car as security for his appearance in court Monday night. He did not appear and an investigation showed that the address given was a vacant lot in Elizabeth.

AMERICAN BOAT ARRIVES AT GENOA

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 15.—American Star Line has received a cable from Genoa today stating that the steamer Pordonian had arrived at that port. The Pordonian, in making the Mediterranean, went far to the South, keeping clear of the war zone.

FISH FILES APPEAL

Trenton, March 15.—Harwood Fish, former Mayor of Roselle Park, Union county, Tuesday filed an appeal with the Errors Court to have set aside the Supreme Court's decision upholding his conviction of libel. Fish was found guilty of libeling William E. Johnson in a circular distributed during a political campaign.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

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TARIFF COMMISSION MEMBERS ARE SELECTED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 15.—President Wilson has sent to the Senate the nominations of the tariff commission. They are as follows: Frank W. Taussig, of Massachusetts; Daniel C. Roper, of South Carolina; Davis J. Lewis, of Maryland; William Kent, of California; W. S. Culbertson, of Kansas, and E. F. Costigan, of Colorado.

FUNERAL OF CAPT. METLAR

Flemington, March 15.—Funeral services for Capt. William Metlar, who died Sunday night at his home in Chicago, will be held at the Presbyterian church today. The Rev. Dr. A. W. Sonne, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Captain Metlar was about eighty-two years old and served in the Civil War. He lived here about fifty years ago, when he operated the Metlar mill, situated on the south branch of the Raritan River, near Flemington Junction.

CHINA REVIVES WILSON'S HOPES

Break With Germany May Influence Other Neutrals.

ANOTHER U. S. VESSEL SUNK

Attack on Algonquin Not Likely to Be Regarded as "Overt Act," as Administration Plans to Base Action Toward Berlin Government on Results of American Armed Ships' Invasion of Submarine Zone.

Washington, March 15.—Hope for more or less general action among the neutrals of the world to break off relations with Germany as a protest against submarine ruthlessness is revived in Washington.

Reports to the state department and the navy department that China had broken with the German government led to the hope that President Wilson's desire for a general break by the neutrals, expressed in his original address to congress on the German break, might yet bring forth fruit.

Administration officials believe that a concerted cutting off of relations by several of the important neutral nations would soon bring the German submarine campaign to an end and possibly avert the war which day by day approaches more closely to the United States.

The Chinese break, officials believe, may open the way for further neutral action, and it is suggested that certain South American nations are considering following the lead of the United States in combating the submarine warfare.

Seizes German Ships.

China's determination to break with Germany was announced in a cablegram from Minister Paul S. Reinsch at Peking.

The ranking American naval officer in Chinese waters reported that China had seized all interned German shipping at Shanghai and brought the crews of six ships ashore under guard.

The sinking of the American liner Algonquin without warning in the submarine zone added another item to the long account which the United States has charged up against Germany. The Algonquin, Consul Joseph G. Stephens reported from Plymouth, England, was sunk by shellfire. The crew, after taking to the boats, sought aid from the submarine, but were turned away. At the state department the Algonquin incident is accepted as conclusive proof that Germany does not contemplate any modification of her declaration of submarine warfare against American as well as all other shipping. No further move by this government will be predicated on the Algonquin case, however, as President Wilson is determined to base the whole American case on the armed ships now being fitted to defy the war zone.

Grain Ship Sunk.

The loss of the Leyland liner Norwegian, with mails, grain, munitions and general cargo aboard, was reported to the department by Consul Frost at Queenstown.

"The Norwegian was beached after an explosion three and one-half miles off Galleyhead at 11.20 a. m., 13th," said Consul Frost's report. "Submarine was not seen. Carried protective 4.7 inch gun and wireless. Explosion killed instantly fourth engineer, storekeeper and three firemen, all five British. Sole American, John W. Vincent of Oak Bluffs, Mass., is safe, but had narrow escape, as his galley was wrecked by the explosion. Forty-two survivors out of complement of forty-seven. Mails being saved."

Consul General Skinner, at London, reported the saving of the entire crew of the British steamer East Point, bound from London to Philadelphia. The East Point was torpedoed without warning. Two Americans were among the rescued crew. They were John Webber of 159 Fourteen street, Buffalo, and Edward Ellis of 565 Courtland avenue, Brooklyn.

Full details of the torpedoing of the Belgian relief ship Storstad were forwarded to the department by the consulate at Liverpool, where the captain of the sunken ship made affidavit to the circumstances.

Refused Ship Sinking.

He described in detail the elaborate precautions taken by the Storstad to notify the attacking submarine of her charitable mission. The submarine shelled the relief ship, and when she failed to sink circled her and fired a torpedo.

The Storstad's crew then left the ship, and the submarine resumed shelling. The captain of the Storstad in his boat approached the submarine and notified the underseas boat of the nature of the Storstad's cargo and its destination. He asked that the submarine tow the ship's boats to safety, but received no reply. The submarine continued to shell the Storstad until she sank.

The navy department announced that there would be no relaxation in the precautions taken to guard with absolute secrecy the details of the movements of armed ships leaving American ports. Newspapers published at various Atlantic ports have complained that the customs officials have been too strinent in suppressing all information as to ships and cargoes, but it was stated that there will be no modification of the orders to the treasury department officials.

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WILLIAM B. WILSON.

Secretary of Labor is Watching Railroad Crisis.

Photo by American Press Association.

MOVE TO OUST EDUCATOR.

Trustees of Connecticut College For Women Against President.

New London, Conn., March 15.—President F. H. Sykes of the Connecticut College For Women has been asked to resign by the board of trustees. President Sykes thus far has refused to comply with the request of the trustees and may decide to contest the action of the board.

There is no complaint by the trustees of Professor Sykes' work as an educator, but the board alleges lack of tact, impracticability and extravagance on his part in the management of the institution.

Over a year ago Morton F. Plant, who gave $1,000,000 and through whose liberality the women's college was made possible, resigned from the board of trustees and, it is alleged, refused to have any further active connection with the college so long as President Sykes remained at its head. Mr. Plant's resignation was never accepted.

PENNSYLVANIA CENSURES.

Votes Rebuke to United States Senators For Filibuster.

Harrisburg, March 15.—After a two hour debate the house passed the Walters resolution censuring the senators who participated in the filibuster in the United States senate that resulted in the defeat of the armed neutrality bill. Representative Mauer of Berks county, the lone Socialist member of the house, led the opposition to the resolution, being supported by Representative Beyer, floor leader of the anti-democratic forces in the house, and Representatives Woodward of Allegheny county and Millron of Armstrong.

A test vote on a motion made by Representative Woodward to postpone the resolution indefinitely was lost. The resolution as it was finally passed eliminated the word "unpatriotic" from the resolution.

INDIGNITIES DENIED.

Examination on Frederik VIII. Defended by Canadian Officials.

Ottawa, March 14. — Officials who were in charge of the staff engaged in the examination of the Frederik VIII. at Halifax deny the reports that unnecessary harshness was employed. They say special care was taken to prevent the subjection of any of the passengers to indignities.

The examination of the women passengers was done by women. The examination of Countess Bernstorff took less than three minutes. The published statement that the insoles of her shoes were ripped off is a falsehood, the officials declare, as is also the statement that all hot water bottles, baby nipples and rubber heels were confiscated.

MUNITIONS BLAST KILLS SIX.

Fourth Explosion In Thirteen Months In Plant at Emporium, Pa.

Emporium, Pa., March 15.—Six men were killed by an explosion in the solvent factory at the Howard plant of the Aetna Explosives company, the fourth explosion at the plant in the last thirteen months. Simultaneously with the blast at the solvent factory, which demolished the building and killed every man in it, the company's guards discovered fire in the cotton storage building, half a mile away. It was extinguished before serious damage was done.

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For New York—Monday only, 2.00, 2.37 (Penn. R. R. from Monday), 4.37, 5.08, 5.40, 5.52 (except Holidays), 6.27, 6.58, 7.21, 7.58 (except Holidays), 7.44 (does not run Holidays), 7.44, 7.55 (except Holidays), 8.30, 9.30, 9.59 (except Holidays), 10.41, 11.52, 12.29, 12.58, 1.26, 2.27, 3.27, 4.11, 4.37, 5.08, 5.40, 6.58, 7.41, 8.27, 9.27, 9.57, 10.30, 11.30 p. m. Sundays—2.37, 4.37, 5.40, 7.23, 9.52, 9.54, 9.58, 10.27 a. m., 2.27, 4.27, 5.27, 6.27, 7.27, 8.27, 9.27, 10.27, 11.27 p. m.

For Newark—5.09, 6.27, 7.04, 7.47 (through train to New York except Holidays), 8.04, 8.26, 10.25, 11.27 a. m., 12.09, 1.05, 1.39, 2.39, 3.11, 4.13, 4.36, 5.09, 5.32, 6.24, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 p. m. Sundays—8.04, 8.26, 9.24, 10.25, a. m., 12.09, 12.58, 1.39, 2.39, 3.11, 4.13, 5.09, 5.32, 6.24, 7.05, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 p. m.

For Easton, Allentown and Manch Chunk—3.27 (except Manch Chunk, 3.29), 9.44, 11.31 a. m., 2.09, 5.44, 6.49 to Easton, 7.49 p. m. Sundays—3.29, 9.44 to Allentown, 10.31 a. m., 1.58, 5.44, 7.05 p. m.

For Milton, Lewisburg, Williamsport and Scranton—3.27, 9.44 a. m., 2.09, 5.44, 7.05 p. m. Sundays—3.29, 10.31 a. m., 1.58, 5.44, 7.05 p. m.

For Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Long Branch and Red Bank—2.41, 8.13, 11.27 a. m., 2.27, 5.27 p. m., 11.44. For Red Bank only—3.05 p. m. Sundays—3.11 p. m.

For Ajamith—2.41, 8.26 a. m., 5.27 p. m. Saturdays only), 2.11 p. m. Sundays—9.10 a. m., 4.10 p. m.

For Philadelphia—5.35, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 11.54 a. m., 2.12, 4.54, 5.46, 6.21, 6.47, 8.47, 9.48, 10.49 p. m. 1.20 a. m.

Sundays—9.02, *9.10, 9.57, 10.39, 10.43, 11.41 a. m., 1.12, 4.44, 5.45, 8.42, 4.39, 4.45, 6.56, 8.39, 6.39, 8.47, 8.47, 9.40, 10.56, 11.54 p. m., 1.20 a. m.

For Baltimore and Washington daily 9.02, 10.43 a. m., 1.05, 2.45, 4.45, 6.47 p. m.

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LINER SAGAMORE SUNK

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 15.—The Warren Line steamer "Sagamore," 5,197 tons, flying the British flag, Boston to Liverpool, was sunk on March 13 by a submarine, according to an announcement at the office of the owners, Furness, Withy & Co., in this city, today. The announcement confirmed reports circulated yesterday. She carried a capacity cargo of munitions, grain, lumber and other goods for England.

DUTCH CRUISER EXPLOSION

Special to Courier-News:

London, March 15.—News agency despatch from the Hague reports an explosion on the Dutch cruiser "Gelderland." One man was killed, fourteen others injured.

PROMINENT MEN WILL SPEAK IN THIS CITY

The Jewish War Relief Committee of this city has completed plans to inaugurate a campaign to raise $10,000 for the Jewish war sufferers abroad. The ministerial association has pledged its co-operation and will designate two or more of its members to speak at the mass meeting to be held at the Columbus Club Tuesday night, March 27.

An executive committee of fifty of the most prominent and active Jewish citizens has been appointed by William Newcorn and each one has pledged to help make the campaign a success. Mr. Newcorn has been in touch with Felix M. Warburg, of New York, executive chairman of the joint relief committee, and men of national reputation will be secured as speakers for the coming meeting.

The committee realizes the task it has undertaken, but the cry for help is urgent to prevent the babies and older people from starvation. Last year's campaign was successful and one-third of the money received here came from thousands of Jewish people. The committee hopes that this year's effort will result in a substantial amount being given for this worthy object.

DEPUTY HIRTZEL VISITS LOCAL LODGE OF ELKS

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Hirtzel, of Elizabeth, accompanied by a delegation of twenty members from the Elizabeth lodge, paid his annual official visit to Plainfield Lodge of Elks last night.

The visitors were given a cordial reception by the local Elks, and Mr. Hirtzel was greatly pleased with the initiatory service. He complimented the officers of Plainfield lodge for their fine work. A social session followed the initiation.

Bad Fire In Quincy

Special to the Courier-News:

Boston, March 15.—Fire in Quincy Market early this morning put every stall out of commission. It will be several weeks before the damage can be repaired.

OUCH! RUB BACKACHE, STIFFNESS, LUMBAGO

Rub Pain From Back With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacobs Oil"

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RAILROAD EMPLOYES GET SHERIFF'S BADGES

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 15.—Sheriff George C. Otto gave deputy sheriff's badges to more than twenty employes of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company who are residents of the county, when they applied for them yesterday afternoon. It is understood that the step was taken as a precaution against possible damage to the company's property in the county as a result of war with Germany or the present agitation. The employes will carry clubs but no arms.

MEN'S CLUB ENTERTAINMENT

The Men's Club of Bethel chapel, East Fifth street, will hold an entertainment this evening. A special program has been arranged by members to open at eight o'clock.

CADET CORPS TO BECOME FEATURE

Will be Organized Tomorrow Afternoon at the Local High School

The Board of Education of this city has granted the boy students of Plainfield High School the right to organize a cadet corps at the school, which move is now on foot and will materialize tomorrow. Recruiting will commence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Coach Ralph S. Patch's office. All boys of the school whose height is 5 feet 3 inches and weight 110 pounds are eligible to become members. Members of the corps must be energetic, ambitious and not afraid of work.

The corps will probably be conducted by a commissioned officer of the United States Army along the same lines as all military units in this country, discipline being an important factor. The boys will be required to take the work of drilling and learn the manual of arms.

The object of this organization is to train boys in military discipline and manual of arms. There will be nothing compulsory about joining and the students will not be approached individually with a request to become a member, but a notice has been issued that a cadet corps would be formed tomorrow and that all who wished to join may do so.

Clinton Berrien, who saw service at the border last summer, and Allan Stevensen, who has had experience in military life at Plum Island, are pushing this new move in the school.

The manual of arms and close order drills will first be taught. The *work is tedious. Following this* open order drills will be held, which include sham battles and skirmishes.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

Douglas Stewart, '18, has returned to his studies, having fully recovered from a slight attack of pleurisy.

Miss Mary Clark of the Sophomore class recited "A Welcome Surprise" at the chapel exercises this morning.

Miss A. Margaret Speidel is at present confined to her home on account of illness. Miss Speidel is the arithmetic teacher in the eighth grade.

Invitations for the freshman class dance for tomorrow night were issued this morning by the dance committee. Why so much secrecy about the affair, Freshies?

Barnard College and Dickinson College have sent large views of their institutions to Principal Alberti Earley of the high school. These pictures will be hung in the corridor.

This week is known as "Visit the School Week," and many parents of the high school students have taken the opportunity to visit the high school and become acquainted with the teaching corps.

Next Tuesday morning J. C. Evans, of Plainfield High School, will address the pupils of the North *Plainfield High School on the subject* of Agriculture in the West. Mr. Evans is head of the commercial department of the city high school.

The Boys' Athletic Association Poster committee, consisting of Mrs. Curtis, of the German Department; Miss Irene Duchesne, of the English Department, and Principal Albert Earley, will award the prize offered by the association for the best poster describing their play, in the near future. Two free theatre seat tickets are the prize offered.

The Junior Class Play Committee have decided to present the "Elopement of Ellen," a three-act comedy. The proceeds from this play will be used as in former years to give a "feed" to the Senior class. The *production will be presented sometime* in May at a class meeting held Tuesday morning. Ralph Gray was chosen business manager for the production.

ANOTHER STEP TOWARDS STATE PREPAREDNESS

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 15.—Another step to give New Jersey military preparedness was taken by the Senate last night when it passed the bill by Senator McCran revising the State military code and placing it in line with the National Defense Act passed last year by Congress. The bill was prepared under the direction of Adjutant General Barber and other State military officers, and Gen. Barber was a spectator in the Senate when the measure was adopted.

DINNER TO DISTRICT COURT JUDGES NEXT WEEK

On Thursday night of next week the Plainfield Bar Association will tender a testimonial dinner to former Judge of the District Court Walter L. Hetfield, Sr., and Judge James Henry Crane. The dinner will be served at Ahern's restaurant, North avenue. William A. Codington will act as toastmaster and there will be several speakers.

PERSONAL

Mrs. L. C. Van Nest, of East Fifth street, is improving from an operation performed recently at Muhlenberg Hospital, and is reported today as resting comfortably.

CAMPHOROLE GIVES IMMEDIATE RELIEF

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P. H. S. NOTES

A freshman class meeting was held in the high school auditorium this morning.

A meeting of the Executive Board of the Girls' Athletic Association will be held with Miss Ruth Wean, next Monday, March 19.

Tryouts for the senior play, "Monsieur Petrochon's Journey," translation from the French, will be held Tuesday, March 20.

A game for the girls' class basketball title of the school was played this afternoon between the Freshmen and Sophomore teams.

Tickets for the high school Bible class meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening may be secured from Rufus Searls, Parker Newell, Howard Stelle, Louis Starkweather or Mac Fullerton.

The following cast has been selected for the junior play, "The Real Thing." Madinais, Harold Loizeaux; Bill, Robert Heron; Mrs. Perkins, Miss Anna Sherwin; Mrs. Hawkins, Miss Gladys Major; Mrs. Browning, Miss Mary Dall; Mrs. Pill, Miss Margaret Stout; Sidney, Miss Dorothy Cook; Jones. A rehearsal was held this afternoon.

The results of the Oracle Board elections which were held yesterday, resulted as follows. Business Manager, Juan Babcock. Junior members of the board; Mac Fullerton, Harold Loizeaux, Monroe O'Donnell and Howard Stelle. The Freshman and sophomore members have not been elected yet, but Chester Soirs secured a large majority of votes as one of the three sophomore representatives.

WEDDING ROMANCE OF TRIP TO EUROPE

Arthur A. Boyd, of New Brunswick, was beat man yesterday at the wedding of Miss Gertrude Kelynack to Charles McDade, in St. John's Episcopal church at Tuckahoe, N. Y. The wedding was performed by the Rev. John R. Atkinson, formerly of Elizabeth, who has conducted services at different times in this city. The bride went to England last October to become a Red Cross nurse. On board she met Mr. McDade, a linen manufacturer in Belfast, and the romance began then resulted in the marriage yesterday. They will make their home in Belfast.

TO TAKE TAX ASSESSORS OUT OF POLITICS

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, N. J., March 15.—By a vote of 12 to 0, the Senate yesterday afternoon passed the bill introduced by Senator Pierce of Union County to take the tax assessors out of politics. It provides that these officials be appointed by the municipal governing body instead of being elected. If any municipality desires, it may put the assessors under tenure of office. Assessors will complete their terms before the law, if enacted, is effective.

GERMANS REPULSED FRENCH ATTACK

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (via wireless), March 15. A daring daylight attack by the Germans on the west bank of the Meuse resulted in the capture of a French outpost south of Dummieres, the War office announced today, in its statement on operations on the western front. French attacks on the northwest slope of Height No. 185 were repulsed.

NOMINATION CONFIRMED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 15.—President Wilson gained a decided victory in the Senate today, when the nomination of C. T. Grayson, the White House physician, to be medical inspector of the navy, with a rank of Head Admiral, was confirmed by the Senate on a strict party vote.

PARTY FOR DR. PITTS

Dr. Albert Pitts was given a party at his home on East Front street, Tuesday night in honor of his birthday anniversary. Several intimate friends called and spent a pleasant social evening.

RUNYON VOTES "NO" ON HOME RULE

Trenton, March 15.—The home rule bill, composed of 136 pages of printed matter, the result of the labors of the commission named last year by Governor Fielder to study this subject and codify the laws on municipal government, was thrust upon the members of the House of Assembly yesterday afternoon at short notice and passed by a vote of 46 to 5.

Assemblyman William N. Runyon, of Union, cast one of the negative votes, not because he is opposed to home rule, but because he thought not one member of the House could, in so short a time, vote intelligently upon the measure. Registering a negative vote would come nearest being an intelligent vote, Runyon thought, and he followed that idea. The other "Noes" were from Amerman, Somerset, and Edgar, Middlesex, Republicans; Borden and Gallagher, Democrats, of Hudson.

Assemblyman Oliphant, the majority leader, acted in Mr. Dolan, of Hudson, according to the latter's speech on the bill:

"My God, don't ask me any questions about it."

PUNITIVE EXPEDITION BEGAN A YEAR AGO

One year ago today the United States punitive expedition, in command of Gen. Pershing, entered Mexico. Gen. Pershing's orders were to cross into Mexico when he was ready, and the Villa hunt began. The flying column to chase Villa was made up of 2,000 cavalry.

PASTOR SURPRISED

The Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, of the Monroe Avenue Methodist Church, was much gratified last evening to notice that there was an unusually large attendance at the mid-week prayer meeting, and he observed that practically every member of the Ladies' Aid Society was present.

The reason for the large attendance was explained, however, when John J. Frard, at the close of the meeting, asked everybody to adjourn to the Epworth house, where a surprise party had been arranged by the Ladies' Aid Society, in honor of Dr. Randolph who, it is expected, will be shortly transferred to another charge.

FOUND BOUCK WHITE GUILTY

New York, March 15.—Bouck White, pastor of the Church of the Social Revolution; Edward R. Ames and Augustus H. Henkel were found guilty early this morning of discarding the United States flag by burning it in the "melting pot of nationality" on June 1, 1916.

The jury returned its verdict after five hours' debate, with a recommendation for clemency. The other eight defendants were found not guilty and were discharged. Sentence will be passed upon White, Ames and Henkel today. They face a fine of $100 each, thirty days in jail or both.

WILL COLLECT OLD PAPERS

Troop 12 of Hope Chapel has designated next Saturday as the day to collect old newspapers about the city. The newspapers will be sold and the amount thus received to go toward a vacation fund for the boys. The members will meet at Hope Chapel at 9 o'clock and from there proceed about the city. William Richards, Scoutmaster of Troop 12, is now drilling Troop 1 at Somerville.

REVOLUTION IN PETROGRAD

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 15.—A state of revolution exists in Petrograd, in which the Duma has defied the Czar and taken control of the government. According to a statement given out by the Transocean News Agency, the ministers of the Imperial Cabinet have been arrested by the Duma's orders and imprisoned, according to the news agency.

ANDREW JACKSON'S BIRTHDAY

Today is the anniversary of the birth of Andrew Jackson, who was born March 15, 1767, in Waxham, N. C., settlement, where his parents had immigrated from Carrickfergus, Ireland, in 1765. He became seventh President of the United States in 1828. He died near Nashville, Tenn., June 8, 1845.

Film Fight at Phillipsburg.

Phillipsburg, March 15.—Protests against the exhibition of a motion picture play have been lodged with Mayor Kneedler by Rev. Charles F. Barrett, an evangelist conducting a revival at the Methodist Episcopal church; Rev. H. B. Leech, pastor of the church, and Rev. A. E. Davis, pastor of the Baptist church. Mayor Kneedler said he would consider the objections.

To Launch New Mexico.

Washington, March 15.—Secretary Daniels has announced that the Dreadnaught New Mexico, now nearing completion at the New York navy yard, will be launched in April, probably the last week of that month. The New Mexico will be the largest warship built at the New York yard. She is a sister to the Mississippi, recently launched, and of the Idaho, now being built in Camden.

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STOP DANDRUFF! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

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To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance, freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre. Try as you will you can not find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Adv.

GERMANS TRAIN MEXICANS FOR WAR WITH U. S.

El Paso, Tex., March 15.—Germany, through agents and the use of unlimited money, is organizing Mexico for war against the United States. Information received today from various sources in Mexico and along the border shows the existence of a general movement by Germans to make Mexico an ally of Germany.

In addition to subsidizing the Carranza government, Germany is reported, on what appears to be good authority, to be treating with Francisco Villa in an effort to make peace between the Villistas and the Carranza government, that the forces of Villa may join those of Carranza to *aid Germany. German agents are* known to have been for days in Villa's camp, persuading him to begin at once a campaign to harrass the border.

German plotters are reported busy in American army camps on the border. The disappearance of a new model machine gun from the camp of the Seventeenth Cavalry is believed to have been caused by a German-born trooper of that regiment.

WILL SELL PROPERTY ON WEST FIFTH STREET

Robert Murray will sell a valuable property on West Fifth street, corner of Arlington avenue, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The *house is well built and has a large* yard. The situation is central and is convenient for trolley and train, close to schools and churches, and within a few minutes' walk of the centre of the city. It will be sold to the highest bidder, with a free and clear title.

A full description of this property will be found in the advertisement in another part of this *paper.*

SHIP ARRIVALS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 15.—Arrived this morning:

S. S. Advance, from Christobal.

S. S. Helen, from Porto Rico ports.

S. S. Munsomo, from Buenos Aires.

S. S. Khristianajord, from Bergen.

S. S. Gulf Stream, from Port Arthur.

S. S. El Oriente, from Galveston.

S. S. Klatos, from Calcutta.

S. S. Jas. S. Whitney, from Boston.

S. S. Skulds, from Cuban ports.

S. S. Orkild, from Cuba.

S. S. Caracas, from Porto Rico.

S. S. Lampsaus, from Galveston.

S. S. Antilles, from New Orleans.

S. S. Arapahoe, from Jacksonville.

S. S. Lewischan, from Mejillones.

S. S. Sanson, from Cristobal.

S. S. Commewijne from Cape Haytien.

S. S. Thelma, from Matanzas.

S. S. Royal Arrow, from New Orleans.

S. S. Hansa, from Lisbon.

S. S. Herman White, from Portland.

ST. PATRICK'S SOCIAL

The Band of Workers, Class No. 2, of Trinity Reformed Bible school will hold its St. Patrick's social tomorrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Noe, at 436 East Sixth street. All members are requested to be present and bring their husbands. Phillip Vroom is the teacher of this class.

GERMANS SUCCESSFUL

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 15.—In a series of attacks on Russian positions on the Stochod, near Vlomiez, and near Yannica, on the Dniester, the German forces were entirely successful.

INFIELD OF SPORTS

TRAP AND FIELD

C. W. W.

I read with interest your column and am writing to ask you the name and address of the secretary of the American Revolver Association, as I should like to become a member.

Ans. The name of the organization is the United States Revolver Association and the secretary is J. B. Crabtree, Yalesville, Conn.

Perhaps you can tell me if there is any way to make a shotgun shoot higher. I constantly undershoot on clay targets and even on game birds. I cannot shoot high enough to get them.

Ans. Your trouble can be corrected by fitting a straighter stock to your gun. First try fitting a leather cheek pad to your present stock and keep adjusting it until you find out just the dimensions of stock that give you the best results and then you can have a new stock made for your gun.

W. A. M.

1. Why is it that the .22-calibre repeating rifle is not considered as accurate as the heavy single shot rifle?

Ans. Popular prejudice attributes accuracy to the long-barreled single-shot rifle, although scientific tests have shown conclusively that a .22-calibre repeater will shoot just exactly as well as any other type.

2. What is the reason for the National Rifle Association having all the shooting in the indoor league this year in the prone position?

Ans. I suppose it is because military authorities today consider that prone shooting is much more important than offhand work. I really think that much of our sport is sacrificed by this change, for offhand shooting requires more skill than prone work and there is consequently a better chance for competition.

3. Should the strap be very tight for prone shooting?

Ans. It should be tight enough so that it gives a comfortable position and a steady hold. If you get it too tight it will partially stop the circulation of the blood in your arm and cause a throbbing motion, which will spoil your shooting.

4. Assuming that I have a good rifle and ammunition and that I have a telescope on my rifle, what size groups would it be possible for me to make shooting with a rest for the barrel and my elbows? The rifle shoots the .22-calibre long-rifle cartridge.

Ans. If you are an expert shot you should be able to make half-inch groups of ten shots at 25 yards.

M. S.

1. Which is better on a high-power rifle, a pistol grip or a straight one? Doesn't the pistol grip give you a better hold on the rifle.

Ans. The tendency at present seems to be toward the pistol grip. At least all of the new models have been put on the market with this style grip. Personally, I prefer it on any kind of a rifle or shotgun.

2. Are there any standard rules for rapid-fire shooting with a rifle? I have been practicing the regular target bullseye shooting until I can do fairly well, but I think that practice in shooting quick will be better as training for game shooting.

Ans. There are any number of regular matches which include rapid-fire shooting, but none of them are arranged as preliminary training for field work. I suggest that you work out a set of conditions which will help you where you most need help. If you find that you take too much time in getting the rifle to your shoulder, practice raising the rifle to your shoulder and shooting one shot in a definite time limit—say, four seconds to start with. When you become proficient reduce the time somewhat. In all rapid-fire work remember that you are trying to train yourself to act like a machine and nervous haste is not conducive to methodical, accurate shooting.

3. What is a good size target to use for rapid-fire shooting?

Ans. A four-inch bullseye at 50 yards is about right. Using too small a bullseye will only result in a sort of poking slowness in your shooting.

BASEBALL CHATTER BECOMING BRISK

Little Notes and Sidelights Picked Up During the Past Few Days

With baseball dope going the rounds in encouraging fashion considerable interest is being manifested in the prospects and identity of the Washington, N. J., team. Just who will comprise the make-up of this tribe and whether the outfit will enter a league this season are subjects to be carped.

If "little Washington" decides to continue its policy of having a strong combination to represent it, Speedy Johnny Hunt, of Perth Amboy, will probably be seen in its midst.

Hunt has refused some flattering offers for the season because he is inclined to retain his position in the *City Hall at Amboy. He will be* available for Saturday afternoon ball, and his friends are rooting for him to go to Washington. Johnny is just out of his teens, and he's been a star performer and a shining light in Amboy ball, since he began his arithmetic. Every season he has been a big factor in Middlesex county, but he has never favored leaving his home territory.

Hunt, unlike other infielders, is a crack outfielder. He is at his best either at the initial station or in the outer garden. He speed has always kept him in a star role and he has natural batting instincts.

"Red" Grimes, of Somerville, idol of the Washington fans, will probably be in the Washington line-up, while offers will probably be sent to Tommy Mullin, of this city.

Nibs Hand, of Scotch Plains, a star in the old Central New Jersey League, playing for both the Plains and Dunellen teams at those days, will play on diamonds in and about Baltimore, playing semi-pro ball, according to the most recent of reports.

Eugene Lidgate, one of Fanwood's most popular and well-known ball players, will play week-end ball down in the Delaware County League this summer. This is the same circuit made famous some time ago by "Home Run" Baker. Lidgate, now working in the City of Brotherly Love, recently had an offer from Connie Mack to go South with the Athletics, but Gene wanted to hang on to a good job while he had it.

Stanley Lidgate, brother of Gene, will hang out with the Johns-Manville aggregation this summer. Stanley is a comer in the baseball world, and the factory aggregation will have a good one in him.

The Johns-Manville aggregation, by the way, is now holding practice daily and planning for a great season under the auspices of the recently-organized shop athletic association. The nearby team is to visit *the Lockport plant team of the* same concern on or about July 4, according to present arrangements for a return match, for the one played at the nearby suburb last year.

"FRESHIES" WALLOP THE JUNIORS IN STYLE

The Junior class girls' team of N. P. H. S. proved no match for the Freshman quintet on the Saengerbund Hall floor yesterday afternoon, the final count registering 20 to 4.

The score:

N. P. H. S. FRESHMEN	G.	F.	P.
Miss Keller, f	0	6	6
Miss Shotwell, f	4	6	14
Miss Fenton, c	0	0	0
Miss McDonough, g	0	0	0
Miss Vail, g	0	0	0
	4	6	20

N. P. H. S. JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Miss Barry, f	2	4	8
Miss Demarest, f	0	0	0
Miss Weiss, c	0	0	0
Miss Krewson, g	0	0	0
Miss Cary, g	0	0	0
	2	4	8

Referee, Townley; scorer, Scarborough; timer, F. Seidel.

"Weather or No"

The confirmed criminal puts a comma instead of a period at the end of his sentence.—Old Man Sage.

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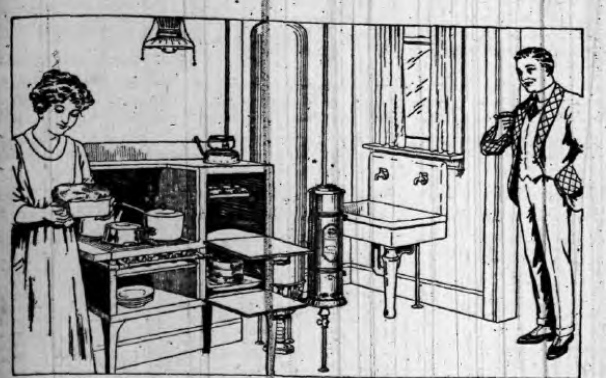

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STRIKE CRISIS COMES TODAY

Railroad Managers and Men Confer In New York.

ROADS TO REFUSE DEMANDS.

Expect President Will Seize Lines and Operate Them if Walkout is Ordered, but Dispatches From Washington Say He Believes He Has Not Power—Men Want Eight Hour Day and Overtime Pay.

New York, March 15.—The chiefs of the four big railroad brotherhoods today asked that the Adamson law be put into immediate effect when they met the railroad managers in conference at the Grand Central terminal. They declared that their men will wait no longer for the supreme court to pass on the law.

The answer of the railroads, decided upon at a meeting of the National Conference Committee of the Railways, will be a refusal to take any action pending the decision of the court.

Thus a deadlock seems certain. From Washington came word that President Wilson was ready to act if no solution averting a strike were found.

Nominally the brotherhood chiefs will represent a united constituency. Actually they represent two factions—the dominant radical group which insists on immediate action regardless of the effect upon the national situation, and an active minority which insists that, as a matter of patriotism, nothing shall be done at this time to complicate the situation or embarrass the president.

Both Sides Hope For Peace.

What will follow the answer of the railroads no one on either side would attempt to say. Elisha Lee, chairman of the managers' committee, expressed the hope that there would be no strike. William G. Lee, spokesman for the brotherhood, also expressed hope that peace would prevail, but added that the answer would come later in the week.

Fear of war was assigned by W. G. Lee for the brotherhoods' insistance at this time that the railroads agree to their eight hour day with ten hour pay.

"If war does come it may mean that our men will have to wait four or five years for their demands," he said.

Managers Hope Men Will Stick.

In a statement issued by the railway managers it was said:

"With the situation before us we feel confident that the patriotism and loyalty of our men will not countenance any rash movement which may seriously embarrass the government and give the impression outside our borders that this country is torn by industrial strife and therefore an easy prey to any foreign foe."

This morning Mr. Lee, with Warren S. Stone, representing the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; L. E. Sheppard of the Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors and W. S. Carter of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen and Enginemen will present what they term a compromise offer to the railroad managers.

They will ask, according to Mr. Lee, that the railroads at once grant the eight hour day with ten hours' pay irrespective of what the supreme court may decide the status of the Adamson law is. The compromise differs from the original demands of last summer only in that overtime pay is fixed at single time instead of time and one-half, then demanded.

President Still Hopeful.

Washington, March 15.—President Wilson is keeping close watch on the railroad situation and is ready to try to bring the two sides together if he sees an opening. While deeply concerned, the president is represented as feeling that under existing law he has done all he can.

The administration is hoping that the brotherhoods and the roads, mindful of the critical international situation, will find a basis for agreement. It is possible that if they fail to agree the president may decide before the strike begins to make one more appeal on the ground of national emergency.

LLOYD GEORGE WINS.

Compromise on India Cotton Tariff in House of Commons.

London, March 15.—The Lloyd George government won its first battle in the house of commons over the India cotton tariff by a compromise. On the test vote the ministry stood 293 to 125.

The circumstances of the victory are believed to show that Lloyd George will pass safely through the coming fights over home rule and the Dardanelles report. The free traders, who voted against him today are expected to be with him if divisions are forced on these questions.

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ARISTIDE BRIAND.

French Premier Who May Be Ousted From His Post.

Photo by American Press Association.

BAPAUME TO FALL AT ANY MOMENT

Germans' Retirement From Position Indicated.

London, March 15. — Bapaume, toward which British eyes have looked longingly since July of last year, may swarm with General Haig's soldiers at any moment. Under pressure of the British advanced units the Germans are still retreating from the region around the stronghold. The retirement which Prince Rupprecht's troops began for strategic purposes they have been compelled to continue until it has become almost a rout.

General Gough's troops have advanced their lines along a line of three miles to the west and southwest of Bapaume. The operation consisted of three thrusts. The first won new positions on a front of a mile and a quarter south of Achiet-le-Petit; the second resulted in the capture of a thousand yards of enemy trenches southwest of Essarts, on the extreme left wing of the Ancre line; the third cleared the German works for a mile and a half immediately to the west of Bapaume.

The latest British success spells the downfall not only of Bapaume, but of Essarts, Cucquoy and Achiet-le-Petit.

It means that, whether they contemplated it or not, the Germans will be forced to continue their retirement from many more miles of the great Arras salient. It brings the British troops once more into the open, no longer hampered by confining trench operations.

CHAUFFEURS FIGHT JUDGE.

Circulate Petition Asking For His Removal.

New York, March 15.—The Professional Chauffeurs' club and several similar organizations have started a campaign to remove Patrick B. House, magistrate of the newly installed traffic court. They will boom the candidacy to the office of an attorney who has been legal adviser of the chauffeurs' organization.

Magistrate House made an indirect answer to the movement by sending an automobile driver charged with speeding to jail for ten days without the alternative of a fine.

ENGLAND MAY CLOSE

30,000 SALOONS AT ONCE.

London, March 15.—Thirty thousand public houses in Great Britain may be closed soon.

The Daily Mail says certain of the brewers themselves have suggested sweeping measures on these lines as a solution of the financial situation from the restricted output of beer.

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$16.98 Misses' and Junior Suits .....12.60 Pleats everywhere this Spring—these are box-pleated—large collars—self or contrasting stitchings—navy, Copen, apple green, tan, gold 14 to 18 yrs. Alterations free of charge.

$12.98 and $13.98 Misses' and Junior Coats ..9.75 Variety of newest shades—sash or belt effects—buttons—all sizes. Alterations free of charge.

$2.98 Crepe Kimonos .....2.38 Silk and cotton—semi-Empire—pockets with corded shirring and tiny ruffle—glazed self ruffle neck and sleeves—Light blue, rose, pink, navy, Copenhagen.

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$1.24 House Dresses .....88 Well tailored striped percales and lawns—contrasting collars—Sizes 16 to 44.

$1.49 and $1.69 Women's House Dresses..1.17 Chambray—suitable also for maids or nurses—with turn over or standing collars—2 or 3 button cuff.

Women's House Dresses .....1.48 Lawn, percale, gingham—tailored or dressy styles—collars of self or pretty contrasts—reg. & extra sizes.

$4.98 Crepe Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses ...3.77 Designed with becoming frill or fine tucks in white, flesh, maize, Nile.

$2.00 Extra Size Voile and Batiste Blouses .....1.54 Well made, fine tucks, lace or embroidery trimmed—sizes 46 to 52.

$1.29 Women's Combinations ..83 Nainsook—trimd skirt or drawers.

49 ct. Women's Drawers .....38 Nainsook and cambric—ruffle of embroidery—or lace and insertion.

98 ct. Envelope Chemises .....74 Fine nainsook—with pretty emby and lace yokes—ribbon run.

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59 ct. Little Tots' Colored Dresses .....50 Gingham, chambray—normal belts or Empire effects.

98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses ..68 Gingham or chambray, in the new Spring styles—2 to 6 years.

$2.98 Babies' Long or Short Cashmere Coats .....2.25 White circular capes — cunningly trimmed with fine braid or simply plain—sizes to 3 years.

49 ct. Babies' Silk or Lawn Caps .41 Face ruching—silk ribbons—shirred or embroidered—to 3 years.

69 ct. Babies' Half Wool Shirts ..54 Medium and light weight—sizes to 3 years.

$6.98 Genuine Crex Rugs .....7.35 9x12 ft.—Grecian, scroll and novelty borders—green, red, brown effects.

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$4.98 Boys' Spring Suits ....3.85 Cassimeres, Cheviot, semi-Norfolk models, yoke or pinch-back — patch pockets—coat sizes—2 to 17 yrs.

$1.50 Boys' Trousers .....1.28 Straight or Knickerbocker styles—cheviots, worsteds, tweeds—medium or dark shades—fancy mixtures, herringbone stripes and fancies—7 to 17 years.

39 ct. Boys' Blouses .....28 Light and medium striped and figured percale collars attached—6 to 16 years.

49 ct. Rompers .....38 Gingham and chambray—fancy stripes and checks or in plain colors—high or low neck—2 to 8 yrs.

49 ct. Boys' Hats .....37 Gray, tan and mixtures in the new Spring styles, including Rah-Rah and Pinafore.

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$1.98 Men's and Women's Umbrellas .....1.54 Black—silk and linen mixed—plain or trimmed handles.

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SPRING

Spring is nature's apology for summer and winter. Everyone, including the man who froze his face last January, and the man who suffered a heat prostration last August, are supposed to be happy in spring. Spring is the time of year when radiators, tea kettles and prima donnas quit singing and the birds begin. Spring is everywhere in spring. In the air, the sky, the atmosphere, everywhere. There's only one place where spring isn't. That's in a $1 a day hotel bed. The only unpleasant thing about spring is poets.

M'COY'S ABILITY IS NOW UNAPPRECIATED

Recently when Al McCoy was matched with Les Darcy for a bout in Madison Square Garden every fight fan in New York began to pan the pending meeting. Likewise, most critics hopped into the panning brigade and gave the match a broadside or so. The result was that Promoter Grant Hugh Brown decided Al wouldn't do as an opener for his club in the garden and switched over to Jack Dillon when he had the chance.

Al McCoy has been laughed at so unmercifully since he luckily dropped George Chip in a single punch and came into Chip's alleged middleweight title that it behooves some one to slip in a word of commendation for him. McCoy is the toughest middleweight who has shown his wares in a New York ring for many a day. Dillon hit him with everything he had in stock and he didn't more than make the Brooklyn boy blink. They were crushing blows that most of the heavyweights would have fallen under. Al took them, and at the end of the bout he was just as fresh as Dillon. Had the bout gone ten rounds longer it is very doubtful if Dillon would have been able to wear down his lighter opponent, and if it had been one of the old-time 45-round affairs McCoy might have been the winner, although he was pitted against one of the toughest boys who ever stepped through the ropes of a ring.

McCoy didn't hit Dillon hard enough for the Indiana scrapper to really feel the effects of it. His heavy right hand has been greatly over-rated. But McCoy's style is a hard one to fathom. He is very hard to hit, and he is very dangerous. McCoy isn't a champion, but he stopped the man who was credited with being a champion and he fell heir to the title. But although he isn't a champion there isn't a middleweight now fighting, apparently, with the ability to take the title from McCoy in a ten-round, no-decision bout.

GRACE CHURCH BOYS LOST TO P. H. S. LADS

Playing on its own court, the Grace Church basketball aggregation went down to defeat before the College League team of the Plainfield H. S. Tuesday evening by a score of 36 to 28. The game was a fast one throughout, and not for one minute did either team let up in its good playing.

In the second half, with a slightly changed line-up, Grace Church started in with a rush to secure victory, but was unable to overcome the lead gained by the visitors in the first half.

Hannigan and Loizeaux were largely responsible for the victory of their team, putting in some great work at guarding.

The score:

GRACE CHURCH

	G.	F.	P.
Wright, f	5	0	10
Angleman, f	3	0	6
Horn, c	5	0	10
Shepherd, g	0	0	0
McKay, g	1	0	2
Cook, g	0	0	0
	14	0	28

COLLEGE LEAGUE

	G.	F.	P.
Fawcett, f	7	0	14
Shander, f	6	0	12
Chamberlain, c	5	0	10
Loizeaux, g	0	0	0
Hannigan, g	0	0	0
	18	0	36

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BORO' LOST GAME AT NEW BRUNSWICK

Middlesex County Seat Lads, However, Display Good Fighting Qualities

In a fast contest that was frequently interrupted by roughness on the part of opposing players, the North Plainfield High School team lost to New Brunswick High School yesterday afternoon, 44 to 35, on the latter's court.

The conquerors of Rutgers Prep, who have not been defeated on their home floor this year, were confident of victory before the fracas started. Just to upset the dope N. P. H. S. got off to a flying start at the blow of the whistle, coming through with some tingly shots which made the score close throughout the first period. Andy McDonough made four long shots during this stretch, but has held scoreless the last half with three "personals" hanging over his head. The score at the end of the period was 18 to 11 in favor of the N. B. quintet.

In the second half Captain Seidel and LaPorte took the places of Barry and Force, and with the regular line-up on the floor the Canadians rapidly closed up the existing gap, but during the last few minutes of play, Herman, the big Brunswick centre decided the decision with three rapid scores.

The score:

NORTH PLAINFIELD H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Abern, f	1	9	11
Force, f	1	0	2
McDonough, c	4	0	8
Willett, g	1	0	2
Barry, g	1	0	2
Seidel, g	1	0	2
LaPorte, g	4	0	8
	13	9	35

NEW BRUNSWICK H. S.	G.	F.	P.
Fulton, f	2	0	4
Indinot, f	3	7	13
Herman, c	7	0	14
Becker, g	2	2	6
Morris, g	1	0	2
Leach, f	3	0	6
	17	7	41

Referee, Smith; scorer, Gray; timer, Loubie.

BIG GAME AT T. A. B. S. COURT FRIDAY NIGHT

The appearance of the St. Patrick's team of Jersey City at the local T. A. B. S. court, originally booked for this evening, has been deferred until tomorrow evening at 8.15. Dancing will follow the game.

The St. Patrick's aggregation is one which was led for some time by Rev. Father Mahoney, now assistant rector of St. Mary's church in this city, and it was largely through his efforts that the Jersey City crew was induced to come to this city. This team is among the contenders at the present time for the Hudson county championship title. In the line-up of the visitors will be Joe Stapleton and Denny McLoughlin, both of St. Peter's College, who are well known throughout the State as fast players on the indoor court.

RIFLE CLUB NOTES

The largest number of the Plainfield Rifle Club members to turn out to a practice shoot reported at Company K armory last evening, and increased efficiency was noted. Encouraging, to say the least. President Atwood, however, states that there is still room for more. Get busy, fellows, get busy.

Business meeting tomorrow evening, the session to be short and to the point. Practice shoot to follow the formal gathering. Prompt arrival of the members at Company K armory, the place of meeting, and the hour of meeting, 8.15, means the prompt despatch of business.

A full attendance is desired. Reason: Membership is to be divided into squads for rifle competition purposes—sort of getting down to business, as it were. All those who can use a military rifle or who may think they can are expected to join one of the squads. A few of those who admit they are beginners can be used to fill in.

Beginners are always in order, which leads us to state that within the past ten days some fifteen applications for membership have been received, including all grades of shooters and rifle users. If you, reader, happen to be a beginner here is a chance to pass that point. Any officer will take an application. Any modest person desiring to join may leave his application with the sporting editor.

Don't forget the practice Saturday evening. No matter whether you join the regulars or the home guards in case of war the use of a rifle in the proper way is an essential. And we know a number of men who have been bragging about joining the home guards in case of war.

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CITY LEAGUE RACE SOMEWHAT TIGHT

Tie for Second Individual Honors Created in Last Series of Games

Taylor still leads the local bowling league individual pinners, and unless something of a radical nature happens soon, he is liable to continue to hold the honored position. Gates and Van of the Imperials and Elks, respectively, are now tied for second place honors. The former has been holding down third place for some time past.

The standing of the teams remains somewhat close. The Elks, holding down first place, are one game ahead of the Imperials. The Knights of Columbus, in due turn, are an even game behind the borroughites. The Tabs are safely holding down the cellar position. From present indications, the fight for the league leadership will be carried right through to the end of the circuit's season next month.

The official averages of the league given out this morning by Secretary George Howe are noted below, the figure to the left of the individual's name, indicating his position in the standing last week:

Team Standing

	W	L	Ave	HS
B. P. O. E.	27	15	874.37	975
Imperials	25	17	864.11	965
K. of C.	23	19	857.31	993
T. A. B. S.	10	32	830.35	958

Individual Records

		G	Ave	HS
1	Taylor, K. of C.	42	184.27	248
3	Gates, Imps	42	180.18	244
2	Vail, Elks	39	180.18	236
4	Voorhees, Imps	39	178.37	244
5	J. O'Keeffe, Tabs	42	178.17	245
6	Waldorf, Elks	36	177.2	255
8	Kiely, Elks	42	176.19	229
7	Causbrook, Elks	42	175.33	235
12	Skinner, Tabs	41	175.25	220
14	Howe, K. of C.	42	174.3	222
13	Mencenbach, Imps	36	173.8	192
11	Connelly, Imps	24	173.4	216
9	Duffy, K. of C.	42	172.30	221
15	Conover, Imps	25	170.14	209
17	McKenzie, Imps	28	168.22	216
18	Nash, Elks	36	168.4	202
20	Sullivan, K. of C.	24	166.22	200
19	Wilson, K. of C.	42	165.29	210
22	Lawton, Tabs	41	165.17	226
21	Force, Tabs	37	163.15	215
25	Kyle, Tabs	18	156.16	195
26	Donap, Imps	19	156.15	209
23	McInerney, K. C.	17	156.5	200
24	Mahoney, Tabs	19	155.19	199

DILLON UNFORTUNATE IN MANY RESPECTS

Jack Dillon, erstwhile Indianapolis hearcut, man-killer and holder of several other sanguinary titles, is the most unfortunate scrapper inhabiting the United States. His refusal to handle Jim Flynn, nice service in promoting the welfare of the new organization.

JERSEY DOGS IN CHICAGO SHOW

New Jersey will be represented in the annual dog show to be held in Chicago the last part of this week by the Chicago Kennel Club. Mrs. C. M. Lunt, of Rahway, has entered a Scotch terrier and Mrs. James Bredle Duke, of Bordentown, an Airedale.

POND SHOP TEAM IN NEW CIRCUIT

Local Factory Nine Admitted Into C. N. J. League at Last Evening's Meeting

DICK SCOTT PROMOTER

Baseball conditions and affairs in and about this city will be somewhat complicated this coming season if the latest reports are true. Early this week word was received in this office through official channels that the Pond Machine Company employes would have a team in the City League, as well as the Spicer Manufacturing Company of South Plainfield. On top of this come the official reports of last evening's session of the recently organized Central New Jersey League to the effect that the Pond team had been signed up by that circuit. Whether the Pond plant will have one or two teams on the field this season could not be learned with any certainty prior to press time.

The application of the Pond employes for a Central League berth was filed at the circuit's meeting held at the home of Tommy Apgar last evening, Dick Scott, the old-time player, standing sponsor for the application. The application was received and the team listed, making the circuit at present a five-club affair. The other teams already entered include the T. A. B. S. of this city, Westfield, Dunellen and Somerville.

Considerable business of a routine nature was transacted at last evening's session, during which many details of the coming season were discussed at length. President Britt Martin presided over the deliberations of the session.

Dick Scott, who is behind the Pond team, was a shrewd factor in local baseball activities two decades ago, being among the top-notch pitchers of Plainfield's palmy days. Twenty years ago Scott was the mainstay of the team which represented the Pond plant at that time in a number of games throughout the season. Scott was in his prime as a pitcher at that time and Bert Meeting, president of the Central circuit, was just breaking into fast amateur company. In this general direction. The return of Scott to the box for active service gives the new team a title of considerable interest with Meeting and Wesley McLaughlin doing their service in promoting the welfare of the new organization.

BULLS TAKE THREE AND LEADERS RUNG

While Bears Retire to Second Place Tie in Tab House Tourney

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bulls	18	9	959	.667
Leopards	13	11	931	.542
Bears	13	11	897	.542
Tigers	11	10	884	.524
Lions	12	12	918	.500
Foxes	6	18	926	.250

The Bulls threw the Bears last evening in the T. A. B. S. house tourney, and thereon hangs the tale. The Bulls, who have been holding down second place honors for the past few weeks, forced the Bears out of the first position, the recent leaders going into a tie for second place with the Leopards. And the Tigers and the Lions are not far behind.

Skinner, who incidentally has been doing some good work in the City League contests of late, rung up the high score of the evening at 225, maintaining a high average of 184.21. The Bulls took the entire three games of the evening with more or less ease, none of the scores being extra close.

The scores:

BEARS				Ave
Donnelly	186	125	132	147
Blimm	137	115	125	125
Winscomb	122	165	109	132
Guthof	153	134	164	150
Mahoney	172	165	172	169
	773	725	712	736
Total pins—2,210				

BULLS				Ave
M. O'Keeffe	192	166	154	170
T. O'Keeffe	149	130	163	147
Roach	178	176	121	158
Mont-Eynaud	158	153	174	162
Skinner	179	222	191	197
	856	811	803	822
Total pins—2,457.				

UNION SECONDS LOST

The Union Seconds entertained and defeated the Queen City aggregation last evening by a score of 5y to 3l. Both teams were in the league tussle for basket honors, the aggregation going to Union by this factor of the game.

The score:

QUEEN CITY	G.	F.	P.
Carson, f	3	1	7
Fering, f	3	0	6
O'Connor, c	6	0	12
Schempp, g	7	0	14
Sailer, g	0	0	0
	19	1	33

UNION SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Schlick, f	2	0	4
John Newell, f	5	0	10
Smith, c	6	0	12
Joe Newell, g	8	0	16
Clarkson, g	4	0	8
	25	0	50

CLIMAX GUN CLUB TO HOLD HOLIDAY SHOOT

The officers of the Climax Gun Club this morning announced plans for two special events at the weekly shoot of that organization to be held on St. Patrick's Day, Saturday, March 17. The throwing of several green targets will feature one of these special novelty events, while the details of the other novelty is being withheld until the time of the shoot. Prizes of merchandise will be given in the "green target" event.

A large number of shooters are expected to turn out to this shoot in consideration of the special events. Shooting will start promptly at 2.30 o'clock.

SAINTS TAKE TWO OF THREE GAMES

Social Club Girls Victors Over Bound Brook Feminine Pinners

While the basketball team of its club was being defeated in Newark the bowling crew of the St. Mary's Social Club was taking two of three games from the Bound Brook Social Club on the alleys of the latter organization last night. Miss Schuck of the locals secured the high score of the evening, 148, and high average, 130.

The locals have arranged a match with the Holy Trinity five of Westfield for Tuesday evening, March 21, on the T. A. B. S. alleys. Word from Westfield indicates that the match will take place will be accompanied by a large delegation of rooters.

Last night's scores:

ST. MARY'S S. C.				Ave
Miss McCauley	125	91	119	111
Miss M. Brady	91	99	101	97
Miss R. Brady	87	108	91	95
Miss Cashin	144	107	115	122
Miss Schuck	148	128	114	130
	595	532	540	556
Total pins—1,668.				

BOUND BROOK S. C.				Ave
Mrs. Zimmerman	92	114	90	98
Mrs. Hegeman	99	123	86	103
Mrs. Hodge	100	96	76	90
Miss Dibble	86	115	108	103
Mrs. Southard	128	110	95	111
	505	560	455	506
Total pins—1,520.				

GRAMMAR SCHOOL LOST

The Plainfield Grammar School five was defeated yesterday afternoon by the Company M Cadets of Somerville by a score of 24 to 14 in a fast and well-played contest. Spicer and Kennedy, two substitutes appearing in the local line-up, did excellent service for the school lads.

The score:

COMPANY M CADETS	G.	F.	P.
Woidin, f	6	0	12
Fritz, f	3	0	6
Youngman, c	3	0	6
Van Fleet, g	0	0	0
Hardgrove, g	0	0	0
	12	0	24

PLAINFIELD G. S.	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	4	0	8
Bowen, f	2	2	6
McCusker, c	0	0	0
Kennedy, g	0	0	0
Adolman, g	0	0	0
Spicer, g	0	0	0
	6	2	14

Referee, Starry; scorer, Brancati; timer, Chamberlain.

Girls' Game Friday Night

Woodbridge has cancelled its game with N. P. H. S., and instead the girls' team is arranging a game with some local feminine quintet to close the season. Dancing will follow.

SOCIAL CLUB LOST GAME AT NEWARK

St. Mary's Aggregation Put Up Good Game at State Metropolis Last Night

The St. Mary's Social Club five, visiting the Public Service Corporation girls of Newark last night, put up a good game at the indoor sport, but judging by the score the locals came home with the short end of an 11 to 6 count. The contest was staged with a division of rules, one half of the game being played under boys' regulations.

The contest was bitterly fought from one end to the other, and the Queen City girls certainly put up a great exhibition of the sport. The victory was snatched from the Plainfielders largely through the excellent shooting of Miss Wright, who played forward for the Newarkers.

The score:

ST. MARY'S S. C.	G.	F.	P.
Miss McCauley, f	0	2	2
Miss B. Gill, f	1	0	2
Miss M. Gill, c	1	0	2
Miss Rhinehart, g	0	0	0
Miss Barry, g	0	0	0
	2	2	6

PUBLIC SERVICE	G.	F.	P.
Miss Wright, f	3	1	7
Miss Deany, f	1	0	2
Miss O'Toole, c	1	0	2
Miss Barry, g	0	0	0
Miss Meehan, g	0	0	0
Miss Menghi, g	0	0	0
	5	1	11

Referee, McWalters; scorer, Traynor; timer, Rogers.

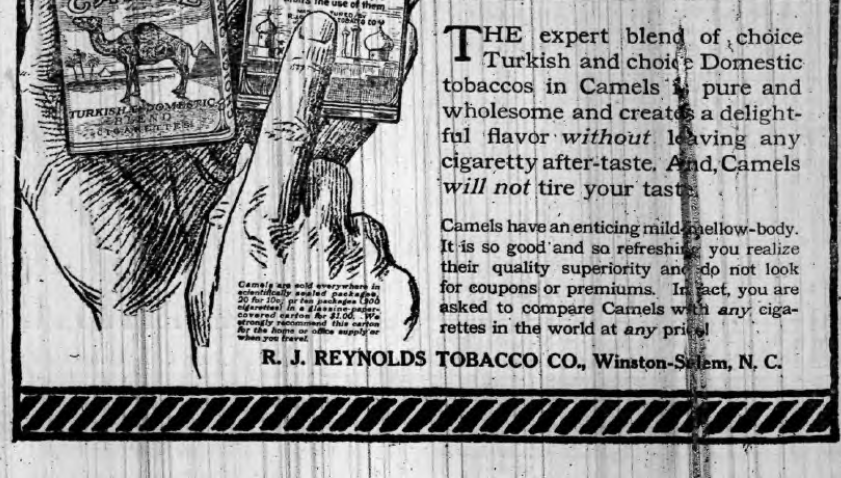
SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

New York—Dan McKetrick, manager of the Manhattan A. C., said yesterday that he postponed the Benny Leonard and Freddy Welsh go to March 26, so as not to conflict with other boxing contests.

New York—Johnny Kilbane, who is in town, wants a match with the winner of the Benny Leonard and Freddy Welsh contest. Kilbane said he will waive the weight question and take on either Leonard or Welsh. Johnny is matched with Tommy Tuohey, the Paterson lightweight, March 30.

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Pat Moran, manager of the Phillies, yesterday said he was determined to put a ball team on the field that will be fighting it out with the leaders this season. It was rumored in camp that he had decided to trade Whitted if he persists in holding out. Report had it today that Jack Bentley, of Brooklyn, who is a holdout, will be the man asked for in return for Whitted.



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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Just how to serve an engagement luncheon, and what the menu should consist of, seems a seasonable topic just now, and I have had so many requests for information in regard to such an "announcement party," that the article this evening will be devoted to this very interesting subject.

Before the news of her engagement is given to the world at large (generally through the newspapers), the fiancee invites her little circle of friends to a small function of some kind, preferably a luncheon, and there, in some ingenious way, announces the great news.

In laying the table, use bunches of sweet peas (in their delicate pastel coloring) as the floral decorations. Select one large basket for the center and four smaller ones grouped at the corners of the table and utilize as the place cards small blue birds (which mean happiness). Have the birds painted in water colors and made with a little inside of which may be written: "A little bird told me that ——— (the name of the hostess) is engaged to be married to ——— (the lucky man's name).

Following will be found the menu for the luncheon and recipes for preparing the various dishes served:

Grape Fruit Cocktail
Bouillon in Cups Crackers
Radishes Olives Salted Nuts
Traymore Chicken Timbales
Celery Potatoes Duchess
Fruit Salad
Knickerbocker Souffle Vanilla Sauce
Marrons Glace Coffee

Grape Fruit Cocktail

Shred the edible pulp from four grape fruit and add sugar (powdered) to taste, four tablespoonfuls of shredded pineapple, the same of chopped Maraschino cherries and enough of the cordial to form a good syrup. Chill directly on the ice and serve in stemmed sherbet glasses.

Traymore Chicken Timbales

Force cold cooked chicken, or boiled fowl, through a food chopper and then repeat. There should be one and a half cupfuls. Pound until very smooth and gradually add the yolks of three eggs, half a cupful of heavy cream and one-third of a cupful of white wine. Fold in the whites of three eggs, beaten stiff. Butter individual timbale molds and fill one-quarter full of white sauce, to which has been added half a tablespoonful of minced pimentos. Fill up the remainder of the molds with the chicken mixture, set in a pan of hot water and, after covering with buttered paper, bake until firm. To serve, unmold on a hot chop platter, when the sauce will run down the sides of the timbales. Garnish with parsley.

Duchess Potatoes

Scoop out the inside of four hot, baked potatoes and force through a potato ricer. Add once and a half tablespoonfuls of butter, the yolk of one egg, three tablespoonfuls of cream, half a teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of pepper and a few grains of nutmeg. Set on the range and beat for three minutes. Then gradually add the white of one egg, stiffly whipped. Shape between two buttered tablespoons, place on a buttered sheet and bake in a hot oven until delicately browned.

Knickerbocker Souffle (frozen)

Let half a cupful of chopped, candied fruit soak in rum to cover over night. Cook two-thirds of a cupful of sugar with one-third of a cupful of water and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, without stirring, to the soft ball stage, and pour in a fine stream upon the yolks of five eggs, that have been beaten until lemon-colored. Return to the fire and cook over hot water until well-thickened (do not boil). Beat occasionally until cold. Have one and one-half cupfuls of chilled double cream, beaten solid, combine with the egg mixture and pour into an ornamental mold. Sprinkle the drained fruit in with the souffle as you fill the mold, adjust the water-tight cover and bury in ice and rock salt for four hours before serving.

Marron Glaces

Use the preserved French chestnuts. Drain, dry and dip in the following syrup: Put in a saucepan two cupfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of corn syrup, one cupful of water and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Stir until the sugar is dissolved. Then boil, without stirring, until it is a light, straw color. Remove from the fire and place in a pan of hot water while the chestnuts are dipped. Lay on waxed paper to harden.

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THE LOST FAIRY—Part I

Once upon a time there was a fairy who married a mortal, though her husband did not know she was a fairy.

It happened that one night a fairy strayed from her Queen and her sister fairies and flew away to the top of a mountain, where there lived a poor peasant youth who was very handsome.

The fairy found the peasant asleep outside his door in the moonlight, and when she saw his handsome face she fell in love with him.

But, of course, she knew she could never be his wife as long as she remained a fairy, so she flew away to an old witch for whom she had done many kindnesses and told her she wanted to become a mortal, for she had fallen in love with a mortal and could never be happy again without his love.

"You know what will happen if you are discovered by your Queen even if you have been changed into a mortal," said the old witch.

"Yes, I know," said the fairy, "but I would risk even that to be the wife of my beautiful love. Change me quickly, I beg you, Mother Witch, that I may return to him before he awakes."

So the old witch changed her into a beautiful girl and gave her a pair of shoes to wear to climb the mountain with.

"These shoes you must throw over the mountainside as soon as you reach the top," said the witch, "as they are enchanted, and if the fairy Queen or any of your sisters saw them they would know at once you were the fairy who ran away, for they will never cease to hunt for you."

The fairy girl promised she would do as the witch told her, and slipped the shoes on her feet, and up the mountain she glided and stood beside the sleeping peasant. She quite forgot the shoes, so anxious was she to awaken her lover. The peasant opened his eyes, and when he saw the beautiful girl he fell in love with her and asked her to be his wife.

The next day the Fairy Queen called her fairies and found one was missing. "Look for her," commanded the Queen. "Look high and low, and if she has run away she shall suffer the penalty."

So the little fairies flew away. They looked under the stones, they looked under the leaves; they even looked into the river, but nowhere could they find their sister fairy, and they gave her up for lost.

But not so the Queen. She must be found," she told the fairies. "No fairy can be lost forever. Either she has run away and become a mortal or she can be found. Look on the tops of all the mountains tonight and I will go with you."

The fairy girl was very happy with her husband and he loved her very dearly, but where she came from she would never tell him, and that sometimes made him quite unhappy.

The shoes the witch had told the fairy girl to throw over the side of the mountain she had hidden under a bush, thinking some day she might need them, and there the Fairy Queen found them and knew they were magic shoes.

"She is on the mountaintop," said the Queen. "We must find her. I feel sure she has become a mortal. She shall be punished well for this."

So the fairies and the Queen flew about the mountain until they came to the cottage where the peasant and the fairy girl lived and looked in the window.

At first the Queen was not sure that the fairy girl was the runaway fairy, but she knew that if she were the lost fairy she would see her when she tapped on the window. So the Queen made herself invisible to mortal eyes that the peasant might not see her, but she knew that the girl, if she ever had been a fairy, would always be able to behold her Queen.

"Tap, tap, tap" went the Queen's

wand on the window, and quick as a thought the fairy girl looked up, and saw the Queen.

She turned very pale and her husband caught her in his arms, but she told him it was only the prick of her needle on her finger that had made her faint and that she was not ill.

That night when her husband was asleep the fairy girl stole out of the house, for she knew the Queen had come for her, and there was only one chance of escape, and that was to get the shoes and reach the old witch before the Queen could touch her with her wand.

She closed the door very softly and started for the bush where the magic shoes were hidden, and just as she put out her hand to take them out of the shoes jumped the fairies, and the Queen, who had been hiding under one of them, reached out with her wand and touched the girl fairy on her head.

Tomorrow I will tell you what happened to her.

Tomorrow's story — "The Lost Fairy."—Part II.

SEED SUPPLY EXHAUSTED, GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCES

Washington, March 15.—Since the home gardening movement began throughout the country as a means to meet the increased cost of food the Department of Agriculture has been swamped with hundreds of thousands of requests for free seeds.

Officials of the department say that unfortunately they have no seeds to distribute. The free seeds provided Congress are distributed as members of Congress themselves direct, and this year's supply of about $200,000 worth was long ago exhausted. No more free seeds will be available until late in the summer.

FREAKISH GOWNS AND SUMMER FURS MUST GO

By United Press:

Chicago, Mar. 15—Freakish styles in the costumes of American womenare doomed, the 1,500 designer-dressmakers here for the sixth semi-annual convention of the Fashion Art League of America said today. They will compete for prizes offered for the best and simplest designs of various gowns, including taillour, afternoon and evening frocks.

Exhibitions of the gowns on mannequins will feature the convention, which ends Thursday evening. As an example of the pressure the designers are being put to in their efforts to eliminate freakish modes, the style committee has issued an edict, tabooing "summer furs." No longer will milady appear in the invrid tempeature of a July day, muffled to the ears in furs if she would display good taste.

The designers, however, are discriminating carefully between the sensible and the extreme, and have therefore made no effort to banish the very practical short skirt.

"Skirts are to hang straight, with 2 to-2 1-2 yards about the hem. They should be 6 to 8 inches from the ground—a "tiny bit" longer than last season," said Mme. Allie E. Bailey, president of the league.

Dresses are to be of wool, or combinations of wool and silk, and the hats, parasols and other accessories are to be of constrasting color to enliven the ensemble.

$20,000 A YEAR FOR PTOMAINE POISON PROBE

By United Press:

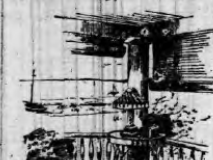
Cambridge, Mass., March 15.—The National Canners' Association has offered $20,000 annually for three years to be used in the investigation of food poisoning. This has been accepted by Harvard University, and an extensive research into the subject of ptomaine poisoning, with special reference to canned goods, is to be made by the Harvard Medical School, under the direction of Dr. Milton J. Rosenau, professor of preventive medicine.

SOLVE GIRL HELP PROBLEM

New Brunswick, March 15.—Free rubbers and umbrellas have solved the labor problem of the Russell Playing Card Company, near Milltown, which employs a large number of girls living in this city.

The company has laid in a stock of rubber overshoes and umbrellas and has announced that their girl employes can borrow these, free of charge, any time they wish. The company will furnish hot coffee free at noon.

Milady and the New York Shops



Rug-Wonderland

"Are you blase?"

This question hurled at me in the midst of a conversation with several of my friends fairly startled me.

Was I? I didn't know and scarcely had any way to judge myself. I had traveled all through Europe and the Orient. I had visited Australia, New Zealand and Hawaii. The pyramids of Egypt and the immortal Sphinx had thrilled me no less than the magnificent Alps of Switzerland. I was no snob at home in Chinatown of San Francisco as I was on Fifth Ave. in New York. I plodded in calling myself "cosmopolitan"—a world citizen. And because I had dared look bored at a performance of the dancing of Isadora Duncan, my friend had intimated that I was "blase."

"I don't think I am," I ruminated to myself. "I believe I have a few thrills left. I wonder! I wonder!"

I did not have to wait long to prove, even to my own satisfaction, the total untruth of this bald assertion. It was only the next day that I discovered I was as full of life as ever, that the seeing of something NEW, something DIFFERENT would send me into those ecstasies which the repetition of something old—however, good and beautiful it was—could never do.

It was on the fifth floor of H. Altman & Co. (you must know that wonderful institution, occupying an entire block between Fifth and Madison Avenues and Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Streets), and I asked to see their summer and porch rugs for my beautiful home out in the suburbs. I expected to see the "same old things," but imagine my surprise when the efficient salesman showed me a line of something absolutely unexpected and an extreme novelty.

I had spent a very pleasant week in the Isle of Formosa, off the Chinese coast and I had seen a fibre growing there, but I never knew that rugs had been made of it. Yet there they were, the most exquisite bright combinations of high colored blocks with tan centers, that one can imagine! Any porch of a summer home would be absolutely enchanting dressed up in one of Altman's purple and black or rose and black combinations, and on the floor below you could get splendid wicker furniture made just to match!

These fibre rugs also come in the natural coloring of the fibre itself. They are made exclusively for H. Altman & Co. and can be built up in any size and any shape, of course, in any color. Just like building a sidewalk of paving stones. The favorite colors are the ones in three in the Japanese smart suit suits demanded by Dame Fashion, which will be used in rugs from porch furnished to match your newest and most favorite gown!

Altman's have many other splendid porch and summer rugs, out-of-the ordinary too, so that anyone who wishes to "differ from the crowd" can surely become satisfied with a choice of several styles. There are the handwoven cotton rugs with Japanese designs of a delicate nature and jute rugs in Oriental designs, very attractive for porch or summer wear and moderate in price, that would serve Justice well as a real Oriental, for the winter days.

Equally as desirable are Altman's sea-grass rugs from Canton, China with natural straw centers and green and brown borders. Or for utility wear one might choose a heavy rag rug, which comes in beautiful, delicate shades, unusual designs and artistic borders.

It seemed almost impossible not to order some of Altman's hand-braided rugs, which can be made up in any size or shape or color combinations in any number of pretty designs. Although both floor rugs are extremely unusual and they have originated several pretty oddities.

"Am I 'blase'?" I think not.

Milady Carryl

LIQUOR SALE TO HUSBAND COSTS SELLER $20,000.

New York, March 15.—Twenty thousand dollars was the fine for selling liquor to her husband after a warning not to sell to him had been duly given the saloonkeeper, Mrs. Ida M. Heaton of 827 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street by a jury in the supreme court of the Bronx, Justice Guy Pressing.

The suit was against William R. Talbot, a liquor dealer of Beason, N. Y., but the saloon appeared to defend it nor was he represented. The jury brought in a verdict for the full amount.

Mrs. Heaton testified that at one time her husband, Richard F. Heaton, was a prosperous business man with a chain of grocery stores in Beason, Pinkhill Landing and other Westchester towns and a profitable paper bag factory. But, she said, he became so addicted to drink that three years ago she had to sell.

Talbot, who kept a hotel and bar,

ARREST OF GIRL CLEARS UP MYSTERY

Elizabeth, March 15.—With the arrest of a twelve-year-old girl the mystery of the disappearance of $4 from the home of Mrs. Rose Labraz of Niles street and of $10 from the home of Mrs. Anna Samual of 218 N. street was cleared up and an unique scheme for securing money nipped in the bud. The girl was sent to the House of Good Shepherd, Newark, today by Judge Mahon.

Although the money was missed the two women Saturday, no report was made to the police. The incident was recalled to them yesterday when the girl called and asked if they had been recently robbed. Admitting such was the case, she explained that she was employed by the "Safety First" branch of the Police Department to warn women against leaving money in their homes and to receive such money for deposit in the "Safety First" Bank, which, she said, was located in Newark. After hearing the girl's story the women called in the police.

WARREN TEACHERS TO CONVENE

Belvidere, March 15.—The Warren County Teachers' Institute will be held in the Phillipsburg High School auditorium Monday and Tuesday, March 26 and 27. Dr. Calvin N. Kendall, State Commissioner of Education, will be the speaker at the initial session. Lee Driver, superintendent of schools in Wayne county, Pa., will deliver an illustrated lecture Tuesday afternoon. Exhibits of drawing, penmanship and hand work done in rural schools of Warren county will be a feature.

Old blank forms, ballots and poll books which have accumulated in the courthouse will be turned into scratch paper for use in county schools. Decision to make this use of the forms, only one side of which had been printed on, was reached recently by the Board of Freeholders on account of the shortage of paper.

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INTERESTING OLD COPIES OF HARPER'S WEEKLY

Among the keepsakes owned by Charles Herbert, of 407 East Sixth street, is a number of copies of Harper's Weekly, printed from the years 1859 to 1860. One copy under date May 5, 1860, contains a double page picture of the Keenan gag Savage fight in England for the championship of the world.

The continued story, "Woman in White," by Wikkie Collins; "Capt. Sarah, of the Schooner Centipede," Lieut. H. A. Wise, U. S. N., a predecessor of the present Henry A. Wise, who is much in the public eye; pictures of the Democratic National Convention in Charleston; pictures of beds in Bellevue Hospital, showing primitive conditions, and other matters of the sanitary conditions of today; the picture showing rats running over the beds, are some of the features of this issue.

TO REPORT FAVORABLY ON COLOMBIAN TREATY

By United Press to Courier-News:

Washington, March 15.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee ordered a favorable report on the Colombian treaty, providing for the payment of $25,000,000 to Colombia for the loss of Panama and amended otherwise with a view to expediting its ratification at this session of the Senate.

NAZIMOVA CLOSES AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE TONIGHT

At Proctor's Saturday

Nazimova in "War Brides" closes a successful three-day engagement at Proctor's tonight. In addition today "Pearl of the Army" with Pearl White is shown.

Tomorrow, Clara Kimball Young is starred in the story "Without a Soul," Valentine Grant, Paramount star, is also seen in "The Daughter of MacGregor."

On Saturday the program will be "All Star," Pauline Frederick appears in "Ashes and Embers," a five-part Famous Players play, and Ethel Barrymore in "The Awakening of Helena Richie." "Krazy Kat," a cartoon comedy, will be shown for the children.

On Monday and Tuesday Mary Pickford will appear in her most triumphant screen production "The Poor Little Rich Girl," which is acknowledged to be the best picture in which she has ever appeared.

NEW VAUDEVILLE BILL AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

A new bill that will continue tomorrow and Saturday began its engagement this afternoon at the Plainfield Theatre. "The Monkey Cabaret," an act that shows to what a degree monkeys can be trained, is the first number on the bill, and others that follow are: Jack Symonds, who is billed as "The Man of Ease"; Catherine Hayes and Louise Arnold in an argument set to music; Williams and Williams in a sketch entitled "At the Bookstore," and Stone, Light and Hardy in a comedy, singing and dancing vehicle.

The last episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown at the theatre tomorrow afternoon and night. Today there will be several comedy reels and Hearst-Pathe Weekly.

THE NEW BON TON GIRLS COME HERE MONDAY

Nothing has been left undone or untried that could in any way have added to the brightness of the specialty "The New Bon Ton Girls," to be offered the coming Monday at the Plainfield Theatre. It has twenty musical numbers and scenery unsurpassed anywhere in newness and clever artistic features.

The cast perhaps is unexcelled in the history of burlesque, for the company has as its leaders Leo Hoyt, Lee Tabor and Babe La Tour. These leaders are ably assisted in the funmaking by Madyn Parker, June La Vesy and Callahan and Jackson, the latter furnishing a whirlwind dance that is considered one of the swiftest dancing acts ever seen on a burlesque stage. The chorus is composed of pretty girls who can sing as well as dance thereby furnishing an unusual combination for enjoyment.

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White Rose Oats, special; 3 10c pkgs. for	25c
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Mueller's Spaghetti or Macaroni, 3 10c pkgs., special	25c
Little Boy Blue Spaghetti or Macaroni; 3 10c pkgs., special	25c
Brownie Brand Fancy Asparagus, qt. can	20c
Rutabaga Turnips, special, 6 lbs. for	25c
Nepco Brand Smoked Sardines, packed in Pure Olive Oil; value 15c; spec.	10c
Spanish Peppers, 15-oz. can; value 20c; spec.	15c
Hotel Astor Rice; 3 10c pkgs., spec. for	25c
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Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per box	8c	Campbell's Pork and Beans, per can	10c
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GEORGE H. FROST DIES IN SEVENTY-NINTH YEAR

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THE LATE GEORGE HENRY FROST

George H. Frost died yesterday afternoon at his home, 745 Watchung avenue. Mr. Frost's death was due to a stroke of apoplexy which occurred on December 23 last, up to which time he had been in the active enjoyment of good health. His condition improved rapidly for a time, but about four weeks ago, owing to complications and his advanced age, he began to decline, and for the last ten days had been unconscious most of the time.

The funeral will be held from his late residence tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and the interment will be made in the family plot in Hillside cemetery.

Mr. Frost was president of the Courier-News Publishing Company. He bought the paper from the late Frank W. Runyon in June, 1904, taking possession July 1, that year.

George Henry Frost was born July 9th, 1838, in West Hawkesbury, on the Ottawa River, Ontario, Canada. His parents were both of old New England stock, his father, Ebenezer Frost, being descended from Edmund Frost, who immigrated from England to the Colonies in 1635, while his mother, Caroline Harwood Frost, was descended from Nathaniel Harwood, who came from England to Boston about 1664. They lived, at the time of their marriage, at Canton, N. Y., both being amongst the original pioneers of St. Lawrence County, but about 1836 they removed to Canada and settled on the banks of the Ottawa River which provided favorable water power facilities for the father's business of iron forging and where the industrial conditions seemed to offer opportunities of success. Later, in the spring of 1839, Mr. Frost's parents again moved, this time to Smith's Falls, Ontario, then a small settlement of about 400 inhabitants, on the Rideau Canal, which had been opened only a short time previously for traffic between the Ottawa River and Lake Ontario.

Mr. Frost obtained his early education at the village school, but in 1854 was sent by his father to an academy at Glover, Vt. On returning to Smith's Falls he taught school there for a short time and then prepared to enter McGill University, from which he graduated in 1860 with the degree of Civil Engineer. At the time of his last illness he was the oldest graduate of the Engineering Department of McGill. After serving as an apprenticeship to a licensed land surveyor he received, in 1863, his diploma of Provincial Land Surveyor, but not being satisfied with

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Y. M. C. A. MEETING TO BE HELD IN THEATRE

Another of the Y. M. C. A. meetings is to be held Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, in the Plainfield Theatre.

An address will be given by W. G. Landes, general secretary Pennsylvania State Sunday School Association. He is a forceful and interesting speaker, and this opportunity to hear him, should secure a large audience. Clifford A. Braider has arranged to have the Beiderwolf choir furnish the music.

It is requested that all members of the choir be at the theatre by three o'clock, with the Beiderwolf hymn book and a small American flag.

Emil Closs, with his famous Gospel Bells, is to assist with the music.

Doors open at three o'clock. Service begins promptly at 3.30.

At this meeting the ladies are cordially invited.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Robert Murray will sell by auction tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the premises, No. 210 West Fifth street. This is a particularly desirable property and close to the center of the city. The house contains nine rooms and there is a large lot. Further particulars will be seen in the advertisement in another part of this paper.

—For Sale—Second-hand motorcycle, slightly used, at Leo Zeisel's.—Adv. 3-14-4t

PLEASING ST. PATRICK'S PROGRAM AT Y. W. C. A.

An attractive program was presented at the St. Patrick's social at the Y. W. C. A. last night, consisting of vocal and instrumental selections, shadow pictures, pantomime and recitations, with Irish melodies by an orchestra, the whole affair being in the nature of a vaudeville entertainment.

The shadow pictures were very amusing, one, "Wilkins and Dinah," being given by Miss Marion Stryker, Miss Dorothy Seader and Miss Esther Karner and the other, "An Attack of Indigestion", was portrayed by Miss Agnes Gilfillin, Miss Clara Hadley and Miss Miriam Neter. "Michael Flannagan Advertising for a Wife" was presented in pantomime by a large number of the young women. Miss Harriet Mattison recited "Cleopatra's Needle" and a stirring Irish jig was given by Miss Nettie Steiner and Miss Ida Engelhart, appearing in costume. Interspersing the various numbers the orchestra gave popular selections, and at the conclusion of the program refreshments were served. The affair was under the auspices of the Camp and Conference Club of the association.

Announcement

The H. A. Bonn Co. wish to announce that recently they had the good fortune to obtain the services of a millinery designer and trimmer, who for many seasons past has been designing for several exclusive Fifth avenue shops. The hats we are displaying have a certain charm and touch of newness that only a real artist can give.—Adv.

DEFEAT SUFFRAGE AT TRENTON

Assemblyman Runyon Sings 'The End of a Perfect Day' as Disorder is Quelled

(By United Press)

Trenton, March 16.—Attended by the greatest disorder that has occurred in the Legislature in years, the House late yesterday put a quietus to the effort of suffragists to gain at least a partial use of the ballot right. This effort was frustrated when the House concurred in the adverse report made by the committee on miscellaneous business on the bill introduced by Assemblyman Robinson, of Bergen county, to let women participate in the election of presidential electors and thereby express their choice for President.

Having been petitioned yesterday by fifteen members to report the bill, Assemblyman Pancoast, of Camden County, chairman of the committee, sent it to the Clerk's desk today with an adverse report. The Clerk announced its receipt and Speaker Schoen arbitrarily declared the report adopted. Immediately, there was a storm of protest, friends of the measure demanding a roll call. Assemblyman Dolan, of Hudson County, and other members caused such an uproar that further business was out of the question and the Speaker was fast losing control of the situation when Pancoast came to his rescue with a motion for a ten-minute recess. This was voted and served to bring order out of chaos, Assemblyman Runyon, of Union county, a splendid singer, helping to soothe the "savage breasts" by rendering "The End of a Perfect Day." Mutual apologies followed by the Speaker and others concerned, the roll was called and the report adopted, the anti-suffrage Republicans being too numerous for the friends of women's votes.

PLANS FILED FOR ADDITION TO POND'S

New Building Will be 288 Feet Long—To Cost $35,000

The Niles-Bement-Pond Company this morning filed with Building Inspector Deane, plans and applications for an addition to their present factory in South Second street, between Clinton and Grant avenues.

The addition which is to be constructed on the westerly side of the present building, will be 288 feet long with a width of 73 feet, and a height of 52 feet. It will be of concrete, steel brick and glass construction, and will cost approximately $35,000.

In addition to this structure the same concern is planning to construct an office building on property recently acquired at the corner of Prescott place and South Second street. It was learned today that this building will probably be six stories high.

It is said that the concern plans to remove a portion of its Philadelphia plant to this city, and will give employment to at least 100 more skilled mechanics.

The Niles-Bement-Pond Company is one of the largest manufacturers of machine tools and heavy cranes in the country. It is understood that the company has orders enough ahead to keep its plant in full operation night and day for at least two years.

A set of new officials recently took charge of the local plant, and many improvements have been made at their instigation. The concern owns a large tract of land between its present factory and Clinton avenue, which affords ample room for future expansion.

PRICES FOR SUNDAY NEWSPAPERS ARE FIXED

Newsdealers of the city at a conference held last night at the store of W. H. Olmsted on Watchung avenue decided to fix the price for Sunday newspapers sold at the stands at eight cents and when delivered the price will be nine cents. This will necessitate the employment of carrier boys who receive a penny for each newspaper delivered. This adjustment or prices, it was thought, would be fair to both the dealers and the customers.

Recently the wholesale price of the Sunday newspapers has been raised so that it costs the local dealers 5½ cents a copy delivered at the North avenue station, and there is an additional few cents expense to them in handling the newspapers.

The dealers decided last night to defer plans for perfecting an organization until the meeting to be held next week. At that time officers will be elected and a tentative agreement adopted. About twenty dealers attended last night's meeting.

Miss Edythe Bechtel

specializing in children's and misses' hats, with M. L. Van Derveer, 110 Depot Park.—Adv.

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

24th Chapter of Early Settlers in This Vicinity From Date of Land Purchase

FROM 1684 TO 1784

This Article, Written by Oliver B. Leonard, of This City, Closes Line of John Laing, Jr.

This is the twenty-fourth article on the early settlers in Plainfield, written by Oliver B. Leonard, of this city. The earlier chapters were published on the twenty-three preceding Fridays:

1720—Isaac and Amible Laing—

ISAAC LAING (youngest, but one of this large family of a dozen children) was born February 10, 1720. His parents were John Laing, Jr., 1675, and Elizabeth Shotwell, whose marriage occurred in 1705. The last two children of John, Jr., and Elizabeth, viz., Jacob Laing, born 1722, and Christiana Laing, born 1724, the writer is uninformed about at present, but may furnish notes some other time. Isaac Laing, born 1720, was married to Annabel (or Amible) Edgar, and had a family of seven, as follows:

(1) Abraham Laing, born 1747 and married Catharine Edgar. (2) Jennet Laing, born 1749, married Josiah Wilson. (3) David Laing, born 1751. (4) Elizabeth Laing, born 1754. (5) Thomas Laing, born 1758; married 1781 to Martha Webster, and to second wife, Mary Shotwell, in 1793. By first marriage they had five, viz., (1) David, born 1782; (2) Hugh Laing, born 1783, married Catharine Davids; (3) Catharine Laing, born 1787, married Joseph King.

(4) Isaac Laing, born 1789, and (5) William Laing, who was born 1785 and married twice, Martha Freeman and Catharine R. Moore. By first wife there were five, viz., John, married Margaret Kellum; Margaret married Henry R. Shotwell; Alvah E. married Ann E. Underhill, and had Howard and Nellie, married Frank C. Green; Elizabeth and Thomas. By second wife (William and Catharine R.) were five, viz., Martha, Henry, Walter, married Ann Larkins; had Walter, Jr.,

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PROBASCO CLASS PRESENTS PLAY

Tonight at Plainfield High School the Probasco Bible class will present its fifth annual play, a farce comedy, "Too Many Husbands," by Anthony Wills. The play is full of good humor and quick action and excitement and is bound to bring many a hearty laugh. The cast is in fine trim and is bound to do credit to the coach, Mrs. G. Stuart Simons.

The Probasco class male quartet will make its first appearance and will render a couple of songs that are dear to every one. Another feature is also promised between the acts and will be participated in by selected members of Troop 14, Boy Scouts, of this city.

Several young ladies of the Matlack Bible class will sell home-made candy.

The object in giving the play is strictly charity and it's charity that the needy and sick of Plainfield will get the benefit of, and while the seats are selling better than ever before it is to be hoped that all who can will attend and help the class make good.

A twelve-piece orchestra from the Dutch Arms Band, under the leadership of Wilbur E. Moke, will furnish the music of the evening. The services of the orchestra have been donated and the Bible class wishes publicly to express its appreciation of this kindness.

While the seats last, they can be had at Miller's drug store. Curtain goes up at 8 o'clock sharp.

LINCOLN CHAPTER WILL GIVE A DANCE SOON

Abraham Lincoln Chapter at a meeting in the Frost building last night planned for a dance to be given in the near future. The following were named as a committee to make arrangements for the affair: Clarence Tilley, G. M. Gildersleeve, Walter Wenzel, Arthur Grisley, H. W. Swivel and G. M. Sutton.

H. W. Swivel occupied the chair and in the absence of Ivan C. Hill, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Muhlenberg Hospital. Mr. Hill was reported as doing well. Gwilym Lewis acted as secretary.

FAREWELL DINNER FOR LOCAL MEMBER

Y. M. H. A. Holds Testimonial for Abraham Schwartz, Who Leaves Tomorrow

The Young Men's Hebrew Association gave a testimonial dinner last night at the home of Samuel Schwartz, of West Front street, in honor of Abraham Schwartz, who leaves Plainfield tomorrow to make his home in Pottstown, Pa.

Mr. Schwartz has been a member of the Y. M. H. A. for the past four years, and during that time he has contributed his service to the organization at times when it needed him most. He served on the educational committee to excellent advantage, and also was the manager of the debating team, in addition to serving as the financial secretary of the association.

Arthur H. Richards had charge of the arrangements in behalf of the organization, while Harvey Rothberg acted as toastmaster. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Schwartz, as he entered the dark room, where thirty guests were seated, awaiting his home coming, and was greeted with acclaims of "surprise."

A large number of good things were said about the departing guests by his many friends, and the collation served by Mrs. Samuel Schwartz put a crowning touch to the good cheer and merriment of the gathering.

At the close of the reunion, the toastmaster announced another contribution of $50 to the Y. M. H. A. Fund from Jack Schwartz, brother of the guest and $5 from Dr. Krans, one of our local physicians, who is in sympathy with the Community Center idea of the young men.

RABBI WISE SPEAKS HERE APRIL 3RD

Will Deliver Address in the Interest of Jewish War Relief Fund

Rabbi Stephen Wise, of New York, has been secured by Judge William Newcorn to speak at a meeting of the local branch of the Jewish War Relief Association, Columbus Hall, on the night of April 3, when an effort will be made to raise a fund of $10,000 for the benefit of Jewish war sufferers.

The misery and distress that has been visited upon the Jews in the war stricken countries of Europe is almost indescribable. It is so much worse than anybody in America has any idea of that only those who have been in close touch with the situation and receive reports from men who have returned from the war zone can give any inkling of the sufferings of that unfortunate section of humanity that is trying to survive the ravages of the most inhuman conflict that has ever taken place.

Judge Newcorn said to a Courier-News man this morning that the call which the Hebrews of Plainfield are going to make to the citizens of this community is one based upon the belief that every man who has still readily give his share to alleviate the sufferings of those whose distress is not due to any fault of their own.

"The Hebrew in America has never turned a deaf ear to the appeals of others," he said, "and while it is primarily the duty of all Hebrews to give liberally, as they will, I am of the opinion that all citizens will be glad to contribute to this worthy cause."

Rabbi Wise is a brother-in-law of Jacob Schwed, one of the oldest business men of the community. Those who contribute should know that the money will be used to buy supplies for those who need them.

"Americans have given aid to the Belgians and other war sufferers. That is what we should do because we have enjoyed the blessings of peace and have no conception of the awful distress that exists across the sea."

Rabbi Wise is one of the most prominent Hebrews of New York. He has delivered lectures for the war sufferers in many cities and it was only after a great deal of persuasion that we are able to induce him to come here on the night of April 3.

"The public in general is invited to come and hear him. He will give an account of the work being done for Jewish war sufferers. I am hopeful that a goodly number of citizens will turn out to hear him. He is an orator of repute and the appeal which he will make here is in the interest of humanity; it is a call to all mankind to come to the aid of those who cannot help themselves.

"Knowing the disposition of our citizens I am confident that our appeal for the Jews will not be made in vain.

—Player piano, for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant 88-note player, with cabinet and rolls. Only $175 cash; on storage. 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-tf

INCIDENTS OF THE ABDICATION OF CZAR NICHOLAS OF RUSSIA

By United Press:

London, March 16.—Up to noon today the fate of individual members of the former Imperial Ministry of Russia had not been made clear in Petrograd advices.

One dispatch said that "a majority" of the Ministers had been released, but that Minister of the Interior Protopopoff had been "detained." Earlier dispatches had reported his execution by the revolutionists.

(Story of abdication of Czar Nicholas of Russia appears on another page.)

RUSSIAN NOBILITY JOINS REVOLUTIONISTS

By United Press:

Petrograd (by wireless to London), March 16.—Fifteen assemblies of the Russian nobility met today and adopted resolutions declaring a participation in the popular revolution. The resolutions vigorously assailed the officials of the old government, who were responsible for the crisis which resulted in the overthrow of the Czar.

Despite the lack of news papers the public was fully informed of the progress of events through bulletins issued by the Duma Council.

The problem of lack of food was tackled energetically by the new provisional government. Large stores of flour were discovered concealed at various points, as proof of the complete duplicity of the former government officials who, complained that the whole city was without bread supplies or flour. This supply was at once distributed to the people.

The provisional government is methodically forming its defensive forces. All factories closed today in a plan to supply one hundred of each 1,000 workmen to aid the military forces now under control of the democratic government.

PRESIDENT MAY MEDIATE IN R. R. STRIKE

By United Press:

Washington, March 16.—President Wilson will act on suggestions of the Railway Brotherhood managers to mediate on the eight-hour-day strike, set for tomorrow, if such instructions reach him. There was even strong indication today that the President might call both the railroad managers and Brotherhood leaders to conference with him within 24 hours without waiting the invitation to mediate.

The President's understanding of the situation now is that both sides appear to be "marking time" pending some action on his part. It is the belief of his advisers that the country as well as the railroads and their employes now look to the President personally to avert the strike.

RAILWAY MEN SEEM MORE IN FAVOR OF MEDIATION

By United Press:

New York, March 16.—Indications that President Wilson may be asked to mediate in the railroad strike scheduled to begin tomorrow evening, developed today, when the railroad managers went into conference and when W. G. Lee, speaking as president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, suggested the step.

From the railway managers' conference came word that Lee's request for President Wilson to mediate amounted approximately to the same thing as the managers' suggestion yesterday, that the Goethals eight-hour commission appointed by the President settled the whole controversy.

The opposing camps were apparent more nearly together than at yesterday's peace conference.

PADEREWSKI COMES HERE MARCH 26

Paderewski's hold on his audiences seems to increase with passing years. In the beginning of his career in America, over twenty years ago, it was said that he was but a craze whose popularity would pass with time, and each time he comes to this county there are people foolish enough to say such things. Yet each tour is the same old story of crowded houses and tremendous enthusiasm. The truth is that Paderewski's art is the quality which makes him supreme, and his personality is only a secondary consideration.

His appearance here is set for Monday evening, March 26, in the high school auditorium. His program will be characteristic, displaying his wonderful art at best advantage. The sale of tickets open at Miller's Drug Store on Saturday morning, March 17.

TROOPER JOHN CALDER THROWN FROM HORSE

John Calder, a member of Troop D, First Squadron Cavalry, this city, was thrown from his horse last night following the first outdoor drill of the troop, sustaining some bruises and a general shakeup.

Calden was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital, where an examination showed that his condition was not serious, and no bones were broken. The accident occurred on Kenilworth avenue, soon after Calder left the horse show grounds where the drill was held.

HOME ON FLYING VISIT

William S. Brower, of East Fifth street, a U. S. government operator, is in town on a flying visit, having been granted a two days' leave of absence. He has been in the navy three years and says that is the best thing for any young man who wants to gain experience and see the world. "The best ever" is Mr. Brower's slogan.

PINOCHLE PLAYERS CONTINUE CONTEST

The Firemen took two games last night from the Berber Shop team in the borough pinochle tournament. The Domino Club defeated the Independents. The tournament will close on Monday night.

EXCEPTIONS ALLOWED BY THE ORPHANS' COURT

Announcement was made today in the Orphan's Court, Elizabeth, that exceptions filed by Mrs. Florence Neal Williams, of Plainfield, to the settlement of the estate of her father, Frank S. Neal, had been allowed and as a result she will receive $2,800.

The matter is now in the surrogate's hands and the court's decision, settles a long period of litigation. W. A. Coddington represented Mrs. Williams.

ANNIE TROY DIES IN MUHLENBERG

Miss Annie Troy, of Cranford, died in Muhlenberg Hospital this morning.

LUCY HENDERSON SUNK

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 16.—The State Department today received despatches telling of the sinking of the British steamer Lucy Henderson by gunfire from a German submarine on March 12, 60 miles north of Rattray Head. No warning was given and no attempt was made to provide for the safety of the crew.

LECTURE ON WASHINGTON

Rev. D. W. Shellenberger will, this evening, give an illustrated lecture on Washington, the national capital, at Hope Chapel, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. The lecture is to be illustrated by over a hundred stereopticon slides.

NEW HACK FARES

An increase in hack fares from 25 to 35 cents went into effect today in accordance with the ordinance adopted by the common council March 5.

ARRIVAL IN THEIR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Hamlet Luckey, of East Front street, are happy parents of a little girl, Jean Elsie Luckey, who arrived last night.

Miss Edythe Bechtel

specializing in children's and misses' hats, with M. L. Van Derveer, 110 Depot Park.—Adv. 3-14-4t

DAILY DELIVERY OUT OF TOWN—TWO DAILY IN TOWN

STORE OPEN 8.30 A. M.—CLOSES 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAY

GREAT SPECIALS for SATURDAY

A Great Sale of SILK DRESSES

Values to $22.50, Sale Price

$14.98

See Window Display

These Dresses are the new Spring 1917 models, only a few days ago designed, and will be on sale tomorrow, Saturday. A large assortment of materials and the newest shades of the season.

Striped Taffeta Dresses	$14.98	Crepe de Chine Dresses	$14.98
Checked Taffeta Dresses	$14.98	Crepe Meteor Dresses	$14.98
Shantung with Khaki-Khooli	$14.98	Crepe Midea Dresses	$14.98
Silk Poplin Dresses	$14.98	High Class Satin Dresses	$14.98
		Taffeta Dresses	$14.98

New Sport Skirts

Values to $10.00. Special **$5.98**

Striped Taffetas, Checked Taffeta, Black Taffeta, Blue Taffeta, Satin Stripes, Wool Velours, Men's Wear Serges, Wool Poplin, Silk Poplin, Khaki-Kooli Print, in a great variety of styles, including pleated models.

Children's Dresses

Values to $1.50. Special **98c**

Sizes 3 to 14 years. 10 different styles to choose from. Checked and Striped Ginghams, plain Colored Chambrays and Printed Percales.

Ladies' Blouses

Values $1.25. Special **98c**

The newest designs in this season's Voiles and Batistes. Sizes up to 52.

WOMEN'S SHOES

Patent Colt Gunmetal Calf with cloth and dull tops; button and laced Cuban heels; good range of sizes. Values $5.00. Special $3.48

Patent Colt Gun Metal Calf, dull tops, buttoned; Cuban heels; good range of sizes. Values $3.00 and $3.50. Special $2.48

Parlor Brooms in Basement

50c value for 39c

Only one to a customer. No phone orders filled. A fine No. 7 Broom, made of good Corn, 4 sewed.

MILLINERY

2nd Floor

Value $5.00, for **$2.98**

A big line of the latest Spring shapes, with the newest ribbon trimmings; large and small models.

Boys' Hose

25c value for 20c

All fast sizes, 8 to 10. Heavy Ribbed Black Hose.

Men's Underwear

75c value for 50c

Both gray and ecru; Shirts and Drawers, fine ribbed and fleeced, in all sizes, 34 to 46.

Ladies' Nightgowns

Value 69c for 50c

Low neck and short sleeves; embroidery trimmed.

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STORE OPEN 8.30 A. M.—CLOSES 6 P. M., EXCEPT SATURDAY

Special for Saturday
Newest Spring Styles in Middies, 6 to 20
On Sale
$1
Reg. $1.25 and $1.39

You Always Pay Less at

ROSENBAUM'S BAZAAR

Special for Saturday
Large Turkish Towels slightly imperfect; reg. 50c quality
42c
a pair

SHOWING SPRING STYLES

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT

New Millinery for Easter. New Suits, Dresses and Coats, Charming Frocks and Coats for the Little Folks

Excellent Variety of Real Dressy Spring Coats

FOR LADIES AND MISSES

Priced Very Reasonable—

$10.98, $15.98, $21.98

Splendidly tailored, individual models—genuine samples, finished to best present the many styles from which our regular Spring assortments were selected.

Burellas, Gabardines, Whipcords, Poplins, Serges. Many Richly Lined with Peau de Cygne.

Coats for Summer as well as Spring, showing all the new skirt flares and belt conceits—the new pockets and collar effects. An advance choice at a tremendous saving. Assortment all newest shades.

SPRING SUITS

for Ladies and Misses

In all the new shades in vogue. Splendid showing of the newest styles, either in the fancy novelty high shades, or the navy, brown or black. No matter what color or style you desire you will be pleased and suited by style and the moderate price, from

$12.98 to $24.98

Alterations Free.

FANCY

Sport Skirts

Now Very Popular

We are showing some very desirable styles in fancy silk stripes or the novelty gold stripes and checks from

$ to **$7.50**

23 to 30 waist.

Unusually good values offered in all wool Poplin Skirts; black, navy, green or brown. Sold in all stores for $5. Our leader—Special

$3.98

TRIMMED MILLINERY

of Elegance and Distinction

Priced Very Reasonable.

Showing of a great selection of Trimmed Hand-Made Hats; very becoming styles; in all the new colorings and combinations. Priced from

$3.98 to $7.50

Unusually large assortment of Untrimmed Shapes, all colors and most popular styles of the season, from

$1.49 to $2.98

Showing of

New Dress Goods

for Spring and Summer. Exceedingly good values. 36-inch Voile—All fancy shades, Reseda, Green, Light Blue, Canary, Pink, Old Rose and White; good value **25c**

Bates' Dress Ginghams—All new Spring patterns for dresses and children's wear. Special—

15c

Endurance Cloth—Equal to any 25c cloth for Boys' Wash Suits or Rompers; good fast colors. Special, yard **17c**

KATES BILL HELD IN COMMITTEE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 16.—With the House Judiciary Committee holding tight despite the favorable attitude of two of its members, to Senate Bill No. 92, the Kates measure which gives municipalities the right to initiate local ordinances on the liquor question, the home rule issue is looming up for a third battle in the Assembly at this session.

It is understood that Assemblyman Runyon, Republican, of Union, and Assemblyman Geran, Democrat, of Monmouth, two members of the judiciary Committee are willing to have the bill reported out but Assemblyman Oliphant, the chairman, together with Messrs. Dalrymple, Passaic, and Joanson, Essex, Republicans, are believed to take the opposite view, not being in any sense favorable to local option.

There is talk that the "Rule of 15" may be invoked to force the bill out. This requires the signatures of fifteen members to a petition relieving the committee of the bill.

URGES COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING

H. A. West Gives Patriotic Address Before Special Aid at Hartridge Auditorium

The need and lack of and solution for preparedness of the country at this present time was discussed in a plain and practical way by Henry A. West, of the National Security League, at a meeting of the local branch of the National Special Aid Society held at the Hartridge auditorium yesterday afternoon. This was the first public meeting of the society since the inauguration of the special campaign and there was a large attendance of members.

At the outset the speaker emphasized the present situation as the most serious before the American people and a time to take stock as a nation after a long period of complacency. "It is what we make our government," declared the speaker. Citizenship may mean everything and it may mean nothing. We will all agree that it is necessary to have a police force. It makes for peace, and so should we have an adequate army and navy which will do the same thing for us as a nation.

"We take all necessary precaution to protect our property against fire and burglary and even insure our automobiles, so why should we not protect ourselves as a country. Our geographical location as a country, our wealth and numbers are our weakness, not strength. The ocean is no longer a barrier, and the more wealth we have the more temptation it is for others to steal it, and in the words of General Wood, 'no wolf is afraid of a flock of sheep.' Treaties we have learned are worthless without force, and international law is for the court to interpret and the police to execute. What's the answer to all this?

"It is that we have a wholly inadequate navy and army, and a lack of aeroplanes, submarines and coast defense. Our army is three times the size of the New York police force and could be placed in the Yale Bowl and our coast artillery is woefully lacking in men.

"At the present time we haven't a first-class battleship on the Pacific coast. There are nine obsolete ships there which could be easily wiped out. We must have more first-class battleships if we are to meet the situation fully prepared.

"We must have guns, ships and equipment. Yesterday afternoon 1,500 girls and women walked out of a burning sixteen story building in New York, and no one was injured, all because they had been well trained and they proved the test. That should be our position.

"Now as to the solution of the problem. I am a strong advocate of universal military training for the men and boys of this country, and favor the tried and approved Swiss plan. We cannot have a navy large enough to protect our 21,000 miles of coast with 117 undefended points, so we must have a strong land force as a second line of defense. We will have to rely on a strong citizenry force and I would urge the adoption of a law which would make military training obligatory in time of peace so as to be prepared in time of war, thus every man would be in a position to defend his country against the enemy."

Frequently Mr. West's patriotic sentiments and declarations were greeted with hearty applause, the women showing their approval of the plans for defense as outlined by the speaker. As the large audience was a good representation of the junior branch of the National Special Aid Society and after meeting a number of those present enrolled for the various classes.

REPUBLICANS PLEDGE LOYALTY TO COUNTRY

Resolutions pledging the loyalty of the Republicans of Union county to the country in the present crisis for the preservation of national honor were adopted at the meeting of the Union County Republican committee held at Elizabeth last night. Several enthusiastic addresses were made on the resolutions and they were passed unanimously.

The committee decided to hold the annual outing in August this year at Witzel's Point Grove on Long Island, the date to be settled upon later. A committee was also named to arrange for a smoker and entertainment to be given at the county headquarters on Thursday night, April 19. It was also voted to donate $260 for the use of the Republican City Committee of Plainfield. Before adjournment interesting remarks were made by Hamilton Kean and [illegible] H. Smith.

FOR ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Let the Victrola Furnish Your Entertainment

JOHN McCORMACK WILL SING SOME IRISH SONGS

Just to Mention a Few:

"Dear Little Shamrock;" "Mother Machree;" "Macushla" (Rowe-MacMurrough); "Wearing of the Green;" "Harp That Once Thro' Tara's Halls;" "Where the River Shannon Flows;" "The Low Back'd Car;" "My Wild Irish Rose" (English); "It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary;" "Little Bit of Heaven" (Ball); "Killarney" (English); "Come Back to Erin;" "Molly Bawn;" "Kathleen Mavourneen," McCormack.

And there is some Dance Music to suit this occasion. Come in and let us help you make your selections.

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Here's a good one for young men

A single breasted suit with belt all 'round; with a new idea in pleats; the latest smart ideas.

It's only one of the many new belt-styles. We can show you a number of new colors and fabrics as well as a variety of models. We like to show them, even if you're "just looking around."

$15 to $30

Stylish SR Reliable

ROTHBERG'S "THINGS MEN WEAR"

206 West Front St.

DEPEW CONVICTED IN FANWOOD TRAGEDY CASE

Elizabeth, March 16.—Rolland Depew, the East Orange youth who ran down and killed Hilda Hodgson, of Fanwood, with his auto December 3, was convicted by a jury in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday afternoon after being out less than an hour.

Depew testified that he could scarcely see the Hodgson girl and her companions on the road, as it was so dark that he used all the precautions possible.

Prosecutor Alfred A. Stein, in summing up, declared that there are altogether too many auto mishaps.

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Critical Women Have Welcomed the Style Exhibit at Tepper's

AN instantaneous success has been achieved with our exposition of Spring Fashions. With ears sensitively attuned for criticism we listened attentively, and heard nothing but approval. Many were the words of praise for the new Millinery, the Smart Spring Suits, and the charming Frocks.

More Fashions, More Beauty, More Variety arrives with every new shipment. If you have not seen them, as yet, you are cordially invited to come tomorrow.

Editorial

The True Harbingers of Spring

PUSSY WILLOWS! Already here and there you'll find these harbingers of Spring. And thus the power and permanence of Nature's work asserts itself even while the weather is still under influence of prevailing Winter.

"Pussy Willows" are showing up all through our store—in fact, they are in full bloom now. Despite the grey cold days that seemed to you so dull and profitless, work has gone on here just the same and in evidence is our Splendid Spring Style Show—which has attracted such wide spread attention.

Let us take heart from the lesson of the Pussy Willow and look ahead hopefully to the cheery sun-flushed days ahead. Let us prepare with Apparel of the right sort in order to make our sunny days enjoyable to the fullest measure.

The Ad-tor.

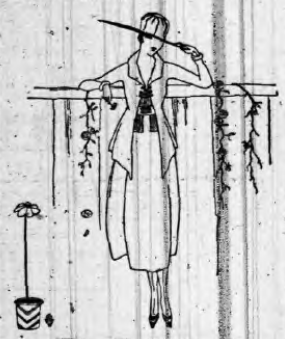
Novelties are Plentiful Among the Separate Skirts

One of the novelties that has gained great favor in the world of fashion is the **Plaid Silk Skirt.** It is being shown here in a variety of stripes and plaids in the various popular colorings.

Several effective styles are featured with shirred tops and fancy pockets.

Priced at

$5.98



The Exhibit of New Spring Suits

Is Exceptionally Attractive

Clever Styles of Youthful Swing and Dash Are Presented, Displaying Many Exclusive Features of Fashion.

The severest critic, the most ardent lover of distinctiveness or superb embellishments will stare and wonder at the most notable assortments of Spring Suits we have collected for the women of Plainfield.

Every little new fashion touch is present.

Associated with the straight line effects, numerous pockets and large collar affairs are the very latest refinements from the fashion centres.

Fabrics include serges, poplins, gabardines, Poiret twills, vigeraux, Jersey cloth, and novelty checks and mixtures in gold, chartreuse, apple green, sand, Copen and navy blue and black.

Prices—$16.95 to $40.00.

Our Spring Millinery Opening Speaks Well for the Artistic Designers

EACH model on display represents an independent thought. No two closely resemble each other, and yet at the same time are equally attractive. There are novel creations adorned with wreaths of Spring Blossoms, new fruits, and other rich garnitures as present an air of attractiveness, while there are other very simple and sedate looking models, with individuality and good taste from every angle.

An Important Change in Our Millinery Section

Miss Lillian Rogers, who has spent many years in some of the most exclusive millinery salons of this country, is now in charge of our Millinery Department. Her creations have caused much favorable comment from women of the most exacting tastes who have seen our opening display.

Miss Fouble, our former designer, is now on the sales floor in order to give individualaid to every customer in the proper selection. We trust her valuable aid will be most beneficial to you.

Charm and Variety in Spring Dresses

The styles are fashion's newest, including short-waisted and straight line effects; also many with pretty designed bodices and plain skirts, with tunic effects. Featured are dresses of silk, crepe de chine and combinations of georgette and taffeta. Georgette crepe and fancy striped combinations are also very popular. These are being shown in the most popular shades of the season, such as grey, copen, navy, green, brown, Burgundy, rose, tan and black.

Prices from ..... $15.95 to $50.00

The New Coats for Spring are the Kind Women will Like

A coat for Spring is a real necessity for women. A collection of smart coats is being exhibited in this store. The styles are absolutely authentic, and the showing is interesting in both variety and attractive prices.

Lined, partly lined and unlined coats are here in Gabardines, Poiret twilles, coverts, wool and chamois velours in green, gold, chartreuse, tan, blue and black. Prices ..... $6.50 to $10.50

The Children's Section Has Its Opening

The Children's Section on the main floor is now formally exhibiting the new Spring apparel for the little boy and little girl. All the necessities which the younger element needs for Spring are included in this showing. Smart little bonnets, top coats, etc., for the little girl. Spring suits, reefers, hats, etc., for the little boy. These garments were all chosen discriminately, and from makers who specialize on children's apparel.

Girls' Coats

Velour, Checks, French Serges, all-wool Velours Silk Poplins, Burela, Cloth, etc., are being shown in Empire, Box Pleated and loose back models. Some have the yoke effect. The most popular shades of the season are included. Sizes 2 to 6, 7 to 10, 6 to 14.

Prices ..... $2.98 to $18.95

Children's Millinery

The collection of smart Millinery in this section is the best we've had in a long while. Hats of all styles and shades for little tots. Prices are very moderate and range from ..... 98c to $6.95

Girls' Taffeta Dresses, $9.95

A selection of pretty empire models with smocked effects and hemstitched finish. Some have colors of georgette crepe, others of washable messaline; sizes for girls from 6 to 14.

Smart Suits for Boys

A complete and splendid assortment of smart Suits for boys is now waiting your selection. Serges, checks and novelty mixtures in the belted, pinch-back and Norfolk models are included in the most wanted shades. Sizes for boys from 6 to 18 years old. Prices ..... $3.98 to $12.98

Boys' Reefers

Pretty pinch-back models in tweeds, serges, checks, coverts and novelty mixtures. Sizes 2½ to 10 years.

Prices ..... $1.98 to $7.95

Boys' Hats

Included are a fine selection of hats to match the coats, suits and reefers. The assortment is complete and includes hats of every wantable shape and color.

Prices ....50c, $1.00 up to $2.50

Men's Furnishings

THE YOUNG FELLOW THE OLDER MAN

Both find great satisfaction in a purchase made at our Men's Furnishing section. We carry the kind of goods that will appeal to both tastes. Our large assortments make choosing easy.

OF SPECIAL INTEREST IN THIS SECTION ARE THE

Shirts at 79c

If you've not seen these Shirts yet it's time for you to come tomorrow and select a few of them. The materials are of exceptional quality, the pattern so smart and dressy looking, the range of colors so wide that you will marvel at little prices for which they are being sold. Soft or stiff cuffs, sizes for everybody.

Men's Neckwear at 35c

3 FOR $1.00

The smart and clever touches in these ties make them entirely distinctive in pattern and in coloring. There's good taste to every one. Included in this lot are ties of any color you wish to wear with your new Spring suit.

Men's Suspenders—A lot to close out at the special price of 35c

New Blouses, the Prettiest in Years

Embroidery, bead and lace trimming are used extensively on the new blouses for Spring, although there are many very plain and sport models with trimmings of only the simplest order. Among the newer models are the

GEORGETTE AND CREPE DE CHINE BLOUSES AT $1.98 to $8.98

A variety of styles that will appeal to the ultra smart, as well as the most conservative dressers. These are shown in the most popular colorings of the season.

NEW VOILE BLOUSES $1.98 and $2.98

Trimmed with large fancy collars, cuffs and laces and embroideries. All are new, crisp, in style and span shape, ready for your selection.

SPORT BLOUSES, $1.98

White linen and Striped Batiste Blouses for sport wear. Very plainly fashioned; some have large collars of colored linen. Sizes for everybody.

Several Values of Importance in Women's Undermuslins

Envelope Chemise—A small lot of exceptional values to close out tomorrow at the special prices of ..$1.19, $1.49 and $1.98

Aprons of Amoskeag Ginghams, gored or gathered, made with pockets. For tomorrow 25c

Camisoles—Pretty lace trimmed Camisoles of flesh-colored satins and crepe de chines. Special for tomorrow $1.00

Ribbons

No matter what your ribbon requirements may be they will be gratified by our new Spring display of ribbons; all qualities, widths and colors are here in the latest plain and novelty effects.

Prices are very reasonable.

Hair Ribbons in all colors, plain, fancy and checks, ... 25c and 29c

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The many famous makes of Corsets we carry are celebrated for their shape, style, fit, comfort, and unequaled wearing qualities, give a natural figure of pliant, yielding grace, classic outlines, and are made in so many styles that any figure can be fitted correctly. **Corsets tomorrow, very special values** ..... $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00

GOWNS AND CHEMISES—Made of fine cambric, trimmed with lace and embroidery; several styles to select from. Special price Saturday $1.00

CORSET COVERS AND BRASSIERES. We are selling these two lines at the one price, Saturday 29c

SILK HOSIERY—Ladies' Black, Onyx Silk Hose—the kind you pay $1.00 for elsewhere. Saturday 85c

Beautiful Spring Waists

If its new, you can find it at Varley's. We are showing the largest and most complete range; all qualities; high class Waists; ..... $2.50, $3.50, $3.98, $5.50, $6.98 and $8.50

Always Try Varley's First

SUBURBS HELPING WAR SUFFERERS

Society of Fanwood and Scotch Plains Reports on Two Years' Work

The Society of Fanwood and Scotch Plains for the Relief of War Sufferers Abroad is continuing its good work. Meetings are held regularly the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at the residence of Miss Sarah L. Kyte, Fanwood. Any articles of clothing for men, women or children, also pieces of material to make up and donations of money will be most gratefully received.

Seventeen cases (total valuation of contents $1,372.44) have been forwarded and reached their destination safely, been acknowledged and contents distributed at the front to the Belgian refugees and to the base hospitals in England and France.

The following is an account of the receipts and expenditures for the past two years: Total receipts, $198.41; expenditures, $22.47; balance on hand, $175.94. Other receipts: 10 bolts outing flannel, 2 rolls gauze, 50 pounds wool for knitting, many articles of clothing, many new pieces of wool material to make up.

The committee comprises Mrs. Alfred Beckett, Mrs. J. T. Thompson and Miss Sarah Kyte, treasurer, of Fanwood, and Mrs. J. C. Walker, Mrs. L. H. Morgan and Mrs. R. M. Huse, of Scotch Plains.

The following is an extract from letter of Mrs. Yorke, of Sevenoaks, Kent, England, to the ladies of the War Sufferers and Red Cross Society, Fanwood and Scotch Plains, N. J., U. S. A., received March 12, 1917:

"It is with pleasure I wish to let you know I have received the lovely box of gifts for the men in the field, also so many comforts for men in the hospitals and therefore its arrival is all most opportune. Just right for the terrible times before us. Believe me, dear friends in America, we are deeply grateful to all who have contributed towards this box of beautiful gifts. Please accept our heartfelt thanks for all you have done for us at a time like this, when we need every ounce of courage and endurance we possess to carry on. The thought that we have kind friends in the States who work for us and think of us and love all, is sympathies, is most comforting and helpful.

"The comfort bags for the 'Tommies' are always so pleased with their contents and with the charming little messages written on the cards enclosed. Poor fellows, they do prize the kind thoughts, also the books at the hospitals."

Extract from letter of K. L. Mansfield, commandant of Cornwall Hall Hospital, Sevenoaks, Kent, England:

"Thank you very much for the infants' clothes, shirts, quilts garments, etc., so kindly sent us. They are most acceptable as we have five hundred Roumanian refugees here now. So you can imagine how pleased we are with the nice coats, shirts, boots, shoes etc., for the women. Our warmest thanks to you all, kind friends of the War Sufferers and Red Cross Society of Fanwood and Scotch Plains."

WALDORF BUILT 34 YEARS AGO YESTERDAY

By United Press:

New York, March 16.—George C. Boldt was laughed at and called a fool for throwing his money away when he built the Hotel Waldorf "with 400 rooms to cater to the rich" twenty-four years ago yesterday. Boldt, who was a poor man then, died a few weeks ago, leaving a fortune well up into the millions of dollars, all of them made from the hotel.

BETSY LANE SHEPHERD

As she appear'd at the High School last Tuesday, when the Music Critics found it impossible to distinguish her voice from Edison's Re-creation of it.

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Sifted Peas; doz., $1.48; can 13c
String Beans; nice and tender; doz., $1.48; can 13c
Lima Beans; very tender; doz., $1.48; can 13c
Spring Garden Spinach; doz., $2.10; can 18c
Spring Garden Pears; tender, white table fruit; doz., $1.25; can 11c

Dried Fruits

Santa Clara Prunes; lb. 12c
Peaches, lb. 10c
Pears, extra fancy, lb. 18c
Apricots, extra fancy 20c
Raisins, pkg. 13c
Lemon or Orange Peel, lb. 22c
Citron, lb. 28c

Seasonable Bargains

Clam Chowder, doz., $2.05; large can 18c
Grated Pineapple; doz., $1.15; can 10c
Skat Soap; removes grease, paint or stain instantly; 3 for 25c
Lighthouse Soap; a large, well made and very efficient Soap; a money saver; 6 for 25c
Fish Flakes; B. M. Brand; can 10c

Flour; Marshall's Best, 24½-lb. bag 1.35

Coffee—Our own roasting; try it; you'll like it. Guaranteed to please you perfectly or you can bring it back and get your money; lb. 33c

Fancy Whole Head Rice 10 lbs. for 65c; lb. 7c
Finest Holland Herrings; keg 1.00
Finest Old Fashioned Yellow Meal; water ground; lb. 4½c
Eggs — Guaranteed strictly fresh. For Saturday only, dozen 34c
Butter—Finest Creamery. For Saturday only, lb. 45c
Ohio Blue Tip Matches; going up in price almost daily; a money saver at 6 for 25c
Olives—Finest Queen Olives—In one-gallon jars for 1.25
Harrison Buckwheat Flour, 3½-lb. pkg. for 18c
Extra Special—New York State Full Cream Cheese; lb. 29c
Maple Syrup; large bot.; reg. 25c size 20c
Honey—Finest Clover in large screw top jars 22c

Fruits & Vegetables

Potatoes Fancy Pennsylvania; good cookers; 16-qt. basket 1.50
Florida Oranges; thin skin; 13 for 25c
Navel Oranges; extra special, 15 for 25c
Grape Fruit; extra fancy; thin skin, doz. 45c
Apples; Baldwins; basket 1.10
Pineapples; each 15c
Bananas; doz. .... 20c and up
Dates—Hallowe'en Dates; lb. 13c
Cauliflower; fancy heads .... 15c and up
Lettuce—Very Fancy
Kale; nice and green peck 40c
Celery Hearts; extra fancy; bunch 15c
Sweet Potatoes; pony basket 80c
Mushrooms; extra fancy; lb. 55c
Lemons; Messinas; doz. 20c
Tomatoes; nice and ripe; lb. 15c
Cabbage, lb. 9c
Spinach; nice and green.

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Choice Milk Fed Veal
Legs, lb. 18c
Rump, lb. 20c
Loin or Rib Chops, lb. 22c
Country
Prime Cuts Sirloin or Porterhouse Steak, lb 24c
Porterhouse Roast; quality beef; lb. 22c
Pure Pork Sausage; exceptionally good; lb. 24c
Forequarters Genuine Spring Lamb, lb. 18c

Delicatessen Dept.

Fancy Boneless Herring, lb. 20c
Pot Cheese, lb. 12c
Pimento Cheese, lb. 35c
Very Fancy Rib or Shoulder Lamb Chops, lb. 25c

SPRING OPENING

DISPLAY OF

Suits, Coats, Skirts, Dresses & Millinery

Commencing Saturday and Continuing Next Week

IN OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT will be found a large variety of garments in all the newest styles and materials. ALTERATIONS FREE.

IN OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT you will see the newest Hat creations for Spring wear. Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats in many styles. Hats Trimmed Free.

YOU'LL FIND OUR PRICES LOWER THAN OTHERS.

ROSENTHAL'S

210 W. FRONT ST. *2 Doors From Proctor's*

LAST NIGHT'S PROGRAM AT BETHEL CHAPEL

The entertainment given by the *Men's Club of Bethel chapel last night*, was largely attended and a pleasing program presented. The entertainment was augmented by the Men's Club chorus that interspersed the program.

The program was as follows:

Opening Prayer, Hance Mitchell; chorus, by the Men's Club; piano duet Van Horn, Mr. Imes; baritone solo, Dr. H. C. Wormley; paper, George Dillard; tenor solo, Edward Blair; chorus, Men's Club; solo, Joseph Garner; bass solo, John Taylor; recitation, Wm. Davis; solo and chorus, "Suwanee River," J. A. Williams and Men's Club; piano duet, Van Horn and Mr. Imes; bass solo, A. J. Lambert, John Taylor, Somerset Jackson. Chorus, Men's Jubilee Club.

RUNYON BILL WILL HIT LIQUOR QUESTION

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 15.—Although the real local option bill was defeated some weeks ago, the Senate today passed the Runyon bill that would enable all but first-class cities to hold elections to get public sentiment for the guidance of the governing body on any municipal question, including liquor. This measure now goes to the Governor, and if it becomes law there will no doubt be a number of cities and towns in the State that will take advantage of its provisions.

NEW FEATURES OF "THE HOODOO"

A feature of "The Hoodoo," the play to be given by the Chi Gama Chi Club of St. Joseph's Church, in St. Joseph's Hall, North Plainfield, on Monday night, will be Miss Mabel Saffron, who will render a number of solos between the acts. She will be accompanied on the piano by Miss Mary Ardern.

The rehearsals of "The Hoodoo" are drawing to a close. The last rehearsal will be held on Saturday night. The several players have thoroughly mastered their parts, and the indications are that when the curtain rises on "The Hoodoo" a fine entertainment will be provided.

A GOOD MANY STORES

Believe in putting all the **value** in print—setting forth glowing descriptions of wonderful apparel, etc., etc.—rather than in the goods they sell.

We, on the other hand, prefer to **build** value into our garments, so that you can reap the benefit.
We think our method the better. Don't you?

COATS

Poplin has for years held sway as the indisputed queen of Spring fabrics, but now wool velour is making a strong bid for the popularity honors. Burella, too, and Gunniburl, Serge, Poiret Twill, Mixtures, Cheeks—the woman who demands a large variety to choose from will have her desire gratified at our factory.

$7 to $30

DRESSES

Soutache trimming has Dame Fashion's "O. K."—therefore, a number of our dresses show its judicious use. Embroidery, of course, is expressed in various forms on our frocks.

All in all, we have an excellent assortment, ranging in price from

$6.50 to $20

SUITS

Styles this Spring are more attractive than for several seasons past. And the KRAUTHAMER collection you may be sure, embraces the newest ideas in tailored sport and street models. Braid-bound, silk stitched—embroidered.

Every Fashionable shade—Rose, Gold, Apple Green, Hague Blue, Quaker Grey, Navy Blue, Sand, Black, too—will be found here.

$11 to $35

OUR GUARANTEE: Take your selection. Pay for it and take it away. One week later, if your purchase has not proven entirely satisfactory, bring it back. We will cheerfully refund the full price, and your carfare as well!

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Crystal Domino Granulated **SUGAR 6 1/2 C lb**

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Duchess Coffee — Best in the U. S. A. — 30c lb — 5 Pounds for $1.40

Winner Coffee — Better Than Most 30c Coffee — 25c lb — 5 Pounds for $1.15

Tea, all kinds; regular 70c quality, lb 35c
Kyle Breakfast Cocoa, 25c; trial tin 10c
Kyle Peanut Butter, 25c large jar; trial tin 10c
Kyle Baking Powder, 12c half pound; 5-lb. can 90c

Guaranteed Fresh Made **BUTTER** 43c lb — Fresh from the Churn

Swift's Premium **BUTTERINE** 27c lb — Four Pounds for One Dollar

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Royal Scarlet Canned Fruits

Evidence of the best is found in every package of goods these people pack—especially so in their Fancy California Canned Fruits. Extra quality fruits packed in heavy syrup—

Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple; can, 25c; dozen $2.50
Extra Fancy Lemon Cling Peaches; can, 30c; dozen $3.00
Large Egg Plums; can 25c; dozen $2.50
Fancy California Red Cherries; can, 30c; dozen $3.00
Assorted, per dozen $2.75

STRICTLY FRESH EGGS, 40c

Sardines — Crescent Brand, domestic; packed in pure olive oil; ¼ tins 16c
Mackerel—Normanna Brand Fancy Fresh Mackerel; oval tins 25c
Peas—Early June; can 12c
Peas—Early June; doz. $1.35
Good standard pack
Cheese—Kraft Cheese—The Cheese with a rich, creamy mildness; tins .... 15c and 30c
With Pimentos 15c

Pappy's Marmalade (Orange) Pure fruit and sugar; large jars 25c
Per ½ dozen $1.40
Rice—Fancy Full Head Carolina; no finer grade can be obtained—
lb. 10c
6 lbs. 45c

OUR OWN JAVA AND MOCHA (BLEND) COFFEE
The enormous sales of this blend give us every reason to believe that our efforts to secure for our patrons a moderate priced Coffee, giving excellent cup qualities, has been obtained.
32c pound; $1.50 for five pounds.

B. T. Babbitt's or Light House Cleanser 6 cans for 25c

Soaps—B. T. Babbitt's Best; seasoned hard cakes; packed 100 to case $4.35
Hams—Moland's Quaker City; tender, smoked just right; lb. 28c
Tomatoes—White Label Extra Fancy Pack; red, ripe fruit; can, 18c; dozen $2.00
Honey—Comb; Pure White Clover or Buckwheat; absolutely pure; comb 20c

Teas—Tetley's; Formosa, Oolong or India Ceylons—
½-lb. 35c; lb. 65c
Salmon—Photo Brand; first cuts Columbia River; tin: 18c and 30c
Prunes—California; large meaty fruit; fine cookers; 40-50 size; lb. 15c
10 lbs. $1.40

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

In either of these departments you will find an assortment that far exceeds any in the city. Selections from near and far, each one perfect in quality—

Strawberries — Bananas
Pineapples — Malaga Grapes
Table Pears — Fancy Grape Fruit
Florida Oranges — Cal. Oranges
Winter Banana Apples — Winesap Apples
Spitzenberg Apples — Delicious Apples
Baldwin Apples

Cauliflower — Beets
Fresh Tomatoes — Lettuce
Spinach — Oyster Plants
Radishes — Egg Plant
Brussels Sprouts — Carrots
Romaine — Cucumbers
Table Celery — Spanish Onions
Green Peppers — Mushrooms
Rhubarb — Cranberries

Plainfield High School Auditorium

Monday Evening, March 26
At 8:15

Under the Auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club

PADEREWSKI

WORLD RENOWNED PIANIST

Tickets, $2.50, $2.00, $1.50. On sale at Miller's Drug Store, corner Park Ave. and Fourth St., beginning Saturday, March 17. Mail orders, accompanied by remittances, will be filled in order of receipt prior to public sale.

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GLORY COUNCIL WILL HOLD SOCIAL

Glory Council, No. 62, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will hold a social tomorrow evening. There will be a program, and refreshments will be served afterwards in the banquet room. All members are urged to be present.

DIVIDEND

The Plainfield Trust Company, Plainfield, N. J., March 15, 1917

The directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of 2 (two) per cent. on the capital stock, payable April 2nd, 1917, out of the net earnings of the company, to stockholders of record at the close of business, March 24th, 1917, on which date the transfer books will close and will re-open on April 2nd, 1917. Checks will be mailed.

DE WITT HUBBELL, Secretary.

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The Licorice Gum

ANNETTE KELLERMAN, whose great photo play, "A Daughter of the Gods," will be seen this year by millions, and who is appearing in person at the New York Hippodrome, says: "I certainly do like the flavor of your Adams Black Jack Chewing Gum. Besides, the licorice in it is highly beneficial to the throat."

TOMORROW'S TEA AT THE "ROOKERY"

The third tea in the "Rookery," on Sycamore avenue, opposite Grace Church, where the Johansen portraits are being shown, will be held tomorrow afternoon, with Mrs. Henry D. Hibbard as hostess, from four to six o'clock.

Mrs. Hibbard will be assisted by Mrs. J. K. Myers, Mrs. Caroline T. Lincoln, Mrs. James M. Charles, Mrs. Archibald Cox, Mrs. Frederick Yates, Mrs. John Carleton, Mrs. Brown Reiston, Mrs. E. Yarde Breese, Miss Mary Wells, Mrs. Frederick W. Goddard.

The artistic setting of the "Rookery" makes a charming background for the portraits.

The portraits include the following: Miss Florence Bradley, Alfred Vanderbilt, Alexander Drake, Howard Kehler group, Playmates; group, Mother and Daughter; Miss Margaret Clark, A. Whane, by John C. Johansen, Mrs. Edmond Libby, Albert Spaulding, H. G. Arnold, Elaine Seymore, Mrs. [illegible] Baby Margaret, 3 months; Baby [illegible] 10 months; Margaret Mae L. [illegible] J. Bro[illegible] John, Sketch of Elaine S., Sleeping Baby, Mother and Child, group, Rockabye Time, by M. Jean Mac Lane Johansen.

AUTO HITS BIKE

S. A. Morrison, of Cranford, backed his auto into a bicycle belonging to Thomas Mendell, in front of 242 West Front street last night. Mr. Morrison paid the damage.

PERSONAL

George Bungert, of Brooklyn, has returned home after visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Charles DeCamp, of Jackson avenue, the borough, has returned after visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSION SOCIETY TO MEET

The thirty-third annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Presbytery of Elizabeth will be held in the First Presbyterian church of Springfield on Thursday, March 29. There will be sessions at 10.15 and 2 o'clock.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF BOUND BROOK GIRL

William C. Bush, of Bound Brook has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Gladys Howard Bush, to Leigh Chandler, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Chandler, of 631 Newark avenue, Elizabeth. Miss Bush is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chandler in Elizabeth, and a number of informal social events are being arranged in her honor.

JUDGE CRANE TO SIT FOR JUDGE DAVID

Judge J. Henry Crane, of the local bench District Court, will sit in the Elizabeth District Court on Monday for Judge Abe J. David.

DEATH OF GEO. H. FROST

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the meagre opportunities offered by the practice of his profession among the farms and timber limits of Canada, he left his home in the forest clearing and arrived in Chicago in August, 1863. Within a week of his arrival in Chicago he secured employment as a rodman on a railway survey in Wisconsin being made by the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company and with the exception of the summer of 1864, spent in an architect's office in St. Louis, the next three years were spent in the service of that company. The following ten years were devoted to the active work of civil engineering in private practice in Chicago.

After the great Chicago fire in October, 1871, Mr. Frost did much engineering work incidental to the rebuilding of the city and the establishment of property lines in the burned district. He laid out many suburban sections in the surrounding territory which had taken on a boom as a result of the fire. A number of these places are now incorporated in the City of Chicago, the original lines being unchanged. Part of Mr. Frost's work included surveys of the tracts which now comprise the United States Reservation of Fort Sheridan and the town of Glencoe.

The fact that not a single journal in the interests of civil engineering was existent in America at that time turned Mr. Frost's attention to a new field of endeavor, and in April, 1874, he brought out the first number of the American Architect and Surveyor, a very modest monthly sheet, but in 1876 this was changed to a weekly publication, and re-named Engineering News, by which name it is known to this day. It was Mr. Frost's pride, that he carried the entire first few issues to the post office and that during his thirty-seven years of ownership it never missed an issue and always came out on time. The journal steadily prospered under Mr. Frost's management and became the leading authority on civil engineering and allied subjects. In 1911 it was sold to the Hill Publishing Company, of New York, which has recently merged with the McGraw Publishing Company.

In December, 1883, Mr. Frost decided that New York offered greater opportunities for his business than Chicago so he removed to the eastern city and opened an office in the Tribune building. In June, 1886, he made his residence in Plainfield.

In the late eighties, when Plainfield was first considering the installation of a sewerage system, Mr. Frost took an active interest in the work, and soon became a member of the Common Council, on which he served for the following five years, associated with the late Stephen A. Ginns and E. M. Erickson on the Committee of Streets and Sewers. In 1893, during the administration of Mayor Alexander Gilbert, Mr. Frost was chairman of this committee, and began work drafting plans for a new system. He drew many of the profile sheets at home and devoted much time, thought and labor to the project until it was completed. He blocked out the general design of the system, consulting with Rudolph Hering, E. W. Farquhar and Allen Hazen. In 1896, the city bought the land since used for the sewage disposal plant from George Smock, and the adjoining farm on Rock Avenue, from the Mutual Life Insurance Co. The laying of the sewer pipes commenced the same year, the first house connections being made in Netherwood at the residences of Alfred Cocks and the late Leonard Spangenberg on Woodland avenue.

Mr. Frost retired from active business when he sold Engineering News in September 1911, and devoted his leisure to study and travel. He was much interested in the study of genealogy and in reading the literature of history and geography, and he followed his reading with travels to various parts of the world to get first hand knowledge of the way other nations lived. During the last twenty years, Mr. Frost visited most of the countries of Europe, and also made extended trips to Egypt and South America and in the United States. At the outbreak of the European war he was planning a trip around the world.

Shortly after his arrival in the United States in 1863, Mr. Frost became a citizen, and was always afterward associated with the Republican party. He was a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Frost was by nature an optimist, and looked upon the bright side of things. Whatever he attempted was carried out with an enthusiasm that never lagged. During his busy life he always took a keen interest in local public and church affairs, and was a contributor to many public activities and civic movements. He was a member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, an associate member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, and also associated with a number of other scientific organizations. During his days of active work he was a regular attendant at engineering conventions.

Mr. Frost was one of four brothers; Charles B., who died in 1909; Francis T., who served as a member of the Canadian Senate for 15 years, and who died in August, 1915; and William H., of Smith's Falls, Ontario.

On December 3, 1868, Mr. Frost married Louisa Hunt, daughter of the late Edwin Hunt, at that time a leading wholesale hardware merchant of Chicago, who survives him, together with their four sons, Charles Hamilton, Plainfield; Harwood, Chicago, Ill.; Edwin Hunt, Thomaston, Conn.; and Francis Willoughby, Plainfield.

NOTICE! Public Service street cars entering the new Terminal station at Park place, Newark, bring you close to this big store, which is on Broad, New and Halsey streets, Newark, diagonally across Military Park from the Terminal station.

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Two Years Ago Today.

Italian chamber passed national defense bill. Austria refused to cede territory desired by Italy.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1917.

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Baked Beans, high grade brand, No. 3 can 10c; No. 1 can	8c	Beardsley's Shredded Codfish, 2 pkgs.	25c
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Japanese Crab Meat, ½ lb can	25c	Argo Starch, 2 lb box	10c
Fancy Barataria Shrimp, 2 cans	25c	Safety Matches, Imported, 2 pkgs.	25c
California Shad, No. 1, tall cans	12c	Parlor Matches, 2c boxes, 12 for	15c
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Heinz's Dill Pickles, doz.	20c	Wood Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans	25c
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Mother's or Quaker Oatmeal, per box	8c	Fancy Head Rice, 2 lbs. for	25c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, per box	8c	Campbell's Pork and Beans, per can	10c
Post Toasties, per box	8c	Campbell's Soups, per can	10c
1-lb. tall can Pink Salmon, can	12c	Fancy Jersey Potatoes, 16-quart basket	$1.50
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(By the Courier-News Staff)

When a community loses a prominent man of sterling worth, in the fullness of years, as he goes to his reward after a successful career, *there is a deep regret among those* who realize that they are to see him no more, but also a sense of satisfaction in the example he has left behind. There is a satisfaction in contemplation of his success when he has carved out that success by himself, using intellectual forces and just methods as his implements, and when, besides being a good citizen, he has left a good impression upon the community by his works and example.

Such a man was George Henry Frost, civil engineer, publisher of a great engineering paper, traveller and Christian. Perhaps the satisfaction is due to the feeling that a man can so think and work as to be able to leave a definite impress on the thought and work of the world, enjoy the beauty of nature in seasons of relaxation, place his work in good, but younger hands, as his years advance, and round out his life honorably, cleanly and with dignity. *It makes men realize how erroneous it is to suppose for a moment* that their Maker could be so wanting in economy as to permit useful lives to become altogether extinguished with the end of their earthly career, for such lives are *much more than an argument of a future.* The mind of George H. Frost took definite form in the republic city of Chicago, and in his public improvements at Plainfield; he left these thoughts put into visible service in both cities. The thought *of George H. Frost as he set it down* in the great paper that was read and used by engineers in this country and in Europe has aided in moulding the thoughts of hundreds of men who are today the more capable because Mr. Frost wrote out his mind in the Engineering News. These things are great contributions. Aside from his interests in the temporal affairs of the world, Mr. Frost was a deeply religious man. His belief was true and clear and deeply intellectual. He was not satisfied to take things for granted, but was always seeking further light. It was so in his business and in his life generally. He delighted to listen to men of profound religious thought and be carefully absorbed all that was largest in their addresses. He was a man of broad charity and liberal generosity, although few knew of most of his many generous acts, because they were done in a quiet manner, intended to be known only to those whom they benefitted. He was a thorough, methodical, painstaking man, who did not believe a thing was well done until it was done the best. He had the capacity for the largest, as well as the smallest business details, but in this particular he was as renowned as he was in his charitable disposition, so that the large things he did were known from their merits and by common report rather than by what he said of his achievements. To those who knew him well, he was a fund of valuable information, ready to impart to others any pleasure they might get

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world of business life and from his extensive travels. In the years of his retirement from business life he found opportunity and a remarkable health for one of his age, to enjoy a well-earned leisure, which he enjoyed unselfishly and unmindful of others less fortunate, who found pleasure in hearing him tell of the remote parts of the world, which they never would have the chance to visit. To his family he has left a heritage of which they may be justly proud. In thus discoursing upon Mr. Frost, it may be pertinent to say that this tribute is paid to his memory as a composite expression of appreciation by the staff of the Courier-News, each of whom he knew personally, and who were impressed by the example of his life. As Mr. Frost went in and out among us, in his visits to the Courier-News office, with a word of encouragement to this one and that one, and with a little chat upon matters which came to his mind, it was with a pleasure that each one listened and learned from one whose long experience in the active life he had led made his advice and suggestions valuable, as well as interesting. Mr. Frost was a self-made man, and his successful career has been an encouraging example to us of a man who made good use of his talents in a land where one must garve out his own destiny; in a land rich in opportunity, and where the invitation to effort is summed up in the words: "There's the marble, there's the chisel;
Take it, work it to thy will.
Thou alone must shape thy future;
Heaven send thee strength and skill."

TIME FOR LOYALISTS TO SPEAK

No man knows what the morrow *may bring forth in our international* relations. War with Germany may come in twenty-four hours and it may never come. Berlin alone knows. Such being the situation of the moment, it behooves all Americans to be prepared for the worst. The first step in this *preparation is for all loyal citizens* to make a pledge to the head of the nation, to the President of the United States, that their fortunes, their honor and their lives are at his call if it becomes necessary to unsheathe the *sword in order that American rights* may be maintained and American lives and liberties safeguarded.

Since our relations with the Teutonic Powers became strained there has been vociferous disloyal prating by a small number of persons of noxious mentality. The virile, loyal, patriotic manhood of America has been faithful to American ideals; it has not gone into the highways to proclaim its loyalty, its patriotism or its willingness to fight. The average American is a lover of peace, but he is right as his forefathers were in the youthful days of the Republic.

The time for a public profession of loyalty from all citizens has arrived. Every citizen owes it to himself and to the nation. The President cannot demand this but every citizen ought to go on record so that the head of the nation may know that behind him stand solid legions bearing the banner inscribed:—"America First and Forever!"—New York Herald.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The most beautiful sight the landscape gardener can produce in our back yards this summer, will be a little plot full of flourishing potatoes.

It must seem like Christmas to the Russians and English troops in the East with all those Turks to hunt.

There is nothing new about those food riots in New York city. The chorus girls have long suffered unutterably on account of failure to find anyone to give them lobsters.

Many people will worry, suffer needless expense, and submit to all kinds of inconveniences, when they could find just what they need by using a little newspaper want ad.

If the immigration department solves the servant problem as is hoped, women will no longer be compelled to shamefully to neglect their bridge game.

The paper trust may think that *newspapers are published for the sole* purpose of making the paper-makers rich, but the American people had other purposes in mind when they established a free press.

After a food speculator makes a [illegible] great credit if he chips in his $10 to help poor people who are suffering from the high prices.

Among the people who think the Lenten observance is all foolishness are the many who are uniting themselves for business success by their late hours and high living.

Congress won't feel the session is a failure, as all previous records for expenditure will have been exceeded.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

The Vital Question

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

Is every man and nation comes the moment to decide. The time has come to this people to decide whether it is a nation or an unorganized mob—whether a vital, conscious, *self-contained people, animated by a* common purpose, inspired by a well defined body of ideals and traditions or simply a conglomerate mass of individuals, with no more unity of purpose than a human rope of sand. 1776 was such a time for the colonists, and out of that era of conflicting interests there arose the consciousness of national purpose—a sovereign people, a union of free states.

1861 was another such period, and again out of conflicting interests and diverse ideals there arose a new conception of citizenship—national and not local, federal, not confederate; a united people, a union of free men as well as free states.

1917 is another such era and no less epoch making; for again out of conflicting interests and confusion of ideals must arise a larger vision of both nationality and citizenship—not only a sovereign people, a union of states, not only a united nation of free men, but a loyal, patriotic, virile American people who know their rights and knowing, dare maintain them.

We are Americans and not European Americans we are *Americans first, last and all* the time. We are pro-Americans and not pro-anything else.

We cannot be pro-German, or pro-British or pro-Russian without compromising our pro-Americanism, for as good Americans we are fundamentally opposed at some point to the ideals or traditions or institutions of every other nation on earth.

The real question, the vital question of the hour, for every man and woman is: Are we real Americans? Do we know what real Americanism is and, knowing, are we loyal to our principles—will we live for them, fight for them, die for them?

Do we believe that all power belongs to the whole people?

Do we believe that all just government derives its rights and powers from the consent of the governed?

Do we believe in manhood suffrage?

Do we believe in majority rule?

Do we believe in local self government?

Do we believe in constitutional government?

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Do we believe in the right of free assemblage?

Do we believe in the right of free speech?

Do we believe in the right of free press?

Do we believe in the right of free conscience?

Do we believe in the right of separation of church and state?

Do we believe in free schools and universal education?

Do we believe that the State and Nation exists for the good of the individual and not the individual for the good of the State?

Do we believe that all government and laws, all taxes and revenues must be used for the good of the many and not the few?

If we believe in democracy and not aristocracy—in free government and not monarchy—in all the people *and not in any class*—in government of the people, by all the people and for all the people?

If we don't believe in every one of these absolutely basic principles we are not true Americans—for these are the foundations—upon these the Republic is built. They can be found nowhere else on God's green footstool except here in these United States.

The story of all the bloody pages of history is the age-long story of man's struggle for those human rights. It has taken 2,000 years of blood and tears to gain them. Not one of the belligerent nations across the ocean can stand at the bar of human judgment and claim to grant all these rights to their citizens—not one, not even France, and certainly no other. Even now our fair Republic is dragged within the shadow of war because *we are what we are* and because of what we represent on land and sea—a Tree people demanding freedom control by law. If Germany and her allies win, their victory sounds the knell of every single principle named above.

Americans of America, true Americans, whether native or foreign born, let us dedicate ourselves anew to our American principles; let us take anew our vow of allegiance to the flag and all it represents; let us demand that all who live beneath its folds declare themselves loyal or, against that flag, and let us drive the traitors from our midst.

For none but Americans on guard.

H. W. HERRMAN.

P. S.—Is there no way to compel, every adult to declare himself or herself? *There ought to be a "Who is* country to show who is who in America.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

The Sunday afternoon meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be omitted tomorrow owing to the mass meeting to be held at the Plainfield Theatre.

The Parlor meeting of the society will be held on the afternoon of March 22, at the residence of Mrs. Force, Mountain avenue, North Plainfield. The meeting will be called at three o'clock.

OUTLINES DISTRIBUTION OF BROTHERS' ESTATE

The Warren court granted an order for the distribution of the estate of Thompson Brothers, now doing business in Somerville, but residents of that county. The assets are said to be $1,200 and the liabilities $1,500.

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PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

(Continued from Page 1)

Anne, Kate, Mary, Charles H., Margaret and Clara. (5) Thomas Laing, born 1759, by second wife, Mary Shotwell, had Jedidiah, born 1794; Martha, born 1795; Rebecca, born 1801; Anna, born 1805; Thomas, born 1811; Margaret, born 1806, married Edward Southwick, and had Thomas.

(6) Catherine Laing, born 1763, married Richard Cutler.

(7) Isaac Laing, Jr., born 1767, married Catherine Kinsey and Sarah Tucker, and had by first wife Joel, born 1789; Amible, born 1790; Sarah, born 1793, who married Clarkson Vail; Thomas, born 1795, married Catherine Clark; Peter W., born 1800, married Sarah Vail, who afterwards married Zachariah Webster; Catherine, born 1802; Rachel, born 1804; Jenette, born 1806, married Joseph Freeman.

With the citation of most of the children and grandchildren of the pioneer John Laing, Jr., of Scotch birth, this data will conclude his line. He lived near Plainfield.

The following information of his brother, William, may be interesting and instructive, as both were neighbors for years. The genealogy of this member of the Laing family of East Jersey traces most of his descendants outside of original Quaker stock. The immediate followers of William Laing were five sons and two daughters—William, Jr., John, Samuel, George, Benjamin, Jane and Anna.

A brief sketch of each will be given in the next chapter.

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ROBERT MURRAY,
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that from this day forth I will not be responsible for any debts my wife, Mary Day, may contract. (Signed)

MICHAEL DAY,
South Plainfield, N. J.
March 16, 1917. 3-16-3t

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Services at his late residence, 745 Watchung avenue, on Saturday, March 17, at 3 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

BARBER—At Dunellen, N. J., March 15th, 1917, Mary Ann Barber, beloved wife of William E. Barber.

Funeral will be held from her late home, Fairview avenue, Dunellen, N. J., on Monday, March 19th, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. John's Church, where mass will be offered at 9:00 a. m. Interment St. Mary's.

3-16-2t

AYERS—In New York City, on Wednesday, March 14, 1917, Elizilah C., daughter of the late James C. and Hannah A. Ayers.

Services private at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William J. Tatlamy, 118 East Sixth street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-15-2t

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TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-gist. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres tillable; seven rooms; garage. 'Phone 1444-M, Fanwood. 3-15-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 324 West Front street, now occupied by Grand Union Tea Co., also second floor. Lamar Van Syckel. 3-16-2t

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

FOR SALE—Model 35 Buick touring car in good condition. Inquire Box 611, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-3t

FOR SALE—Buick, 4-cylinder, 5-passenger touring car, model C-37, in good condition. Fred Engler, 1 Madison avenue. 3-14-3t

USED CARS FOR SALE—Ford touring, model T, $260; Marathon touring, 1912, $295; Chalmers 36, 1913, $350; Cheverolet Baby Grand, 1916; Abbott-Detroit touring, 1914, $525; Studebaker six touring, 1916, $650; Oldsmobile 8, demonstrator, $850; Cole 8, demonstrator, $1,250. All in first-class condition and guaranteed as represented. The A. & S. Motors Company, 337 West Front street at Central avenue. 3-15-4t

DODGE BROS. touring car for sale; A-1 condition. G. Eberle, telephone 1449-R, Fanwood. 3-15-3t

FOR SALE—Ford touring body, curtains and top, $45; also horse and delivery wagon. Apply to T. O. Hahn, 26 Prospect street, Westfield. 3-16-2t

FOR SALE—1915 Buick roadster, 1914 twin cylinder Indian motorcycle, 2 Regent street, North Plainfield, N. J. 3-15-3t

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 140 East Front street, or 918 South avenue. 3-16-f-4t

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers, Packard or Cadillac style, made to order by New York mechanics, at very reasonable prices. Call De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

EXPERIENCED chauffeur (married man with small family) desires position with private family, or on gentleman's place. Address "Chauffeur," care Courier-News. 3-10-6t

BOOKKEEPER—Competent, take full charge, seeks permanent employment. Address "T. W." care Courier-News. 3-13-5t

CHAUFFEUR, single, good driver and mechanic, wishes position; city references. Bader, P. O. Box 623, Plainfield. 3-15-2t

EXPERIENCED gardener or charge of a small farm; single; best of reference. Address "W. B." care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

EXPERIENCED chauffeur desires position in private family; good reference. Call 59 Somerset street. 3-15-2t

OFFICE MANAGER and bookkeeper; twenty-five years' experience, desires a position or will accept the agency for staple commodities, attend to collections, etc.; bank references. Address P. O. Box 122, Westfield.

EXPERIENCED butler desires place; good reference, furnished. Call 629 West Front street. 3-14-4t

EXPERIENCED MAN desires position on farm; has small family; good references. Apply 215 Monroe avenue. 3-10-6t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

FOR EXCHANGE

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local. W. S. Way. 3-16-7t

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watching avenues. Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female. All introductions free. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

METAPHYSICAL treatment, mind culture reducing of flesh through the laid of power healing; no cards answered; personal letters. Helen Teeton, 634 Lenox avenue, Westfield. 3-16-2t

GARDEN TILLING done my plot, about 20x30, for raising vegetables; also one acre for fodder; between Watching and Westervelt. Address "Vegetables," care Courier-News. 3-14-3t

LADY TEACHER of violin and mandolin; special attention given beginners; violin, $1.50; mandolin, 50c. Address "Violin," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Front street. Tel. 967-W. 2-2-1m

CONTRALTO, experienced, would like position as soloist in church, "Contralto," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

WOMAN desires day's work, laundry work or cleaning. Address box 22, care Courier-News. 3-7-2t

COLORED WOMAN, with good reference, wishes day's work. Address 409 Plainfield avenue.

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HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 22 Somerset street, Plainfield.

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-2-tf

OFFICE BOY WANTED. International Motor Co. 3-14-3t

WANTED—Man during the summer for garden work by the day. Apply evenings, 650 West Seventh street. 3-14-3t

WANTED—A married man for general farm work; references required. Apply to Mrs. G. Lisk-thal, Plainfield road, or write box 665, Metuchen, N. J. 2-28-tf

WANTED—Ice cream and candy maker to take charge of shop. Call 1150. 3-14-3t

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 1-19-tf

WANTED—Man to work on small farm near Plainfield; references required. "M. W.," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

NIGHT WATCHMAN wanted. New York Telephone Co. See Janitor, New York Telephone Co., 109 East Fourth street.

MEN—Ammunition plant $2.00 for 7½ hours work; boarding accommodations; no strike. 104 Halsey street, Newark. 3-16-4t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cows, etc.; good place for a good man. "I. X. L.," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Good strong boy to learn cutting trade. Nat Levy & Co. 3-8-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 1189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—By man and wife, small house or apartment, with improvements; no children. Address "Home," care Courier-News. 3-12-3t

WANTED—New two-family house by May 1st; 7 rooms to each apartment, with all modern improvements; must be in Plainfield; most private rental. Address "Convenient," care Courier-News. 3-14-3t

WANTED—Apartment, six rooms and bath, about $20.00 per month. "Apartment," care of Courier-News. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Modern house, 7 or 8 light rooms, new preferred; convenient location. Address, giving particulars, to "L. C. G.," care Courier-News. 3-14-3t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. T. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

GENTLEMAN wishes two connecting rooms unfurnished in private family; board preferred. Address "Rooms," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

HELP WANTED—Male or Female

WANTED—Girl or boy to assist in kitchen. 423 Park avenue. 3-16-2t

TO LET—ROOMS

THREE ROOMS with improvements. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 477-J. 3-15-3t

TO LET—Four rooms, part improvements. Address "A. J." care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

TO LET—Two or three unfurnished rooms with heat and bath. 426 Madison avenue. 3-14-4t

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

FOR RENT—Modern nine-room house with garage; centrally located. Inquire E. & W. Schloss. 3-13-3t

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house all latest improvements, hot water heat, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-1t

HOUSE TO LET, 211 Lee place. J. Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 3-15-3t

TO LET—8-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 142 Willever street; 6-room house, 20 Manson place; Groom apartment, latest improvements, 686 West Front street. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in the large auditorium over J. W. Gavett's china store, 318 West Front street, being used as a temporary auction room, by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for display of goods. The above mentioned sale will comprise several van loads of fine household goods and part stock of furniture to be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 15, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, one 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany dining room, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three fine brass beds three iron beds, one enameled white iron beds, one mahogany bed, five bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, almost new; one chiffoniers, two almost new pianolas attachment, a number of rolls of music, one onyx clock, one marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, one 9-ft. 3x10 and 12x12 two cabinet organs, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, lot bric-a-brac, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon for all purchasers. Robert "Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-6t

FRESH COWS and springers, Holstein Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Vreeland, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-29-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

FOR SALE—Bed room furniture, also odd pieces, cheap. Call 27 Crate place. 2-16-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2635-M. 2-17-2m

FOR SALE—$800 solid mahogany, ten-piece dining room suite, reasonable. Tel. 824-W, Westfield. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cold prize winner eggs, setting of $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, including wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—New 7-foot body for automobile truck. "F. F. H.," care Courier-News. 3-13-3t

S. C. R. I. REDS—Cockerels from pens averaging 207 eggs, sire son of hen making world record, 1916, price $5. Richard Thomas, Gallagher's Corner, Dunellen. 3-13-5t

PRIVATE PARTY will sacrifice very cheap for cash or terms fine mahogany upright piano purchased this year. Call 830 West Sixth street. 3-13-4t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Korafield's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lot. Address "Third End," care Courier-News. 2-2-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE, eight bed rooms, improvements; 80 acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

BARGAIN—Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell cheap or trade for merchandise. National Land & Building Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Two new 6 and 7 room houses, very desirable, well designed and built homes, all improvements; restricted section, rich garden soil; six minutes' walk from station; high quality and low price. P. O. Box 482, Dunellen, N. J. 3-15-1m

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1129 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-3t

FOR SALE—Five-room house and lot, only $5600 required. 1250 Grove street. 3-16-3t

BARGAIN—Modern nine-room house on Belvidere avenue, large lot. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-1m

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; five minutes from Netherwood station, Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Limbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight room house, all improvements, first class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. C. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-3t

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE for sale or rent in best part of Plainfield; everything modern; two bath rooms, underground electric automobile service, butler's pantry, laundry range, two acres of grounds, etc.; exceptionally low rent if taken at once. Apply "Gentleman's Residence," care Courier-News. 2-26-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tiled baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Limbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 3-14-f-2t

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, bath, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

TWO COMPLETELY-decorated store rooms and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

SIX NICE ROOMS, fine neighborhood, with improvements, $21.00. A. B. Stiles, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-15-tf

APARTMENTS TO LET from April 1st, 714-716 Richmond street, 'Phone 895-J. 2-10-tf

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, first floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-15,16,17,22,23,24

THREE-ROOM apartment, in refined neighborhood, hot and cold water, gas and bath. Apply 413 Spooner avenue. 3-16-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath, 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Scarer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Limbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

TO LET—FLATS

SIX-ROOM FLAT, next to M. E. church, light rooms, rent $20.00. N. J. Piano Co., 311 West Front street. 3-16-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 12-*

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. Inquire of Clement, attorney. 3-9-tf-*

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2599-J. W. F. Wilson.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Limbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 11-3-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

A PRIVATE FAMILY would accommodate two young men with room and board. Address W. S., care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 226-232 East Front street. Tel. 267-R. 2-19-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldert, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear, Nat Levy & Co., 330 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. H. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

GIRL to work on finger machines; steady all year; week work. Steigman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

WANTED—A sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Tel. 2065. 3-13-tf

WANTED—Maid for housework; also girl to look after children. 615 East Second street. 3-14-4t

WANTED—Immediately, a good white cook (no laundry) at 107 Crescent avenue; reference required. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Good reliable nurse to care for small child. 325 Franklin place.

WANTED—Girl that can sew. Apply Dressmaker, 1001 South avenue. 3-14-3t

WANTED—At once, girl for cooking, down stairs work and to help with ironing. 672 West Seventh st. Tel. 879-W. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Two white girls, one as chambermaid and waitress, other as waitress. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-15-2t

AN EXPERIENCED saleslady wanted for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 403 Watchung avenue. 3-15-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Linke, 220 West Second street. 3-16-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework in small family; must have references. Apply 747 Dixie Lane. 3-16-2t

WANTED—Cook, also waitress; good references required. Call 46 Myrtle avenue. 3-16-2t

LAUNDRY woman wanted at once. Apply to Laundry Foreman, Muhlenberg Hospital.

POLISH WOMAN wants day's work, is good laundress and general housewerker. 823 South Second street. 3-16-2t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work. Only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 407, Babcock building. 3-13-7t

MILLINERS—Only those of ability need apply; also an opportunity for an apprentice to learn the business. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

SALESWOMAN—We require an experienced saleswoman; none others need apply. Bonn's, 160 East Front street. 3-14-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

TWO large furnished rooms for housekeeping; all improvements. 101 West Sixth street. 3-15-2t

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-16-2t

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth St. 3-16-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 110 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-16-3t

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V" care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-16-6t

PLEASANT furnished rooms to let. 219 East Fifth street. 3-16-6t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming, auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 28-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2386-M. 6-6-1y-*

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—In post office, one envelope containing money, railroad pass, Grand Street Section; also letter to Mrs. Hilton, both of which are valuable receipts. Finder can keep money and also be rewarded by returning envelope to 64 Washington avenue. 3-14-3t

LOST—Leather leggin, between Watchung and Fourth street or Watchung avenue. Reward for return to 218 East Seventh street. 3-16-2t

LOST—Hound dog, medium size, tan, white black; name Brownie. Earn 19 Craig place. 2-15-3t

LOST—Red enamel wrist watch, between Plainfield and Netherwood avenue. Reward if returned to 203 Martine avenue. 3-15-3t

B.P.O.E. 885

DON'T FORGET
NEWARK NIGHT
TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH

Rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" Tuesday Evening, March 20.

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 P. M. Until Further Notice.

TRY THIS TO BANISH ALL RHEUMATIC PAINS

People who have been tormented for years—yes, even so crippled that they were unable to help themselves—have been brought back to robust health through the mighty power of Rheuma.

Rheuma acts with speed; it brings in a few days the relief you have prayed for. It antagonizes the poisons that cause agony and pain in the joints and muscles and quickly the torturing soreness completely disappears.

It is a harmless remedy, but sure and certain, because it is one discovery that has forced rheumatism and sciatica to yield and disappear.

Try a 50-cent bottle of Rheuma, and if you do not get the joyful relief you expect, your money will be returned. Weiss' Boro Drug Store always has a supply of Rheuma and guarantees it to you.—Adv.

RECREATION NOTES

The ladies' swimming class will use the high school pool tonight.

The Recreation Five will have a game in the high school this evening.

The Dunbar dance is to be held in the Washington school this evening.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Bryant school yard Saturday morning.

The International Motor Company Band is to rehearse in the Washington school tonight.

The Washington school game room is to be open both Friday and Saturday evenings.

The night school men's gym class has scheduled a basket ball game to be played in the high school gym tonight.

There will be a municipal dance in the Washington school auditorium tomorrow evening. Plans are being made to make this a St. Patrick's dance.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

A hurdy-gurdy hand-organ visited the city streets last night, bringing one of the first tidings of spring.

Special masses will be held tomorrow morning in both St. Mary's and St. Joseph's churches in observance of St. Patrick's day.

The Rev. F. H. St. Pair, of Bernardsville, who was the Lenten preacher at Holy Cross Church, Wednesday night, is a candidate for a member of the school board in Bernards town ship.

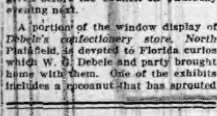
Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., at its meeting last night made arrangements to hear Principal Earley's lecture on the "Virginia Caverns" to be given before the Council on Thursday evening next.

A portion of the window display of *Debele's confectionery store, North* Plainfield, is devoted to Florida curios which W. G. Debele and party brought home with them. One of the exhibits includes a spconaut that has sprouted and the leaves are growing out of the shell.

The body of Raymond Hoffman, of Mountainville, who died in a local hospital on Tuesday was taken to his late home for funeral and interment on Wednesday. Burial took place in *Cokesbury Presbyterian cemetery.* The boy was twelve years old and died following an operation for appendicitis.

MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY for STOMACH trouble
ONE DOSE WILL CONVINCE

Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Acute Indigestion, Appendicitis, Gastritis, and other fatal ailments result from Stomach Trouble. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their *complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful* Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments. For sale by United Cigar Stores Co., and druggists everywhere.—Adv.



The simplest and best way to stop coughs, is to take

Foley's Honey and Tar

You get the curative influence of the pine balsam together with the mollifying effect of the honey, and other healing ingredients. It leaves a soothing coating on the inflamed tickling throat, raises phlegm easily and puts a quick end to hard wearing coughs.

G. Hall Store, Va., writes: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar stopped a troublesome bronchial cough and irritation that had bothered me for fifteen years." Good dealing sells it. Try it.

Weiss' Boro Drug Store.

SONGS OF THIRTY YEARS AGO

"Songs and poems of thirty years ago" is the title of the delightful program being arranged by the women of the First M. E. Church, for Friday evening, March 23. If one has a favorite *old song—and who has not?* he may hear it with a setting of tableaux and pantomime on the 23d at Vincent chapel.

Sixty children will take part in the program. Before the entertainment a church supper such as the Methodist *ladies know so well how to prepare,* will be served at 6 o'clock.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

F. H. Andrews will be in charge of the Rescue Mission service this evening at 8 o'clock. Instrumental and vocal music will feature the service.

Believe in Preparedness? Are you ready for Mr. Germ? Fortify yourself against cold germs and other germs by eating **Shredded Wheat Biscuit,** the food that supplies the necessary warmth and strength to resist disease. A better balanced ration than meat or eggs at a much lower cost. For breakfast with milk or cream or any *meal with fruits.*

Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

WRITES ABOUT WOMEN VOTING

Arthur C. Maclay Discusses Bill Introduced in New Jersey Legislature

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

On the sixth day of last month there was introduced into the New Jersey Legislature a bill to enable women to vote for Presidential electors. It is confidently claimed by the supporters of this bill that it is within the jurisdiction of the Legislature to enact such a measure and that it does not have to be referred to the voters of the State. Has *which has the Legislature of New* Jersey assumed the power to amend the constitution of the State without first submitting that amendment to the voters for ratification?

From the year 1776 to the year 1807 equal suffrage prevailed in New Jersey. Men and women voted upon the same terms upon all elective officers, whether State or Federal. This was conferred by act of the Legislature. Women voted for Presidential electors in those days.

In the year 1807 the Legislature repealed that portion of the act which allowed women to vote and limited the franchise to manhood suffrage.

In the year 1844 the Legislature drew up a Constitution and submitted it to the electors of the State for ratification. Into this Constitution they merged this legislative act, defining the qualifications of electors or voters. That Constitution was ratified by the voters at a general election held that year. In the year 1875 an amended Constitution was submitted by the Legislature and was ratified by the people. This amendment struck out the word "white" before the word "male," so as to allow colored men to vote.

In 1886 the Legislature again submitted a Constitution to the voters with a woman suffrage amendment. This amendment was rejected, but the Constitution was ratified. In the year 1913 this woman suffrage amendment was again submitted to the people and was overwhelmingly defeated, thus making the third time that New Jersey has rejected woman suffrage.

This Constitution (Article 2, Section 1) ordains that "every male *citizen of the United States of the* age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of this State one year and of the county in which he claims his vote five months next before the election, shall be entitled to vote for all officers that now are or hereafter may be elective by the people." And Article 9 of this Constitution also ordains that amendments to it are to be made by two successive terms of the Legislature approving thereof and submitting the same at the following election to the voters or electors of the State for ratification. The Legislature itself has no power to amend the Constitution. That function lies entirely beyond the scope of its jurisdiction.

The Constitution of the United States (Article 2, Section 1) creates the office of Presidential elector and ordains that "every State shall appoint in such manner as the Legislature thereof may direct, a number of electors equal to the whole number of Senators and representatives to which the State may be entitled in Congress." Under the sanction of this law the Legislature of the State of New Jersey directed that the office of Presidential elector should be an elective office, to be filled by the duly qualified voters of the State as specified in the State Constitution, into which they embodied this function when they submitted it to the voters of the State for ratification. The Legislature cannot change that action except by Constitutional amendment. They are bound by their own act voluntarily made under duly authorized power conferred by the United States Constitution. Any act of the Legislature that gives women the right to *vote for Presidential electors* (officers created by the Constitution of the United States) would be unconstitutional and invalid. The Legislature submitted to the voters the matter of women voting for Presidential electors when they submitted the whole woman suffrage question to the people and received an emphatic negative answer. They cannot set aside that verdict, either in whole or in part. For over a century they have directed the male electorate to vote for Presidential electors, and to extend now that Constitutional basis for suffrage by legislative act so as to include women would be revolutionary. If the people will submit to this outrage they will submit to anything, even to having polygamy inserted into the Constitution of the United States.

What do they mean by saying that the question about electing Presidential electors does not have to be submitted to the voters? *Do they mean* to say that if the woman suffrage amendment had been ratified in New Jersey two years ago that it would not have given the women the right to vote for Presidential electors and that it would have required a separate act of our Legislature to secure that right? They must surely know that if the woman suffrage amendment had been adopted that it would have conferred the right to vote for Presidential electors, because those officers were included in the term "all elective officers" mentioned in the Constitution of New Jersey. It was not submitted to the people, do they say? But it was submitted to them and it was rejected. It now lies beyond the jurisdiction of *our Legislature to enact. By what* authority in a Republican form of government guaranteed to each State by the United States Constitution do they now ask the Legislature to confer that right in the face of the voters' decision?

I have secured a copy of this bill before our Legislature and have examined it carefully. It has been worded so as to convey to the unobservant or unwary legislator the false impression that it comes within the scope of legislative jurisdiction to enact it. Its caption is: "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act to regulate elections (Revision of 1898), approved April 4, 1898,' which supplement relates to qualification of voters for electors of President and Vice President of the United States." The unwary or unobservant legislator would fail to detect the false statement in this caption and would be hoodwinked by believing that it was a legislative supplement to a previous legislative act regulating the qualifications of voters for Presidential electors, and that as a matter of course, it came within the jurisdiction of the Legislature to enact it. Then if he is somewhat cautious he will turn to Section third of the supplement to act of the revision of 1898 (page 2074, vol. 2, Completed Statutes of New Jersey), and read the caption: "Election to elect Presidential electors, who shall have qualifications of electors." This will conform him in his false impression created by the insertion of the words "qualifications of voters" in the first caption to *this supplementary act* relates to "qualifications of voters" for Presidential electors and that it comes within legislative jurisdiction to enact. Upon the chimerical and "qualifications of voters" is placed the "rider," giving suffrage to women in the matter of voting for Presidential electors. The body of Section 3 of the act that follows the caption exposes the falsity of the words "qualifications of voters"—"On the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and in each fourth year thereafter a election shall be held to elect such a number of persons to be electors of President and Vice President of the United States, as this State *shall be entitled to elect or appoint,* each of whom shall be a male citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years or upwards, and an inhabitant of this State, and shall have been a citizen of the United States seven years next preceding such election."

This shows that the supplement act is speaking about qualifications of Presidential electors and not about "qualification of voters" for Presidential electors. The Legislature has jurisdiction *over acts to regulate elections* and qualifications of Presidential electors, but it has no jurisdiction over the "qualification of voters" for Presidential electors that act it passed over to manhood suffrage in the State Constitution of 1884, and it has remained there ever since. And the supplementary act of 1898 contains absolutely nothing that gives the Legislature any such jurisdiction. Nor has the Legislature ever claimed any such jurisdiction. Verily, "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty!"

ARTHUR C. MACLAY.

This Presidential electors' bill is in reality an amendment to the Constitution of the State or New Jersey masquerading as an amendment to a legislative act previously passed by the Legislature.

A. C. M.

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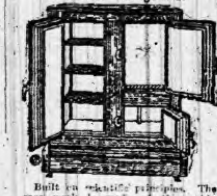

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Juniors' Coats—15 and 17 year sizes, in every new and fashionable fabric and color. $10.95 to $29.50.

Juniors' Skirts—in serge, Jersey, velours, sport check, stripes and plain effects. $7.95 to $15.00.

Girls' Blouses—of voile; 10 to 16 year sizes; to wear with shoe-top suits; daintily smocked or lace trimmed. $1.95 to $3.50.

Third Floor

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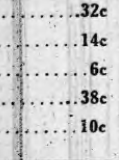

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Tiger's Buckwheat Flour, pkg	16c
Matches, 3 pkgs.	10c
Mueller's Macaroni or Spaghetti, pkg.	9c
Butter, lb.	43c
Fresh Eggs, doz.	32c
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The best of players, the best of music, the prettiest of girls and the newest in scenic effects combine to make a snappy, sparkling and dashing production by the "New Bon Ton Girls" who will be seen the coming Monday at the Plainfield Theatre.

Little has been overlooked in the effort to win the popular approval of lovers of burlesque for this unusual combination of good things in the way of entertainment. How well success has been achieved may be judged from the fact that Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen and Babe La Tour are the leaders of the cast. They are ably supported by the clever burlesque artists Gladys Parker, June La Vear and Callahan and Jackson. The latter team does a whirlwind dance that perhaps is not exceeded anywhere, for speed, but the swiftness of motion has not been permitted to interfere with the grace and charm of the dance.

The chorus is unusually capable, and there are twenty new musical numbers and the scenery adds the last desired touch to an already exceptionally bright production.

MONKEY CABARET AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

"The Monkey Cabaret," a big time animal act that is different from the usual run of novelties of the kind, is offered at the Plainfield Theatre as the headliner for the vaudeville bill today and tomorrow. It is at attraction that is solely an exhibition of trained animals, but the feats accomplished by these little funsters are seldom duplicated in other animal acts.

The four remaining acts on the bill are equally as good as the "Monkey Cabaret" and include: Jack Symonds, known as "the man of east"; Catherine Hayes and Louise Arnold presenting *an argument set to music*; William and Williams in "At a Bookstore," and Stuart, Light and Hardy in a comedy, singing and dancing vehicle.

The last episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown this afternoon and tonight at the theatre, and will be augmented by Hearst-Pathe news features and Mutual comedies.

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG AT PROCTOR'S TODAY

Monday and Tuesday at Proctor's Theatre

Clara Kimball Young appears today at Proctor's in a special William A. Brady production entitled "Without a Soul," an adaptation of the Owen Davis play "Lola." As Lola, Miss Young appears in a character which has many facets of scintillating interest. Filled with novel situations the story itself is as psychologic as any visible on a Broadway stage. When you consider that Clara Kimball Young is the girl, and note the circumstances which bring about this undesirable state of affairs, however, you will be apt to pity more than to condemn.

In addition today Valentine Grant, the popular Paramount star, is featured in "The Daughter of MacGregor," adapted to the screen from the famous novel of the same name.

Saturday's program includes Pauline Frederick in "Ashes and Embers," interpreting the characters of two sisters entirely different from each other. Ethel Barrymore appears in "The Awakening of Helena Richie." "Krazy Kat," in cartoon form, will also be supplied to amuse the children.

On Monday and Tuesday Mary Pickford, in the third and greatest of her own productions, "The Poor Little Rich Girl," the well known play and story by Eleanor Gates. It comes to Plainfield directly after creating a sensation at the Strand Theatre, New York City.

In addition on Monday and Tuesday, "Patria" will be shown, and an added feature will be exclusive motion pictures of the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone for the new City Hall in this city. All the societies and individuals present at that time are shown with distinctive clearness.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENT

At the Strand

At the Strand Theatre Jack Pickford, talented young brother of Mary Pickford, will be seen in a photo-dramatic adaptation of "The Dummy," one of the greatest stage successes, in recent years. In this play the youthful star is afforded exceptional opportunities for the inimitable touches of humor and real boy-life of which he is past master. Max Linder, the famous French comedian, will appear in his latest American-made farce-comedy entitled "Max Wants a Divorce" which is said to be brimful of legitimate and high-class comedy situations. The marvelous Prizma pictures in natural colors will also be shown; the subjects selected for the week are Saranac Lake and Palm Beach. Other pictures on the program are: A new chapter of Ditmar's "Living Book of Nature" and the Strand Topical Review containing the latest news pictures.

The musical program is an exceptionally varied and pleasing one. Among the soloists are: Lydia Lindgren, famous Swedish mezzo soprano, late of the Chicago Grand Opera Company. Knud Dalgaard, the noted Danish violin virtuoso; Grace Hoffman, soprano; Arthur Depew and Ralph Brigham, organists.

PITCAIRN ISLANDERS TO GET MAIL SERVICE

By United Press:

New York, March 16.—For the first time since the colonization in 1789 by mutineers and Tahitian women, Pitcairn island, that geographical period in the Pacific Ocean between Panama and New Zealand, where steamers stop sometimes as often as once a year, will receive mail service from the United States via the steamship Australplain, sailing from this port today.

Probably the only person in the United States to whom this news is valuable is Miss Emily McCoy, who left Pitcairn 15 years ago to come to the United States to study nursing. There are about 150 inhabitants on the island. Miss McCoy says divorce and unequal suffrage are unknown among the islanders.

NEW ROAD BOARD FOR NEW JERSEY

Trenton, March 16.—Gov. Edge, setting in operation machinery for the proposed $15,000,000 State Highways System, has appointed a new State Highway Commission, provided for by the legislation he signed Wednesday.

The new commission is composed of John W. Herbert, Helmetta, and Col. Anthony Kuser, Bernardsville, terms of one year each; Senate President George W. P. Grant, Jubilee Hill, and Edwin Evans, Hoboken, terms of two years each; Watson G. Clark, Tenafly, and Walter J. Busby, Atlantic City, each three-year terms; Ira S. Klipp, Jr., South Orange, and George Blakeslee, Jersey City, four years. The Commission will appoint a State Highway Engineer to serve five years.

WANT GOETHALS TO BUILD STATE HIGHWAY

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 16.—A bill was introduced in the Legislature to pave the way for the appointment of General George W. Goethals as engineer in charge of the building of the new State highway system and the proposed tunnel between New York and New Jersey and the bridge between Camden and Philadelphia. The measure would enable the State house Commission, made up of the Governor, State Treasurer and State Comptroller, to select a State engineer, if a majority so be fixed by the commission. It is now understood that General Goethals, if he accepts, will be paid between $15,000 and $20,000 a year.

BERNARDSVILLE NEW RURAL ROUTE

Bernardsville, March 16.—At least one of the men who will act as mail-carriers for Bernardsville, when the free delivery system has been finally installed here, has been selected. He is James Glover, who will cover route No. 1. The man to whom had been offered the position by Postmaster J. J. Foley to cover route No. 2 is James Bowers. Mr. Bowers is a law student and has declined the position. Both these men have passed civil service examinations and are qualified to do the work. One other man from out of town had passed the examination and he may be given the position.

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New Style Features — Mannish lines, cutaway effects, pinch back, pleats, button trimmed, long, straight lines or flaring peplums.

24.50

Our Reg. $27.98 and $29.98

Materials — Poiret Twill, Men's Wear Serge, Velvet.

Colors — Navy and the new Spring shades, old rose, etc.

New Style Features — Belts (silk stitching, held down or trimmed, some with striped sport silk collar—kimono sleeve on others, embroidered pointed collar effects), mannish notch tailored collars.

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Colors — Peacock blue, gold, bottle green, tan, magenta, navy.

New Style Features — Semi-Empire model, large, pointed collars, square, flat silhouette lines produced by side pleatings, pointed fronts.

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$4.50 Boys' Spring Suits	2.98
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69 ct. Boys' Blouses	.39
49 ct. Rompers	.29
49 ct. Children's Pajamas	.29
98 ct. Boys' Blouses	.59
49 ct. Boys' Caps	.29
49 ct. Boys' Hats	.29
98 ct. Misses' and Girls' Middy Blouses	.59
$1.98 Girls' White Dresses	1.19
$1.49 Girls' New Tub Dresses	.98
$2.50 Girls' Sweaters	1.29
$4.98 Crepe Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses	2.98
$7.98 Georgette Crepe Blouses	3.98
$2.98 Tailored Linen or Voile Blouses	1.79
$1.00 White Voile Blouses	.49
$2.00 Extra Size Voile and Batiste Blouses	1.00
Ask to see our Specialized Blouses—Remarkable Values.	
$2.00 Women's Corsets	1.19
$2.50 Corsets	1.39
$1.29 Women's Combinations	.89
49 ct. Women's Drawers	.29
49 ct. Envelope Chemises	.29
$1.49 Women's Petticoats	.98
49 ct. Children's Petticoat Slips	.29
89 ct. Children's Cambric Drawers	.49
$1.49 Extra Size Silkoid Petticoats	1.00
$2.98 Women's Tub Silk Petticoats	2.29
$2.24 House Dresses	1.49
$1.49 and $1.69 Misses' and Misses' Dresses	1.00
98 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses	.79
98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses	.79
59 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses	.39
$2.98 Little Children's Colored Coats	2.29
$4.98 Babies' Long or Short Cashmere Coats	2.98
49 ct. Babies' Silk or Lawn Caps	.29
$1.98 Little Children's Trimmed Straw Hats	2.49
89 ct. Babies' Outing Flannel Gowns	.59
69 ct. Babies' Knit Wool Shirts	.39
$8.98 Genuine Crex Rugs	7.98
$60.00 Wool Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft.	45.75
25 ct. Kotinka Window Shades	.19
19 and 25 ct. yd. Table Oil Cloth	.11
10½ ct. Unbleached Muslins—yd. 7½ inches wide—mill lengths 18 yds.	.7
25 ct. Bleached Sheetings	.17
$1.07 Hemstitched Sheets—81x90	.77
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$1.49 Bed Spreads	1.00
$1.98 Full Size Crochet Spreads	1.49
9½ ct. Cheesecloth—36 in.	.7
25 ct. Feather Pickings	.19

$1.10 All-Wool Poplins, 42 inch	.95
$1.69 All-Wool Costume Serges	1.29
$1.98 All-Wool Gabardines	1.49
$1.49 All-Wool Gabardines, 40 in.	1.04
$1.39 Novelty Suitings, 56 inch	1.10
$1.25 Crepe de Chines, 40 inch	.94
39 ct. Tub Silks, 36 inch	.29
$1.85 Charmeuse, 40 inch	1.39
$1.50 Taffetas, 36 inch	1.19
39 ct. Mercerized Sateens, 36 in.	.29
94 ct. Fancy Voiles—36 inch	.15
39 ct. Silk Mixed Poplins—35 in.	.19
29 ct. Sport Suitings	.19
29 ct. 40-in. Mixed Novelties	.23
15 ct. Dress Ginghams—32 inch	.9
15 ct. Fancy Voiles	.11
10 yds. Novelty White Goods, 36 and 39 inch	.35
24 ct. White Poplins	.15
29 ct. White Voilettines, 36 inch	.23
$2.29 Mainsook, 12-yd. pcs.	1.90
79 ct. Woman's SUN Gloves	.54
$1.39 Women's One-Clasp Washable Chey Gloves	1.07
$1.09 Women's Black Silk Hose	.79
29 ct. Children's Hose	.21
$5.98 Man's Fine Silk Shirts	4.17
98 ct. Men's Fine Night Shirts	.79
49 ct. Men's Fancy Neckwear	.29
98 ct. Men's Spring Shirts	.79
$1.98 Men's Medium Weight Underwear	.77
94 ct. Boy's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, each	.19
49 and 59 ct. Women's Union Suits	.37
99 ct. Men's and Women's Underwear	.77
25 ct. Pearl Necklaces	.22
69 ct. Coiffure Drawnnins and Combs	.39
98 ct. Side Rags	.59
$3.75 Hand Bags	1.98
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98 ct. Chiffon Cloth, 40 inch, yd.	.77
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$1.49 Silk Nets, 40 inch	1.19
12½ c. Fancy Cotton Laces	.9
49 ct. Embroidery Flouncings	.25
49 ct. Real Filet Insertings, 1½ inch	.25
1¾ to 15 ct. Buttons, per card	.7
15 ct. Wash Ribbons, per yard	.11
15 ct. Heavy Silk Tassels	.11
12½ and 25 ct. Men's Initial Handkerchiefs	.7
15 ct. Women's 36x72, All Linen	.11
15 ct. Men's 36x72, All Linen	.11
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FREIGHT SUBJECT TO DELAY

Special to Courier-News:

Boston, March 16.—On account of threatened strike of employes in the train service, the New Haven Railroad announces it will only accept freight subject to delay and loss, due to delay, and bills of lading must be endorsed.

BRITISH IMPORTS INCREASE

Special to Courier-News:

London, March 16.—According to a report issued yesterday by the British Board of Trade imports into the United Kingdom in February increased 598,767 pounds, and exports increased 951,218 pounds.

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COLLEGE

College is an institution of learning. An institution of learning what? Oh, almost anything. Ball of all kinds, for instance—high, foot, base, basket, hand and fancy dress. College is where some youths go to study Broadway. These young men return home at the end of four or five years, if at all, with the degree of D. D. D., or Doctor of Drinks and Debts. They qualify by spending dad's money in large quantities, their days in bed and their evenings in high collars and low comedy. College for them is one grand round of touts and tutors. Occasionally some obsolete person goes to college to get an education.

"Weather or No"

Some men get cold feet in the middle of a poker game; others in the middle of the back.—Old Sage.

ZACH WHEAT TO SIGN

Special to the Courier-News:

Hot Springs, Ark., March 16.—President Ebbets of the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club, received a telegram from Zach Wheat, his star outfielder, who has been holding out, that he would accept his (Ebbets) last offer. He will sign a contract on his arrival here Sunday.

TO CONFER ON GAME LAWS

Newton, March 16.—Assemblyman Philip S. Wilson will preside tomorrow afternoon at a conference at the courthouse on the fish and game laws. Mr. Wilson recently introduced a bill to protect quail for five years. Game Warden Jacob D. Roe will be present at the conference.

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EAGLES FIGHT IT OUT AMONG SELVES

Regular Bowlers Spot Second Hundred Pins and Take Two Games

Eagles No. 1 met Eagles No. 2 last evening spotted them a hundred pins to the game and then took two of the three games. The birds sure did get some good enjoyment out of the contests, especially when the "Ones" momentarily lost sight of the leeway given to the "Twos."

Mannis copped the high average of the evening with a chalk mark of 178.2, although Mahoney was not far behind with an average of 178.

The scores:

EAGLES NO 1

				Ave
Radin	166	160	184	170
Miller	184	158	159	167
Smith	190	172	171	177
Mannis	177	157	202	178
Mahoney	169	173	192	178
	886	820	908	871

Total pins—2,614.

EAGLES NO. 2

				Ave
Ronnie	159	123	136	139
Hook	153	150	177	160
DeCamp	148	179	154	160
Buckley	150	177	122	159
Jaeger	161	181	163	168
Handicap	100	100	100	
	871	910	852	877

Total pins—2,633.

RAMBLERS vs. TUXEDOS

The third and deciding series between the Ramblers and Tuxedos will take place tonight on Effinger's Bound Brook alleys and irrespective of the Ramblers' past record, they are expected to go on a rampage tonight against their worthy Bound Brook opponents.

The following bowlers comprise the teams. Ramblers—Worrall, Heitenberger, Davenport, Hyslip and Donnelly or Koechlein. Tuxedos—Sutton, Bedner, Vayda, Helfin and Searle.

BRIT MARTIN TO LEAD CHAPELITES

Athletic Band of Hope Chapel Selects Veteran to Head the 1917 Nine

Hope Chapel took the first step of the season necessary for putting a first-class baseball nine on the field, electing Brit Martin, the old City League veteran, as manager of the outfit. The athletic board of the chapel took this step last evening at its semi-monthly session.

Manager Martin, who was at the head of the West Fourth street crew last year, will issue a call for candidates before the week is over, and it is expected that a number of men will respond to the call. It is expected that the Chapelites will use the West End Oval grounds, West End and Myrtle avenues, in conjunction with the First Baptist Sunday School team.

In being interviewed after the meeting last evening Manager Martin would not state any possible line-up for his team for the coming year, saying that he wants first to take a good look around for available new material about the Chapel organizations.

RIFLE CLUB NOTES

Rifle Club membership applications may be filed with the sporting editor.

Regular meeting this evening at Company K armory. Hour, 8.15. Business, division of the membership into squads for competition purposes and acting on a number of new applications.

Practice shoot follows the formal business session. Room a-plenty for every member and interested prospective members. The shoot will start early, as the meeting is to be to the point and short.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening regular week-end practice shoot. Let every man be on the job. The number of men at the Wednesday evening session was the largest yet. Will the record be broken again tomorrow?

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ELKS' FIRST PLACE HOLD DWINDLING

Fight for Team Standing Honors Marking Last Weeks of League's Season

IMPERIALS TAKE THREE

CITY BOWLING LEAGUE
Team Standing

	W	L	HS	PC
B. P. O. E.	29	16	975	.644
Imperials	28	17	984	.622
K. of C.	24	21	993	.533
T. A. B. S.	10	35	958	.222

The dropping of one game on the part of the Elks to the Knights of Columbus in the City Bowling League, while the Imperials were taking three straight from the T. A. B. S. was instrumental in cutting the hold of the Elks on first place to half a game last night. Two or three weeks ago the hold of the Elks on the honored position appeared to be growing almost every week, but the splits and misses have been coming thick and fast since that time.

In their games with the Knights last evening the league leaders took the first two tilts by substantial margins and then dropped the eighth cap battle by a mere five-pin margin. Nash of the Elks struck the only double century score at 214, securing an average of 185.2. In the latter honors Nash had to bow to his team mate, Vail, who had high average of the evening, 187.

B. P. O. E.

				Ave
Nash	176	214	167	185
Long	166	148	171	170
Kiely	166	165	186	172
Townley	162	158	157	159
Vail	187	139	175	187
	880	887	855	874

Total pins—2,622.

K. OF C.

				Ave
Duffy	176	168	174	172
Sullivan	172	154	172	166
Wilson	158	147	161	155
Howe	131	188	155	158
Taylor	157	145	198	166
	794	802	860	818

Total pins—2,456.

The Imperials took no chances with the Abstainers and took title to a clean sweep of the entire set of games. Both teams were in fine form. Three double century scores were copped during the course of the evening, as follows: Connolly, 213; Conover, 206; Lawton, 208; Skinner, 221. But one might more properly judge the extent of the maple smashing when it is noted that three men maintained averages of over 190.

In the latter respect Skinner chalked up 198.2, Lawton 191.2, Connolly 195. And there were other substantial averages on both sides of the fence. Incidentally, it may be pointed out that the Imperials raised their high team score from 965 to 984.

T. A. B. S.

				Ave
Lawton	177	190	208	191
Force	179	178	181	179
Mahoney	181	140	123	151
Skinner	182	193	221	198
J. O'Keeffe	147	180	171	166
	866	881	914	887

Total pins—2,661.

IMPERIALS

				Ave
Voorhees	170	193	198	187
Jonap	178	178	192	189
Connolly	191	213	181	195
Conover	171	184	206	187
Gates	189	196	166	183
	899	984	944	942

Total pins—2,827.

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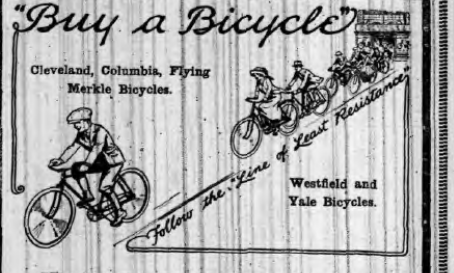

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WESTFIELD LADS FORM RIFLE CLUB

High School Boys Organize for Rifle Instruction and Practice

Westfield, March 16.—The High School Rifle Club was formed in the auditorium of the Westfield High School yesterday afternoon when forty-three boys of the high school joined the organization, and many more are expected to become members. The boys who joined are all enthusiastic over the idea of shooting.

The boys of the high school were called together by Dr. J. J. Savitz, superintendent of schools, who introduced Capt. J. J. Thomas, an ex-army officer and president of the Westfield Rifle Club. Captain Thomas told the boys the workings of the rifle club and the object of forming a high school club which was to teach the boys how to shoot and their duties as citizens. He referred to the Junior Rifle Club and the business Men's Club. One of the main objects, he said, was to prepare now and receive the benefits and that in the high school there are 100 boys available and 80 are wanted. Captain Thomas told the boys of the compulsory training bill, which provides that boys over eighteen years shall spend eleven months in camp or two weeks for two years.

After Captain Thomas' talk he was made temporary chairman of the meeting and William Harrison temporary secretary. A nominating committee, consisting of C. C. Gordon, an instructor in the school and captain of Company F, of Elizabeth, and a graduate of Annapolis, Robert Hinchman and Homer French, was named to select officers. This committee made the following report: President, Robert Hinchman; vice president, Homer French; secretary-treasurer, Stanley Patrick; executive officer, C. C. Gordon. These officers were unanimously elected. It was voted that the club shoot on Monday and Thursday afternoons; that it have monthly business meetings; drills once a week, and that the dues be fifty cents a year.

Shooting will be done on the indoor range and will be under a competent instructor, and all measures will be taken for the safety of those who shoot, so that the boys need not hesitate about joining the club on that account. The Westfield Rifle Club has been going a year now and during that time there has not been an accident, which speaks well for the safety precautions taken by the members.

GRAMMAR GRADE GIRLS BOW TO BOROUGH TEAM

For the third successive time this year the North Plainfield High School Freshmen maidens defeated the Plainfield Grammar School quintet on the Plainfield H. S. court yesterday by the score of 9 to 6.

N. P. H. S. 1920

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Keller, f	2	0	4
Miss Shotwell, f	2	1	5
Miss Fenton, c	0	0	0
Miss Harper, sc	0	0	0
Miss McDonough, g	0	0	0
Miss Vail, g	0	0	0
	4	1	9

PLAINFIELD H. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Rider, f	0	0	0
Miss Sachar, f	3	0	6
Miss Locke, c	0	0	0
Miss Goldberg, sc	0	0	0
Miss Smith, g	0	0	0
Miss McCann, g	0	0	0
	3	0	6

Referee, Townley; scorer, Forster; timer, Seidel.

EMPLOYED BOYS IN SOME FAST GAME

But Are Beat Out by the Inner-Triangle Aggregation on East End Court

The Employed Boys' Brotherhood visited Netherwood last evening to meet defeat at the hands of the Inner-Triangle Club team. The game was well played throughout, but few mis-passes being made. Patterson made several neat shots. Gullberg, Scruton and Campbell also excelled in shooting.

For the Employed Boys no star could be picked, each man putting up a good game, but Burner and Compton gathered in the most points.

In the last five minutes Patterson and Cartwright were replaced by Morris and Western, Triangle subs.

The score:

INNER-TRIANGLES

	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	5	3	13
Gullberg, f	6	0	12
Morris, f	0	0	0
Campbell, c	4	0	8
R. Cartwright, g	0	0	0
Scruton, g	2	0	4
Western, g	0	0	0
	17	3	37

EMPLOYED BOYS

	G.	F.	P.
Burner, f	3	0	6
Snyder, f	0	0	0
Conover, f, g	1	0	2
Compton, c	2	2	6
Walters, g	1	1	3
Chandler, g	1	0	2
	8	3	19

Referee, Denny; timer, Collins; scorer, Hansen.

COLUMBIAN BOWLERS DROP ODD CONTEST

The Columbian girls' bowling team last evening entertained the Bound Brook feminine aggregation in a return match with the locals, managing to secure but one of the three tilts. The women folks were on the job with a number of good scores being chalked up.

Miss Haddemma of the Bound Brookers took the honors of the evening with a high score of 124 in her final game and high average of 110.

The scores:

COLUMBIANS

Miss Doyle	76	105	108	96
Miss A. McAfee	107	120	97	108
Miss H. McAfee	88	118	107	104
Miss Schuck	103	96	116	105
Mrs. Arnold	86	103	113	100
	470	442	541	484

Total pins—1,453.

BOUND BROOK

Mrs. Zimmerman	93	82	120	
Miss Haddemma	128	95	109	
Mrs. Hatte	82	94	65	
Miss Biddle	93	101	109	
Miss Hubbard	88	102	104	
	484	471	506	

Total pins—1,461.

OUTDOOR BASEBALL WORK

New Brunswick, March 16.—Undaunted by the mud that covered the field, sixty men reported to Coach Piez of Rutgers yesterday for the first outdoor work of the season. Piez has a squad of fifteen pitchers to pick from, with four veterans from last year. The only change in the line-up from last year that is expected is at first base.

N. P. H. S. vs. Social Club

The North Plainfield H. S. girls' team will close the season of basketball activity over the brook this night when it entertains the St. Mary's Social Club.

COMRADE CLUB IN ANOTHER VICTORY

East Enders Defeat N. P. H. S. Junior Girls in a One-Sided Contest

The Comrade Club played the preliminary to the E. B. S. and L. T. C. game last evening with the North Plainfield H. S. Juniors and easily defeated them by the score of 21 to 6. The girls played a good game throughout, but much comment was made upon the exceptional playing of Claire Scruton, who caged baskets at random, running up a total of seventeen points. Myrtle Towsley and Elsie Saunders each played a half game, both scoring one basket. For the Juniors Clara Carr led in the scoring with two baskets and one foul.

The score:

COMRADE CLUB

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Saunders, f	1	0	2
Miss Scruton, f	6	5	17
Miss Townley, f	1	0	2
Miss Fritts, c	0	0	0
Miss Snowden, g	0	0	0
Miss Adams, g	1	0	2
	10	5	25

N. P. H. S. 1918

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Carr, f	3	0	6
Miss Barry, f	1	1	3
Miss Weiss, c	0	0	0
Miss Krewson, g	0	0	0
Miss Pilger, g	0	0	0
Miss Demarest, g	0	0	0
	4	1	9

Referee, Daley; timer, Lewis.

BOROUGH SENIOR GIRLS CLINCH THE TITLE

Before the largest crowd of spectators that has witnessed an inter-class contest this year, the feminine quintet of the class of 1917 of the North Plainfield High School defended the Sophomore girls' team on the Saengerbund Hall floor yesterday afternoon and thereby annexed the inter-class championship of the school. The first period was exciting all the way, the scores made by the Seniors resulting from some clever shooting by Miss Spencer. The period ended 9 to 4 in the Seniors' favor.

In the final stretch the Sophs were held to one lone field goal and two fouls, while the graduating maidens ran their count up to 22. Amy Hughes and Helen Spencer played best for the Sophomores.

Both class teams representing 1917 won the titles in their respective leagues this year, the Senior boys having an easy time against the other three contestants in the race that closed last week.

The two title holders are endeavoring to get together to decide the inter-class championship of the school. If arranged the girls will three first team regulars in the line-up will certainly make things interesting for the male quintet.

Yesterday's score:

P. H. S. 1917

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Spencer, f	9	1	19
Miss Chandler, f	1	1	3
Miss Smith, c	0	0	0
Miss Wykoff, g	0	0	0
Miss Britting, g	0	0	0
	10	2	22

N. P. H. S. 1918

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Hughes, f	1	2	4
Miss Spencer, f	1	1	3
Miss McDonough, c	0	0	0
Miss Clark, g	0	0	0
Miss Doughty, g	0	0	0
	2	3	7

Referee, Daley; timer, Lewis.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS ON PAGE 11

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BATTERY C. BOYS GLAD TO GET HOME

Alfred Seal and Raymond Manley Do Not Regret Border Experiences

Alfred Seal who, with Raymond Manley, returned on Wednesday with Battery C, N. G. N. J., after a stay of five months at Douglas, Ariz., was in Plainfield last night calling on some friends. Both young men are in fine physical condition.

Mr. Seal, in speaking of his experiences, said that he considered the eight months he has been with the battery, both at Tobyhanna, Pa., and Douglas, as time well spent, and he does not regret the excellent training in the service.

Seal and Manley were in the hospital division, their duty being to assist in the care of the sick and injured, but they also had opportunity for actual training in military tactics. Fortunately, they did not have any sharp encounters with Mexicans. The members of Battery C developed a high standard of efficiency in their work, which was commended by the commanding officers. Manley, whose position with the Guarantee Trust Company, New York, was held open for him, will return there, and Seal expects to follow civil engineering as a profession.

COMPANY K TO OBSERVE ITS ANNIVERSARY

The sixteenth anniversary of Company K and the fifth reunion of the veterans of the company will be observed in the Masonic banquet rooms in the Babcock building Wednesday evening, March 21.

PERSONAL

Miss Isabelle Rushmore, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Edmund Rushmore, of Sycamore avenue, is ill with pneumonia.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush your Kidneys occasionally if you eat meat regularly

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops fermentation and acidity and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing.—Adv.

FRANK LEIVERS HOST AT BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Frank Leivers, of Belmont avenue, the borough, was given a surprise party at his home Wednesday night in honor of his birthday anniversary. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Leivers, and her husband was kept in ignorance of the plans until he returned home early in the evening to find a company of thirty relatives and friends who had called to help him celebrate his natal day.

The evening was spent in singing, dancing and playing games, music for dancing being furnished by Stadele's orchestra. Several vocal solos by the guests was a pleasing feature. Later supper was served.

The home was attractively decorated for the affair, the color scheme being green and white. The table decorations were appropriate for St. Patrick's Day. In the centre of the table was a large candelabra, with green candles, and at each end of the table were smaller candelabras with lighted candles. At each place was a souvenir candle-holder and lighted candle. Mr. Leivers was the recipient of many gifts. There were guests from New York, Brooklyn and this city.

CHILDREN'S REHEARSAL FOR ELKS' OPERA

The children who are to take part in the comic opera "The Land of Mystery," which is to be given by Plainfield Lodge of Elks, April 10, 11 and 12, will meet every afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the Elks' clubhouse for rehearsal. These rehearsals will be continued daily until Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, the authors and producers, are ready to separate them into groups.

A very successful rehearsal for the general chorus was held last night, excellent progress being made by all in familiarizing themselves with the music and words. The next rehearsal will be held Tuesday night. Just as soon as the principals are selected announcement will be made of the time for their rehearsals.

LYMAN HIBBARD AT THE WAR FRONT

Gives Vivid Description of Scenes Along the French Lines in Verdun

Below is published a portion of a letter received by his father, Henry D. Hibbard, of East Seventh street, from his son, Lyman Hibbard, member of the American ambulance corps in France:

"I joined this section July 11 and at that time we were stationed on a quiet part of the front and nothing in particular happened. There was very little work to do.

"The 'postes-de-secours' were interesting outposts and all that sort of thing, but it was so quiet that we hardly realized we were in the war zone. After I had been there a week we moved to a little town and had a few days' 'repos' (rest). Then we came here. The 'here' referred to is in the vicinity of Verdun. I believe I can say that much—and is pretty active. Our work consists of going to a 'poste-de-secous' and evacuating the wounded to a small hospital about twenty-five kilometers in the rear. It's quite a long run and at night, without lights, more or less of a strain. But out posts is our best exhibit. It is in the cellar of a ruined chateau in the remains of a village and is not the most pleasant place in the world. The caves are dark and stuffy and reek of all sorts of unmentionable things. It is a place of death—there is no doubt about that.

"I have seen as many as thirty being buried at one time and presumably have carried as many as twenty-two wounded in one night, and the appearance of the place adds nothing to the atmosphere. The village is the most desolate wreck you can imagine. There are just the shattered stumps of houses left with an occasional beam or bit of roof sticking out like a skeleton. I've seen lots of ruined villages since I have been over here, but nothing that is so hopeless and desolate as this little place. And the surroundings don't help it a bit. It is like little valley and the hills on all sides are snow-covered. But the snow is all blackened and discolored by the shells and pitted with holes and the whole landscape is a horrible dirty gray.

"When seen in the day time it is bad enough, but when you come down the road leading to it at night with the guns going and the ghastly white light of the star shells over everything it literally looks like the mouth of hell. It is held in the greatest respect not only by the ambulanciers but also by the soldiers and everyone who has ever seen it.

"One of the pathetic things about the 'postes' is the graveyard. Just a graveyard would be bad enough, but the shells land in it frequently and the whole place is torn up. The graves are smashed open and the crosses are broken and scattered. The poor devils can't even rest in death. By the way, it might interest you to know that about the first men I've met here are the priests. They are uniformly kind and agreeable and wander around the trenches in the most casual way. I know one who has been decorated for bravery and has the rank of captain. They're all absolutely indifferent to all danger.

"The average soldier, when doing his duty and facing any dangers takes no extra chances if he can help it. They think we Americans are very brave because we take chances, either from ignorance or from a consuming desire to see what's going on, that we wouldn't otherwise take unless we had to. Of course, as a matter of fact, we are not a bit braver than they are."

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 16.—Arrived this morning:

S. S. City of St. Louis, from Savannah.

S. S. El Sud, from Galveston.

S. S. El Capitan, from Havana.

S. S. Grena, from Santos.

S. S. La Perouse, from Havre.

S. S. Catherine Cuneo, from Nice.

S. S. Vesta, from Port Arthur.

S. S. Manna Hata, from Baltimore.

VISITING SON AT FORT SLOCUM

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartzach, of Scotch Plains, left this afternoon to visit their son Henry, at Fort Slocum, who leaves tomorrow for Texas with the Second Company, New Jersey Volunteers.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can be quickly lifted right out with the fingers. If you will apply directly upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

It is claimed that at small cost one can get a quarter of an ounce of freezone at any drug store, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn, callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound, and while sticky, dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue.

This announcement will interest many women here, for it is said that the present high-heel footwear is putting corns on practically every woman's foot.—Adv.

EVEN CROSS, SICK CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

If Feverish, Bilious, Constipated, Give Fruit Laxative at Once

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, has sore throat, sore; doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, sour waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet. Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.—Adv.

BIBLE CLASS HOLDS ANNUAL 'GET-TOGETHER'

The members of the Men's Conference class of the First Baptist church, of which George H. Batchelor is the teacher, held their annual "get-together" social at the church last night, the affair being largely attended. During the evening H. C. Krebs, of North Plainfield, gave an interesting informal talk on the life of St. Patrick. He told of the great work accomplished by St. Patrick as a missionary, and dispelled the general belief that he was famous for driving the snakes out of Ireland.

Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, pastor of the church, also addressed the class, congratulating the members upon the good work being done and for their interest in the activities of the church during the evening William Holmes, baritone soloist, sang a number of popular Irish songs, and the program was followed by the serving of refreshments. Each person present wore a "bit of green" in honor of the occasion. The committee in charge comprised Wilbur F. Randolph, John G. MacLaughlin and A. W. Stone.

CHAPEL WOMEN HELD THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Chapel held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon, at which time officers were elected, and the reports of the various officers and committees presented. These reports indicated a considerable amount of work accomplished during the course of the past year, $225 having been raised for the work of the chapel, aside of varying amounts for other objects.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President, Mrs. Aaron Snyder; vice president, Mrs. Thomas Hendry; secretary, Mrs. Orra Eckert; treasurer, Mrs. Nell Head.

Following the business session a sewing meeting was held, various articles, including two quilts being made for disposal to friends of the society.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

On account of last night's entertainment at the association the weekly rehearsal of the orchestra will not be held tonight.

The juniors will enjoy a St. Patrick's social at the association tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Instead of the "home hour" service Sunday afternoon the members will attend the meeting to be held at 4 o'clock at the Plainfield Theatre, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., and all members of the Blederwolf choir are urged to be present.

TROOP 12 POSTPONES PAPER GATHERING DAY

The members of Troop 12, of the Boy Scouts, who were to spend tomorrow gathering newspapers, have postponed this event until a later date.

SENATOR OSBORNE ILL

State Senator Edmund B. Osborne, of Montclair, who has been secured as one of the speakers for the annual banquet of the Dutch Arms of Trinity Reformed Church, is quite ill at his home suffering from a relapse of the grip. He was first taken ill on Tuesday night. He had apparently recovered the following day and was at his desk, when there was a return of the fever and he will be detained at home for several days.

SURPRISED ON HER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Henry Clemens, of Grove street, was pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening by a number of friends on her birthday. The occasion was made very pleasant for her and all the guests enjoyed the party equally well.

PHYSICAL TRAINING WILL BE PROMOTED

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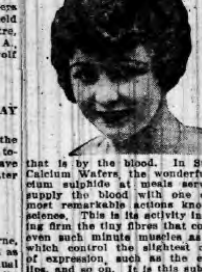

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

Waxahachie, Tex.—Manager Jennings of the Tigers yesterday put his boys through hard practice. Crawford will be used as a utility man this season. Present plans provide for the shifting of Cobb to right field and playing Heilman in centre.

New York—Freddie Welsh came out yesterday with a broad statement that he will give all the ambitious lightweights who have been clamoring for a chance to meet him an opportunity to show their ability. Welsh has agreed to box all comers at the Manhattan A. C., and the boy who makes the most showing against him will be given a chance at his crown over a championship distance, probably a 20-round battle, at New Orleans.

WELL-KNOWN BOWLER DEAD

Walter L. Burton, of New Brunswick, one of the most widely known bowlers of the Elks' State Bowling League, and for several years captain of the team representing the Brunswick Lodge, was yesterday aid to rest, having died a few days ago. Mr. Burton was well known in bowling circles throughout the State, as well as in fraternal circles generally. He had a wide circle of friends in this city, especially among members of the local lodge of Elks.

ADDITIONAL SPORTS ON PAGE 10

JOHNS-MANVILLE TO HAVE A TEAM

Factory Baseball Squad Has Been Organized for First Annual Spring Training

The H. W. Johns-Manville Company of Manville has organized a baseball team for the season. Indoor practice started this week, with Tom Bryant, a former Cornell varsity man, in charge. Forty-five candidates now make up the squad, and from present indications Manville will be represented by a first-class assembly of diamond artists.

F. Wall, former Plainfield Tabs outfielder, will be seen in a Manville uniform this year. Earl Williams, a Dartmouth star, and Conway, of the Morristown A. A., are also prominent among the candidates. There is also a wealth of material in the recently-organized athletic association of the company, whose membership is now 500.

Supt. George E. Halliday is personally interested in the athletic movement of the employees and is a staunch supporter.

When the weather permits an athletic field and diamond will be laid out. Harold Pendergast has been elected manager, and he would like to arrange games with teams in Plainfield and vicinity. Address all communications to him in care H. W. Johns-Manville Company.

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SATURDAY

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ETHEL BARRYMORE —In— "The Awakening of Helena Richie"

"Krazy Kat" (Cartoon Comedy)

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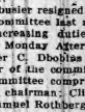

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PRINCE OF WALES SOCIETY ENLARGES FIELD

At a business meeting held by the Prince of Wales Relief Committee, New Jersey Branch, U. S. A., yesterday a great amount of patriotism and good will was displayed by all members present. It was decided by an unanimous vote that the committee was composed in great part of American women and as half the output of surgical dressings and hospital supplies was being held in reserve for the possible needs of American soldiers, sailors and citizens, that from this date the name of the committee should read: "United States of America and Prince of Wales Relief Committee, New Jersey Branch."

Cases of supplies will be shipped abroad as usual and no change will take place in the details or apportionment of the work, the transportation of title as above indicated being the only innovation.

Following this decided a resolution of good will and co-operation was offered by the English co-workers, expressing in substance their desire and pleasure to be of assistance to the Americans at this crisis of history.

Every member is asked to reserve each Thursday morning for this work of mercy, and add their efforts to the many who are ready for earnest and faithful service.

Preparations are being made to increase the scope and activity of the output—a new department is required for the making of sheets, pillow cases, towels and other articles of hospital work—not heretofore undertaken, but greatly needed in the base hospitals now being formed—and in the Allied hospitals already established.

An earnest appeal is made to all for donations to accomplish this especial end. Donations, large or small, may be sent to the treasurer, Mrs. Edgar Hyatt, 243 East Ninth street, or brought to the work rooms any Thursday morning from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Visitors will be most cordially welcome at Grace church parish house at the above day and hours each week. Inspection of the work is invited by all interested members of this community.

VISITING A FRIEND HERE

Miss Irene Newman, of Bayside, L. I., is visiting Miss Missouria Marsh, of Sycamore avenue. Miss Marsh has just recovered from a severe attack of grip.

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One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

LEHIGH MEN SWORN AS DEPUTY SHERIFFS

Elizabeth, March 16.—Lehigh Valley Railroad employees living in Union county have been sworn in as deputy sheriffs by Sheriff Otto, Chief of Detectives C. A. Dankl of the railroad made the request. Station and freight agents, signalmen and section hands were included. Recent attempts to tamper with the wires of the Pennsylvania Railroad is understood to have prompted the Lehigh alley officials to take this precaution.

Sheriff Otto advised the deputies to carry clubs, but no firearms, and to act cautiously if any trouble developed. Property of the company in the county is located at Aldene and Plainfield.

EDGE SPIRIT OF FAIR DEALING

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 16.—A spirit of fair dealing that will return the good will and confidence of all the Latin American republics should impel the United States Senate to ratify the $25,000,000 Colombian treaty, the Democratic members of the Foreign Relations Committee urged in their report on the treaty, made public yesterday.

CALL TO CHURCHES FOR EASTER WEEK

The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America has sent out a call to pastors and officials of Churches for Easter Week, April 1 to 8, in which the Council says:—

The Federal Council earnestly recommends that the week proceding Easter be given to united intercession. The subjects suggested follow the thought of our Lord's Prayer.

Never in the history of our nation has there been a more appropriate time for the cultivating a spirit of devotion. Never a time when we so need to humble ourselves before God, to rid ourselves of human selfishness, to look for guidance that we may do the will of God and seek the establishment of the Kingdom of our Lord.

Let us, in the spirit of surrender to God, and of sympathy and compassion for mankind, set apart these days of sacred memory, ever praying that the risen Christ may be enthroned over the life of a redeemed world.

MC CORMICKS BUY SUPPLIES FOR 39 YARROWDALE MEN

Zurich, March 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormick, of Chicago, who are residing temporarily in Switzerland, have volunteered to take off the hands of the Swiss government the problem of outfitting the fifty-nine American members of the crew of the steamer Yarrowdale, who were released recently by Germany and are now here.

The proffer was accepted, and Mr. McCormick at once began the purchase of supplies. And also assumed the expense for supplies already bought for them by Francis B. Keene, the American Consul General here.

The American Legation at Berne hopes it will be possible to have the men arrive at Berne Saturday to pass through the required formalities and send them on to Paris the same day.

If your druggist does not keep Toko Zol he will obtain it for you at once.

NO ONE SHOULD HAVE GRAY HAIR

Don't Use Dyes—Restore Natural Color With Healthful Remedy—Money Back Guarantee.

Nobody likes to use dangerous, dirty, sticky dyes, but no one wants to have gray hair nowadays. No one needs to. If your hair is gray all over, or just getting gray or streaked with gray—or if it is faded out and lifeless—simply get a bottle of Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer. This is a harmless liquid, all ready to use. It is guaranteed to the limit by the makers to give satisfaction or your money back.

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R. R. TO ENCOURAGE POTATO GROWING

To encourage the growing of potatoes on its line, and to increase the country's output of potatoes, the *Lehigh Valley Railroad is going to* have a "Potato Special." The railroad company's agricultural car has been refitted for potato demonstration *purposes. The latest methods of* treating seed, the benefits of spraying, with proper ingredients of the liquid to be used, and all the other things one *needs to know about potato growing* will be shown on the car.

Western New York and northern central Pennsylvania are regarded as *ideal territory for greater* development of the potato industry. P. H. Burnett, industrial commissioner, and F. R. Stevens, agriculturist, will represent the railroad in the campaign, assisted by experts from Cornell University and other institutions. They will work in close co-operation with the county farm bureaus of Cayuga, Tompkins, Monroe and Niagara Counties, New York, and Wyoming and Sullivan Counties, Pehnsylvania.

PAID ADVERTISING TO FIGHT LIQUOR TRAFFIC

A campaign of paid advertising in the labor press to fight the liquor traffic, both as a war measure and as a means of counteracting the liquor men's attempt to control the American Labor Movement, will be inaugurated next week by the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

These advertisements will appear simultaneously in one hundred different papers for a period of three months.

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On account of the war Money Orders are suspended to Austria, Belgium, Egypt and the Sudan. The amount of money orders issued to one person for all foreign countries is limited to $100. Parcels Post is suspended to France and Germany. All articles of commercial value in regular mails, not Parcel Post, to Bolivia are prohibited, and are confiscated by Bolivia. This does not affect the parcel post. Anything sent parcels posts will be delivered on payment of customs duties.

STUDENTS PREFER LANGUAGE TO SCIENCE

Special to Courier-News:

Princeton, March 16.—A striking increase in the preference for graduate *study in English literature and other* modern languages as compared to the sciences is noted in the annual report of Dean Andrew F. West of the Princeton Graduate School.

In his formal statement Dean West observes the increasing competition for fellowships in the Graduate School, *recommends reciprocal* relationship between Princeton Seminary and the school and States that the increased cost of food materials was responsible last year for a financial deficit in the School's operation.

Since the opening of President Hibben's administration the proportion of Princeton University graduates who have been enrolled in the Graduate School has risen from 14 per cent. to 26 per cent. Princeton graduates enter the school on the same basis as graduates of other institutions. Less than one-fifth of the students applying for fellowships in the Princeton Graduate School actually become fellows. Six years ago, more than one-third of those seeking to enter the Princeton School on the basis received fellowships. The number of competitors has in this period jumped from eighty-four to two hundred and twenty-seven.

Dean West predicts that during this college year the total enrollment will be from 3,100 to 3,200 higher than the previous year. Last year there was a deficit of about 20 per cent. which was responsible for the deficit of more than $2,500.

J. C. Fass
THE PARIS STORE
142 and 144 West Front Street.

Wonderfully important are the offerings of Women's, Misses' and Girls'

New Spring Suits, Dresses and Coats

The beautiful assortment and the low prices make Saturday an important day for you to buy your clothes for Spring

Women's and Misses' Silk Dresses at $17.50 and $25

Stunning new models in new Spring dresses in the new straight line effects, with draped or tunic skirts. Made of Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Crepe Meteor, and combinations; trimmed with soutache braid or embroidered, some with beads. All the wanted colors, such as Gold, Rose, Green, Belgian, Wistaria, Tan, Silver Grey, Navy and Black. All sizes.

Women's and Misses' Smart Spring Coats, $14.95

Plain Velours, Check Velours, Mixtures, Poplins, Serges, and others. Three-quarters and full length. All sorts of models to select from in all the new, beautiful, high and subdued shades for Spring. Some unlined, *half lined, tall lined.*

Women's and Misses' New Spring Suits, $17.50, $25

In all the materials that are in vogue this Spring, such as Poplins, Men's Wear Serge, Jersey Cloth and Homespun Mixtures. Large assortment to select from in braid-bound, drapy and plain tailored models suited for present wear; finished with detachable silk faille, broadcloth and novelty cuff collars. Colors of all the wanted shades, such as Gold, Rose, Copen, Green, Navy and Black.

New Spring Skirts, $5.95

Smart Spring models in plain tailored and pocket effects. All wool Poplin in Navy and Black; Velour Plaids in Tan, Green and Grey and fancy stripe and mixed Cheviots. Belts all around. Sairred back. All sizes. Alterations free.

Plaid and Mixture Dress Skirts $3.98

Smart models, featuring the new straight line effects and stunning sport models, with the large patch pockets.

BUSY ON PREPAREDNESS TO QUIT SCHOOL BOARD

Kept busy on extra matters because of the possibility of this country's be*coming involved in war, Frank D. Jew*ett of Wyoming, who is in the Wyoming section of Millburn, whose second term on the Board of Education ex*pires this spring has decided not to* seek re-election. Mr. Jewett, who is chief engineer for the Western Electric Company and who recently was named as a major of the Federal Reserve Corps, has been putting in a great deal of time on work for the Government in its preparedness measures. He is president of the Board of Education.

In place of Mr. Jewett the Wyoming residents have picked as a candidate John W. McLaughlin, chairman of the educational committee of the Wyoming Association.

WOULD HELP FIGHT ROAD TAX

Elizabeth, March 16.—If a definite date is fixed for a protest meeting in Newark of officials of Hudson, Union and Essex counties opposed to the Edge road tax act, Mayor Victor Mravlaz will attend with other Elizabeth officials, he announced yesterday. The Mayor said the road tax measure was mostly for the benefit of South Jersey, as North Jersey has sufficient interstate roads. He spoke of the financial burden the law would be for Elizabeth, adding that Jersey City would have to bear a much greater one.

So far as Elizabeth is concerned, he said, he felt it had borne its share of county road expenses, having expended at least half of the $650,000 which was responsible for the deficit of more than $2,500.

GOVERNMENT NEEDS LARGE NUMBER OF MEN

Charles E. Dunn, secretary of the Civil Service Board of Elizabeth has received a communication from the United States Civil Service Commission declaring that owing to the increased construction being carried out *by the Government, there will be a* large increase of employes at navy yards and ordinance establishments.

At the Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, *there are needed: Three assistants* foremen for outside labor, construction and upkeep and for handling various stores; eight gang bosses, 500 to 550 skilled laborers, twenty skilled laborers and fifteen hand sewers, female.

WONDER HOW U. S. COMMISSIONERS WILL GET HOME

By United Press:

Washington, March 16.—Just before the German submarine zone order went into effect Mrs. Harriett M. Johnson and Mrs. L. W. Neeley, of Muncie, Indiana, sailed as American Trade Commissioners to China to perfect financial connections and trade bases there, Julian S. Carr, Durham, N. C., Fernando F. Nesl, of Kansas City, Dudley O. Frank, of Milwaukee, and S. Lawson and Fred Landeck, of Wisconsin.

COLLEGE MEN DECIDE TO BOYCOTT CLUBS

Princeton, March 16.—Richard Cleveland, son of the late President *Grover Cleveland, leader of the fight in* Princeton University against the club system, has announced that one-fourth of the members of the sophomore class *have signed an agreement not to pat*ronize or accept an invitation to an upper class eating club.

He said he expected the number would be increased to 100 by Monday. There are about 240 in the sophomore class.

The indications, according to Mr. Cleveland, are that several of the smaller eating clubs on Prospect street will be put out of business.

WHEN WEST POINT WAS FOUNDED

West Point was founded 115 years ago today, March 16, 1802.

WORTHY OF EMULATION

The West End Presbyterian Church of New York City, Rev. A. E. Keigwin, pastor, had taken its regular collection the other Sunday, when at the *very close of the service, stopping the* singing of the choir to do so the pastor announced that Hope Baptist Church two blocks away, Rev. E. S. Holloway, pastor, *sought to pay off its bonded* debt. He then and there proposed a second collection. It is said the collection ran up into the hundreds of dollars. The Hope Baptist people were grateful and happy, not more so than the Presbyterian Church, who aided them in raising their $24,000 of debt.—The Christian Herald.

Wagner Market Co.

Counterbalance the High Cost of Living

By buying your Meats at the Wagner Market. If you are not among our ever increasing number of customers, let us enroll you this Saturday. It will be to your advantage.

Leg of Genuine Spring Lamb, lb. **24c**	Golden West Fatted Fowl, lb. **27c**	Legs of Jersey Veal, lb. **20c**
Shoulder of Spring Lamb, lb. **19c**	First Cuts Native Rib Roast lb. **22c**	Kidney Veal Roast, lb. **22c**
Fancy Made Crown Roast, each **$1.00**	Frying Chickens, lb. **29c**	Porterhouse Roast, lb. **25c**
Small Fricassee Chickens, lb. **24c**	Genuine Calves' Liver, lb. **27c**	Small Jersey Pork Loins, lb. **24c**
Rolled Pot Roast, no bone, lb. **22c**	Rib Lamb Chops, lb. **25c**	Forequarters of Lamb with all Chops on; lb. **20c**

The Place to buy Nut Margarine is at Wagner's. Once tried, always used. Only, per lb. **27c**

FOR QUALITY ALWAYS

WAGNER MARKET COMPANY, 124 E. Front St.

An Old Store With the Vigor of Youth.

Marshall & Ball

Men's News

Springtime Neckwear Shirts and Underwear.

Vol. 2, No. 26— NEWARK, N. J., MARCH 16, 1917 Priceless

Editorial

There was a time when this country found it to its interests to stand alone, to keep aloof from the rest of the world, to avoid entanglements with other countries.

But we have grown mightily since that day prevailed. We are stronger than ever. We have developed our resources, and we are better able perhaps than ever to stand alone, yet the very fact of our enormously developed industries, the very fact that the whole world has become our market, makes it impossible in the eyes of many to continue much longer the policy that is likely to react upon us.

So it has been in the clothing business. There was a time when one designer might have satisfied all our patrons, but as the business grew, as the desires of our patrons became more varied, as the multiplicity of styles became essential to satisfy the desires of the people, we had to depart from the idea of handling the products of our own or any other single maker, and to see kthe best there was, regardless of where we had to go for them.

So today you find in our stocks a variety of styles it would have been impossible to present if we had clung to the more provincial ideas of long ago.

Spring Hats

Every style of Soft and Spring Hat you could think of, in black and various fashionable colors.

Price $2 up.

Boys' Clothes

If you will just watch our show windows you will see from time to time the advance Spring styles of Boys' High-Class Suits and smart Spring Top Coats revealed in all their glory.

Our lines were never more varied nor complete. We are sure to be able to please you—boys and parents.

Boys' Spring Top Coats of choicest Fabrics and styles, 2½ to 18 year sizes, at $5 to $15.

Boys' High Grade Two-Pants Suits, New Norfolk and Pinch-back models; handsome patterns; rich fabrics; 8 to 18 year sizes; unexcelled anywhere at our prices, $6.50 to $16.50.

Natty Little Hats and Caps in great variety.

Hats, $1.50.

Caps, 50c, $1, $1.50.

Men's Ko Ko Brown Shoes and Oxfords $5 to $10

Eighteen styles of these Smart Spring Shoes and Oxfords; particularly pleasing to young men. Ko Ko Brown Vanpe with Top to match and some with lighter Tan Calf Tops—two-tone effects also. Some with Genuine Buck and Cloth Tops.

Very substantial Shoes that will give lots of service, excellent value at our prices—$5 to $10.

BEST CLOTHES
For Men and Young Men That Artist Tailors Produce

We speak knowingly when we pronounce the clothing we sell as the product of artist tailors.

It stands to reason that a house that has been selling good clothing for many years as the M. & B. establishment should have entree to the country's best sources of supply and that we should know where and by whom the most satisfactory clothing is produced.

This presentation of Suits and Topcoats embraces everything that is novel, as well as all the staple styles in fabrics of the handsomest sort.

There's every earmark of custom work on all our better grades of Suits. The fashioning of the garments has been so well done that we are enabled to fit all sorts of men, practically without making alterations in either Suits or Top Coats.

Tall men, short men, stout men, thin men and all the between sort of men will find here clothing that will fit them to a "T."

See the excellent Suits we sell at $15. This is one of our strongest lines and in it the values are unexcelled anywhere in Newark or New York.

Trench Model Spring Overcoats $18 and $20

The Trench Model is a Smart Overcoat, with Belt all around; fashioned after those worn by the warriors abroad—made of Blue, Oxford and Green Cheviots and Flannels.

Open Saturday Evenings

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Open Saturday Evenings

$100,000,000 SHIP CONTRACTS GIVEN

Daniels Awards Rush Orders For Navy Work.

Washington, March 16.—The greatest single award of ship construction contracts ever made by the United States has been made. Pressing preparedness to meet any conditions that may grow out of the German crisis, Secretary Daniels awarded contracts for the building of more than $100,000,000 of great warships to be rushed to completion as fast as American genius and workmen can turn them out.

Four big battleships and six scout cruisers will be added to the American grand fleet, and they will be built under revolutionary contracts.

Asserting that they were abandoning a prospective profit of 50 per cent on the building of commercial vessels, the steel builders of the country agreed to accept a profit of 10 per cent on the four great battle cruisers. The ship builders will be paid 10 per cent over and above the cost of building the ships, as determined by a board of naval officers. The scout cruisers will be built for fixed prices, with the probability that bonuses for speedy construction will be forthcoming as soon as President Wilson by official proclamation announces that the nation is confronted by an "emergency."

DR. GRAYSON CONFIRMED.

White House Physician to Be Navy's Medical Director.

Washington, March 16.—Dr. Cary T. Grayson, passed assistant surgeon of the navy and President Wilson's personal physician, was confirmed as medical inspector of the navy with the rank of rear admiral by the senate.

The nomination has been bitterly opposed by Republican senators, who held that the jumping of more than 100 ranks by Dr. Grayson would take the heart out of older men in the service who were striving for promotion without presidential backing.

The Grayson confirmation came only after a last desperate attempt of his opponents to defeat it. A teat vote on a motion to put Dr. Grayson's name at the bottom of the list was beaten, 28 to 35.

The senate voted 37 for and 20 against confirmation.

EX-PRESIDENT TAFT READY TO ROUSE PATRIOTISM

By United Press:

New Haven, Conn., March 16.—Ex-President William Howard Taft is busy at his home here today outlining the speeches he will deliver on his "Paul Revere" ride through the South and West, beginning next Wednesday, to awaken the spirit of preparedness and patriotism in the people of those sections.

Dr. Taft will leave here the first of the week and go to Richmond, Va., for his first speech Wednesday night. He will speak in Greensboro, N. C., March 22; Atlanta, March 23; Birmingham, March 24; Nashville, March 25; Memphis, March 26 and in the evening at Little Rock, Ark.; Dallas, March 27; Oklahoma City, March 28 and 28. Dr. Taft will be in Chicago March 30 and back here April 1.

"With the greatest reluctance," said Dr. Taft today, "I have come to the conclusion that we need compulsory military training. We are now looking over the brink of hostilities with some of the belligerents in this war. We could not have better proof of the need of a body of trained men in this country at once."

CARGO FLEET TO BREAK UP U-BOAT BLOCKADE

Washington, March 16.—All signs indicate that the Federal Shipping Board will spend the Government's money—now available up to $50,000,000, under the recent act—to create as fast as possible a fleet of small cargo boats to defeat the submarine blockade by delivering American freight to Europe. Under the law, the ships, when built, would have to be offered for private charter. If private persons or corporations did not take advantage of the new bottoms supplied by the United States then the Government would man and operate the ships.

As long as the submarine peril continues the ships will be equipped with arms and naval gunners, thus coming in part under direct Government control. In the event of war it is thought extremely probable that the Government would operate the ships direct.

AUTOS COLLIDE IN CALIFON

Califon, March 16.—Just after a southbound train crossed the Main street crossing of the High Bridge branch railroad Wednesday, two automobiles owned by Dr. Isidore Topkins and Dr. James R. Adams, both of this, met in a head-on collision. The Topkins car, driven by Walter A. Alpaugh, was going east over the crossing and struck by Adams' car as it was turning from Railroad avenue toward the railroad.

PASTEURIZING BUDDHISM

At Hangchow, in the gloomy halls of a Buddhist monastery, about 300 Buddhist monks, some of them already sufferers from the dread "coughing sickness," listened to a lantern slide talk and heard for the first time in their lives the teaching of modern science and the uses of air, light, soap and water.—The Christian Herald.

PERSONAL

C. W. Brady, of this city, is in Chicago for the next week on a business trip.

W·ANAMAKER'S

Easter Blouses—
$2.50 to $5.75—and Good

At $2.50 and $3, fine white Irish linen blouses as delightfully fresh as a May morning. Made for sports. Beautifully cut and sewn. Every little detail such as an exacting needle woman will approve; collars and cuffs of white pique or colored linen.

Prices so little because our manufacturers protected themselves by buying linens far ahead of the season.

Dress Blouses, $5.75

Crepe Georgette in many styles trimmed with imitation filet lace or simple good blouses of crepe de chine and crepe Georgette in flesh, white and attractive colors.

Third floor, Old Building.

Specially-priced Silk Blouses, $3.85

Crepe de chine with fine pleatings, chemisettes and imitation filet lace, also smart tailor models closed with one large button. Six good styles at this one price.

Crepe Georgette Blouses, $5

Varied collection of wonderfully good crepe Georgette and crepe de chine blouses. Plain or with lace.

Main Aisle, Old Building.

Women's Silk Gloves, 50c

Wanamaker silk gloves, double finger-tipped, some with Paris point embroidery. All—white, white embroidered with black, all-black, black embroidered with white, brown embroidered with black.

We believe customers will want to get them by the half dozen pairs, for we could not duplicate them today at less than 50c wholesale.

Main floor, Old Building.

Week's New Books

In a Little Town, $1.35
Short stories by Rupert Hughes.

The Stingy Receiver, $1
Romance by Eleanor H. Abbott.

Pop, $1.50
Ian Hay's English school-boy life.

The Son of His Father, $1.35
Ridgewell Cullum's western romance.

Woman, $1.25
By Vance Thompson. Provocative.

Seven Years in Vienna, $1.50
A record of intrigue.

The War, Madame, 75c
Paul Geraldy's masterpiece.

First floor, Old Building.

Subway at Astor Place.

The John Wanamaker Store

Broadway at Ninth, New York.

Youth and Springtime in Little Gray Salons Saturday

There will be 500 silk dresses—all designed for young women.

There will be hundreds of suits—cabinets and racks of coats—and separate skirts enough for a college of girls.

Individuality, simplicity and variety enough to please the most difficult-to-please, mark the new collection of Spring fashions for young women and girls as the best we have ever assembled.

SUITS—$26 to $79.50; all wanted materials and shades; one at $25, in navy and black serge, has large sailor collar with points that extend to elbows, belt the buttons on one side and has tabs that give pocket effect, with buttons. See it.

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Nepco Brand Smoked Sardines, packed in Pure Olive Oil; value 15c; spec. **10c**
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RUSSIA REBELS; CZAR ABDICATES

Nicholas II. Flees to Army. His Brother Is Regent.

REVOLUTION RULES NATION.

Ministers In Prison And One Killed After Three Day Battle in Streets of Petrograd—Army Joins With People In Capital In Fighting For the Duma Against Reactionary Government.

NEW RUSSIAN CABINET FORMED BY LIBERALS.

The members of the new Russian national cabinet are announced as follows:

Premier, President of the Council and Minister of the Interior—Prince Georges E. Lvoff.

Foreign Minister—Professor Paul N. Miliukoff.

Minister of Public Instruction—Professor Manuiloff of Moscow university.

Minister of War and Navy ad interim—A. J. Guchkoff, formerly president of the duma.

Minister of Agriculture—A. M. Ichingaeff, deputy from Petrograd.

Minister of Finance—M. Tereschenko, deputy from Kief.

Minister of Justice—Deputy Kerenkt of Saratoff.

Minister of Communications—H. V. Nekrassoff, vice president of the duma.

Comptroller of State—M. Godneff, deputy from Kazan.

Petrograd, March 16.—The empire of Russia has been shaken in its foundation by a revolt the fleetness and exact consequences of which are still shrouded in secrecy—the same that managed to hide from the world for today a week that the long smoldering sparks of discontent had been fanned to the fury of rebellion.

Nicholas II. is no longer czar of all the Russias. He has abdicated his throne and is a refugee at the headquarters of some loyal army chief "somewhere on the eastern front."

His brother, Michael Alexandrovitch, who six years ago fled the empire as an exile because of his morganatic marriage, has been appointed as regent, to act for the thirteen-year-old Czarevitch Alexis Nicholaievitch.

The empress and the court have been placed under guard.

The imperial palace at Tsarskoe Selo is said to be in a state of siege, but thus far no firing has been reported between the guards defending the palace *and the revolutionists and troops.*

Nicholas' ministers, at the time the last reports were sent from Petrograd, were in jail. One of them, Protopopoff, is reported dead, the victim of a wild battle in the streets of the capital, in which hungry mobs, soldiers and police were the contestants. The casualty roll is said to be heavy. From Moscow, where a similar reign of terror prevailed, no definite news is as yet obtainable.

Duma In Control.

The duma emerged complete victor. It is now for the first time in the history of its existence what it was created for: The representative body of the people. Having been ordered by an imperial ukase to adjourn and go home, it turned upon the government, sent every minister to prison, established a provisional government in complete control of the capital and, as a crowning climax to its long and bitter fight, inflicted an ignominious defeat upon the ruler whose powers made him as his predecessors—the most absolute autocrat on the face of the globe.

The revolution, as far as is known, was short lived and completely successful. It lasted three days—from Thursday, March 8, until Saturday, March 10. It was the culmination of disturbances and riots that had been recurring with increasing intervals in violence and in decreasing intervals *for many weeks.*

The causes of the revolt and of the momentous change it has brought about may be summarized in two vital facts:

A starving nation wanted food.

A humiliated parliament wanted freedom to give the people food.

Soldiers Sided With People.

And while the duma fought the final fight with a tyrannical government for liberty the starving masses whom they represented fought for food in the streets of Petrograd and Moscow.

The chief sensation of it all was that the bulk of Petrograd's garrison, 30,000 strong, sided with the rioting masses, sided with them against the army of police only recently re-enforced by thousands upon the order of the hated Protopopoff.

The revolt spells the death blow to the sinister forces of reaction and graft that have been holding full sway for centuries, but were never fully exposed until the war came and found Russia in a state of economic, financial and military unpreparedness which converted every great drive on the eve of its triumph into disaster and from which the duma has been vainly fighting to deliver the empire.

In entente quarters the outcome is viewed as a defeat of the pro-German propaganda which, with Stuermer and Protopopoff, worked toward separate Russian peace. The duma, it is argued, is solidly united in favor of prosecuting the war until it is won.

While it is admitted by close observers here that the new order of things in Russia, if it lasts, will definitely do away with Germanophile influences, it is pointed out that the revolt, with its governmental changes, is bound to have a disastrous effect upon the army and that particularly as far as the food supply is concerned no relief is in sight even with the duma victorious.

Empire In Chaos.

The country has inexhaustible resources to tap itself, but is not even now mobilized to exploit them. There is no system of provisioning, no scheme for transportation. More than forty ministers have come and gone in two years. Each has added blunders or crimes to the orgy of demoralization. There have been five different premiers since the outbreak of the war.

Protopopoff more than any other individual bears direct responsibility for the revolt. He is the best hated man in all Russia. Originally a cloth manufacturer, he was lifted to power by Rasputin, the "mystic monk," recently murdered, by a curious trick of fate Paul Milyukoff, leader of the "cadets," who was slated for assassination about the same time, though by another group of "sinister forces," is the commanding figure in the victorious camp.

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GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS.

Czar's Uncle Who May Be Hiding Fugitive Ruler.

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BETTER CROPS FOR MORRIS.

County Farm Superintendent Sees Lessened Production.

Morristown, March 16.—Alpheus M. Goodman, superintendent of farm demonstration for this county, says that from his conversation with farmers of the county he believes that in the coming season more attention will be paid to crops which can be sold for cash.

Mr. Goodman does not think that the acreage of potatoes and onions will be increased to any great extent, but flocks believe that more fertilizer will be used, more care used in the selection of seed and that because of the high prices and scarcity of labor the farmers will plant only what they can care for well.

Hospital to Open Laboratory.

Long Branch, March 16.—The board of governors of the Monmouth Memorial hospital have voted to open May 1 the new laboratory, a gift of Treasurer Charles A. Wimpfheimer. They elected Dr. J. A. Hugo of Philadelphia pathologist. Dr. Hugo has been assistant at the Presbyterian hospital, New York.

Garfield to Vote on City Plan.

Garfield, March 16.—Following a campaign conducted for months the citizens will have an opportunity to decide at a special election April 17 whether to incorporate the town into a city. There has been little protest against the move. Garfield is the largest borough in Bergen county.

Trade Board Confirmed.

Washington, March 16.—The senate confirmed the nominations of John Franklin Fort, ex-governor of New Jersey, and William B. Colver of St. Paul to be members of the Federal Trade Commission.

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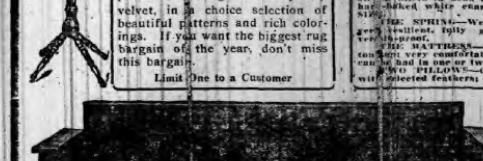

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

CABARET AND BANQUET ARRIL 25

In celebration of their fourth anniversary, the Somerville Y. M. H. A. will hold a banquet and cabaret entertainment on the evening of April 25, in Columbus Hall. The sale of tickets will be closed on April 20, so that only those who make reservations will be able to attend.

It will be the first event of its kind and an unusually big undertaking. The committee, consisting of D. T. Wilentz, Chairman; Bernard Weidlin, A. H. Popkins, Henry Sulko, and Elmer Hess, furthered plans at a meeting last night.

To Hear Reading Gebhardt

Reading Gebhardt, son of Supreme Court Clerk Gebhardt, of Clinton, will address the Camp Tadesong boys at a meeting in the chapel of the Second Reformed Church, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mr. Gebhardt was leader at camp both years. He is a graduate of Lafayette College and is now attending a New York Law School.

Sentence will be passed today in the case of Thomas Winsor, Jr., James Rooney and Eugene Titus, who pleaded guilty several weeks ago to the theft of some linotype metal.

"The Runaways" was presented again at the Regent Theatre last night before a large attendance. The event marks the greatest success of the Somerville A. A.

Mrs. Wall Dalrymple, of No. 56 East High street, entertained the members of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon.

The athletic association of the high school will give an entertainment and dance tonight in the school auditorium.

Wilson Vander Veer, who attends school in New York, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Vander Veer.

Harry Mack Clahe, of this place, has been called away up New York State because of the illness of his father.

Holcombe & Holmstrup will inaugurate the opening of their store in the Thomas building tomorrow.

The marriage of Harold Vieley and Miss Olga Bullard will be solemnized tomorrow.

NORTH BRANCH

A joint meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society and the Woman's Missionary Society of the Reformed church at Three Bridges will be held in the chapel Tuesday afternoon. Both organizations will elect officers.

The North Branch Five Hundred Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. William V. D. Jelliffee at her home near North Branch Depot.

Miss Amy Post, of Batavia, N. Y., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connett, of Three Bridges.

William A. Sebring returned yesterday to Neshanic after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Stryker, of Belle Mead.

Mrs. Katherine Rockefellow, of Readington, is the guest of Mrs. Asa Sheets and family, of Three Bridges.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church here will hold a sociable in the chapel March 23.

Mrs. Henry Wood, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mrs. Edward Hight, of Pickemin.

Mrs. Lurena Brokaw, of South Branch, is the guest of Mrs. George Wahl, of Collingswood.

Miss Nellie Compton, of Bernardsville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Compton, near here.

Mrs. Mary Brokaw, of Neshanic, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dixon, of Harlingen.

Miss Mary Hoagland, of Neshanic, is spending a few days in Plainfield and Newark.

Raritan Valley Grange, of South Branch, will hold a rally April 9 in Grange Hall.

Mrs. Mary Davis, of Somerville, is the guest of Mrs. John A. Powelson, near here.

Miss Olive M. Servis, of Three Bridges, is at Neshanic Station.

WHITEHOUSE

The report of the New Jersey Soldiers' Relief League for Hunterdon county has been made. It shows that the sum of $475.48 was raised in the eight largest towns of the county, as follows: Flemington, $150.23; Lambertville, $131; High Bridge, $75; Clinton, $57.50; Frenchtown, $33.4e; Whitehouse, $20.85; Annandale, $10; New Germantown, $10.

Burdette Bros., of the Whitehouse Garage, yesterday sold Ford touring cars to George B. Lane, of Pleasant Run; A. Longstreet Stillwell, of Dreahook, and Charles P. Oliver, of East Whitehouse. Merchant William Shafer, of Whitehouse Station, purchased a roadster, which he will convert into a delivery truck.

While driving to Whitehouse Station yesterday morning from Dreahook Frank W. Lindsley and daughter, Miss Ida M. Lindsley, were thrown from their wagon when the king bolt broke. Mr. Lindsley sustained a gash in his nose, which was dressed by Dr. F. G. Clark. Miss Lindsley escaped injury.

Arthur E. Burdette, overseer of the dirt road from East Whitehouse to Messler's bridge, has had a force of men busy placing several carloads of cinders on the road in an effort to fill up the mudholes.

The Wishbone Improvement Society will hold another all-day sewing meeting Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. Charles P. Oliver in East Whitehouse. The members will take lunch with them.

Mrs. Alvah Dempsey and son Frederick, of East Whitehouse, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Bishop, of Plainfield.

Miss Helen Burdette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross W. Burdette, of East Whitehouse, is ill of chickenpox.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Leiberberg, of East Whitehouse, are spending a few days at their former home in Newark.

The Octave Reading Club will hold its next meeting at Mrs. Augustus C. Durling's home March 23.

Mrs. Emma Seals, of Raritan, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew H. Seals in East Whitehouse.

ANNANDALE

Mrs. Howard V. Biggs and son Walter, of Annandale, reached home Wednesday from Bound Brook, where they spent a few days with Mrs. Biggs' sister-in-law, Mrs. Irving Apgar.

The consistory of the Annandale Reformed church has decided to increase the salary of the pastor, the Rev. Howard R. Furbeck, from $720 to $820 per year.

Mrs. Clarence Miers, of Annandale, left yesterday to spend the balance of the week and Sunday in Easton, Pa.

Walter Miers, of Annandale, has recovered from an attack of blood poisoning which developed from a pimple.

Mrs. Charles Snyder, of Lebanon, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Asa J. Eick in Annandale for a few days.

William J. Fritts, of Annandale, went yesterday to Freehold, where he will spend several days.

The senior class of the Clinton High School realized $40 from its recent play and dance.

Edward Parley is making improvements to his property in Centre street, Annandale.

Carl Cochran, of Annandale, is out again after an attack of grip.

LINCOLN

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Giddes, of Harris Lane, are entertaining a little daughter, who has just arrived to make their home happy.

Miss Iola Little has secured a position as bookkeeper in the auditing department of the Central Railroad, at Communipaw.

The Globe Metal Polish Company, of this place, are advertising for girls for girls to work in their factory.

The Apgar Construction Co., of Dunellen, are completing a new house on Beechwood Heights.

HIGH BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Corson, of Newark, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Apgar near Woodglen.

Claude Sexton, of High Bridge has a fractured right arm, sustained while cranking an automobile.

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WESTFIELD

ORGANIZED FOR GOSPEL MEETINGS

A gospel meeting organization has been formed by persons from several of the churches of the town. A store room on North avenue next to the North Avenue Hotel has been fitted up by them in exceedingly attractive and appropriate manner, the floor being neatly carpeted, new chairs filling the room, and a piano is in place upon the commodious platform. These fittings together with the newly painted walls and ceilings, present an inviting and home-like appearance that should certainly tempt the passer-by to step in and accept the Christian hospitality which there awaits him.

The purpose of this organization is to hold gospel meetings to which are invited those persons who, hesitating to enter a church, feel a desire that something better and higher in life, or perhaps have had the misfortune to fall into evil ways. To such there will be offered a helping hand by plain every-day men and women like the seeker, only that they have found one who saves to the uttermost those who are weary of sin and wickedness and having found the way they, with a Christian love, stand ready to point the inquiring brother or sister, whereby they too may be saved.

For the present these meetings will be held on Tuesday and Saturday evenings of each week at eight o'clock. Later it may appear advisable to hold them more frequently. All Christians interested in the upbuilding of righteousness in the town have extended to them an invitation to attend these meetings.

Presbyterians Held Missionary Dinner

Over two hundred men and women of the Presbyterian church attended the eleventh annual missionary dinner of the church which was held in the parish house last night and it was thoroughly enjoyed, as was the address which was given by Rev. James H. Nicol, of Tripoli, Syria, who spoke on the subject of "What is a Missionary?" The supper was excellent and was prepared by Mrs. G. E. Ludlow who was chairman of the dinner committee and she was assisted by Mrs. G. N. Williams, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. Charles Gorton and Mrs. Eleanor McKee.

The committee in charge of the dining room was composed of Mrs. J. T. Wilcox, chairman; Mrs. A. McL. Rowland, Mrs. George McCravesa, Mrs. Walter Lobb, Mrs. A. N. Pierson, Mrs. Walter R. Darby, Miss Bessie Brewer, Miss Margaret Beckley, the Misses Anna and Margaret Scudder. Malcolm B. Dutcher was the toastmaster and during the dinner Mrs. David Ross and Mrs. Arthur B. Rowland sang. The dining room was prettily decorated with American flags, the decorating being the work of H. Nelson Walker.

This missionary dinner is one of the big events of the year in the Presbyterian church in addition to the address of Rev. Mr. Nicol, the pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. W. I. Steans made a short address in which he touched on missions and what the church is doing for them.

Entertained Loyal Association

Union Council Loyal Association held its regular monthly meeting last night in Arcanum hall and it was attended by about thirty-five of the members. After the business session Orator Walter Sampson introduced Thomas W. Murray, of this town, who is also a member of the council, and he gave an excellent entertainment of songs and stories. "Tom" is a number one entertainer and his rendition of the story entitled "That Something" was greatly appreciated by the members of the council. During the entertainment "smokes" were enjoyed.

Kneisel Quartet to Sing Here

The Musical Club of Westfield for its third concert has been most fortunate in securing the Kneisel Quartet. The concert is to be given in the auditorium of the Westfield High school on April 19. As this famous quartet is disbanding in the spring, this is one of the last opportunities to hear it and music lovers of this vicinity will be glad to take advantage of it.

All information as to tickets may be had from Mrs. Whitehead, the club's director of this concert, Hamilson avenue, Westfield. Phone 109-J.

The members of the Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian church will present a play in the parish house on Friday evening, March 30, entitled "The Carpet Committee of the Edgewood Dorcas Society." In addition to the play there will be several illustrated songs. The committee in charge of the play is composed of Mrs. C. L. Smith, chairman; Mrs. G. E. Ludlow, Mrs. J. N. Locke, Mrs. G. N. Williams, Miss Maude Manning and Miss Helen Richards.

The monthly meeting of the Advance Club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McL. Rowland, on Euclid avenue, tonight. A paper on "New England" will be read by G. B. Pitcher; current events by J. A. Sim; readings will be given by Mrs. Harold Welch and vocal solos by Miss Marion Tice.

Miss Ida Hutchinson, who had the misfortune to trip over a rug in her home on Euclid avenue last week and was severely bruised and shaken up, is able to be around the house again.

Janet and Carolyn Darby, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Darby, are confined to their home on Euclid avenue with the measles.

Mrs. B. M. Prugh, of Elm street, and Mrs. P. S. Ketcham, of Summit avenue, have returned from a visit in New Brunswick.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church are holding an all-day meeting in the parish house today.

DUNELLEN

Mayor Predicts an Airship Attack

The Business Men's Association which is booming the project for placing a 400-Watt light on North avenue, are to attend the adjourned council meeting on Monday further to see that their interest is looked after. It is likely the councilman's committee that has been investigating the lighting question will report.

There is a slight opposition in the council to this scheme, one of those opposed to the scheme for economic purposes is Mayor Latham. He is quoted as stating that all street lights in the borough will soon be eliminated at night to prevent airship attacks from warring nations.

Mrs. Barber Dies After Lingering Illness

Mrs. Mary Ann Barber, wife of William E. Barber, died yesterday afternoon at her residence on Fairview avenue, this place. The deceased had been ill for nearly a year. She had resided in Dunellen for a number of years and was a communicant of St. John's Church. Besides her husband she deceased leaves two children.

The funeral will be held on Monday from her late residence at 8:15 o'clock and from St. John's church at 9:00 o'clock. Interment will take place in St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield.

Cranford School Supervisor Here

Miss Sara Edmund, supervising principal, of the Cranford schools, made an observation visit to the Dunellen schools, yesterday. Miss Edmund highly complimented Principal Rentschler upon his efficient teaching corps and the school equipment. "Go-to-school Week" closed today. Over 100 visitors have inspected the schools during the week.

The scholars of Holy Innocents' Sunday school met this afternoon in the Guild room. The exercises included the story of "The Conquering Song," told by Miss Kelly. Each member received a souvenir.

Solomon Gillespie, of Bound Brook, was a caller yesterday on Recorder David Campbell. The latter was Mr. Gillespie's school teacher at Basking Ridge, Somerset county, many years ago.

Miss Mabel Noyes, local school instructor, is recovering from a slight operation, that took place on Tuesday at Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield.

S. H. Schwartz, of the Dunellen Estates, offers a building lot free and clear for anybody who desires to build at once on the estates.

The Jersey Central Railroad has posted notices in the local station advertising for help.

Miss Berenice Smith, of Grove street, is confined to her home with an attack of the measles.

C. T. Voorhees and wife have been spending the week in Jersey City.

NEW MARKET

Funeral of Former Local Pastor

The funeral of the Rev. James A. Cubberley, a former pastor of the First Baptist church, here, was held this forenoon, in New York city. Rev. P. H. Strong, of the Plainfield Baptist Church, officiated. Interment will take place in Hillside cemetery, Plainfield.

The Independent Social Club has branched out and has rented the store formerly occupied by H. L. Pierce. A new pool table has been installed and alterations made in the store for the members' comforts.

Charles S. Day has disposed of his butter business to Hiram J. Scandell. Mr. Scandell formerly conducted the butcher business here many years ago.

Postmaster Joseph Kelly, who is an excellent gardener, has cabbage plants in preparation. Some of them are four inches high.

The local Building and Loan Association will issue new series of shares the first of the month.

Mrs. Mary Martin, of North Plainfield, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jenner.

CALIFON

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stevenson, of Califon, are at Peapack with their brother-in-law, Charles Miller, while Mrs. Miller is at Summit Hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Nellie Hoffman, of Califon, returned yesterday from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Seward Wear at Annandale.

Miss Violet Apgar, of Spring Valley, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Todd at Far Hills.

Mrs. Thomas R. Adams, of Califon, is spending the week with her parents at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Sarah Trimmer is ill at her home in Railroad avenue, Califon.

Mrs. Belle Philhower, widow of Peter Philhower, of Califon, is ill.

FANWOOD

Believe Incendiaries Caused Fire

Following two recent disastrous fires in the Willow Grove section of Fanwood, when a home on Martine avenue and Murray's home on Terrill road, were burned to the ground, there is a suspicion that incendiarism not accidents, have been the cause of the fires.

Besides the burning of the two homes, one of which was unoccupied, several attempts to burn hay stacks and sheds have been made. Fortunately for the property owners these minor fires have been prevented. A careful watch is being kept for the person who caused the last two destructive fires.

Sidewalk is Improved

The short section of sidewalk on the southern side of North avenue between Russell road and Central Crossing has recently been covered with crushed stone. This has improved the former bad condition of the sidewalk, but many local citizens residing in the west end of the borough wonder, what good it has really done, in view of the fact that the remainder of the ill-kept sidewalks in the west-end have not been improved in a similar manner as this sort section.

To Improve Midway Place

By direction of the Borough Council the local street committee is undertaking to improve Midway place. Some time ago the residents of that street which has always been a private thoroughfare, requested that the borough take over the street and treat it with necessary repairs. The local council, at a recent meeting, decided to employ an engineer to lay out the street as required by law. The proper width and grades are being secured by an engineer.

Special Marshals Appointed

A special precaution and better protection for Fanwood has recently been deemed necessary. Eight special marshals have been appointed with full authority to arrest persons causing any sort of unlawful disturbances in Fanwood. These officials are: H. D. Bonnell, James Devine, William Linden, P. J. Phillips, F. H. Clifford, Alex H. McDonough, George S. Ranier and Paul S. Beck.

The police telephone apparatus, which has been at the corner of North and Martine avenues for the past year, will be removed to the Fanwood post-office building by order of the council.

The next meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Miss Hazel Gardner, of Martine avenue.

Sidney Lidgate, of North avenue, is trying out for the East John-Mansville baseball team which is beginning the spring practice.

Mrs. Robert G. Megey, of North avenue, entertained Miss Jessie Billings, of Plainfield, yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel W. McAneny, of North avenue, has been confined to her bed by illness.

SCOTCH PLAINS

Mrs. Frank Hosinger, of Park avenue, entertained a number of friends yesterday afternoon in observance of her seventieth birthday. Friends were present from Plainfield, Netherwood and the Plains, and all had an enjoyable time. Mrs. Hosinger received many handsome presents, and the flowers sent by friends transformed her room into a veritable summer garden. Mrs. Hosinger has been in ill health for some time, but recently she has improved a little.

The regular meeting of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics was held in the lodge room last night. Following the business session several candidates were initiated.

The Jolly Six girls' basketball team defeated the Netherwood girls on the Parish House court last night by the score of 11 to 7.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The funeral of Raymond C. Hoffman, twelve years old, will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman, near Mountainville. Rev. H. J. Jobst, pastor of the Cokesbury Methodist Church, will officiate, and burial will be in the cemetery at Cokesbury by Undertaker Nilger, of Lebanon. The boy died in Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, after an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Augustus Henkel, of Plainfield, formerly for forty years a resident of Lebanon, has been visiting Mrs. Jane E. Stiger at Annandale.

Mrs. Augustus Bolmer, of High Bridge, was the recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hunt, at Stanton.

Miss Elizabeth Sheets will lead the C. E. meeting Sunday night at Stanton Reformed Church.

CLINTON

While the Lebanon-Clinton macadam road and the Clinton-Hampton macadam are in fair shape for vehicular traffic, all dirt roads in this section are muddy.

G. Roberts Langer, of Boston, is spending a few days at the home of his father, Samuel G. Langer, in Clinton.

BOUND BROOK

COUNCILORS AT BASKING RIDGE

The March meeting of the Somerset County Past Councilors' Association Jr. O. U. A. M. will be held with Victor Council, No. 179, at Basking Ridge, Monday evening, March 19. The subject will be "Our Educational Schools and Institutions." The speaker of the evening will be Henry A. Beckmeyer, President of The American Bureau of Newark, a Past Councilor of Monroe Council, No. 232, of Newark.

Arthur McChesney and family have removed from the Field flat over the post office to his new home on West High street. Augustus A. Hodge and family have removed from South Bound Brook to the apartment vacated by Mr. McChesney.

The following letters remain uncalimed at the local postoffice: Salli L. Forbes, A. Fisher, Edward McGuire, Mrs. Mary Wilson, Grove chino Ratatori.

The banquet scheduled for last night by the Bound Brook Building and Loan Association was postponed.

Mrs. Richard Fennessey has been entertaining Mrs. Shine, of Pattenburg, for several days.

Mrs. Arthur Perrine, of Cranbury, has requested that the borough take over the street and treat it with necessary repairs. The local council, at a recent meeting, decided to employ an engineer to lay out the street as required by law. The proper width and grades are being secured by an engineer.

WEEKLY NOTES OF W. C. T. U.

Liquor Responsible for Crime, Says Wife of Premier Lloyd George

"If we are to prosper after the war, liquor must go," declares Mrs. Lloyd George, wife of the premier of Great Britain, in a recent issue of "London Answers," "The question of how to deal with the drink trouble of the nation has, since the war began, become more and more important and insistent."

"For many years I have taken the deepest interest in temperance matters and have worked with many noted societies for the suppression of excessive drinking and of illicit trade in drink," writes Mrs. Lloyd George, "who has long been an enthusiastic white ribboner. "When I lived in Wales some of us young women formed a society, gave concerts and promoted all sorts of schemes to raise sums of money to build a village library and clubroom, where men and women might find new interests and new friends rather than have to look for these in the public houses. With kind assistance, we managed to get this building, and extremely excellent results were the outcome of that effort. Now in many other villages throughout the kingdom are like that one was in Wales. At night there is nowhere to go but to the public house, if a man or woman wants a change, friendly converse, comfort and a little pleasant diversion outside the home . . . and as our land has to begin a new

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forward helping forward the solution of this problem. It has done much since the war began, but could do very much more. It will, later on, when the war is over, if not before, have to tackle the thing thoroughly, and if we are to prosper as we ought to do the thing must be done. And I trust all women will be ready and resolved to do their part.

"I cannot conceive of anything which would more insure the glory and triumph of our nation in commerce, in art, in literature, in a high standard of life than the conquest of England's greatest and most terrible enemy—drink. We shall have a unique opportunity—the chance of a lifetime—when this war is over to see our land has to begin a new

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Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen	37c
Evaporated Apples, 2 lbs.	25c
Best White Potatoes per basket	$1.50
Pea Beans, per lb.	15c
Dried Green Peas, 2 lbs.	25c
Cal. Lima Beans, per lb.	15c
Yellow Split Peas, 2 lbs.	25c
Best Rolled Oats, 6 lbs.	28c
Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs.	25c
Large Sour Pickles, per dozen	20c
Buckwheat Flour, per lb.	8c
Fancy Head Rice, 4 lbs.	25c
Hotel Astor Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
Midland Corn Starch, 4 pkgs.	25c
Fancy Large Cal. Prunes, per lb.	15c
Fancy Large Mackerel, per lb.	20c
Small Norway Mackerel 4 for	25c
Federal Macaroni, 3 pkgs.	25c
Broken Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 lbs.	25c
Gold Medal and Hecker's Flour, per bag	$1.40
Pride of Fleming-ton Flour, per bag	$1.30

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

Rules of Caution That Will Prevent Law Suits

It is a familiar maxim that ignorance of the law is no excuse. Likewise, subjective impossibility in connection with the carrying out of a contract is no excuse. That is to say, among the rules of law which every business man is conclusively presumed to know when he enters into a contract is the rule that where he undertakes to carry out a certain undertaking and fails through his own default, not foreseen at the time he made the contract, he is nevertheless (except in a few cases) liable for damages as in the case of a wilful breach of contract.

As applied to the present crisis the above principle of law is pregnant with snares for the unwary business man whose enterprise happens to be one which the conditions now require the employment of a great amount of help, and in many other corresponding cases.

Taking interstate business as an illustration, it is readily apparent that a contract to make certain future deliveries may become impossible of performance both as to time and place of delivery because of exigencies arising out of governmental activity affecting the mobilization of troops or war materials. These matters have first place as to the use of both transportation and terminal facilities, and no amount of urgency in connection with private transactions will be permitted to stand in the way. Yet, in the absence of a provision in a contract of sale absolving the shipper from liability in the event of such a contingency interfering with the shipment, he will be liable for damages for failure to fulfill the contract.

It is like manner, the exercise by the government of its undoubted power to fill its requirements in the highly technical branches of the army and navy service by enforcing compulsory enlistments among certain classes of workers would furnish no legal excuse to a manufacturer whose inability to carry out his contracts was due wholly to the loss of skilled help thus entailed.

The demands of the government for coal, iron and other raw materials may at any moment reach proportions that will prevent the acceptance of private orders for many months to come, and interfere seriously with industrial operations which may not be liable for non-relation of the needs of the warring arm of the nation, but that would furnish no legal defense to the manufacturer whose inability to obtain raw materials prevented his performance of his contracts for the sale of manufactured products.

Every business man whose business extends further than the sale of goods in his possession at the time, for immediate delivery, will do wisely to insert in all his contracts a reservation releasing him from the obligation to carry out the same in the event that he is prevented from doing so by inability to obtain raw materials or transportation facilities, or by reason of other conditions beyond his control.

The so-called war clause is no longer adequate. Without any declaration of war, and even without any intention to engage in hostilities being made immediately clear, conditions may at any time arise that will create in the industrial world all the paralysis of business involved in the prosecution of actual warfare.

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HOPE CHAPEL NOTES

The annual meeting of the church and congregation will be held Wednesday evening, April 4.

The annual meeting of the Men's Club is to be held on Thursday evening of next week, March 22. Officers will be elected at that time.

A burlesque basketball game between the girls' and boys' basketball teams are booked to class on Monday, April 2, to be followed by a general social time to conclude the season of the aggregations.

The Berean Bible class has completed arrangements for its annual meeting and banquet to be held on Tuesday evening, March 20. The election of officers will take place in the meeting of the class to be held at 7:30. Richard Boardman will be the speaker of the evening at the banquet to follow.

FRECKLES

March Brings Out Unsightly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

The woman with tender skin dreads March because it is likely to cover her face with ugly freckles. No matter how thick her veil, the sun and winds have a strong tendency to make her freckle.

Fortunately for her peace of mind, the prescription, othine—double strength, makes it possible for even those most susceptible to freckles to keep their skin clear and white. No matter how stubborn a case of freckles you have, the double strength othine should remove them.

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CZARINA AND HER SON.

Empress and Crown Prince Prisoners in the Palace.

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UNION MAY PURCHASE FARM OR QUARRY

Elizabeth, March 16.—Favorable action on the proposal to establish either a farm, quarry of both, for Union County prisoners was promised Wednesday to a citizens' committee by the Board of Freeholders' jail committee at a hearing at the courthouse. The committee, under the chairmanship of William F. Marsh, announced it would recommend to the board at a special meeting March 26 that a beating be given taxpayers on the proposition to purchase a suitable site outright at a sum not exceeding $25,000. William Day of the Charity Organization Society, Judge Abe J. David, Rev. Dr. Frank Moore of the Rahway Reformatory and William Bodhigton, representing labor unions, spoke.

DECORATED FOR HEROISM

Washington, March 16.—For displaying extraordinary heroism in a battle with rebels in santo Domingo, Sergeant Major Roswell Winans, U. S. Marine Corps, has been decorated with the "medal of honor," the highest award of merit attainable by a American military or naval man.

Winans operated a machine gun against the enemy only 150 yards away in the fact of a heavy fire to which he was fully exposed. When a jam put the gun temporarily out of commission he stood up and coolly repaired it, maintaining his perilous position and resumed firing until the bandits deserted their trenches. Marine Corps officials say Winans' prompt action saved the lives of many of his companions.

The "medal of honor" is given to very few persons and only in cases of extraordinary valor. Unlike the "iron cross," "Victoria cross" and similar European decorations, this American medal is worn pendant from the neck.

EMBARGO ON POTATOES

Special to Courier-News:

Boston, Mar. 16—The Bangor and Aroostook Railroad has placed embargo on potatoes and other nonperishable articles for shipment to Boston and New York.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

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In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any Lenony relative to domestic science. A stamped envelope bring necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In the percentage of fat in different kinds of meat, a greater difference exists than in the percentage of proteins. The lowest percentage of fat is 8.1 per cent. in the shank of veal and the highest is 32 per cent. in pork chops.

The highest priced cuts, loins and ribs of beef contain from 20 to 25 per cent. If this fat is not eaten at the table, or not utilized otherwise, a pecuniary loss results to the housewife, as she pays the same price for the fat as for the meat.

Thus, if butter is the ingredient used in making crust for meat pies and in preparing the cheaper cuts of fat, there is little real economy involved. The fats from all meats should, therefore, be carefully saved, as they may be substituted in place of butter in such cases, as well as in preparing many other foods.

The fat from sausage, from the soup kettle, or from pot roast, which is savory because it has been cooked with seasoning and vegetables, is particularly good for browning potatoes that are to be used in stews, croutons and curries. Sometimes celery vegetables, such as onions, peppers or sweet herbs are added to the fat, when it is tried out to give an appetizing flavor.

Bones and fat come with nearly all varieties of meat, and in these days of high prices, they must be utilized as well as the meat itself. Almost any meat bone can be used in soup-making and if the meat is not removed from them, so much the better. But some bones, especially the rib ones, if they have meat left on them, can be grilled or roasted and will furnish a very palatable dish in themselves.

The "spare rib" of Southern folks, that we hear so much about, is made from the rib bones of a calf or pork. This is always a very popular dish when served crisp and brown with sweet potatoes and stewed apple sauce.

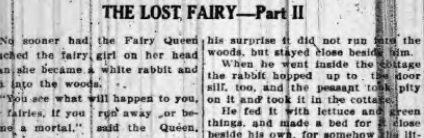
The braised ribs of beef, often served in exclusive restaurants, are made from the bones cut from the end of a rib roast. In this connection, it is well for the housewife to remember that many of the favorite dishes served in hotels are made of portions of meat such as are frequently thrown away in private homes, but which, with proper cooking and seasoning, make attractive dishes at small cost and furnish most acceptable variety to the daily menu.

An old-fashioned recipe for "boiled bones" directs that the bones (beef rib or sirloin bones, on which the meat is not too thick) be sprinkled with salt and cayenne, brushed over with olive oil and broiled over a clear fire until well browned. Another example for the use of bones is "boiled marrow bones." This is an English dish. The bones are cut in convenient lengths. The ends are covered with a little piece of dough, over which a floured cloth is tied, and they are then cooked in boiling water for two hours. After removing the cloths and dough, split the bones, season lightly with salt, celery salt and pepper, and lay on toast strips.

In purchasing a steak, there is always considerable fat and bone, but of the former should be trimmed away and clarified for beef dripping. The bone will, naturally, be cooked with the steak and it could be saved after the meal and used to either a tomato or vegetable soup, to give it that rich, meaty flavor, that is always so appetizing and savory.

The tough end of a steak (if a porterhouse is purchased) may be ground through the meat grinder and Hamburg steak, or it may be converted, when cooked, into a savory ground stew or hash. All of these preparations are good and they will furnish another meal without additional cost.

When rather thick mutton chops are used for broiling, the trimmings left from the lower part will generally furnish a small Irish stew sufficient in quantity to serve two persons. Be generous, in making the stew, with carrots, onions, turnips and a few peas. In making this stew, do not brown the meat, as the gravy should be light in color.



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THE LOST FAIRY—Part II

No sooner had the Fairy Queen touched the fairy girl on her head than she became a white rabbit and ran into the woods.

"You see what will happen to you, my fairies, if you run away or become a mortal," said the Queen, "you will be changed into a white rabbit and can never again become a fairy, and a white rabbit you will remain, for there is only one way you can become a mortal then and that is not likely to happen."

The little fairies said they never, never would run away from the Queen as their fairy had done, and they looked with sad eyes toward the spot where the little white rabbit had disappeared in the woods.

When the peasant awoke and found his wife was not there he jumped out of his bed and looked everywhere in the house.

First he looked under the bed, thinking she had played a joke on him and hidden there; then he looked in the closet and in the attic, but nowhere could he find her.

He looked the mountain over for her, but she had gone and left no trace her disappearance was as mysterious as her coming, and the peasant began to wonder if after all she might not have been a fairy.

One day when he sat outside his cottage door weeping for his wife a little white rabbit ran up beside him and began to rub its head against his leg. The peasant reached down and took it up in his lap and stroked its head. "Poor creature, have you lost your mate?" he said.

When he put it on the ground, to his surprise it did not run into the woods, but stayed close beside him.

When he went inside the cottage the rabbit hopped up to the door sill, too, and the peasant took pity on it and took it in the cottage.

He fed it with lettuce and green things, and made a bed for it close beside his own, for somehow the little white rabbit seemed to comfort him when he thought of his lost wife.

One day when he was walking about the mountain he saw a pair of shoes under a bush, they were so small he wondered if they were magic shoes. He took them into his cottage and put them on the floor. No sooner did the white rabbit see the shoes than it ran and sat down beside them, poking at them with his nose.

So close beside the shoes did the little rabbit keep that the peasant picked it up and put it in one of the shoes.

But no sooner had the rabbit touched the inside of the shoe than out the door went the shoe with the rabbit, and ran so fast the peasant, who tried to follow, could not keep up with it.

He kept on running, however, and saw the little shoe go swiftly down the mountain and into the woods at the foot of it.

The peasant kept on, and when the shoe came to the door of the cave of the old witch it stopped.

When the old witch came out and saw the shoe with the white rabbit in it she said, "So the Queen found you, didn't she; I told you to throw the shoes down the side of the mountain. Why didn't you do as I told you?

"There is only one thing that can save you now, and that is that some mortal should ask you to marry him; and that will not be likely to happen, for mortals do not care to marry little white rabbits."

The little rabbit hung its head, but it could not speak, although it heard what the witch said.

But the peasant, who had heard also every word said by the witch began to understand, and he ran to the witch and said, "I will marry the little white rabbit; mother witch, give us your blessing."

The witch waved her cane over him as he picked up the little white rabbit from the shoe, and there in his arms the peasant found his wife again, and this time she was a mortal for good and all time; the fairy spell had passed from her.

"I give you my blessing," said the witch, "and a present besides when you reach home; let the first thing you do be to look in the other magic shoe," she said to the wife; "then throw the shoe down the side of the mountain or the same fate that happened to you will happen to what you find in the shoe."

The wife promised she would keep her promise this time, and that as soon as she reached home the shoe should be thrown away.

The peasant and his wife thanked the old witch and hurried back to their cottage and when they looked inside the magic shoe what did they see but a dear little baby girl smiling up at them.

The wife picked it up and hugged it close to her and said to her husband, "Lose no time, take the shoe and throw it far over the side of the mountain, my baby must remain a mortal, for she might not be as lucky as I was in finding a mortal who would be willing to marry a little white rabbit to find his wife."

The peasant lost no time in throwing away the magic shoe and then he ran back to the cave of the old witch and asked her to be godmother to their little girl and the old witch was so pleased that she waved over the baby girl her cane and said as a gift she would cause the baby always to be happy and grow up into a beautiful and good woman.

Whether the Fairy Queen ever knew what became of the white rabbit the peasant and his wife never knew, but if she did the little fairies never were told, for the Queen was too wise.

She would never be sure of any of the fairies staying with her if there was chance of being as happy as the fairy sister who ran away and married a mortal.

Tomorrow's story—"Little May's Prisoner."

NEEDLEWORK NOTES

A pretty card table cover is made of heavy white linen, with a spread pack of cards in each corner, embroidered in black and red.

Boudoir caps are good gifts for young girls. A new embroidered sort is made in the style of a Dutch cap, with the embroidery in delft blue or in black, on a sheer white muslin ground.

For the women who travel a corset bag, a long, narrow washable bag, embroidered with the word "Corsets," is useful. These bags can also be used to hold corsets in the bureau drawers or closet shelve.

For the young housekeeper a useful gift is a luncheon set, all in one piece, consisting of centerpiece and four plate doilies attached, in the form of a Greek cross. This is embroidered in various designs and in either white or colors.

Fringe is in fashion and it has invaded the realm of are needlework. Some of the new sofa cushions, which would make admirable gifts for the boy or girl away at college, are of heavy tan linen or crash, embroidered in conventional designs in bright colors, and finished with wide tan cotton fringe.

The shops are full of interesting things to embroider and make. One is a baby's shoe bag, which would make a charming gift for a baby's first Christmas—a Christmas when the baby itself is not old enough to appreciate toys and when a gift that appeals to its mother is always acceptable. This bag is to hang on a door or wall. It is made of heavy white material and there are two sections, one above the other, each containing pockets for three pairs of little boots or shoes. Embroidered letters across the top announce that it is for baby's shoes.

HIDDEN PUZZLE

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A flower.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.

Left side down, nose at right shoulder. Churchill.

WORTH KNOWING

If you are troubled with indigestion and cannot eat white bread, make bread from the whole wheat flour. This is more easily digested and more nourishing than the white bread.

A delicious pudding is made with cooked and stoned prunes spread over the bottom of a baking dish and covered with a rich biscuit dough. Serve hot with cream and sugar or hard sauce.

Shredded cabbage and lettuce hearts with French dressing and roasted peanuts make an excellent salad.

There is no comparison between the flavor of a fresh chicken and one that has been killed for some time. The fresh chicken is known by its bright full eye. If the eye is sunken it is not fresh.

A box of small utility objects, made of aluminum, for the kitchen, is a very welcome gift to a busy housekeeper.

The evening frock with side trains attached to the wrists with bead bracelets is fashionable and picturesque.

SAVE THE BABIES

These are authentic quotations from the pamphlet on babies by Dr. L. Emmett Holt, of Columbia, and Dr. Henry L. K. Shaw, of Union University:

Among things which are bad for all babies are: Pacifiers, thumb sucking, soothing syrups, patent medicines, whiskey or gin for supposed colic, dirty playthings, dirty nipples, dirty bottles, dirty floors, waterproof diapers except for temporary use, moving picture shows.

It is easier to prevent diarrhea than to cure it. The important preventive means are: Boil all milk in summer, dilute the baby's food in very hot weather, stop the food at once if acute diarrhea sets in. If movements become loose and only two or three a day do not neglect it because the baby happens to be teething; it may mean the beginning of serious illness. More of this subject will be told tomorrow.

EASY TO DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

You can Bring Back Color and Lustre with Sage Tea and Sulphur

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though so plain, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease. Adv.

Saturday Specials

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CAL. PRUNES, 40-50s sweet and meaty, lb.	12c	COOPER'S GELATINE, pkg.	9c
CAL. WALNUTS, large soft shells, lb.	22c	QUAKER PETTIJOHN The Bran Cereal, pkg.	12c
CAL. NAVEL ORANGES, size 216, dozen	23c	TECO PANCAKE FLOUR, pkg.	9c
COMB HONEY, "Faulkner's	18c	HECKER'S PREP. FLOUR, 12c pkg.	10c
RAISINS, Sun-Maid, Seeded, pkg.	12c	STEERO BOUILLON CUBES, 30c can	24c
NOT-A-SEED RAISINS, pkg.	14c	OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, can	8c
PLUM PUDDING, R. & R., 2-lb. can	41c	SKAT HAND SOAP, can	8c
WHITE ROSE RIPE OLIVES, 25c can	22c	2-IN-1 SHOE POLISH, can	8c
HILDRICK'S APPLE JUICE, 15c bottle	12c	SOUR OR DILL PICKLES, doz.	14c
CAL. APRICOTS, fancy Royals, lb.	21c	20-MULE BORAX, 15c pkg.	12c
CAL. PEELED PEACHES extra fancy, lb.	16c	MATCHLESS LIQUID GLOSS, 45c can	39c
WRIGHT'S SILVER CREAM, reg. 25 cent glass	21c	RICE, fine quality, 4 lbs.	25c
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		DURYEA'S STARCH, 8-lb. box	25c

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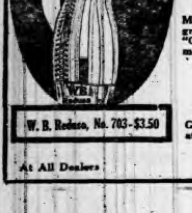

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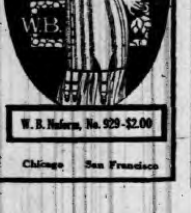

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MORE DEVELOPMENT PLANNED.

New Brunswick Institution Will Have More Teachers and Equipment to Aid In Work of Aiding Farmers All Over State—Was Founded in 1864 and Now Has Wide Scope of Usefulness. Governor Ready to Sign Bill.

Trenton, March 16.—Only the signature of Governor Edge is required to make the State Agricultural college at New Brunswick the State University of New Jersey, a bill to effect the change having been passed by the legislature. The action was taken in recognition of the services given to the state by the college, which is maintained by the trustees of Rutgers college. Development is planned for the institution in the way of adding equipment and teachers.

The agricultural experiment work of the State Agricultural college and the sending of lecturers all over the state to bring to the farmers word of improved methods has been regarded particularly as of great service to the commonwealth.

The changing of the status of the institution will not disturb the officers or the present teaching staff. In its extension courses last year there were 5,500 students enrolled, while the student body at the institution numbered 535.

It was by act of the legislature, approved April 4, 1864, pursuant to an act of congress, that the scientific school of Rutgers college became the college for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts, for the state of New Jersey, commonly called also the State Agricultural college. It receives appropriations from the federal government and from the state. It was felt that the maintenance of such diverse schools as those of agriculture, engineering and chemistry, of courses for graduate students and of extension work made the title of university appropriate.

BRITISH DRIVE GERMANS BACK

Win Ground Southeast of Bapaume In New Advance.

London, March 16.—British troops in the Ancre region of France have made another important advance. The official announcement records the occupation of German trenches along a front of two and a half miles, stretching from the southern edge of St. Pierre Vaast wood to the northern outskirts of the village of Saillisel.

St. Pierre Vaast wood is about six miles southeast of Bapaume and almost equidistant from Peronne. Chief significance in the operation attaches to the fact that it marks the first important withdrawal of Teutonic forces south and east of Bapaume, their backward movements heretofore having been confined to the west and north.

The British gain is of importance, too, because Le Transloy, a strategic point of value, lies only three miles to the north, on the Bapaume road, and because an extension of the enveloping movement about Peronne appears to be indicated.

The capture of Peronne would be of great value to the British. The town has played an interesting role in French history. It was strongly fortified during the middle ages and *remained a fortress until 1874. The last* big event in its military annals was its stubborn defense against the Germans in the winter of 1870-71.

The British statement admits the success of Germans in entering trenches southeast of Arras after a heavy bombardment, and adds that "a few of our men are missing."

SEES SUFFRAGE VICTORY

Mrs. Norman De R. Whitehouse Predicts Amendment Will Win.

New York, March 16.—In a statement issued today Mrs. Norman de R. Whitehouse, chairman of the New York State Woman Suffrage party, said:

"Our prospects of victory are very brilliant. Every political party has indorsed the principle of woman suffrage in its national platform. It is useless for the opponents of suffrage to claim that the two large parties, the Republican and Democratic, are without honor and have resorted to woman suffrage only to betray it. We feel that it is not the case. The leaders of these parties recognize a moral possibility. President Wilson showed distinctly in a telegram he has recently sent to the president of the Tennessee senate regarding a bill for presidential woman suffrage in that state when he said, 'It seems to me the moral obligation is clear.'

"Woman suffrage has been coming seal very fast since the beginning of 1917. The gone familiar with the situation, as I am raised by the many recent triumphs and the great development of the organization of the New York State Woman Suffrage party, victory here next November is certain.

U. S. Ship Sinks in Harbor.

Los Angeles, March 16.—The Los Angeles steamship Golden Gate, bound from Los Angeles to Mexican ports, was sunk in Ensenada harbor, according to a telegram received by Collector of Customs Elliott. The vessel carried cargo and passengers. The cause of the sinking was not given in the telegram. No lives were lost.

Consecrated as Bishop.

Baltimore, March 16.—Mgr. William T. Russell was consecrated as the titular bishop of Charleston, S. C. Cardinal Gibbons was consecrating prelate.

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† Saturdays only.

NOTICE
Beginning Sunday, Feb. 18th, 1917, and until further notice Bus between Plainfield and Stirling will run Saturday and Sunday only.
Leave Plainfield Saturday 8.15 a. m.; 1.00 and 4.15 p. m.
Leave Stirling Saturday 9.30 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.01 p. m.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to vacate and relieve of the public use and burden that portion of Thornton Avenue lying between Hillside and Woodland Avenues, being an unused and unaccepted portion of street on property of M. Engelhardt Real Estate Co." a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 1144 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m., on Monday, the second day of April, A. D. 1917, Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., March 5, 1917.

AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE AND RELIEVE OF THE PUBLIC USE AND BURDEN THAT PORTION OF THORNTON AVENUE LYING BETWEEN HILLSIDE AND WOODLAND AVENUES, BEING AN UNUSED AND UNACCEPTED PORTION OF STREET ON PROPERTY OF M. ENGELHARDT REAL ESTATE CO.

Whereas, It appears to the Common Council of the City of Plainfield that a portion of Thornton Avenue in said City of Plainfield, to wit, the portion thereof lying between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue, a dedicated street of said City has not been opened to public use for twenty years or more since the said Thornton Avenue was dedicated to public use; that the opening of such portion of street will, if made, involve a large expenditure of public funds and that the opening of such portion of street would be of no public benefit and the owner of the land abutting on such portion of street has consented in writing to such vacation, by filing such consent duly acknowledged as in case of an acknowledgment to a conveyance of lands in the office of the Clerk of the City of Plainfield;

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do act as follows:

Section 1. That all that portion of Thornton Avenue, so called, lying between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue in the City of Plainfield, which portion of street lying between Hillside Avenue and Woodland Avenue is delineated by dotted lines on the Tax Map of said City of Plainfield and is also delineated by dotted lines on a map entitled "Map of Plainfield, N. J. Compiled from Official Records, private plans and personal surveys by J. R. & F. A. Dunham under the personal direction of the publishers published by H. H. Walker & Co., 1876," be and the same is hereby vacated and relieved of the public use and burden.

2—3-16.

Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FURTHER ADDITION TO THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE NOW CONSTRUCTED IN THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NO 15.

WHEREAS, There has been constructed in said city a system of sewerage and such action in relation thereto has from time to time been had as is set forth in the preamble to the ordinance to provide for the construction of an addition to the system of sewerage already constructed in the City of Plainfield," approved November 4, 1895, to which preamble reference is hereby made for greater certainty, and

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Common Council the public good requires that a further addition, as hereinafter described, to the system of sewerage already constructed, should be now constructed in and for said city under the provisions of the Act in said preamble referred to, and supplemental thereto, and

WHEREAS, It is expedient and does hereby so determine, therefore,

The inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Common Council doth hereby direct and order that a further addition to the system of sewerage already constructed under said Act and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, be constructed in and for said city under the provisions of the Act of the Legislature above referred to, with all the appurtenances necessary to complete the same, and of such plan and material and according to such plan as the said Common Council may hereafter direct, in and through the following described streets, avenues, property, lands and rights of way described, mentioned and referred to in this ordinance, to wit:

Front Street, from Park Avenue 420 feet east;

Madison Avenue, from West Front Street to West Second Street;

West Second Street, from Park Avenue to Central Avenue.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of Edwin M. Daniel, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said Deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

It is requested that claims be presented to the executors at 420 Stelle Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

ALBERT D. BEERS,
CHARLES A. HUSH,
Executors.

3—16-new-5w Fees, $11.10.

Courier-News Want Ads. Pay.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10.00 a. m. on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Strauss Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the foundations thereto and other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and including two safety gates as specified sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Fenders complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following list:

(3) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(4) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(5) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and shafting in place per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $5,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check must be drawn up the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on two plans differing only in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No 2 of the specifications, the entire work must be completed within nine months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Under this bid as per Sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

3—12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 4—2, 4

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation.

Estimated amount of surface pavement required 16 2/3rds square yards.

Of foundation, 27,25 square yards.

And opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, and approved by the Public Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 420 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and blue prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper notice and payment of cost of reproduction. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

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EXPECT ACTION BY WILSON.

Roads and Unions Fail to Agree at Conference and 400,000 Workers Will Quit on 290 Lines — President May Issue Emergency Proclamation—Railroad Men Predict Nation Will Seize All Lines Within Few Months.

New York, March 16.—The threatened general strike of 400,000 members of the four big railroad brotherhoods will begin at 6 o'clock Saturday night. Conferences between the brotherhood chiefs and the National Conference Committee of the Railroads ended in a deadlock.

Only federal intervention now can avert the general tie-up of the railroads of the country. An official appeal from the Wilson administration was received in the conference room when the brotherhood and railway chiefs were engaged in heated debate. It was ignored.

The Conference Committee of Railroad Managers offered to submit all matters in dispute to the Goethals eight hour day committee, without regard to the determination of the United States supreme court on the Adamson law. The offer was refused.

Starts on New York Central.

The strike order issued two days ago and remaining in effect in spite of the conference calls for progressive strikes. At 6 o'clock Saturday night the engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen in the freight service on the following lines will stop work: New York Central, east and west; Nickel Plate, Baltimore and Ohio, the yards of eighteen roads at Chicago and other yards in the middle west.

Sunday the tie-up is to be completed on the group of northwestern roads, and the men on the Virginian and southern roads will be called out. The brotherhood chiefs announced that further steps in the progressive strike are uncertain, but said they will continue until Wednesday, when the passenger service engineers, firemen and trainmen on all the roads will be called out and the tie-up made complete.

Following the failure of the conferees to agree orders were sent out from all the trunk line railroads in New York declaring embargoes on all perishable freight.

At the conference between the brotherhood chiefs and the railroad chiefs intimations were made that the railroads will make efforts to train with service of loyal employees drawn from various departments. In support of this movement, it was stated, federal and state troops will be asked if necessary.

Predict United States Action.

It was freely predicted in the conference room that the railroads still have to be taken over by the government within six months.

Only decisive action by President Wilson himself can avert a tie-up that will throw all of the nation's life into chaos, it was admitted at Washington, but no announcement was forthcoming as to what the president will do. It was accepted as certain that he will not call out an army. But what direction his efforts to end the railroad controversy will take was a matter of speculation.

Judge W. L. Chambers, head of the federal board of mediation and conciliation, said the federal authorities in their usual course under the law had no means of dealing with the situation. He said the board proposed to take no action and that neither he nor his associates planned to seek an opportunity of adjusting the differences between the railroads and their employees.

May Declare "Emergency."

Secretary of Labor Wilson, who for the last two weeks has been President Wilson's personal agent in dealing with the railroad situation, is plainly apprehensive. He made it clear that under existing law there was no method by which the federal government could meet the situation. Officials of the department of justice, who are hard at work seeking some legal means of halting a strike in the present international crisis, were dubious as to the possibility of finding any law under which either railroads or employees could be stopped.

No announcement came from the White House, where the president was still confined to his room. It was said, however, that the administration based its hope of averting a strike on the recent letter of the big four brotherhood chiefs to President Wilson pledging the support of the railroad employees to the nation in case of war.

One suggestion of possible action by the president contemplated the issue of a White House proclamation declaring that an "international emergency" had arisen. This would be followed by an appeal to the patriotism of the railroad workers.

In response to a plea presented by Joseph Hartigan, commissioner of weights and measures of New York city, for the continued running of food trains the brotherhood chiefs stated there would be no immediate cutting off of the food supply. They said that for several days at least enough freight trains will run into New York to keep up the normal food supply.

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RUSH REGISTRY BILL FOR ALIENS

War Measure Introduced In New York Legislature.

Albany, N. Y., March 16.—Every German subject or other alien living in New York state will be compelled to register his name with the authorities and hotel proprietors will have to notify the police of the arrival and departure of any aliens who may be their guests if the alien registration bill, introduced by Assemblymen Schuyler M. Meyer of New York city, is passed.

Mr. Meyer's bill was reported out hurriedly by the assembly judiciary committee, and the indications here are that it may become law before the week is ended.

None of the leaders at the capitol would talk about the matter, and much mystery envelops the sudden action on the bill, which was introduced last February and had slumbered quietly in committee until Thursday.

Neither the speaker nor Mr. Lewis would comment on the sudden speeding up of what was considered a purely war time measure. It is said the attorney general's office wrote to the speaker after receiving a communication from the New York city police and from representatives of the federal department of justice who have been working with the police in tracing alien plotters.

If passed the bill would render it infinitely harder to carry out a plot such as the proposed destruction of the Welland canal, which involved a trip from New York to Buffalo by a German agent. Movements of aliens throughout the state could be followed, and any alien could be detained if anything suspicious was seen in his actions.

PLOT TO WRECK RESERVOIR.

More Guards Ordered For Patrol at Boonton, N. J.

Jersey City, N. J., March 16.—The armed guard of thirty at the Boonton (N. J.) reservoir has been increased by thirty-five more policemen from this city. Meantime county officials and secret service agents were trying to run to earth the man who framed the alleged plot to dynamite the dam and flood the entire Rockaway and Passaic valleys, destroying with one stroke *many ammunition plants.*

The home of Johan Zannich, a former employee at the German wireless plant at Sayville, was visited at Boonton. Sheriff Thompson of Morris county, Detective Brennan and two secret service men searched the house. They found a letter signed by Sherab Beg, which they seized.

In this letter, according to the sheriff's party, the writer said that he had met Captain Boy-Ed and was instructed by him to meet Zannich. Another letter from Berlin, written in German, referred to the geography of the country around Boonton.

Zannich was not arrested, but was ordered to report to secret service headquarters in New York.

Butler Trustees Unopposed.

Butler, March 16.—The re-election next Tuesday of all members of the board of education whose terms expire is looked for. No opposition has developed to any of the candidates. Those whose terms expire are Clarence J. Howell, Edward Rooda and William *Inglis, for three years, and Roy S.* Trowbridge, who was elected by the board at the death of Milton H. Glann to finish out Mr. Glann's term.

WAR MAKES THIS MAN WANDERER OF THE SEAS.

Washington, March 16.—Franz Karl Zitelman, former German consul general to the Philippines, Guam and the Sulu islands, is traveling back and forth on the Pacific ocean, unable to find hospitable shores upon which to land.

Zitelman, who left Manila following the break in diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany, was sent on an American army transport to Japan en route to China. The Japanese authorities, however, declined to afford him safe conduct, and he was forced to continue his journey to Honolulu.

Honolulu, being an American harbor, could not receive Zitelman. And it was decided to send him back to the next boat direct to China. He will soon put into China, to learn that diplomatic relations between China and his country also have been severed and that it is impossible to land there.

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Domestic Sardines in Oil, 7c 4 cans **25c**

Premier Brand Baked Beans No. 2 can; 2 cans **28c**

Fresh Baked Fig Bars 2 cans **25c**

Welsh Rabbit or Nippy Cheese each **10c**

Premier Brand Pure Peanut Butter, a lb. 15c

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DUAL ANNIVERSARY FOR SCOTTISH RITE

Forty-five Consistories to Take Part in Celebration on May 17

Scottish Rite Free Masons throughout the northern Masonic jurisdiction of the United States, in sixteen States north of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi, some 100,000 of them or more, are to gather in their forty-five consistories May 17 next to celebrate a double anniversary.

Most important of all, that day will mark the fiftieth anniversary of forming the Supreme Council, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, for the northern Masonic jurisdiction, United States of America, which took place in Boston in 1867, when the three supreme councils then claiming jurisdiction got together and merged their differences in the governing body, which has been supreme ever since. The date is also memorable as coming 150 years after the first Scottish Rite bodies were established on the mainland of North America, at Albany, N. Y., in 1767.

Scottish Rite Masons will celebrate the fiftieth recurrence of May 17 since 1867 with appropriate exercises, in which each consistory will receive three visiting thirty-third degree Masons from the Supreme Council, who will bear appropriate greetings.

It is also of passing significance that this year signalizes the 200th anniversary of the constituting of lodges of the three degrees of Masonry under grand lodges by the formation of the grand lodge of England in 1717, recognition of which will probably be given in New Jersey by the grand lodge of this State at Trenton April 18 next.

Three of the forty-five consistories which will simultaneously celebrate are in New Jersey, one each at Jersey City, Trenton and Camden, and, although two months off, preparations for the event are already under way.

The visiting delegation from the Supreme Council to the Jersey City Consistory will include Dr. J. C. Thayer, of Maine; Chauncey M. Depew, of New York, and Provost Smith of the University of Pennsylvania.

PETER FLOERSCH & SON IN THEIR NEW HOTEL

In their new modern hotel the New Packer House, in Perth Amboy, Peter Floersch & Son, formerly of Plainfield, are now located ideally, and are receiving their friends from New York and elsewhere, who come in automobile parties, for recreation and on business. Their advertisement on an other page gives other details.

Messrs. Floersch kept the Queen City Hotel in this city five years, and made a name for themselves for entertaining the public. They originally kept the Packer House in Perth Amboy, before coming here, and when the modern new hotel was built for them on the site of the old Packer House, they returned to it. Many Plainfield friends have taken occasion to drive over to see them, and have found the same hearty welcome that was extended them here.

A feature of the entertainment in the hotel will be dancing every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening, from 9 to half past eleven.

POSTPONEMENT OF "THE HOODOO"

Owing to illness of a member of the cast of "The Hoodoo," the comedy farce to be presented by the Chi Gamma Chi Club of St. Joseph's Church, in St. Joseph's Hall on Monday night, the play has been postponed until Wednesday night. Tickets sold for Monday night will be honored then.

MEN'S CLUB RECEIVES NEW MEMBERS

At the meeting of the Men's Association of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, held Thursday evening, the following new members were received: John Le Poidevin, Thomas H. Power, C. C. Rush. The report showed that the finances were in a satisfactory condition.

The committee that is on the lookout for a pool table was continued.

The business meetings will be held on the first Thursday in each month.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. E. T. DE FOREST

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth T. DeForest, who died on Wednesday morning, was held this morning at her late residence on West Second street, the Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends, and there were many beautiful flowers.

—For Sale—Second-hand motorcycle, slightly used, at Leo Zeiacl's. —Adv. 3-14-3t

ADELBERT VAIL DIES IN 83D YEAR

Well-Known Citizen and Friend Passes Away From Infirmities of Age

Adelbert Vail, aged eighty-three years, one of Plainfield's best known citizens and a prominent member of the Religious Society of Friends, died this morning at his home, 437 East Seventh street, from the infirmities of age. He was confined to his bed only one day.

Mr. Vail was born May 31, 1834, at the Vail homestead at Greenbrook, and was the last of six children of the late Daniel and Rachel Vail. In 1872 he married Cornelia M. Ross, of Brooklyn, who lived only four months, and in 1874 he married Gertrude E. Adams, who survives him. He was a life-long member of the Religious Society of Friends and took an active interest in all its affairs.

Mr. Vail was one of the first commuters to New York, where he was associated with firm of Vail & Shotwell on South street, dealers in flour and grain. Later he entered into partnership with C. B. Clifton, of this city, under the firm name of Clifton & Vail, grocers, their place of business being on Park avenue on the present site of the Stirling building. For thirty-four years Mr. Vail was a valued bookkeeper in the first National Bank, where he was known to a host of friends. He retired from active business about twelve years ago.

There survive beside his wife, three daughters and five sons, Mrs. Frank C. Knight, of Elmwood place; Miss Mabel H. Vail, a teacher in the public schools of New York; Miss Helen B. Vail, who resides at home; Clarence B. Vail, teller at the First National Bank; Percy W. Vail, of Reading, Pa.; Harvey A., Roy G. and Russell A. Vail, who live at home.

The funeral service will be held at the Friends' meeting-house on Watchung avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MISSION WORK IN LATIN AMERICA IS PICTURED

Under the auspices of the First, Park Avenue and Temple Baptist churches, an instructive illustrated lecture was given by Gilbert Brink at the First Baptist church, last night, on "Mission Work in Latin America," during which he told of the great progress made by the Baptists in carrying the Gospel to Cuba, Mexico and Nicaragua and other countries to that part of the world. From views of the attractive Baptist churches throughout Cuba, especially in Porto Rico and San Juan, were interesting to those present. The majority of these churches are self-supporting, and the missionaries find the converted natives earnest, enthusiastic and loyal Baptists.

The speaker said that the trouble in Mexico had interfered to some extent with the progress of the mission work there, causing a postponement of plans by the mission board, and yet all things considered, the outlook is promising and the missionaries have been able to secure a large number of converts. Christianity, the speaker thought, would be an important factor in solving some of the troubles which have been keeping the country in an almost continual state of insurrection.

A. O. H. ANNUAL BALL A SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR

The forty-first annual ball of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, No. 4, of this city, was held at Columbus Auditorium last night, and like all previous affairs, proved a great success. There were more than four hundred members and friends of the organization present to enjoy the dancing music for which was furnished by Heilbroerster's orchestra of Elizabeth.

Another feature of the evening was Irish music furnished by John Cunff and Martin Regan, the selections being of a popular variety. Dancing was continued until a late hour.

The committee of arrangements comprised John F. Casey, John J. Gallagher, Patrick Griffin, John Driscoll, Timothy Sullivan, John Hurley, Patrick O'Brien, Francis Connelly, Peter Mellea and John Shea.

SMOKE—NO FIRE

At 5.30 o'clock yesterday evening the fire department was called to the house owned by Jacob Sachar, 612 West Front street. When the firemen arrived there was nothing for them to do. The occupants of the house said they had smelled smoke, but the firemen were unable to locate the blaze.

—For Sale—Ford roadster, $150; Studebaker touring car, $200; Overland runabout, $450. Laing Machine Auto Repair Co.—Adv.

—Fashion Display starting next Tuesday in Plainfield stores.—Adv.

SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. CHAS. V. SMITH

Succumbs to Acute Attack of Meningitis After Three Days' Illness

Mrs. Marion Smith, aged 26 years, wife of Charles V. Smith, died suddenly last night at her home at Greenbrook road and Maple avenue, North Plainfield, of meningitis and complications which became acute three days ago. Mrs. Smith had been under treatment for the past two months for an affection of the ears which recently developed into a form of mentigitis which caused her death.

Mrs. Smith was born at Millburn, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Marshall of that place. She had been a resident of the borough during the past seven years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and interested in its various activities. Her untimely death is deeply regretted by a large circle of acquaintances and great sympathy is felt for the family and other relatives.

Beside a husband and one young son, John Dayton Smith, there survive her parents, three brothers, Rev. Raymond E. Marshall, pastor of the Methodist church, Scotch Plains; Ellwood and Robert Marshall, of Millburn, and four sisters, Mrs. Howard Taylor of Elizabeth; the Misses Elsie, Florence and Marietta Marshall, also of Millburn.

The funeral will be held at the late home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, of the First Baptist Church, will officiate and there will be services by Oasis Chapter, No. 41, O. E. S., of which Order Mrs. Smith was a member, and the burial will be in Springfield.

FLAG DEDICATION AT GRACE CHURCH

Two handsome National flags have been presented by a parishioner of Grace church to be used in the interior of the edifice. Old Glory continuously flown from the tower of the church and over the main entrance to the Parish House. The new banners will be received tomorrow and will be placed in a prominent position in the sanctuary. The donors will be escorted in procession at the opening of the service, with acolytes acting as a guard of honor. At the Communion rail they will be solemnly dedicated and then installed in a permanent position on either side of the altar. An address on the religious significance of present events will be made by the rector. It is hoped that all patriotic members of the congregation will be present to do honor to their flag and to their country.

In the evening at eight o'clock the Rev. Henry Teller Cocke will be the preacher, and Sunday, March 25th, the Right Reverend Charles S. Woodcock, LL. D., will preach both morning and evening. Though the church will probably be crowded on the occasion, of the Bishop's visit, the public are assured of every hospitality.

PROBASCO CLASS PLAY AT HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

The Probasco Bible class will present its sixth annual play, "Too Many Husbands" at the Plainfield high school tonight. Judging by the rehearsals this year's production will far exceed all previous ones.

The play, full of good humor and quick action, is sure to result in hearty laughter. Through an error it was announced that the play would take place last night.

The cast for the play is considered one of the best, and under the direction of Mrs. G. Stuart Simons, the coach, has attained a high degree of efficiency which will insure a finished performance. At this time the class quartet will make its first appearance and will sing between the acts of the play. Members of Troop 4, Boy Scouts, will also have a part in the program.

The play is given for charity and the sick and needy of Plainfield will directly benefit from the proceeds. A twelve-piece orchestra from the Dutch Arms Band, under the leadership of Wilbur E. Coke, will provide music for the evening, the orchestra having donated its services. While they last tickets can be secured at Miller's pharmacy.

DANCED IN AUDITORIUM

The fourth annual invitation dance of the Bachelor's Club was given last night at Debele's Auditorium, which was filled with friends of the organization. Berrell's orchestra of Bernardsville furnished music for dancing, and festivities closed about 2 a. m.

—Near Annandale, N. J., on Tuesday, March 20, 1917, at auction, beginning at 12 noon, I will sell a very complete outfit of farm machinery and wagons, also one team of horses. John D. Cregar.—Adv.

—Fashion Display starting next Tuesday in Plainfield stores.—Adv.

FASHION DISPLAY NEXT WEEK

Starting next Tuesday and continuing for the balance of the week, Plainfield merchants will hold Fashion Display Week which will give shoppers an excellent opportunity to view the new styles in wearing apparel, millinery, shoes and other lines of merchandise. Through the efforts of the Plainfield Business Men's Association Plainfield stores are becoming better known to the residents of this city and our nearby neighbors, and shopping at home is growing in rapid strides.

The stores will be in gala attire next week and the public is cordially invited to visit and see the large array of spring goods on display. Other cities the size of Plainfield are holding Fashion Weeks and the event is becoming very popular. Investigation has shown that Plainfield ranks high for a city of its population, in having a goodly number of progressive merchants whose constant endeavors are to give the buying public the best merchandise on the market and at prices that make shopping in Plainfield most profitable.

THE FUNERAL OF GEORGE H. FROST

President of Courier-News Publishing Co. Laid to Rest in Hillside Cemetery

The funeral of George Henry Frost, president of the Courier-News Publishing Company, who died at his home on Watchung avenue on Thursday evening, was held this afternoon at his late residence, the Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, minister of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, of which church Mr. Frost was a member, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends, the latter including many from New York and other cities. There were many beautiful flowers.

During the service the hymns "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Lead, Kindly Light" were sung by Miss Grace Carroll and Miss Etta Raybert.

The impressive order of the Presbyterian church service was used and the great Resurrection Chapter from St. Paul's Epistle to the Corinthians, never sounded more comforting.

The honorary bearers were: Dr. W. L. Saunders, A. J. Gavett, L. V. F. Randolph, Malcolm McKenzie, of this city; Dr. Mansfield Merriman, Rudolph Herring, C. W. Baker and A. E. Kornfeld, of New York. The interment was made in the family plot in Hillside cemetery.

HARBERGER PROPERTY SOLD YESTERDAY

It was learned this morning that the Harberger property at West Front street and Giraud avenue has been purchased by Leo Zelsel and his brother-in-law, Harry Perlman. The deal was consummated yesterday, according to report. It is said that the new owners will erect a large apartment house on a portion of the tract. The old house, which was once Washington's headquarters, will not be disturbed it is said.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled by the advance in the price of paper to increase the subscription price. We regret that we are compelled to make this advance, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper. Many newspapers are compelled to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt various economies. The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 50 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This has made it necessary to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and not into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary supply, and for this reason we have had to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscriber owes four or five weeks does not mean that we question that subscriber's credit, forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change in price.

The subscription rates of the Courier-News are now:

Single copy	$ .02
One week	.12
Three months (in advance)	1.50
Six months (in advance)	3.00
One year (in advance)	6.00

As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

SMINCK INTERESTS THE FREEHOLDERS

Visited East End Bridge Yesterday With Party of County Officials

Councilman Charles S. Sminck, of the First Ward, with County Engineer Jacob Bauer and Freeholders Buckle and Wilbur, yesterday afternoon visited several of the bridges over Greenbrook in the east end of the city for the purpose of determining whether or not the widening of the throat of these bridges would tend to reduce the possibilities of flooding the east end whenever there is a severe storm.

The Freeholders with Engineer Bauer will present their conclusions to the County Board of Freeholders at its next meeting, and some action will be taken in the matter.

Mr. Sminck, who has made a long and careful study of the east end flood problem, took the county officials over the area that is subjected to inundation at stated periods of the year, and showed where various encroachments upon the bed of Greenbrook and Cedar brook had reduced the size of these natural water courses, and as a consequence, whenever there is a heavy rain, the water that drains from the Watchung hills rushes down to the natural water courses to find there courses considerably reduced in size and as a consequence the water leaves the brooks and flows over improved property.

Many persons are not aware of the fact that Netherwood avenue is considerably higher than Park avenue or Grant avenue, so that when the east end, which is the highest point in the city between Grant and Netherwood avenues on the north side of the railroad tracks, becomes inundated, it is an indication that water has been diverted to that section, and this diversion is caused entirely by encroachments upon Green brook and Cedar brook.

The people of the east end are a unit behind Mr. Sminck in his endeavor to compel councilmanic action.

There is no problem elsewhere in the city so grave, they contend, as that of the east end, where a lively development two years ago had been retarded because of the overflowing of streams in that locality.

The remedy apparently lies in removing all encroachments from Green and Cedar brooks and in installing a storm sewer in the bed of the latter sufficiently large to carry away the excess water. This stream can be dug deeper and widened.

It is also possible that any property owner who has been damaged by floods due to encroachments upon this natural water course can recover from those who have made the encroachments.

$50,000 DISPOSED OF THROUGH STEBBINS WILL

In addition to the private bequests, ranging from $1,000 to $5,000 to relatives, mostly cousins, the late Albert Stebbins, of Plainfield, left $20,000 to Mary Rigney, a household servant, for "faithful service," and the sum of $15,000 to Elizabeth Ryan, under like condition. A total of $50,000 is disposed of definitely under the will to a dozen relatives, and the two employes, and the residue of the estate goes to Muhlenberg Hospital.

The will was made February 5 of this year, Asa F. Randolph being named as executor. The witnesses were Katherine M. Manning and Grace Lee Mendell. The Muhlenberg Hospital request is to be invested as "a permanent fund."

PADEREWSKI RECITAL TICKETS ON SALE

Paderewski, the famous pianist, will give a recital in the Plainfield High School Monday night, March 26, under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club. This great artist does not appear more than once in three or four years, and the appetite of the public for his playing is never satiated. His present tour is his first in two years. The tickets were placed on sale at Miller's drug store today.

COMMUTERS' CLUB MEETING

The Commuters' Social Club held its monthly business meeting at the Plainfield High School Thursday night, when several matters of importance were discussed. The club bowls every Monday night on the alleys of the Westfield Theatre, and it was decided to continue the bowling until May 1. In the meantime plans will be made for the summer months.

DR. P. H. CREGAR OUT AGAIN

Dr. P. B. Cregar, of Grant avenue, who has been ill for some time, has recovered, and has resumed his practice again.

FOR SALE—New Kissell car, run 160 miles; can be seen anytime. P. O. Box 703, Plainfield, N. J.—Adv.

EXIT ROMANOFFS FOR A REIGN OF DEMOCRACY IN RUSSIA

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 17.—The triumph of democracy seemed assured today. The line of the Romanoffs has come to an end through abdication of the hereditary monarch, and today a republic was in the making. Order was completely restored in the capital city today.

CZAR'S MANIFESTO UPON HIS ABDICATION

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 17.—Czar Nicholas, abdicated ruler of all Russia, has issued this manifesto:

"To all our faithful subjects it is best known in the days of the great struggle against a foreign enemy who has been trying for three years to enslave our country, that it has pleased God to send Russia further painful trials.

"Internal troubles threatened fatally to affect the further progress of this obstinate war, and to affect Russia's destinies. Her heroic army, the happiness of the people, the whole future of the beloved Fatherland, demand that the war should be concluded at all costs to a victorious end.

"In these decisive days we realize that we owe to the people a close union and organization of all forces for realization of a rapid victory. Therefore in agreement with the Imperial Duma we recognize it is for the country's good that we should abdicate the crown and lay down supreme powers."

BAPAUME, GIBRALTAR OF WESTERN FRONT, TAKEN

By United Press:

London, March 17.—Bapaume, the key to German defenses against which the new Haig offensive on the western front has been hammering, has been captured. Front dispatches on Thursday coupled with Field Marshal Haig's official statement prepared the public for the welcome news of capture of the German stronghold, dubbed by Hindenburg a few months ago as "The Gibraltar of the western front."

Thursday British forces were reported within a few hundred yards of the Bapaume defenses. Since then Field Marshal Haig has been silent as to the exact extent of the operations. Military experts have predicted that occupation of this stronghold by British will force an early retirement of the Germans from the Bapaume-Arras line.

FEDERAL MEDIATORS AND RAILWAY CHIEFS CONFER

By United Press:

New York, March 17.—The Federal mediators and railway brotherhood chiefs went into conference today, in final effort to avert the nation-wide strike scheduled to start tonight.

They are working earnestly and sincerely to find a solution of this problem," Secretary of Interior Lane said, as the conference started.

"We will see representatives of the Brotherhoods first, then the representatives of the railroads." Asked if all three bodies would meet later, Lane said, "We may, but that has not been decided."

W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen, declared before conference, that no move to call off the strike had been made. The tone of his remarks seemed to indicate that the brotherhoods are still full of fight.

BERLIN IMPRESSED BY RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

By United Press:

Berlin, March 17.—Germany is profoundly impressed by the Russian revolution. Newspapers today pointed to the conference of officials in Vienna as of great importance in view of the developments at Petersburg (Petrograd).

In the conference will be Emperor Carl, of Austria; the Imperial German Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, Prince Lonrad von Hohenlohe, formerly Minister of Finance; Count Czernin, Premier Clark-Martinitz, and Count Tisza.

STILL HOPE FOR THE COLOMBIAN TREATY

By United Press:

Washington, March 17.—Following failure of the Colombian treaty in face of united Republican opposition in the Senate, the administration has under consideration a modification of the pact with a view of obtaining its passage at the special session of Congress.

ST. PATRICK'S BRIDGE LARGELY ATTENDED

About 100 attended the St. Patrick's bridge and "500" party given yesterday afternoon by the Woman's League of St. Joseph's Church, North Plainfield. The affair was held in the parish hall between the hours of three and five o'clock, and the decorations were appropriate to the season. Mrs. D. Kerwin was chairman of the affair and the Misses Elizabeth Harper, Dorothy Sutton, Phoebe Hogan, Dorothy Jacot and Rosanna McDonough served the "Green punch. Suitable prizes were awarded the lucky players.

There were a number of out of town people present. Bound Brook, Somerville and Westfield being represented.

The League members were very successful in the affair and netted a substantial fund for the treasury in which to carry on their beneficient work.

A. C. ESTES COMPELLED TO GIVE UP WORK HERE

General Secretary A. C. Estes, of the Y. M. C. A., who several weeks ago suffered a nervous breakdown in health, and was forced to give up his work temporarily, has again been obliged to relinquish his duties at the association, and it will probably be several months before he will be able to resume them.

Mr. Estes left this week for the New England States, where upon the advice of physicians he will remain for an indefinite period, or until such time as he regains his health and strength. The fact that he has had to give up his work is deeply regretted by the association and Mr. Estes' many friends here. Mrs. Estes will join her husband next week.

—See us about our guarantee on Republic tires. M. & L.-Auto Co.—Adv.

COLONEL MARTIN WILL HOLD SUMMARY COURT

With twenty-five cases to be heard, Lieutenant-Colonel William B. Martin, of Elizabeth, will soon hold summary court at Trenton and Princeton. Just when the sessions will be convened has not yet been definitely decided upon as a number of matters have to be prepared before the cases can be tried.

The greater number of cases to be heard will be at Princeton, where twelve guardsmen will have to appear before the court to answer to charges, while there will be five to answer to charges at Trenton. Just what the charges are would not be set out at this time by Colonel Martin. It is understood, however, that they are for failing to perform their military duties. Some, it is understood, will be tried for non attendance at the annual encampment last summer.

There are no charges against any of the guardsmen of the First Battalion, and as yet there are no indications that any will be made.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF HENRY ROSENBAUM

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Plinsky, of Orange, today announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Fannie Plinsky, to Henry Rosenbaum, of this city. The latter is a member of the firm Rosenbaum Brothers, prominent in the dry goods trade here. The wedding will take place during the early summer.

—Player piano for sale. Private party sacrifices elegant 88-note player with cabinet and rolls; only $150 cash; on storage. 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-4t

—Fashion Display starting next Tuesday in Plainfield stores.—Adv.

MARCH 20 to 24

In Plainfield

Fashion Display Week

Members of the Plainfield Business Men's Association extend a cordial invitation to shoppers from Plainfield and vicinity to view the attractive displays of Spring Merchandise during FASHION WEEK.

SHOP AT HOME

Plainfield Merchants should have your first consideration. A visit to the stores during Fashion Week will convince you that purchasing at home is most advantageous.

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And we are one of the 850 Willard Service Stations that will see that they keep going.

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BOROUGH SCHOOL JANITOR CELEBRATES

"Dick" McDonald, Sixty Years Old Today—Thirty-five Years in Service

Richard McDonald, of North Plainfield, the dean of school janitors in the State, is today quietly celebrating his sixtieth birthday. The weather permitting, Janitor McDonald intended to enjoy St. Patrick's Day celebration in New York. Mr. McDonald has also just passed his thirty-fifth year as janitor of the borough schools and is considered the oldest in years of service of any janitor in the State.

He began his duties when the late C. E. Boss was principal of the school across the brook and the sessions were then held in the old frame building that still stands on Harmony street, near Watchung avenue. Shortly after that, early in the eighties, the original Somerset school building of twelve rooms on Somerset street, was erected and Mr. McDonald was transferred to that school. The borough now has three modernly equipped schools. The janitor's routine of work has changed considerably in the last quarter of a century with the installation of modern heating and ventilating apparatuses. Added to these duties is also the position of truant officer.

"Dick" as he is familiarly known among his acquaintances, is very popular among the school children and strange as it may seem there are many grandchildren of the earlier day pupils who are now attending school. As a handy man, Mr. McDonald's equal is not found every day and during his spare time he can be found in his workshop in the basement of the Somerset school repairing odd things or chiseling out models for the manual training department.

BI-MONTHLY MEETING OF BUSINESS WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The regular bi-monthly business meeting of the Business Women's League, held last evening in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. building, was preceded by a supper, which was well attended. After supper Mrs. A. Vizen, from the home office of the Prudential Insurance Company, Newark, made an interesting address on her welfare work for the girls employed there. Judge William DeMeza followed and spoke on the "Duties of a City Judge."

The next meeting will be held on the evening of April 20 and will be preceded by a supper.

WHEN GRANT WAS MADE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF

U. S. Grant was made commander-in-chief of armies of the Republic, March 17, 1864, by Lincoln, to succeed Ambrose E. Burnside, of Rhode Island. Upon Grant also was conferred at that time the title Lieutenant-General, a title never previously held by any one but Washington and Gen. Scott. The latter still held it till it was conferred on Grant.

SENT TO REFORMATORY

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 17.—Mrs. Sarah Scott, white, of Plainfield, was sentenced to the Woman's Reformatory at Clinton on a charge of immorality, by Judge Connolly in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday afternoon. Hester Newton, her colored companion, was sentenced to the county jail for six months and fined $100.

ENTERTAINED THEIR FRIENDS

The Misses Dorothy and Marjorie Thiers, of 418 Grant avenue, entertained a number of their friends last evening at their home with dancing and music. Refreshments were served. The guests, who passed an enjoyable evening were Misses Jocelyn Nolting, Florence Ryder, Kathryn Stevens, Virginia Nolting, Edith Davis, Muriel Counsell and John Hansmann, Townsend Dickenson, John R. Mezey, Everett Jewett, Martin Snyder, William Thiers and S. Wright McAneny, Jr.

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1914 GRAND JURY HELD ANNUAL BANQUET

Rahway, March 17.—The Union County grand jury of 1914 Thursday night held its third annual banquet at the Wheatena auditorium. The members present were Isaac S. Caln, Sunbolt; John G. Hall, Charles S. Bishop, David T. Magie, Frank Mellhaus and Frank B. Hetzman, Elizabeth; Arthur R. Wendell, Charles T. Gun, John T. Dunn and Edward C. Luther, of Rahway. Court officials present were Judge James Connolly of the Court of Quarter Sessions, Prosecutor Alfred A. Stein, Sheriff George C. Otto, Deputy Sheriff James Warner and former Sheriff William H. Wright.

Prosecutor Stein was toastmaster and the speakers were Judge Connolly, Sheriff Otto, Mr. Wendell, Mr. Warner and former Sheriff Wright. Mr. Stein, Mr. Wendell and Mr. Bishop were the dinner committee.

PLAINFIELD TRUST CO. DECLARED DIVIDEND

The Plainfield Trust Company has declared a quarterly dividend of two per cent on the capital stock, payable April 2, to holders of record March 24, when books close. Books reopen April 3.

UNITY LODGE TO CELEBRATE

Unity Lodge, K. of P., at this week's meeting completed plans for the 44th anniversary, to be held next Thursday evening, March 22. It will be known as Ladies' Night and an elaborate program has been arranged by the committee in charge.

HELD DIME SOCIAL

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Temple Baptist church, a dime social was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Stewart, of East Sixth street. About fifty people were in attendance at the affair, which was arranged through Mrs. Frank Stewart, Mrs. Edward Baker, Sr., and Mrs. Peck.

ELIZA SANDERSON DEAD

Eliza Sanderson, colored, of 552 West Second street, died last night in Muhlenberg Hospital.

There's no use speculating from the printed word where you'd better buy your clothes. There's no use trying to guess what you'll find in the way of fit and style from what you read; for, if all clothes were what type claims for them, then Beau Brummell would *be a backwoodsman alongside of* the average man on our streets.

There's just one satisfactory criterion to go by, the criterion of your own five senses. And, of course, you have to make comparisons at that. Therefore, put it up to the clothes; look them all over; speak to the men who wear theirs with a difference; and—don't neglect to have Rothberg's down on your itinary.

SPRING SUITS
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and upwards
Stylish Reliable
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"THINGS MEN WEAR"
206 West Front St.

A story is told concerning a visit of Paderewski to an English country house, where one afternoon a countess remarked to the famous pianist: "Oh, Mr. Paderewski, you play, don't you?" "Yes, madame," the master replied. "Then," said the countess, "would you mind turning my daughter's music?"

PADEREWSKI

Plays eight numbers which are always prime favorites at the Paderewski Concerts. Hear them on the Victrola.

THE PADEREWSKI RECORDS

Bandoline, La—Rondeau	F. Couperin 88491—12	$3.00
Carillon de Cythere (Chimes of Cythera)	Couperin 88492—12	3.00
Etude in F Minor	Liszt 88402—12	3.00
Hark, Hark the Lark (Transcription)	Schubert-Liszt 88357—12	3.00
La Campanella	Paganini-Liszt 88401—12	3.00
Minuet in G (Opus 14, No. 1)	Paderewski 88321—12	3.00
Valse Brilliante (Opus 34, No. 1)	Chopin 88322—12	3.00
Warum? (Why?) (Fantasies No. 2, Opus 12)	R. Schumann 88494—12	3.00

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PLAINFIELD OFFICERS TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Plainfield's two military units, Troop D, First Squadron New Jersey Cavalry, and Company K, Second Regiment, will be represented at the National Defense convention to be held March 27-29 in connection with the annual meeting of the National Guard Association of the United States at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, New York.

Acting Captain Daniel Runkle and Lieut. J. M. Charles will represent Troop D, and the representatives from Company K will be Captain Charles A. Peterson, Lieutenants Arthur R. Phillips and James B. Conklin. The organization is comprised of more than 95 per cent. of the commissioned officers of the National Guard and it is thought that nearly every commissioned officers from this State will attend the convention.

FUNERAL OF RAYMOND C. HOFFMAN

Whitehouse, March 17.—The funeral of Raymond C. Hoffman, twelve years old, who died in Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, Tuesday night, after an operation, was held this morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman, near Mountainville. Rev. Harry J. Jobst, pastor of the Methodist Church at Cokesbury, officiated, and burial was in the Union cemetery there.

SINGS ALWAYS IN ENGLISH

The great popularity that Evan Williams has attained is largely due to his singing in English. Audiences have a right to demand English texts and Mr. Williams was among the first big artists to realize this fact. As a result, all his programs are in our tongue, whether the original songs are German, French or Italian, and every word is clearly understood.

As announced, the famous tenor will appear here in the High School Easter Monday night, April 9th, under the auspices of the Plainfield Dental Society.

ST. PATRICK'S SOCIAL

Bible Class No. 2 of Trinity Reformed church, of which Philip Vroom is the teacher, held a St. Patrick's social last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton B. Noe, of East Sixth street. Forty-one members and guests were present who enjoyed an evening of games and music. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the affair.

CONFERENCE OFFICER ILL

Atlantic City, March 17.—Rev. Walter E. Shaw, statistical secretary of the New Jersey Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, is *critically ill with pneumonia* in the Atlantic City Hospital. He was stricken on Tuesday afternoon after conference had adjourned. Mr. Shaw is pastor of the Stratford Methodist Episcopal Church at Stratford, Camden county.

TAKES POSITION IN NEW YORK

William J. Trembath, of Chatham street, formerly proprietor of the Trembath Printing Company, of this city, has taken a position as superintendent of the typographical department of the American Bank Note Company, New York. Mr. Trembath will continue to reside in the borough.

NO WORD OF REVIEW

Nothing has as yet been heard by First Battalion officers as to whether or not there will be a review of the Second Regiment this year. The uncertainty is generally attributed to the tenseness of the international situation.

BABY GIRL AT TINSMAN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tinsman, of 1407 East Second street, this city, are the proud parents of a baby girl born on March 14. Mother and child are doing nicely under the care of Dr. Davis.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR Y. M. H. A. HOME

The Young Men's Hebrew Association Building campaign is progressing slowly. Today the chairman of this committee desires to announce the receipt of a contribution of $50 from Dr. Raphael Yood, of West Fourth street and Grant avenue.

A contribution of $5 from Dr. T. S. Davis was also received today.

WESTMINSTER GUILD MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

A meeting of the Westminster Guild of the First Presbyterian Church will be held on Monday evening, March 19, at the home of Miss Ethel Fowler, 45 Fairview avenue. The lesson study will be "The Living Christ for Latin America."

A. H. BOSCH RESIGNS

Alfred H. Bosch, former advertising manager for the Bosch Magneto Company, of this city, has resigned after seven years' service to become a member of the firm of McLain-Hadden Simpers Company, advertising and merchandising Council of Philadelphia and New York. Robert S. Westcott, who has been the assistant advertising manager at the local plant, succeeds Mr. Bosch.

SHIPPING GOLD TO ARGENTINA

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 17.—Gold to the amount of $500,000 was withdrawn from the Sub-Treasury yesterday for shipment to Argentina.

Red Cross meetings, Sewing Societies' clubs, teas, Theatres, Elevated Road, Subway, Churches, Trolley Cars, on the Streets—wherever you see women gathered, Edwards, you hear this:

"Where did you get that adorable hat?" "My dear, it's simply stunning, wherever did you find it?" "Would you credit it, the name of the milliner who designed that lovely hat?" "Such shop-selling hats of such really good workmanship" and from most of it, "I paid $6.00 for that beautiful hat." "Where?"

"I bought it at Hearn's, Fourteenth St. & 6th Ave." "Only $5.00, at Hearn's?" "Why, she was looking just as individual and smart looking from every choosee at Hearn's." "Perhaps she gave little detail." "Their millinery department on the third floor—the Fourteenth Street side of the store. Of course, the $7.00 hats are wonderful values, but they have exquisite hats at higher prices, or tables and tables of untrimmed hats. If you buy the trimmings there, too, the hat is trimmed without extra charge."

"Really, Hearn's is the place to select your hat—such large assortments as they have make it lots easier than you know. Easter Sunday is going to be a hundred times more in church that like you're speaking of. Hearn's, what about the young folks who are to be confirmed this season?" "Hearn's has plans for them—the Boys' Department has enormous stocks of good looking navy suits, over and above many additional Norfolk styles. And such pretty, charming white dresses, mere organdie lawns, for confirmees are hanging ready in the Girls' and Misses' sections. Or, if you are going to make that dress yourself, this is the better place for the material, too, Hearn's."

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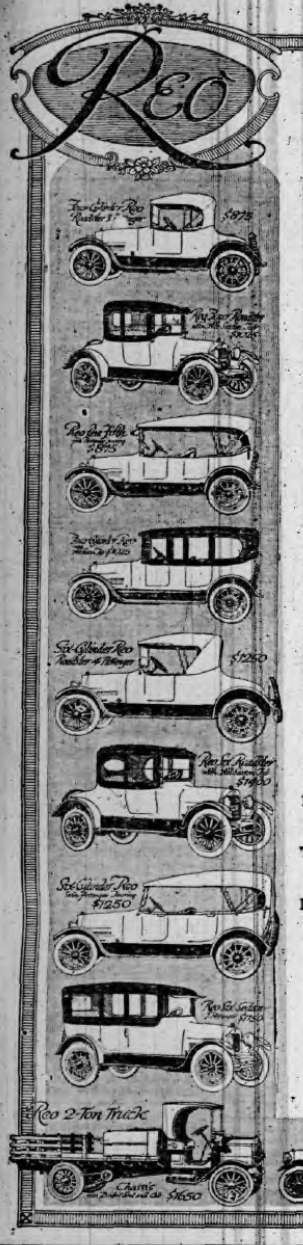

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RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

W. C. T. U., Babcock Building: The regular weekly service will be omitted tomorrow.

Notice to pastors: All notices for this column must be in this office Friday evening.

Bible Truth Hall, 209 East Front street: John F. Parker will preach the Gospel at 7:45 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church—The Rev. A. B. Jones, pastor. 11 a. m. subject, "Doers of the Word"; 3 p. m., Sunday School; 3 p. m. subject, "Going Forward."

Swedish Lutheran Church, East Seventh street, the Rev. Carl Anderson, pastor—Sunday School, 3 p. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:30; Preaching at 8 o'clock.

Ebenezer Baptist church, East Third street, Rev. L. L. Croom, pastor. Preaching morning and evening; Sunday school at 2 o'clock, and praise service at 3:30 o'clock.

Rescue Mission, Babcock building, Madison avenue, John LeMatty, superintendent—William DeMaris will conduct the service tomorrow evening. Special music by the mission choir.

All Souls' Unitarian Church, Park avenue, near West Eighth street, Rev. John Baxsly, minister: Morning service at 10:45; subject of sermon, "Inheritors and Transmitters. Sunday school at 9:30.

First Presbyterian Church, East Front, head of Church street, Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor: Morning subject, "Jesus' Map of Life"; evening subject, "The God of Mt. Writhing and the God of Scripture."

Y. M. C. A.: Special men's meeting at the Plainfield Theatre at 3:30. W. G. Landes, secretary of the Pennsylvania State Sunday School Association will be the speaker; special instrumental and vocal music.

Netherwood Reformed church, Leland and Midway avenues, Rev. Edward Ralston, pastor. Morning subject at 11 a. m., "The Call of Jesus;" evening subject at 7:45, "Thou Shalt Not Bear False Witness."

German Reformed church, Craig place and Duer street, Rev. George Hauser, pastor. The pastor will preach in English at the morning service tomorrow for the benefit of the young people of his congregation. All are invited.

Evona Chapel, West Third street, near Clinton avenue, Robert Love, superintendent—Miss Mabel Chance will conduct the service tomorrow evening; Bible study evening at 3 o'clock; Junior Christian Endeavor Society Thursday afternoon at 3:30; mid-week prayer service, Thursday evening.

Trinity Reformed Church, West Second street, near Park avenue, Rev. John Y. Brook, pastor. Morning subject, "Thy Will Be Done;" Bible school and St. Paul's Brotherhood at 2:30; Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 6:45, with Alfred Willett leader; evening subject, "A Mid-night Doubter and a Trailer."

Grace Episcopal church, East Seventh and Sycamore streets, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector—Services: 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 10:30 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 4:30 p. m., evensong; 8 p. m., Popular preaching service. The Rev. Henry Teller Cocke at 10:30 p. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, East Seventh street and Crescent avenue; Rev. John S. Zelie, pastor: Morning worship and preaching at 10:30. Sunday school with Men's Bible class at 12:30. Organ recital at 4:45, at which Mr. Davis will play selections from old Italian masters. The pastor preaches on "Christ's Conversation in the Home of Simon the Pharasee."

Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, West Fourth street, near Plainfield avenue, Rev. J. W. P. Collier, pastor—Morning subject, at 11 o'clock, "The Raising of the Shunamite's son;" men's Bible class meets at 12:15; Sunday school at 3 o'clock; Allen C. E. League at 6:45; sermon subject, 8 o'clock, "A Very Happy Life" (Longfellow's "The Village Blacksmith").

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Babcock building, 240 West Front street—Services: Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; Wednesday evening meetings which include testimonies of Christian Science healing, at 8 o'clock; Sunday school for pupils under the age of twenty. Sunday morning at 10:45, reading room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays; subject of lesson-sermon, "Substance." Golden text, Proverbs 12: 27, 28.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Park avenue and East Ninth street, Rev. Birney S. Hudson, pastor: "The Cross will be the theme of the pastor's sermons for the remaining weeks before Easter. "The Cross A Necessity" will be the subject for tomorrow morning. Evening subject, "Faith, a Condition of Conduct," with the ordinance of baptism at the close of the service. During the course of the coming week, a series of cottage prayer services will be held in various parts of the city.

Christian Science Society in Plainfield, 128 East Seventh street, between Park and Watchung avenues. Services: Sunday, 11 a. m., subject of the lesson-sermon, "Substance." Golden text, Proverbs 12: 27, 28, "The substance of a diligent man is precious. In the way of righteousness is life." Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m., meeting, including testimonies of healing. The reading room is open each weekday from 2 to 5 p. m. and is free to all.

Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church corner Fairview and Watchung avenues, the Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—Sunday School, 9 a. m., also Berean Bible class under the leadership of E. E. Parvin. The pastor will exchange pulpits in the morning with the Rev. E. E. Brown of the Presbyterian church of Dunellen, but will occupy the pulpit in the evening at 7:15. The regular mid-week prayer meeting will be held as usual Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Hope Chapel, West Fourth, head of John street, Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor: Evangelistic preaching at 10:45 and 7:45. At the latter service, the pastor preaches a companion sermon to the one delivered last Sunday evening, subject, "Making the Most of Life." The Biederwolf hymn books are used at the evening services. Sunday school, with organized Bible classes at 2 o'clock. Song service for men at 2:30. Christian Endeavor service at 7 o'clock. Mid-week prayer service with song service, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Junior congregation at 10 o'clock.

GREEN DECORATIONS AT THIS PARTY

A large party of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Thompson, of Belmont avenue, Thursday night. The decorations were pink and green. A large cake adorned the centre of the table which was decorated in green with a large harp in the centre. The favors were green shamrocks.

The evening was enjoyably spent with music, dancing, solos and card playing. Several popular songs were rendered by Mr. McIvens and Lawrence Barrett, accompanied by Miss Bessie Carson at the piano. There were beautiful prizes given to the card players. Guests were present from Brooklyn, Madison, Roselle and this city.

DIME SOCIAL AT MRS. HENRY DE MOTT'S

The Earnest Workers' Bible class of the Grace M. E. church, held a social Thursday night at the residence of Mrs. Henry DeMott, Somerset street. About forty were present to enjoy the evening's program, games being the chief diversion. Refreshments were served at the close.

The class is to hold a rummage sale on Thursday and Friday of next week in the vacant store corner of West Front street and Madison avenue.

Resolutions Respecting the Death of Mr. Stebbins

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Plainfield Savings Bank of Plainfield, N. J., held on Wednesday, the 14th day of March, 1917, at 5 p. m., the following resolutions were adopted respecting the death of our late Vice-President, Mr. Albert C. Stebbins:

We do hereby record our appreciation of his faithful and efficient services rendered to this bank, as one of its board of managers, and vice-president, since being called to assume the duties of said offices, and the high esteem felt for him by all with whom he came in contact.

That we hereby bear testimony to his efficient and upright services in all the positions of trust and responsibility in which he has been called upon to serve.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to his bereaved relatives and friends our sympathy in the great loss which they are called upon to bear.

That a copy of these resolutions be delivered to the relatives and friends of the deceased and recorded in full in the minutes of the meeting.

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EXTRA MEETING OF BELGIAN RELIEF

On account of recent international events it is necessary to call an extra meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society, to decide some matters of importance. This meeting will be held at 996 Hillside avenue, Tuesday morning, March 20, at 10:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

PERSONAL

George Haurand, of Somerset street, has been confined to his home for the past two weeks suffering with stomach trouble. His condition is slightly improved this week.

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BARBER—At Dunellen, N. J., March 15th, 1917, Mary Ann Barber, beloved wife of William E. Barber.

Funeral will be held from her late home, Fairview avenue, Dunellen, N. J., on Monday, March 19th, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. John's Church, where mass will be offered at 9:30 a. m. Interment St. Mary's. 3-16-2t

KIRCHNER—At Dunellen, N. J., March 16, 1917, Henry Kirchner, in his 64th year.

Funeral services will be held from his late home, corner Front street and Lincoln avenue, Dunellen, N. J., on Tuesday, March 20th, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Bound Brook.

AYERS—In New York City, on Wednesday, March 14, 1917, Kizziah C., daughter of the late James C. and Hannah A. Ayers.

Services private at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William J. Tallamy, 118 East Sixth street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-15-2t

VAIL—At his residence, 437 East Fifth street, on Seventh day, 3rd month, 17, 1917, Adelbert Vail, in his 83d year.

Services at the Friends Meeting House on Third day, 3d month, 20, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in the Friends Cemetery. 3-17-2t

SMITH—On Friday, March 16th, 1917, Marion Marshall Smith, beloved wife of Charles V. Smith.

Funeral from her late residence, Greenbrook road and Maple avenue, Monday, March 19th, at two o'clock. Interment at Springfield, N. J.

NOTICE

To all members of Lydia Chapter, No. 41, Order of Eastern Star: An emergent session is hereby called for Monday, March 19, 1917, at 1:15 p. m., at Masonic Hall for the purpose of attending in a body, the funeral of our late sister, Mrs. Marion E. Smith. By order of Carrie M. Jackson, Worthy Matron. Conveyances will be furnished.

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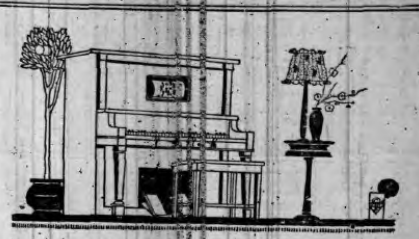

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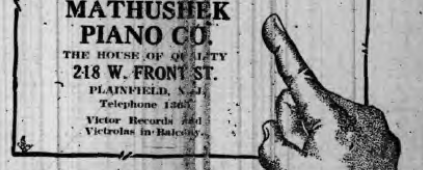

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LECTURE ON NATIONAL CAPITOL PLEASES MANY

With the church auditorium crowded to capacity, Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor of Hope Chapel last evening, delivered a stereopticon lecture on "Washington, the National Capital. Some hundred or more slides were used during the course of the address.

The lecturer, in caring for his subject, went into considerable detail during portions of his address, as well as into the early history and into the planning and laying out of the ground for the establishment of the city. In showing views of the Senate Chamber, Dr. Skellenger took the occasion to refer to the unpatriotic action of twelve of the Senators recently in failing to support President Wilson.

MUST REGARD TRAFFIC RULES IN BOROUGH

The borough authorities are making unusual effort to have the ordinance regarding street traffic observed to the letter. Hereafter, any owners of vehicles found blocking the crosswalks or street junctions, drivers of milk and ice wagons, etc., who allow their horses to roam along the streets without any attention will be dealt with according to law. There have been so many complaints regarding driverless vehicles in the borough streets, that Chief Marshal Weiss has instructed his marshals to make arrests wherever the traffic rules are violated.

DR. SAUNDERS CHAIRMAN OF U. S. NAVAL BOARD

Dr. William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, has been elected chairman of the Naval Consulting Board, following the selection of Thomas A. Edison as president for life. The rearrangement of the officers was made so as to allow Mr. Edison his full time to matters of vital importance to the Government. He now works from fourteen to eighteen hours every day on problems pertaining to warfare and methods of defense.

FORMER LOCAL TEACHER MARRIED IN CONNECTICUT

Miss Sarah Watrous, formerly a teacher in the Washington school, this city, was married today at her home in Middlefield, Conn., to Howard Pomeroy, of Lockport, N. Y. After a wedding trip the couple will make their home in Lockport, where Mr. Pomeroy is engaged in the propagation of English walnuts. The industry was established by his grandfather, who discovered that English walnuts could be grown in New York State successfully, and who set out a grove of walnut trees.

BIRTHDAY OF CLARA MORRIS

Today is the birthday of Clara Morris, the American actress, who was born March 18, 1849. She was married to Frederick C. Harriot, but retained her maiden name on the stage.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 17.

French repelled five German attacks at Vaux, near Verdun.

The state department at Washington made public a note from Germany quoting alleged secret orders to armed British merchant ships that pursuing submarines should be fired upon even though a definite hostile act may not have been committed.

A member of the French senate asserted that 500,000 French children had been rendered fatherless by the war.

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 1917.

CHANGE IN RUSSIA

The abdication of Czar Nicholas of Russia and the resignation of his youngest brother, Michael Alexandrovitch, as heir apparent, seems likely to clear the atmosphere and to be the beginning of a regime in Russia for which the people of that country have long hoped. It is a sign of the crumbling of effete monarchies, the same that sent the pioneers to America and which have sent hundreds of thousands of their subjects to the new world, where they could breathe the air of free men. Those who could not get away from despotism and were obliged to eke out their scanty existences under the shadow of a cruel sceptre, have become Nihilists, anarchists and other kinds of rebuke to the iron rule of monarchy, but like the worm, they have now turned. It was one of the effects of the war and the result of a pro-German tinge in the royal family. Whether the new administration will be more like that the people want remains to be seen. If it submits, as the Czar did, to the domination of the powers behind the throne little can be expected of the change. If Nicholas had any backbone he was cowed by his advisers and he was never allowed to know anything about the conditions of the country over which he was ruler. The only aim of the royal family has been to enjoy all the luxuries that the world and their imagination could produce, while the 150,000,000 subjects have grovelled in the earth literally as well as figuratively. Nicholas, the Kaiser and King George are cousins, the grandsons of the good Queen Victoria, but their respective countries show at a glance the difference in the kind of rule upon the people. King George has no power, or but little, that is not delegated to him by Parliament. The other two are absolute autocrats, although Nicholas has been only the mouthpiece for grafters behind the throne, which was the worst kind of autocracy. There is no other country in the world in which education leads to conspiracy against the government as it does in Russia as evidence the Nihilists, and there must be a good reason for that fact. The reason exists in the autocracy which holds out the terrors of starvation to its people in a land of plenty while the court rolls in luxury and threatens the horrors of Siberia to those who protest and who merely seek their rights as human beings.

ABOUT THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

That appointment of Isaiah L. McVoy by the Board of Health as plumbing inspector to succeed William Addis seems to have stirred up a good deal of talk about town without full consideration of all the facts. One fact which critics of the action of the Board of Health seem to overlook is that although Mr. Addis was retired on a pension at his own request his successor, Mr. McVoy, will not be eligible for such a pension. The law provides that a veteran of the Civil War who shall have served twenty years in a municipal office shall be entitled to a pension upon retirement. Both men mentioned, are Civil War veterans, but the difference is that Mr. Addis began service in the local municipal office in time to serve twenty years before he has passed the allotted period of usefulness but Mr. McVoy could not serve twenty years in the office before he would have to retire on account of age. The city had had the experience of one practical man for twenty years and now has engaged another who will not be able to serve as many years, but he brings to the position a practical experience, both as a plumber and as a former member of the Board of Health, so he knows the work from both ends.

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DEVELOPMENT OF SOUTH AMERICA

Rev. T. B. Penfield Gives Second Talk in Series at the Y. W. C. A.

Describing the country under Spanish rule, and its process of gaining independence, step by step, Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Englewood, gave the second in his series of four talks on "South America" before an appreciative audience at the Y. W. C. A., yesterday afternoon. In telling how the country finally secured its independence, Mr. Penfield took the opportunity to recall the names of many of the heroes and leaders in the great reform.

The speaker then told of the present day conditions, contrasting the poor peons with the wealthy class, or aristocracy. In his opinion the peons are compelled to do practically all of the hard work, when the aristocracy live a life of perfect ease and luxury, scarce turning their hands to do anything.

Mr. Penfield told of the tremendous possibilities in South America, explaining that the country is just now being opened up. He said that there are now "unusual opportunities for Christian effort and for social uplift which is sorely needed among all classes. He predicted that the next generation would witness greatest development in the world's history in South America, when the unlimited resources would be developed on a scale never before thought of. Next Friday afternoon, Mr. Penfield will take up the educational and industrial phases of the country.

ADOLPHUS LIEBAU VISITS LARGE MUNITION PLANTS

Adolphus Liebau, of this city, has just returned from Sorel, Canada, where he was called by the serious illness of his son, William Liebau, who is employed as a foreman in a munition factory. The latter recovered soon after his father arrived. Mr. Liebau during his stay had an opportunity to visit the munition factories, one of which employs 1,500 girls. Before returning Mr. Liebau visited Montreal and Quebec. His son was formerly employed at the Fond Machine Tool Works in this city.

FRANK KENNY AMONG MISSING SOLDIERS

Frank Kenny, of this city, who has been serving in the British army for nearly three years, has not been heard from in several months and his friends here fear that he may have been killed in battle or seriously wounded.

The last letter from Kenny came soon after he returned to the trenches from a base hospital where he had recovered from a wound. He is 40 years old and when the war began was a reservist. He was then employed by A. W. Pangborn, of the borough.

BORO' FIREMEN ANSWER AN ALARM

A still alarm of fire at 9:10 o'clock, this morning, called the Borough Fire Department to the residence of William H. Olmsted, 78 Chatham street. It proved to be only a slight fire as the bursting of a water back in the range had alarmed the members of the household, and the firemen were called. They returned at 9:20 a. m.

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Part 2.

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Chemical Technology.

Cooper—Practical Cold Storage; the theory, design and construction of building and apparatus for the preservation of perishable products, approved methods of applying refrigeration and the care and handling of eggs, fruit, dairy products, etc.

Hyde—Solvents, oils, gums, waxes, and allied substances.

Lewes—Carbonization of Coal; a scientific review of the formation, composition and destructive distillation of coal for gas, coke and by-products.

Lunge—Coal-tar and Ammonia.

MacDonald—Historical Papers on Modern Explosives, with an introduction by Sir Andrew Noble.

Marlow—Drying Machinery and Practice; a handbook on the theory and practice of drying and desiccating, with classified description of installations, machinery and apparatus, including also a glossary of technical terms and bibliography.

Molinari—Treatise on General and Industrial Chemistry, 2 vols.

Toch—Chemistry and Technology of Paints.

Metallurgy and Assaying.

Borchers—Metallurgy; a brief outline of the modern processes for extracting the more important metals, authorized translation from the German, by W. T. Hall and Carle R. Hayward.

Chatlock—Mechanical Technology; being a treatise on the materials and preparatory processes of the mechanical industries.

Edwards—Physico-chemical properties of Steel.

Gowland—Metallurgy of Non-Ferrous Metals.

Guillaer—Metallic Alloys; their structure and constitution.

Hofman—General Metallurgy.

Law—Alloys and Their Industrial Applications.

Rosenhain—Introduction to the Study of Physical Metallurgy.

Manufactures.

Nystrom—Textiles.

Ritchey—Pattern Making; a practical treatise for the pattern maker on wood-working and wood turning, tools and equipment, construction of simple and compli-cated patterns, modern molding machines and molding practice.

Stecher—Cork; its origin and industrial uses.

Wigley and Stansbie—Art of the Goldsmith and Jeweller; a treatise on the manipulation of gold in the various processes of goldsmith's work, and the manufacture of personal ornaments, etc.

Mechanic Trades.

Richards—Forging of Iron and Steel; a textbook for the use of students in colleges, secondary schools and the shop.

Building Materials.

Burt—Steel Construction; a text and reference book covering the design of steel framework for buildings.

Plumbing.

Gray—Plumbing Design and Installation.

Care of Trees.

Webster—Tree Wounds and Diseases; their prevention and treatment, with a special chapter on fruit trees.

Cinematography.

Talbot—Practical Cinematography and Its Applications.

AMERICAN BOAT OFF FOR "WAR ZONE"

Armed Fore and Aft Steamer is Given Ovation as She Starts on Long Journey

New York, March 17.—Amid the tooting of whistles of countless craft and the cheering of thousands of people who lined either side of the North River, one of the American boats slipped away from her pier in New York about 1 o'clock this afternoon and started on her long journey through the "harred war zone."

This boat, which was armed fore and aft with guns, is the first one to leave New York since the declaration of armed neutrality by President Wilson, and her trip across the Atlantic will be watched with interest by people throughout the United States.

U. S. Navy gunners are in charge of the guns on the steamer, and before sailing they received strict and definite orders from the Navy Department, to which they are responsible. The boat carried an unusually large cargo and a considerable number of passengers. It is known that the gunners will take no chances and the appearance of a submarine will be sufficient cause for prompt action.

SPECIAL PREACHERS AT GRACE P. E. CHURCH

Tomorrow evening the Rev. H. T. Cooke, rector of St. Andrew's Church, Mount Holly, will be the preacher at Grace Episcopal church.

On March 25th the Rt. Rev. C. E. Woodcock, D.D., bishop of Kentucky, will be here. The Bishop will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. He held a mission at Grace Church in February, 1916.

TOMORROW'S SERVICES IN CONGREGATIONAL

The Rev. Howard E. Clarke will preach tomorrow morning in the Congregational church the fourth in the series of Lenten sermons on "The Message of the Cross of Our Day." The sub-topic will be "Do Our Sins Always Find Us Out?" This particular aspect of the Cross will be of special interest to the usual large congregation that attends this church.

In the afternoon at the 4 o'clock Lenten vesper service the special preacher will be the Rev. William W. Coe, of the Congregational church of Westfield. The special soprano soloist will be Miss Cannon, of New York City.

Christian Endeavor service at 7 p. m. Miss Elizabeth Martin will lead.

All those not regularly worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend these services.

SONS OF IRISH FREEDOM

The Sons of Irish Freedom Thursday night in St. Mary's Hall, Liberty street, adopted new by-laws and constitution. An entertainment will be held in the near future.

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FOR EXCHANGE

WANT TO EXCHANGE for Jersey City property, 9-room house, has some improvements and 2-story store property, for small farm around Plainfield; the property is worth $4,500; my equity is $2,500; fine chance for workingman; we are 20 minutes from New York; convenient to any part of New Jersey. Answer to owner, J. R., 42 Ravine avenue, Jersey City Heights. 3-17-2t

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local. W. R. Way. 3-16-7t

TO LET—ROOMS

THREE ROOMS with improvements. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 477-J. 3-15-3t

TO LET—Four rooms, part improvements. Address "A. J.," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

TO LET—Two or three unfurnished rooms with heat and bath. 426 Madison avenue. 3-14-4t

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Leather legging, between Seventh street, Eighth street or Watchung avenue. Reward for return to 214 East Seventh street. 3-16-2t

LOST—Bank book on Somerset street. Payment has been stopped. Return to Plainfield Trust Co.

LOST—Hound dog, medium size, brown, white, black; name Brownie. Return 19 Craig place. 3-15-3t

LOST—Thursday, March 15th, an Airedale terrier answers to the name of Dixie. Last seen on Somerset street around 10 a. m. Reward if returned to Dr. Eaton, Watchung, N. J. 3-17-3t

LOST—Red enamel wrist watch, between Plainfield Seminary and Martine avenue. Reward if returned to 1203 Martine avenue. 3-15-3t

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

BOOKKEEPER—Competent, take full charge, seeks permanent employment. Address "T. W." care Courier-News. 3-13-5t

EXPERIENCED gardener or charge of a small farm; single; best of reference. Address "W. B." care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Young man, farm experience, desires permanent position, caretaker gentleman's estate. Address "M. J. Caretaker," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

EXPERIENCED butler desires place; good reference furnished. Call 639 West Fourth street. 3-14-6t

POSITION WANTED by experienced farmer and gardener. Frederick Gutman, Box 655, Metuchen, N. J. 3-17-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 kinwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED—Second-hand timbers, 2 by 4, short lengths 2 by 6 and 2 by 10. Address 321 East Front street. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Second-hand delivery body to fit Ford touring car. Address "M. & S." care Courier-News. 3-16-2t

WANTED — Second-hand Harley motorcycle, 1915 or 1916, single or twin. Address "Motorcycle," care Courier-News. 3-15-1t

WANTED—12 to 16 Single Comb White Leghorn laying hens, last March or April hatch; state lowest price. "E. P." care Courier-News. 3-16-2t

TWO COOPS and one small wire run for setting hens. Tel. 432.

SITTING HENS—Any number at any time; state variety and price. Save this advertisement for reference. Forsgage Farms, Dunellen. Telephone 1246-J. 3-16-2t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2422. 6-16-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

$1,300 CASH will buy modern borough residence, centrally located; the rent is $360, goes on mortgage; owner leaving; splendid opportunity. Address "Real Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-12-8t

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1324-W evenings. 3-10-1m

FOR SALE—Two choice building lots on East Second street; a big bargain. J. V. E. Vanderhoef at Woodhull & Martin's. 3-16-2t

FOR SALE—Farm 80 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton. Augustus Duryea, Somerville, N. J. 1-31-2taw-26t

FINE BUILDING SITES, Berckley avenue, near Netherwood depot and trolley, high terrace, 75x250 feet; all street improvements, large shade trees; reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-17-s-tf

BEST BUSINESS corner property for sale in East End. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-16-6t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-r

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WANTED—To connect with a live wire with capital to help introduction in this section of a device that is revolutionizing the heating business. "G. W. M.," care Courier-News office. 3-17-3t

MAN with capital will purchase or take interest in prosperous business. Write "A," care Courier-News. 3-17-4t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

METAPHYSICAL treatment, vim culture, reduction of flesh through the aid of power healing; no cards answered; personal letters. Helen Teston, 634 Lenox avenue, Westfield. 3-16-2t

GARDEN FREE—Use my plot, about 50x75, for raising vegetables; allow me room for sale; between Watchung and Westervelt. Address "Vegetables," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

LADY TEACHER of violin and mandolin; special attention given beginners; violin 75c; mandolin, 50c. Address "Violin," care Courier-News.

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 226 Park avenue. 'Phone 840. 3-14-tf

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TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm; two acres tillable; seven rooms; garage. 'Phone 1444-M, Fanwood. 3-15-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 324 West Front street, now occupied by Grand Union Tea Co; also second floor. Lamar Van Syckel. 3-16-2t

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-23-tf

USED CARS FOR SALE—Ford touring, model T, $200; Marathon touring, 1912, $225; Chalmers 36, 1913, $350; Chevrolet Baby Grand, 1916; Abbott-Detroit touring, 1914, $525; Studebaker Six touring, 1916, $550; Oldsmobile 8, demonstrator, 1916; Cole 8, demonstrator, $1,250. All in first-class condition and guaranteed as represented. The A. & S. Motors Company, 337 West Front street at Central avenue. 3-15-4t

DODGE BROS. touring car for sale; A-1 condition. G. Eberle, telephone 1440-R, Fanwood. 3-15-3t

FOR SALE—Ford touring body, curtains and top, $5; also horse and delivery wagon. Apply to T. O. Hahn, 26 Prospect street, Westfield. 3-16-2t

FOR SALE—1916 Buick roadster, 1914 twin cylinder Indian motorcycle, 2 Regent sweet, North Plainfield, N. J. 3-15-3t

CADILLAC 5-passenger, 1916; five-passenger Maxwell; 1916 Buick, 5-passenger; 1916 5-passenger Buick; Metz roadster. M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street.

FOR SALE—1916 Ford touring, slightly used, $250. Tel. 2534-J. 3-17-3t

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 916 South avenue.

FORD top delivery car, good paint, fancy way in first-class condition, suitable for grocer, butcher or delivery purposes. We took car for debt, for horse bied, storage, etc., near Plainfield garage business. We don't use cars in our business or we would keep this one; price $250.00, or would consider trade for horse that would suit livery. Elizabeth Co. 60 Jefferson avenue, Elizabeth, N. J., near Proctor's Theatre. Tel. 653.

$225.00 BEST OFFER buys my Ford touring car, cowl dash, rims like new, engine, etc., in first-class condition, demountable rims, tire first-class, one extra tire; as new owner is willing for expert examination. Write 122 Claiborne street, Elizabeth. Tel. 1428-W.

FORD runabout and extra touring body, cowl dash, car always had paint and top; part or whole time business or pleasure you can take my word for it, the motor and mechanical parts, the main things in the car, also the paint as good as the day they left Ford's factory, tires and tubes almost new. If you don't understand car bring some one that does; price $225, including extra touring body. H. Metz, residence 242 Union street, Elizabeth, near depot. Tel. 1661-M.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 498 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

CONTRALTO, experienced, would like position as soloist in church choir. "Contralto," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

WOMAN desires day's work, laundry work or cleaning. Address Box 22, care Courier-News. 3-16-2t

POSITION as companion, home or traveling, or in any capacity where an educational, cultured woman could be of service. Address Box 522, Dunellen. 3-17-2t

COLORED WOMAN wants position as cook and willing to do other work. Maggie Barber, 'phone 2504-W. 3-17-2t

CHAUFFEUR wants position, private or commercial; reference. Address "D," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2688-W. 3-3-1m

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—By man and wife, small house or apartment, with improvements; no children. Address "Home," care Courier-News. 3-12-6t

WANTED—Modern house, 7 or 8 light rooms, new preferred; convenient location. Address, giving particulars to "L. C. G.," care Courier-News. 3-14-4t

WANTED—Two clean medium unfurnished rooms, convenient to town; North Plainfield preferred. Address "Box 7," care Courier-News.

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four-room apartment, with bath, in or about Netherwood section; kindly state details. Address "A. M." care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

WANTED—Four or five-room flat with use of yard and porch, or small house. Netherwood or Plainfield. Address "Reader," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. P. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-22-tf

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18 $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Samuels Clothing Store, 23 Somerset street, Plainfield. 3-15-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—Man during the summer for garden work by the day. Apply evenings, 650 West Seventh street. 3-14-tf

WANTED—Ice cream and candy maker to take charge of shop. Tel. 1159. 3-15-tf

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln Highway. 3-13-6t-tf

SELL PERRY trees and plants. Write for contract. Perry Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. Established 1895. 2-3-s-17t

WANTED—Man to work on small farm near Plainfield; references. Address "M. W.," care Courier-News. 3-16-2t

COLORED MAN wanted to work in drug store. Dudley S. Miller Co., corner Park avenue and Fourth street.

WANTED—At once, first-class automobile mechanic; must have satisfactory reference; steady work and good wages; appointment by telephone. 755 Elizabeth, Elizabeth Automobile Co. 3-17-2t

WANTED—Machinists' and tool makers. We have made additions to our plant. Highest wages, good opportunities; lasting positions; no munitions; preference given to non-union men. Write for application blanks or apply De Laval Steam Turbine Company, Trenton, New Jersey. 3-13-s-m-tf

MEN—Ammunition plant, $2.80 for 7½ hours work; boarding accommodations; no strike. 106 Halsey street, Newark. 3-16-3t

WANTED—On place in country near Plainfield, a single colored man who understands care of horses, cow, etc.; a good place for a good man. "I. K. L.," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

MACHINISTS WANTED—Familiar with heavy engine work. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

FIRST-CLASS pattern makers. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

WANTED—Watchman or helper in shop. Address "A. B. B." Courier-News. 3-17-2t

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell lubricating oil, grease, specialties and paint; part or whole time; commission basis until ability established; permanent position and field when qualified if desired; with rig preferred. Reserve Refining Company, Cleveland, O. 3-16-tf

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints; salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

FIRST-CLASS OPENING for a salesman of character, industry and address to become associated with a constantly expanding high grade business where results count in cashing generous returns—a Massachusetts corporation with a million dollars paid-in capital. Negotiations confidential. Write F. C. S. 810 Broad street, Newark.

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 3-13-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

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AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2386-M. 6-6-tf

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Boyce, Netherwood. 3-12-3m

AT NORFOLK, Conn., house and stable, will rent for summer. E. V. Cox, 150 East Seventh street. 3-17-2t

TO LET—Centrally located, 5-room house; bargain. C. B. Crane, 315 Watchung avenue.

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements; large lot, in finest location; a few hundred dollars down, balance on your own terms. "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

FOR RENT—Modern nine-room house with garage; centrally located. Inquire E. & W. Schloss. 3-13-tf

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 6-room house all latest improvements, hot water heat, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-16-tf

HOUSE TO LET, 211 Lee place. J. Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 3-13-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 14 Willever street; 6-room house, 207 Manson place; 6-room apartment, latest improvements, 636 West Front street. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-tf

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in the large auditorium over J. W. Gaventa's china store, 318 West Front street, being used as temporary auction rooms by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for displaying goods. The above mentioned sale will comprise several van loads of fine household goods and part storage and must be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 22, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, one 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany davenport, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three iron bed steads, three couches, several enameled white iron beds, one mahogany bed, five bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, almost new; oak chiffoniers, two almost new pianolas, attachments, a number of rolls of music, one onyx clock, one marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, sizes 9x12, 8x10 and 1x2; two cabinet organs, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, ice brick-a-brac, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon to all purchasers. Robert Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-tf

GLADIOLUS BULBS for sale; good, clean young stock; finest varieties, Mrs. Pendleton, Grace Henry, Margaret, Schwaben, Glory, Princeps, War-Posce, many others; also Cannas, Dahlias, Aster plants, Pansy plants, Vegetable plants, and Cal. Privet. Price list free. F. C. Godown, Flemington, N. J. 2-17-6t-s

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Doren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 3-13-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching, 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped; good location; cheap for cash. 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-22-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Furmann, 625 South Second street. 1-25-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 12-15-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2525-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—$500 solid mahogany ten-piece dining room set, reasonable. Tel. 824-W, Westfield. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Halsway road. 2-2-1m

S. C. R. I. REDS—Cockerels from pen averaging 207 eggs; sire son of 251 hen Missouri contest, 1914; price $5. Richard Thomas, Gallagher's Corner, Dunellen. 3-13-5t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-1-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

PARTY will store fine upright or player piano with privilege of purchasing if satisfactory at sacrifice for cash or terms. Address "Reference," care Courier-News. 3-15-3t

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; prices reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

R. C. R. I. Red eggs, 75c per 15; setting hens, $2.00 each; cockerels and pullets. 322 Walnut street, Dunellen. N. J. 3-12,15,19,22,26,29; 4-2,5,9,12,16,19

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-tang door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 486-J. 3-16-1m

FOR SALE—Extracted honey; not an expensive luxury, but a fine economical food; 5-lb. pail, 85c; 10-lb. pail, $1.60. John L. Jarvis, New Market, N. J. 2-23,24; 3-10,17,24,31

FOR SALE—Mahogany Aeolian piano player, together with about 125 rolls of high class music, all for $75.00. 222 West Union avenue, Bound Brook. 3-16-2t

THOROUGHBRED Barred Rock breeding cockerels, $2.50 each; satisfaction guaranteed. L. Jarvis, Greenbrook road, corner Jefferson avenue, after Rock. 3-16-2t

FOR SALE—Three silent salesman show cases. Dudley S. Miller Co., 401 Park avenue. 3-16-3t

FOR SALE—Bed room furniture, also odd pieces, cheap. Call 27 Craig place. 3-16-2t

CYPHERS incubator, 110 eggs, fine condition; price $9.00. Mrs. Hinds, 1109 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 746-W. 3-17-2t

FOR SALE—Horse and wagon, coffee mill, Hobert electric cash register and safe, all in good condition. "Grocer," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

FOR SALE—Acorn gas range, in best condition; also Turkish couch, cheap. 716 Carlton avenue.

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1404 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—White baby carriage, cheap, in first-class condition. Apply 1186 West Fourth street. 3-17-2t

FOR SALE—Fine Guernsey cow, just fresh with calf. Box 264, Dunellen, N. J. 3-17-3t

JERSEY COWS and calves, also Berkshire pigs for sale. Apply Thomas Whalen, Supt. Geo. P. Mellick's Farm, Woodland avenue, adjoining Country Club. 3-17-2t

GROCER'S REFRIGERATOR for sale; very cheap. Sharkey, Richmond street, grocer. 3-12-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

LARGE lot of poultry for sale, several breeds, prices low; table eggs 40c dozen. Orchard "Old Trusty" incubators for sale. Apeonas and Silver Campines. Marshall 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-17-4t

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, 1261 East Front street. 3-17-tf

CHEAP HORSE for sale, wagon and harness; also 24 chickens. Call 254 Duer street, North Plainfield.

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

HELP WANTED—Male or Female

WANTED—Men and women to qualify for Government positions. Several thousand appointments to be made next few months. Full information about openings, how to prepare, etc., free. Write immediately for booklet CG 979, Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 3-3-17-2t

HELP WANTED, white or colored. 119 North avenue.

WANTED—Girl or boy to assist in kitchen. 423 Park avenue. 3-15-3t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Motor autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also bicycles bicycle parts, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad st., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE—Second-hand motorcycle, slightly used at Leo Zeisel's. 3-14-4t

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

A PRIVATE FAMILY would accommodate two young men with room and board. Address W. J. B., care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for rooms and table board. In best location. Mrs. Bertrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-19-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 232 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO communicating rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 124 Crescent avenue. 2-19-1m

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

FIFTEEN-ROOM HOUSE; eight bed rooms, improvements; seven acres, beautiful location; barn. Address "Mountain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

BARGAIN — Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell on easy terms. For particulars write National Land & Building Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-12-6t

FOR SALE—Two new 6 and 7-room houses, very desirable; well designed and built homes, all improvements, restricted section, right Arden soil; six minutes' walk from station; high quality and low price. P. O. Box 482, Dunellen, N. J. 3-12-2t

FOR SALE—Two-family house; rent $42.00; price $4,000; easy payment. U. B. Crane, 315 Watchung avenue.

FOR SALE on easy terms, 8 new house, all improvements, $3,000; 1 new house, all improvements, $3,200; several choice lots, $450 each. Apply J. P. Fenner, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-17-1m

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements, near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1128 West Fourth street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-tf

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE—$200 cash and $15 monthly buys all-year home on large plot; improvements, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Builder 100," care Courier-News. 3-17-6t-s

FOR SALE—Five-room house and lot, only $500 required. 250 Grove street. 3-16-2t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; 5-10 minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-1-1t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grand avenue station, ten rooms, three bathe, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 7-1-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. D. 12-7-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. Apply per janitor information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-20-tf

SIX NICE ROOMS, fine neighborhood, with improvements, $21.00. A. B. Sittes, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-13-tf

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, first floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-15,16,17,22,23,24

THREE-ROOM apartment, in refined neighborhood, hot and cold water, gas and bath. Apply 413 Spooner avenue. 3-15-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-1m

TO LET—Six-room apartment; all improvements. Apply 312 Grant avenue.

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sayre's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. A 1-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 1f-r

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property; Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

MORTGAGES WANTED on 5 per cent. basis; property must show value of fifty per cent. above loan. Somerville Dime Savings Bank, Somerville, N. J. 2-24; 3-10-17

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-r

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-24-tf

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 220 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

GIRL to work on Singer machine; steady all year; week work. Steifman, 318 West Front street, Plainfield, top floor. 3-8-9t

WANTED—A sewing woman as lady's maid; personal references required. Tel. 2065. 3-13-tf

WANTED—Maid for housework; also girl to look after children. 615 East Second street. 3-14-4t

WANTED—Immediately, a good white cook (no laundry) at 107 Crescent avenue; reference required. 3-15-3t

WANTED—Good reliable nurse to care for small child. 325 Franklin place. 3-15-3t

WANTED—At once girl for cooking, down stairs work and to help with ironing. 672 West Seventh St. Tel. 279-W. 3-15-3t

WANTED — Young gentlewoman for four hours each afternoon to care for little boy of three. Call Saturday evening, E. V. Cox, 150 East Seventh street.

WANTED — Refined intelligent white girl for chamber work and care of child; personal references required; experience not necessary. 'Phone 349. 3-17-3t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Linko, 220 West Second street. 3-16-tf

WANTED—Maid for general housework in small family; must have references. Apply 747 Dixie Lane. 3-16-2t

WANTED—Experienced maid for cooking and laundry; small family; wages $25.00. 946 West Seventh street. 3-17-3t

WANTED — Experienced woman for general housework; small family; white preferred; wages $40; Telephone 532-W, 1004 East Seventh street. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Capable nurse and chambermaid with good references. Ailing, 1017 East Seventh street. 3-17-3t

WANTED—Cook, also waitress; good references required. Call 46 Myrtle avenue. 3-16-2t

LAUNDRY woman wanted at once. Apply to Laundry Foreman, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-16-2t

POLISH WOMAN wants day's work, is good laundress and general houseworker, 823 South Second street. 3-16-2t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work, only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 497, Babcock Building. 3-13-7t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-16-3t

TWO furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 321 East Fifth St. 3-16-2t

TWO large furnished rooms for housekeeping; all improvements. 340 West Sixth street. 3-17-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, single and double. 110 East Fifth street. 'Phone 2661. 3-16-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room, use of block from town, reasonable. Address "C. O.," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 632-W. 3-17-tf

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "Y," care Courier-News, or 'phone 285-R. 3-16-6t

PLEASANT furnished rooms to let, 219 East Fifth street. 3-16-6t

FURNISHED ROOM to let. 433 East Seventh street. Tel. 290-W. 3-17-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

TO LET—FLATS

SIX-ROOM FLAT, next to M. E. church, light rooms, rent $20.00. N. J. Piano Co., 311 West Front street. 3-16-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

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DON'T FORGET

NEWARK NIGHT

TUESDAY, MARCH 20TH

Rehearsal for "Land of Mystery" Tuesday Evening, March 20.

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 P. M. Until Further Notice.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular columns.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

THREE GET OFF WITH PROBATION

Sentence was suspended in the case of Thomas Winsor, Jr., James Rooney and Eugene Titus, of this borough, by Judge Daniel H. Beekman in the Court of Common Pleas yesterday. The three young men were implicated in the theft of linotype metal, the property of the Unionist-Gazette Association. Winsor and Rooney pleaded guilty to the theft of the metal and Titus, who is a negro, admitted that he had received the stolen goods from the young men.

In suspending sentence in the case of Winsor, the court declared that it had procured a position for him and that freedom was given him only in consideration of his promise to abstain from intoxicating liquors, to take care of his wife, and to stay at home nights. Rooney and Titus also promised to end their relationship with Demon Rum.

Each is to pay twenty-five cents weekly to Probation Officer Osbourn for two years, the period of their probation.

Local Eagles Attend Funeral

A delegation representing Raritan Valley Aerie, No. 2613, Fraternal Order of Eagles, attended the funeral of Michael Dakodish held from the home of his parents in Passaic yesterday. Mr. Dakodish was a member of the local order. He had been employed at the Cot-A-Lap Co. as machinist for nearly two years and had made numerous acquaintances during his residence here. About a month ago he was taken ill. At first he was removed to the Somerset Hospital and then to the Bonzie Burn Sanatorium. From there he was taken to his home. Death came on Tuesday.

Will Attend Conference

County Superintendent of Schools Krebs and nearly all of the supervising principals of the county will attend the conference to be held in New Brunswick on Thursday and Friday of next week. Among those from this county who are to speak are: Miss Laura M. Sydenham, of North Plainfield, who is the helping-teacher of the county, and whose subject will be "Developing the Initiative in Teachers," and Rev. John Mitchell Harper, president of the Board of Education of Peapack, on "The Policies of the Board of Education."

Many Enjoy High School Treat

Dancing and music formed the program of entertainment in the auditorium of the high school last night, the event being given under the auspices of the Athletic Association of the school. The musical numbers, both vocal and instrumental, were of an unusual character and were appreciated by the many in attendance. Among the artists were Misses Helen Disbrough, Helen Cowan, Dorothy Flynn and Theresa Rosania, and Carl Oberbrunner.

Deputized Railroad Men

Sheriff Ellsworth Broksw has deputized eighteen members of the Lehigh Valley R. R. Co. police force with powers to make arrests for any violations committed on the railroad property in this county. This is being done in every county, as a measure of protection to the property and also the passengers.

Excise License Transferred

The hotel liquor license of Charles Mangine was transferred to Joseph Romano by Judge Daniel H. Beekman yesterday. The license is for the Commercial Hotel, opposite the Central Railroad station.

WATCHUNG

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Plainfield Township Improvement Society held one of its pleasant winter dances on St. Patrick's eve, in the Improvement Hall. The hall was prettily decorated in the color scheme of the good old Saint and Uncle Sam. A large crowd enjoyed the dancing and at eleven o'clock refreshments were served. Venable Bros. of Plainfield, furnished the music. Dancing was enjoyed till 1 o'clock and the Plainfield Transit Co., furnished transportation.

Rev. Frank Pearson Anderson, of Greenville, S. C., and a graduate student of Princeton Theological Seminary, will preach Sunday evening at the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union Church. The pastor, Rev. Melvine Ramsey will preach at the morning service, and will have charge of both services. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Mountain and Plain in the life of Jesus." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Benjamin Bernerker, who for the past number of years has been the able manager of Sunbright Farms, has resigned and taken a position on Long Acre Farm, on the estates of Arthur H. Hoffheimer of Warrenville.

The Ladies' Aid of the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union Church will hold a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Chapel. A cordial invitation is extended to all the ladies to be present.

Miss Helen L. Schmidt and Miss Ruth Wilkins, of Trenton State Normal Schools, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schmidt, of Sterling Boulevard.

Mrs. Charles A. Eaton, of Valley road, who has been visiting in Toronto, Canada, has returned.

Mr. Stengle, of South Sterling, has sold his handsome bungalow to New York parties.

Richard Fell, of Brooklyn, has been visiting friends here.

BOUND BROOK

Sent to Reformatory

Victor Meyer, the nineteen-year-old youth who pleaded guilty last week to the theft of $1.75 from the bootblack stand of Tony Tarantino at the C. R. R. station, was yesterday sentenced to the Rahway Reformatory. In passing sentence Judge Beekman at Somerville took into consideration the lad's former character.

To Meet Camp Leader

A meeting for young men and boys will be held in the chapel of the Congregational church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock under the auspices of the County Y. M. C. A. Reding Gebhardt, of Clinton, who is a student at New York Law School and a graduate of Lafayette College, will make the afternoon's address.

Funeral of Mrs. Fischer

The funeral of Mrs. Elsie Fischer, who died Thursday, will be held this afternoon. Interment will be in the Bound Brook cemetery and services will be conducted by Rev. J. N. C. Mohrman. Besides her husband she leaves a daughter four years old.

Mrs. Jennie Smith, of Millstone, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Allison C. Hall, South Bound Brook.

The Entre Nous Club held its second dance of the season at the Middlebrook Country Club last night.

Mrs. Sylvanus Ayres will entertain the members of the Bound Brook Welfare Society Tuesday evening.

Division No. 1, A. O. H., will hold a dance in Voorhees Hall tonight in celebration of St. Patrick's Day.

NORTH BRANCH

To Hold School Meeting

The school meeting of Branchburg Township for the election of three members to the Board of Education will be held in the new public school building at Neshanic Station Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. At the same time a budget of $3,320 for current expenses will be voted on, the sum of $2,220 for general expense and $500 for repair to school houses. It will also be voted whether or not to pay the township note and interest amounting to $3,280.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Presbyterian Church at Pluckemin, will hold a St. Patrick's speciable this evening in the chapel. Mrs. M. E. Ackerman is chairman of the committee in charge.

No preaching service will be held in the Reformed Church here tomorrow. The pastor, Rev. Louis F. Sauerbrunn, is taking a three weeks' vacation, which he is spending in Brooklyn.

The Crescent Mission Band will be entertained this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John Jensen.

Lewis Ten Eyck, of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ten Eyck, near here.

ANNANDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Dailey, after having spent the winter in Raritan, have returned to their home in Annandale.

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WESTFIELD

SCHOOL ALUMNI ENJOY DANCE

The members of the Westfield High School Alumni Association held an enjoyable dance in the auditorium of the Washington school last night which was attended by about fifty couples from Cranford, Plainfield and this town. The auditorium was prettily decorated, the electric lights being covered with green crepe paper and paper butterflies were strung across it.

The music for the dancing was furnished by Van Eps Bros., of Plainfield, and the refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. G. E. Ludlow. The committee in charge of the dance was composed of Miss Natalie Meyer, Miss Mildred Martin, Miss Katheryn Dietz and Miss Emma Peirce.

At the request of the Board of Education the Westfield High School Alumni Association has arranged to give a musical entertainment in the High School auditorium next Saturday night. This will be the last entertainment under the direction of the Board of Education for this season and in the present course and promises to be a fitting climax.

The committee of the Alumni, composed of Miss Gladys Meyer, Miss Natalie Meyer and Edward W. Wittke, has arranged an excellent program of music which will be presented by the following: Mrs. A. B. Rowland, Miss Helen Oswald and R. G. Harry will sing, Harold Welch will play the violin; Mrs. Harold Welch will read and Miss Rundspaden will give piano selections.

Funeral of Miss Troy

A high mass of requiem was held at eight o'clock this morning in Holy Trinity church for the repose of the soul of Miss Annie Troy, who died in the Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield yesterday morning and the funeral was held from the home of Mrs. W. W. Moffett, corner of Westfield avenue, and South avenue, this afternoon and was private. The interment was made in St. Mary's Cemetery, Plainfield.

Miss Troy was a friend of Mrs. Moffett and came here to visit her in January. She was taken sick and was removed to the hospital where she died. She was 28 years old and leaves one sister, Miss Delia Troy, of Jersey City.

The Boys' League of the First Methodist church is arranging for a get-together meeting and social in the chapel of the church next Friday night. The committee has promised the members two hours of solid fun, music, games and stories. Mrs. S. J. Herben will have something interesting to tell; Harold Welch will be there with his violin and there will be other things which will not be mentioned until the big night.

The March meeting of the Men's Club of St. Paul's church will be held in the parish house next Wednesday night. The Spring Tournament on Hand Tennis Doubles and the Checker Tournament will commence after the business session and later in the evening refreshments will be served.

The Board of Health under the direction of Inspector Carney will begin an inspection of the back yards of the town on Monday and those yards where garbage and refuse are found will be recorded and the owners will be notified to clean them on penalty of prosecution.

Miss Louise Stauffer, of Elmer street, is entertaining over the week-end, Miss Lulu Snyder, William Snyder, Miss Mary Ritter, Miss Edith Eisenbast and John Eisenbast, of New York.

The members of the high school attended that institution of learning yesterday wearing green and white the class colors and also in honor of St. Patrick.

The monthly meeting of the Westfield Building and Loan Association will be held in its rooms on Elm street next Tuesday night.

Mrs. George Michaels, of Central avenue, has been entertaining Mrs. Zimmer, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. J. Keller, of Bayonne, this week.

W. C. Roettling, of New York, has leased the house at 408 Prospect street and with his family will move there about April 1.

Theodore Woodrop and family have moved from New York to Rahway avenue.

Catherine Hoff and family have leased the house at 715 Summit avenue.

DUNELLEN

Henry Kirchner Died Yesterday

Henry Kirchner, for many years a resident of this borough, passed away yesterday afternoon at his home on Lincoln avenue. The deceased had been ill about two weeks with pneumonia. He was in his 63th year and a native of Germany. Besides his widow, two sons, Frederick and Henry, Jr., survive.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon from his late residence at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. Ernest R. Brown of the First Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a member, officiating. Interment will take place at Bound Brook.

Evangelistic Services at Methodist Church

Rev. P. S. Bascom, who is conducting the union evangelistic services here will hold a "keep sweet" meeting tonight at the Presbyterian church. It will also be known as souvenir night. Each person attending will receive a souvenir.

Beginning tomorrow the services will be held at the First M. E. church. Tomorrow afternoon there will be a special service for men and boys at the Methodist church, Evangelist Bascom speaking on the topic, "The Devil in Kid Gloves." The services will open at 3 o'clock.

The Basso-clor Club, of which C. T. Wahl, Jr., of this place, is the chairman of the committee in charge, held its second annual dance of the winter season at Debele's auditorium, North Plainfield, last night. Many of the young folks from this place attended.

The evangelistic services will continue tomorrow, the Rev. P. C. Bascom preaching on special topics. In the evening the union services will be held at the First M. E. church.

Those interested in forming a stock company and taking over the Dunellen Call, a local paper, will meet this evening at eight o'clock at the office of that establishment.

The report of the condition of Louis Watts, who is now at the White Haven, Pa., sanitarium, is very favorable at the present time.

The commissioners in charge of the assessment of the North avenue storm sewer improvements will meet in the Borough Hall on March 30.

Miss Harriet Gregory, a township school teacher, is now boarding with Mrs. Sarah Smalley on Prospect street, this place.

The matter of employing a visiting nurse for the local schools is now before the Board of Education for its decision.

Mrs. Hannah Force, a professional nurse from Plainfield, is attending Mrs. F. F. Randolph.

Special mass was held this morning at St. John's church in observance of St. Patrick's Day.

Charles Starker of the local bank has been confined to his home this week by illness.

John Maskell has been assisting at Case's vegetable store during the week.

Walter Linbarger, of North Plainfield, was a visitor yesterday.

CALIFON

David W. Apgar, of Califon, returned yesterday from a visit to his daughter, Miss Grace Apgar, at Newark.

Mrs. John H. Davis, of Califon, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Allen, at Amherst, Mass.

Ezra Schuyler will move this month from Vernay to the Cregar farm at Lower Valley.

John W. Schuyler, of Vernay, is at a Morristown hospital receiving treatment.

Mrs. Peter Philhower is ill at her home in Califon.

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Coats of beige lupine, button-trimmed; quarter-lined with silk; with convertible collar $38.00

Belted Coats of tan vicuna, silk-lined throughout; with convertible collar $38.00

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FOR WOMEN AND MISSES

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Black Silk Hose . . per pair $1.10
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Black or White Silk Hose . per pair $1.55
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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

To: MERLE I. ST. JOHN and MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, his wife

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery made in the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Elmer A. Giddes, is complainant and you are defendants; you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of said Complainant on or before the 7th day of May next, or said Bill will be taken as confessed against you. The said Bill is filed to foreclose two mortgages given by Edith May Lee, single, to said Elmer A. Giddes, one of said mortgages being dated July 2, 1912, for $1,000, and the other being dated January 17, 1914, for the sum of $1,000, both covering the same lands in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey; and you, MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the owner of said property, subject to the mortgage of MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the owner of the said MERLE I. ST. JOHN, and you have thereof claim to have some lien upon or interest in the said mortgaged premises.

Dated, March 15th, 1917.

REGINALD HETFIELD,
Solicitor of Complainant
203 Park Avenue
Plainfield, N. J.

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NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS

Somerset County Surrogate's Court

Estate of Robert Clark, Jr., Deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D. 1917, on the application of the undersigned, as administrator C. T. A. of the estate of Robert Clark, Jr., deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate of said County, limiting the creditors of the said Robert Clark, Jr., deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and presenting the same to the subscriber within nine months from the date of said order; and in default thereof such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action thereby against the subscribers.

59 Jackson Ave., Plainfield, N. J.
ROBERT R. CLARK,
EDWARD D. CLARK,
ALBERT C. CLARK,
Administrators with the will annexed.

1—27; 2—3-10-17-24; 3—2-10-17-24

SEALED PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals will be received by the clerk of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders, at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., up to 2:30 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, March 21st, 1917, for the installation of a new window, to be installed in the offices of the County Clerk, at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J.

Plans and specifications may be had at the office of Oakley & Son, Architects, 1259 Clinton Street, Elizabeth, N. J., by depositing a certified check in the amount of Twenty-five (25) Dollars, as security for the return of same.

By order of the Public Ground and Buildings Committee, Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, State of New Jersey.

W. I. McMANUS,
Chairman.

3—14-17

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of Benjamin Deane, deceased, is audited and stated by the Surrogate, and he will make settlement with Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the twentieth day of April next.

Dated, March 16th, 1917.

ARTHUR MUHLER,
Fee $4.20

2—17-24-31

NOTICE

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that from this day forth I will not be responsible for any debts my wife, Mary Day, may contract. (Signed)

MICHAEL DAY,
South Plainfield, N. J.
March 16, 1917. 16-31

Courier-News want ads. bring results.

SUBURBAN NEWS

(Continued from page six)

FANWOOD

Mrs. Ovenshire Dies in Dundee, N. Y.

Mrs. Sophia M. Ovenshire, ninety-two years of age, who was born in Fanwood, died early on Thursday after a brief illness at the home of her son, Dr. James M. Ovenshire, of Dundee, N. Y. She leaves also two other sons, one of whom is Dr. Byron H. Ovenshire, of Bay City, Mich., and one daughter. The interment was made yesterday afternoon in Dundee.

The regular morning church services of All Saints' P. E. Church will be observed tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, when the Rev. R. Verdojola, of St. Mark's Church, of New York, will officiate. At 10 o'clock the Sunday school classes will convene.

The bi-weekly meeting of the Wednesday afternoon Bridge Club has been changed to next Tuesday, when the meeting will be held at the home of Miss Hazel Gardner.

The Rev. James A. Smith, of St. Paul's Church of Westfield, will preach a Lenten sermon next Tuesday evening in All Saint's P. E. Church.

A weekly meeting of the Fanwood Red Cross Association will be held next Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Albert Nichols.

The next meeting of the Fanwood Bowling Club will be held at Westfield, next Friday evening.

SCOTCH PLAINS

There will be two basketball games at the parish house tonight. The senior boys will play the "Travellers" from Plainfield. This will be the last game of the season for the boys. The Senior girls have a game arranged with the "Comrade Club" from Netherwood.

At the Methodist Church tomorrow, the services will be held at the usual hours. Sunday school at 9:30. Morning service at 11 o'clock; Epworth League at 7:15, and evening service at 8 o'clock.

Pastor Hare's subject for the morning service in the Baptist Church tomorrow will be, "What is Spirituality." All services of the day will be held at the regular hours.

At the parish house forum tomorrow afternoon, Chaplain Hare will speak by request on some scriptural aspects of preparedness. The male quartet will lead the singing.

Owing to the death of Pastor Marshall's sister, Mrs. Charles V. Smith, of Plainfield, the services will be in charge of Rev. J. J. Wade.

WHITEHOUSE

Rev. Frederick S. Benson, pastor of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church will have the following for his topics at the services tomorrow: Morning, "We Must Work"; evening, "Our Resplendent Moments."

Mrs. Mary Diefendorf, of Berne, N. Y., is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Charles G. Emple at the parsonage of the Lutheran Church at New Germantown.

Mrs. Catherine Wyckoff, of New Germantown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fremont K. Shafer at Lebanon.

George Henry, of Lebanon, has taken a position as salesman in the Central Garage in Somerville.

Miss Ruth McCathran, of Cokesbury, is the guest of Mrs. Bloomfield Apgar at New Germantown.

Mrs. Simon J. Hageman, of New Germantown, returned today from a visit to Plainfield.

Miss Meta Thompson, of New Germantown, is visiting in Newark and New York.

Miss Marion Mellek, of New Germantown, is visiting in Somerville.

CLINTON

John Merrill, janitor of the Clinton National Bank, is recovering from fracture of a rib and bruises sustained by a fall on slippery steps Wednesday.

Mrs. Leslie W. Burdick, of Gouverneur, N. Y., is on a visit to her sisters, the Misses Caroline and Mary Bolleau on Clinton Heights, Clinton.

Mrs. E. E. Felter and two children, of Cazenovia, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Felter's father, John H. Knox, and other relatives in Clinton.

The Rev. Ira D. Mallory, pastor of the Clinton Baptist church, is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Nina Tewksbury, in New York.

Mrs. Emma Maxwell, of Pattenburg, is caring for her sister, Mrs. Charles Johnson, who is seriously ill at her home in Clinton.

A number of jack rabbits have been liberated in this vicinity by Game Warden John J. Parks, of Whitehouse.

DENIES TROUBLE WITH INTERNED GERMANS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 17.—Denial was made by Secretary of the Navy Daniels today of the reports of trouble between American marines and interned German sailors at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

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OUR new collection of Paris millinery created for the changed silhouette of Spring and Summer will be presented in the Salon Francais, beginning Monday. It is the final word of the Easter vogue.

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Spring Silk Exposition

Opens Monday in the Silk Rotunda and on the Main Aisle—showing all the silks used by French dressmakers from the sackcloth of Worth to maple leaf radium of Callot

Silk Rotunda has the honor to announce complete readiness of foreign and American silk for dressmakers and the public at large. It directs special attention to the newly unpacked importations of French model silks made by Bianchini and other great French weavers, used in the new models of Callot, Cheruit, Jenny, Paquin, Doucet, Georgette, Worth, Beer.

CALLOT uses a radium with large maple leaf in honor of Canada.
CHERUIT uses a chiffon with narrow Persian border.
CALLOT uses a strange new terra cotta color shot with purple in meteore.
JENNY uses a new white and black primitive crepe Georgette.
WORTH uses a sackcloth—made of silk.
PAQUIN uses a crepe Georgette with sombre stripes which looks a bit like miniature ruffles.
CALLOT uses a foulard with double spots of white at wide intervals and also a dotted chiffon with large embroidered roses.
PAQUIN, Callot, Cheruit use enchanting new printed sports bonnets.

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American bird silks for sports wear—showing embroidered borders of birds from North, South, East and West America.

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Easter Fashions for Women

Overflowing collections of new clothes for the woman who is staying in town, the woman who spends Easter at the seashore or who especially opens her country house at that time, the woman who goes South, the woman who takes a motoring trip.

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WILSON MOVES TO AVERT STRIKE

Defense Council Heads Plead With Men.

MAY USE MILITARY POWER.

Both Sides Stubborn While Country Faces Prospect of Huge Transportation Tie-up—Railroads Place Embargoes on All Freight—President and Cabinet Study Way to Prevent Transportation Paralysis While International Crisis Is On.

Washington, March 17.—In a determined effort to prevent the strike of 400,000 members of the four big railroad brotherhoods, President Wilson sent two of his cabinet members, Secretaries Lane of the interior and Wilson of labor, Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to New York with his personal plea that they prevent or at least delay the strike.

The president based his appeal to the chiefs of the warring factions on the broad ground of their patriotic duty to their country in this critical period of its international relations. In a personal communication he stressed the crisis due to the submarine warfare and pointed out how important it was that nothing should weaken at this time the nation's transportation facilities.

All of the president's mediators are members of the advisory committee of the Council of National Defense. They hurried to New York and went into conference with the brotherhood chiefs. The parley lasted for hours.

President Acts Strongly.

President Wilson left his sickroom to act to avert the strike. He called a meeting of the cabinet, the situation was carefully scrutinized and the following steps taken:

The Council of National Defense, with the approval of the president, ordered Secretary of the Interior Lane, Secretary of Labor Wilson, Chairman Daniel Willard of the advisory commission of the council and Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor and a member of the advisory commission, to New York, with instructions to represent to the brotherhood chiefs and the railroads the "grave peril" in the situation.

In a personal telegram to the four brotherhood chiefs and the chairman of the railroad managers President Wilson urged the reopening of negotiations to settle the controversy. He said that the safety of the country against manifest perils affecting its own peace and the peace of the whole world made accommodation of this question absolutely imperative.

Under the direction of the president Attorney General Gregory and his assistants undertook an exhaustive review of the legal phases of the situation, with particular attention to the legal steps that were taken by President Cleveland in 1894 to combat the strike of railroad employees.

Situation Caused Alarm.

Administration officials made no effort to disguise the apprehension with which they viewed the situation. There was apparent a grim determination to go to almost any lengths to the halting, even for a short time, of the transportation facilities of the nation. The war and navy departments and the Council of National Defense, which have been hard at work on plans for the mobilization of the commercial and industrial resources of the nation to prepare the nation for a possible war, saw in the threatened strike the doom of their comprehensive defense proposals. It was to meet the disastrous effect of a nation-wide strike that the defense council selected its mediation commission.

The fact that the president had chosen to move through the military establishment to deal with the strike situation was accepted in Washington as significant. The defense council mediators were given their instructions by Secretary of War Baker as chairman of the council in a letter which directed:

"That you present to the representatives of both sides the grave peril involved in such a situation at this time and that you request them so to adjust their differences as in any event to lead to a postponement of any acute difficulty during the present national emergency."

May Take Over Roads Also.

The department of justice pored over the precedents connected with the railroad strike of 1894, when President Cleveland used the regular army to prevent interference with the mails and with interstate commerce. The attorney general reviewed in detail the proceedings by which the then attorney general, Richard Olney, obtained injunctions restraining the strikers from halting mail or interstate trains. It was to back up these injunctions that the army was called on.

The clear determination of the president to prevent a railroad tieup led to serious discussion of the possibility of his taking over the railroads and operating them under government control. Some members of the cabinet even suggested an announcement by the president to the effect that he would take over the railroads unless the strike was called off.

ANSWERS STONE'S REQUEST.

Redfield Says Only Two Ships Got American Registry Since Feb. 1.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Redfield, replying to Senator Stone's resolution asking for the number of transfers of ships from foreign to American registry, told the senate that between Jan. 1, 1916, and March 15, 1917, thirty-nine ships were so transferred. Among them were seven admitted as wrecked ships which were repaired at American shipyards.

If the purpose of the resolution, as reported, was to show British ships coming to American registry since the opening of the new submarine campaign it failed to do so.

Only two ships, the report says, have been transferred since Feb. 8. One of these was of Argentine registry, the other British. The transfer of the steamer Algonquin, recently sunk by a submarine, from British registry was made Dec. 18, 1916.

PATTEN IS CONFIRMED.

Senate Ends Controversy Over New York Postmastership.

Washington, March 17.—The long controversy over the New York postmastership ended when the senate shortly before finally adjourning its special session confirmed the nomination of Thomas G. Patten to be postmaster. The nomination was sent to the senate at the last session. There was no opposition to it, but its confirmation was delayed by the fight over the promotion of Dr. Cary T. Grayson to be medical director of the navy.

Model's Slayer Unknown.

Philadelphia, March 17.—A coroner's jury, after listening to the testimony of nearly fifty witnesses, rendered a verdict that Mazie Colbert, the model who was found dead in her apartments here on Dec. 30 last, was strangled by a person or persons unknown.

GOING! GOING!! GONE!!!

I GOT on a WEST SIDE car today JUST BEHIND a woman WHOSE HAIR looked like THE INSIDE of a CHEAP MATTRESS. SHE CHANGED a dollar TO PAY her car fare AND IT made me sick TO REALIZE that she had ENOUGH MONEY left in HER PURSE to buy a BOTTLE OF NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE. Yours for beautiful hair.

Herpicide Mary

WILLIAM B. WILSON.

Cabinet Member Mediator In Big Railroad Strike.

Photo by American Press Association.

ESSEX TO WORK COUNTY FARMS

High Cost of Institutions' Living to Be Cut.

FREEHOLDERS PLAN REFORMS

Prison Labor to Cultivate Sixty or More Acres at Penitentiary and Supply Staples For Inmates Instead of Paying High Prices Outside—Soil Expert to Make Tests.

Newark, March 17.—Essex is to set a good example to the other counties of the state. Cultivation of land at the penitentiary will be quadrupled this summer under the direction of an expert. This is the plan of campaign outlined by the prison committee of the board of freeholders to wage war upon the soaring food prices. All facilities under the control of the freeholders will be put to the work of raising foodstuffs for county institutional use.

About fifteen of the sixty acres of ground at the penitentiary were under cultivation last year. During that time the county has purchased about 150 additional acres of ground and will have forty-two acres more if the city agrees to sell the Verona sanitarium property. Considerable of the ground is susceptible to cultivation, and nearly twenty acres of the new ground has been already plowed in addition to the farm land used last year.

Freeholder Martin suggested that before further increasing the amount of farm space one of the experts from the State Agricultural college at New Brunswick be called in and requested to make soil tests. In this way the best scientific information could be obtained as to the best manner of clearing and fertilizing the ground and as to what crops were best suited to the various soils. Chairman Clark, the warden and farmer were authorized to confer on this.

The freeholders hope to have at least sixty acres under cultivation. In another year this will probably be doubled. It is the intention to have all short term prisoners usually kept at the jail removed to the penitentiary so that as much help as possible can be obtained to farm and run the quarry. The completion of the women's wing now under construction will permit of room for the added inmates.

BOTTOM OUT OF ROAD.

Improvements on Highway at Pennsville Held Up.

Pennsville, March 17.—Freeholder Edward Heron of this township has notified the board of chosen freeholders of Salem county that the township committee of Lower Penn's Neck had declined to grant the county's request to pay 10 per cent. of the cost of improving the road from Salem to Pennsville, less the amount contributed when the road was improved under state aid several years ago.

The board of freeholders has instructed Engineer Keasbey to stop further survey of the highway and ordered him to proceed with a survey of the third, fourth and fifth sections of the Malaga-Pennsgrove state road.

Users of the Salem-Pennsgrove road will regret the action of the township committee, for no road in the state has been worse this winter than this one. Had it not been for the trolley service workmen going to and from the powder plants at Carney's Point would have been subject to great inconvenience, for at one time travel almost was abandoned. The road was originally of shells, but the bottom has dropped out.

"SCIENCE" WILL SUSTAINED.

Vineland Woman Left $25,000 to Aid New Cult.

Vineland, March 17.—The court of errors and appeals has sustained the will of Miss Ellen M. Dyer, who died here about twelve years ago. She was the daughter of S. D. Dyer, a pioneer merchant, who made a fortune. She was an only child and at the age of forty years became interested in mental healings. During the ten years of her studying and teaching she conceived the idea that her "estate should go to the furtherance of the kindest interpretation of metaphysical thought."

Several nieces and nephews contested the document. The court sustained the will, and the court of errors and appeals construed the decision.

The estate is in Vineland real estate and bonds and amounts to about $25,000.

Firemen Entertained at Newfield.

Newfield, March 17.—The Gloucester County Firemen's association was entertained here by the local company. Edward Martin, county fire marshal of Woodbury, made another appeal to companies to get supplied with a uniform system so that when help is needed at a fire in nearby towns quick work could be accomplished.

His Back Hurt When He Stooped

"Just the one box of Foley Kidney Pills relieved my backache."—D. W. Ellis, Ellis, Ga.

"Last year I was suffering with a terrible backache," writes J. W. Ellis of Ellis, Ga. "Every time I'd lean or stoop over or to rise side, I'd have a painful catch in my back just over my kidneys. I tried medicines with no good results. I bought a bottle of Foley Kidney Pills, and just the one box entirely relieved my backache. It has been some time since I took them, so I think I am well."

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Sweeping Changes In World's Largest Empire Come Rapidly as Interior Cities Join Movement That Transforms an Uprising For Bread Into a Tremendous Revolution — Abdication of Grand Duke Michael, Czar's Younger Brother, Also Announced.

Petrograd, March 17.—The republic of Russia looms large as the most probable outcome of the great revolt.

The monarchy has been suspended.

No regent has been or will be appointed until the people of Russia have spoken their will. It will be spoken at a popular convention in the near future. It will decide what form of government the people of Russia have hereafter.

Meanwhile the affairs of the huge country will be conducted by the ministry formed as the result of the overthrow of the reactionary government. Everything indicates that it has the great masses of the people on its side. The elements instrumental in forming it were labor and the soldiery. Out of the several hundred delegates who voted at the council which elected it only fifteen dissented.

Revolt Over, Storms Ahead.

Russia's revolt is over, but its evolution has only begun. Stormy days are ahead.

Occasional rifle cracks, hunting police spies from their hiding places, are the sole reminder that a few days ago there was rebellion and bloodshed in this historic capital. Unbounded jubilation by throngs ceaselessly parading the streets, wild and unending shouts of joy, tell the story over and over again—the story of a victory crowned fight for freedom and food.

Where is the "Little Father?" No one knows; few care. What is known is that he did not abdicate; that he let slip what now seems to have been his last great chance to save, if not himself, his dynasty.

There are many conflicting reports of the whereabouts of ex-Emperor Nicholas. Some say he is still in hiding "somewhere at the front," surrounded by a group of loyal generals. Others have it that he perished in a shot 100 miles from Petrograd; that his train was held up by soldiers, but no violence offered. Other rumors are that he is at the imperial palace at Tsarskoe-Selo.

Only one thing is whispered everywhere and will not down—that he is dead, the victim of an assassin during the three day revolt.

The czarina is in hysterics in the Tsarskoe-Selo palace, guarded by a strong bodyguard of loyalists. With her is the little czarevitch, ill with scarlet fever.

Of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, brother of Nicholas, nothing further is said. The report of his appointment as regent was merely concocted to calm the populace and help restore order.

Food Prices Drop.

Comparative order has been restored. Food prices dropped overnight, making a starving populace happy. Huge stocks of foodstuffs were found hidden in many warehouses, and methodical distribution has been set in motion by the provisional government.

But those who hid these stores and told the country that "there is no food" are facing the penalty that is the indispensable part and parcel of revolution.

"The former ministers responsible for these crimes will pay the cost," announced the new minister of justice, M. Kerenski. At the same time he informed the country that the former duma members whom the reactionary government sent into exile in Siberia because they "talked too much" will be immediately released.

Three men stand out as the commanding figures of the hour—Kerenski, who is a Socialist and was a duma member from Kiev; Professor Paul N. Milyukoff, leader of the "cadets," now foreign minister, who was the guiding genius of the revolution, and Grand Duke Nicholas, the czar's uncle, to whom may be intrusted the supreme command of the army.

But to this latter plan there is widespread opposition. There are thousands who look upon him as an autocrat, and the days of autocracy in Russia are over if the people retain their control of the situation.

Say War Will Go On.

While the provisional government is swiftly and energetically effecting and enforcing measures to adjust the whole internal upheaval, it is at the same time bending every effort to show a solid front to the foreign foe.

"The war will go on until victory is won" is the motto of the hour.

Whether this aim will be fulfilled depends, however, largely upon the army, and among the Russian army the revolutionary element, particularly among the officers, is strong and numerous.

The powers in control have not the slightest doubt that Russia's soldiery is behind them and will prove its loyalty by fighting on with redoubled bravery and vigor.

What happened in Russia during the week past is briefly this: The spirit of democracy, the craving for government by the consent of the governed, quickened the rebellion. The duma had set out to remove the reactionary government. Having achieved that, it was willing to stop. Only at the outset, the watchword for the future was "Liberal constitutional monarchy."

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To the realized dream of universal suffrage and an equal voice of the people was added the great hope that the national "urge" suddenly set in motion will reach its greater goal—government of the people, for the people, by the people.

Already the voices of the new leaders are becoming bolder. Kerenski, the Socialist, has made it known that he became a member of the new government only upon the condition that there will be "absolute freedom of speech and of the press and a political amnesty."

News Puzzles England.

London, March 17.—News that the czar has not abdicated and that his whereabouts are unknown, announced in the house of commons by the chancellor of the exchequer, Bonar Law, struck London like a bombshell, for it could mean only one thing—that the plan of the revolutionary government was to depose him. It is beginning to dawn for the first time upon the public how far reaching in its consequences is the revolt that has shaken Russia.

All England talks of nothing but the events in Russia. Even the continued British advance in the west has dwindled into insignificance alongside the Muscovite revolt, and the speculation as to its possible consequences for the allies' cause.

The optimism that swept the country when the theory was spread broadcast that the Petrograd rebellion means the overthrow of the Germanophiles and consequent vigorous prosecution of the war by Russia subsided considerably when the true extent of the revolt was learned.

No one in England now believes that the storm has been certainly weathered—that all is now well in Russia.

NEW AIR RAID ON BRITAIN.

Aeros Drop Bombs in Kent and Southeastern Counties.

London, March 17.—An air raid on the southeastern counties of England took place last night and was still in progress early this morning, according to an official communication. Bombs were dropped in Kent. The official statement says:

"Hostile aeroplips attacked the southeastern counties last night. Bombs have been dropped in Kent county. The raid is still in progress. A further communication will be issued during the morning."

The war office announced earlier that at 5:30 a. m. Friday a hostile airplane dropped bombs at Westgate-on-Sea. There were no casualties, and the material damage was reported as slight.

Urges Food Production.

London, March 17.—The British government regards the production of food of greater importance at the present time than the sending of additional men into the army. Chancellor Bonar Law said in response to questions in the house of commons that the cabinet had informed the war office and the board of agriculture that this was its view.

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Satin finish — full sizes — hemmed or scalloped—neat patterns.
SPREADS—BASEMENT.

8 ct. Bleached Cheesecloth..... 5¾
36 inch—extra fine—absorbent.
BLEACHED GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.

$1.25 Black Satins—35 inch..... .87
Rich, deep black — soft finish — close, even weave.
SILKS—MAIN FLOOR.

49 ct. Silk Mixed Crepe de Chine .35
36 inch—assortment of shades for day or evening.
WASH DRESS FABRICS—BASEMENT.

29 ct. Chiffon Voiles..... .21
36 inch—fine assortment of light and dark colors.
WASH DRESS FABRICS—BASEMENT.

69 ct. Shepherd Checks..... .53
54 inch—part wool—black and white—variety of sizes.
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CHICKEN CROQUETTES

The chicken croquette is a mixture called food. It wears a sawdust mask to hide its real identity. Chicken croquette is just a restaurant proprietor's excuse for using up scraps he would otherwise throw away. There's about as much chicken in it as there is in a chunk of chilled steel. It is glorified hash of the worst type. It sits around in delicatessen cones, looking like a Fourth of July snake. You know, the kind you touch a match to and the snake boils out. But don't ever try to boil anything out of a chicken croquette. The chances are ten to one you'll produce worse things than snakes. The chicken croquette is enough to make a self-respecting hen ashamed of herself.

"Weather or No"

Not even a St. Patrick could drive the snakes out of delirium tremens. —Old Man Sage.

CHIPS FROM THE CLAYS

There are over 4,500 trapshooting clubs in the United States and Canada, with an average membership of more than 50.

Preparation for war tasks may present the annual trapshooting championship of the United States Navy from being held at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, in April.

A California chapter of the Indians—a national trapshooting organization—is being formed.

The trapshooter who goes to the Grand American Handicap this year will have the pleasure of shooting at the traps of the finest country club in the world—the South Shore Country Club of Chicago.

The Illinois State championship will be held at Streator on May 21 to 25, inclusive.

The Inland Empire shoot this year will be held in the stadium at Seattle ,Wash. The stadium, by the way, is in the heart of the city.

With the Patriots' Day shoot of the Boston A. A., the Eastern Handicap in Hartford, Conn., and the Mid-summer Handicap at Maplewood, N. H., New England will have its share of classics this summer.

Fred Clarke, former manager of the Pittsburg Pirates, was a competitor in the recent mid-winter trapshoot in Kansas City, Mo.

The Oregon State championship shoot will be held in Salem May 6, 7 and 8.

George Nicolai, of Kansas City, pulled down the individual trapshooting event in the mid-winter shoot and won $1,575.

Every rifle club should be a member of the National Rifle Association and every trapshooting club should be a member of the American Amateur Trapshooters' Association.

The Portland (Ore.) Gun Club has expended $2,000 in improving Everding Park until now it is one of the finest trapshooting parks in the world. Concrete trap houses, concrete stands for the shooters, cement walks, flower beds, permanent benches have been put in.

RIFLE CLUB NOTES

The Plainfield Rifle Club held its regular weekly session last evening with a large number in attendance. Considerable routine business was transacted at an a number of applications for membership favorably acted upon. Rifle practice followed the session.

The next practice under the auspices of the club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Company K armory. Another practice will be held Wednesday evening of next week at the same hour and place.

A BURLESQUE GAME

The girls' and boys' basketball teams of Hope Chapel are planning a grand finale to their season in a burlesque game between the two teams to be staged at the Hope court on the evening of Monday, April 2. A social time is to follow the game and a regular time held to mark the closing of the regular schedules.

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HONUS WAGNER, MARVEL OF BASEBALL HISTORY

So much has been written of Hans Wagner, his record, his habits and his all-round sterling qualities that it seems futile to add to the miles of columns that have been used in his favor. Wagner, however, is getting ready to enter his twenty-sixth season of baseball, and the marvel of it is he is counted on to play a most important part in the hopes of the Pittsburg Pirates.

Wagner is a wonder. His remarkable ball playing isn't the only thing that holds him up to fandom on a fickle pedestal few players ever have reached and none surpassed. Wagner began to be a ball player before many men now in the game were born. It was in 1891 that he did his first work for the Mansfield, Pa., club. He branched from there to Ohio, finally getting his name into the records for the first time in 1895, when he played with Steubenville as an outfielder. He hung up a mark of .402 for forty-four games.

Wagner spent a couple of seasons in the Atlantic League, playing with Paterson, and then went to Louisville, which then boasted of a club in the National League. He played three seasons in Louisville and then was taken with the club when it was transferred to Pittsburg. He played first base, third base and in the outfield for Louisville, hammering the ball each year for averages far ahead of .300, once attaining .379.

Wagner first dropped from the charmed circle of batmen when he hit only .252 in 1914, just after he had barely stuck in the class by hitting an even .300.

Wagner is failing. He isn't the same old ball player at all. He isn't through because he will not admit it, and his smartness in the field and at bat makes him to be desired over younger players, who probably would cover more ground. He admitted a year ago it was becoming hard for him to see the ball, and this probably means he will be on the bench a great deal of the time this summer.

Indications are he will not be used in his old position of shortstop, but will take care of first base for Jimmy Callahan's outfit.

WESTFIELD GOLFISTS PLANNING NEW WORK

Special Correspondence:

Westfield, March 17.—The board of governors of the Westfield Golf Club held a meeting this week and elected eight new members. The renewed interest and enthusiasm which have been manifested recently in bearing fruit and many applications coming in from new residents of the town and from others who have heretofore failed to appreciate fully the benefit and enjoyment to be derived from membership in a local club where golf, tennis and social functions of a high order engage the interests of all the people of the town.

The board of governors has called a meeting for the evening of April 2 to hear reports from the various committees now at work in further- ing comprehensive plans of the club for the coming season and especial interest is being displayed in the plans of the committee appointed to canvass the sentiment of the membership and report on the advisability of extending the golf course to 18 holes.

The name of D. C. Arnold has been added to the entertainment committee, and this committee has outlined plans for the spring and summer entertainments. One of the first of these will be a bal masque to be given at the clubhouse Friday night, April 13, at which the hostesses will be Mrs. D. Ward Randall and Mrs. William R. Morrison. Hugh Talbot has completed his subscription list for two handsome silk flags which have been ordered, and Old Glory will continue to wave from the club's flagpole.

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS DROP GAME TO PREPS

Nick Cody, manager, and his crew of Netherwood Juniors, visited New Brunswick last evening, stacking up against the fast Rutgers Prep Junior, coming back with a score of 22-13 against them. Manager Cody was somewhat hot under the collar this morning when he dropped in to see us, complaining bitterly of a half dozen pillars scattered over the floor and the hot steam pipes around the walls.

However, the locals put up a fair game against their hosts and managed to make the Brunswick lads step some for the final verdict.

The scores:

RUTGERS PREP JUNIORS

	G.	F.	P.
Parker, f	5	0	10
Van Cleef, f	0	2	2
Kenney, c	4	0	8
Reng, g	1	0	2
Roland, g	0	0	0
	11	2	22

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS

	G.	F.	P.
Randolph, f	1	1	3
Davies, f	0	1	1
Henry, c	3	1	7
Brousse, g	0	0	0
Larew, g	1	0	2
Roome, g	0	0	0
	5	4	13

HELFIN'S TUXEDOS IN ODD GAME VICTORY

The Ramblers lost again last night. While this fact is no surprise and merely consumes valuable space on this page in making note of it still readers of bowling news might possibly be interested in a few details.

The match was the third of a series between the Ramblers and Tuxedos, the teams having tied in the previous games. Last night's pinning made it five for the Tuxedos and four for the Ramblers. Duke was unable to appear in the Plainfield line-up and his place was taken by Donnelly.

The only bowler who had the good games was Rambler Davenport, the other nine having scores from 109 to 158. Worrall bowled well until Sutton told him he needed a shoe polish in order to continue. What effect the remark had on Harry's bowling thereafter is attested by his last two scores. Anthor Hyslop was also shy on big scores, due perhaps to the tension under which he was laboring in an endeavor to hang it on his opponent, Searl, who was hitting 'em right and left in his first two games. Another bowler worthy of "praise" is Heflin, who entered the fray puffing away on a pipe of pressed rope, and not until the finish turned his lips did he do any real bowling.

The scores:

RAMBLERS

			Av.
Worrall	161	132	109—134
Betzenberger	151	173	149—157
Davenport	161	187	192—180
Donnelly	151	142	187—160
Hyslop	152	146	134—144
	816	780	781—792

Total pins—2,377.

TUXEDOS

			Av.
Sutton	185	168	137—163
Agans	165	127	174—155
Vayda	163	155	165—161
Heflin	152	134	160—149
Searle	162	180	158—166
	828	774	864—818

Total pins—2,346.

INDOOR TRACK MEET FOR SENIOR TITLES

New York, March 17.—Track stars from every section of the country arrived here today for competition tonight in the annual senior indoor championships of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States. The meet will be held in the armory of the Twenty-second Regiment, New York National Guard.

For the first time in the history of the championships Cornell will be represented by a team of athletes. Ezra Wens and Alma Richards, the latter the all-around star from the Ithaca College, will compete. Sensational performances are expected to be recorded. Joie Ray, the distance running marvel, doubtless will take some more cracks at long-established records, while the sprints are certain to develop some extraordinary performances.

Jack Eller, the local hurdler, probably will be barred from the meet. He was suspected of wearing shoes with spikes when the metropolitan championships were held in the armory last month, and Colonel Vanderbilt, commanding the regiment, has asked that the athlete violating armory rules be barred from further competition in that building. Secretary Frederick W. Rubien of the A. A. U. promised the action would be taken if the man could be found.

The following events make up the program for the national championships: 60-yard run, 300-yard run, 600-yard run, 1,000-yard run, two-mile run, two-mile walk, five-mile run, 70-yard hurdles, six hurdles 2 feet 6 inches high placed 10 yards apart, standing high jump, standing broad jump, 16-pound shot-put and a relay race for teams of four men each, first man to run 440 yards, second 220 yards, third 880, fourth one mile.

Gold medals will be given first place winners, silver for the second and bronze for third. A silver cup will be given to the college or athlete club team scoring the highest number of points. Five points will be scored for first place, three for second, two for third and one for fourth.

SCOUTS GET PRIZES FOR FEEDING BIRDS

By United Press:

Minneapolis, Minn., March 17.—Twenty troops of Boy Scouts got thoirs rewards for feeding bird through Minnesota's bleak and cold winter. The contest was to ascertain the best feeders of birds, which perish in multitudes when they do not get care in Minnesota's winters.

NEWARKS ARE NO BEARS

The nickname "Bears" has been officially adopted for the Newark International League Club with the approval of both the club owners and the league president. The players will sport a small bear emblem on both home and traveling uniforms. The Newark club in the past has gone under the nickname of the Indians, Tigers and Sailors.

The Newark squad will leave today for Charlottesville, Va., where the University of Virginia field will be used for training.

TABS WIN IN ONE GREAT, FAST GAME

Jersey City Team Lost Out on Local Court by a Single Basket

It was a great game and no getting around that. The St. Patrick's hailing from Jersey City, Hudson county, came last evening into what they were pleased to call a "nine o'clock town" to visit the local St. Mary's T. A. B. Society basebull aggregation. When they left on the 11.28 they took with them the small end of a 28 to 25 score.

The contest was a fast one from one end to the other. Both teams showed considerable inside and team play, and the score was close throughout. At the conclusion of the first half of the tilt the score stood 16 to 14 in favor of the visiting aggregation, but it was not long after the opening of the last half when the locals started in to come back strong, taking enough baskets unto themselves to take the title to the final score.

During the intermission between halves Rev. Father Mahoney, formerly of the Jersey City parish, from which the St. Patrick's aggregation comes, but at present curate of St. Mary's church, of which the Abstainers are members, was presented a token of esteem on the part of the visiting team.

The score:

ST. PATRICK'S

	G.	F.	P.
Rooney, f	4	6	14
Donnelly, f	3	0	6
Myers, c	0	0	0
Berman, g	2	0	4
Long, g	1	0	2
	10	6	26

T. A. B. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Cowan, f	5	0	10
Moulton, f	3	0	6
Hirsch, c	1	0	2
Kyle, g	0	0	0
Rosenson, g	1	0	2
Snyder, g	1	6	8
	11	6	28

Score by periods:

St. Patrick's	16	10	—26
T. A. B. S.	14	14	—28

Referee, Berse; scorer, Bitsum.

PAT MELVIN GETS AN IRISH FLAG

The cash patrons of Melvin's restaurant, North avenue, remembered today that the proprietor's Christian name is Patrick, and that his birthday anniversary occurs tomorrow.

They thought it would be entirely fitting for them to bestow their favors upon him today, when all Irishmen are celebrating St. Patrick's Day. Accordingly they met at the restaurant at noon and presented Mr. Melvin with a handsome Irish flag. Walter I. Firstbrook made the presentation speech. He began by telling Mr. Melvin that he was fortunate in being the owner of a restaurant and not a bird carrier. He lauded Ireland's Patron Saint, and expressed the hope that Mr. Melvin and all others who have taken the name of the great saint, will emulate the example of his life, and if so the world will be better because they have lived, he declared.

Mr. Melvin responded in a few appropriate words, and the regular business of the restaurant was resumed with "Johnny" Gaub singing "Die Wacht am Rhine."

PIERSON'S BILL SIGNED BY EDGE

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 17.—The bill by Assemblyman Pierson, of Union, increasing the fees to be paid for licensing of motor trucks, House No. 58, and a series of motor vehicle bills by Mr. Oliphant, of Mercer, have just been signed by Governor Edge, making them laws. The Pierson measure fixes a sliding scale of license fees for commercial motor trucks, based upon the gross weight of the vehicle and carrying capacity. Such trucks now pay a flat fee of $10 each, in addition to the fee required under horsepower rating.

The increased fee begins at $15 per year for each truck of 4,000 pounds or less, the scale increasing at the rate of $2 for each additional 1,000 pounds weight, the maximum being $59 a year for trucks of more than 25,000 pounds. This act does not take effect until January 1, 1918.

ART ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED HERE

The Art Association of Plainfield will be organized at a meeting to be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the Rookery on Sycamore street, opposite Grace church, under the direction of Jonas Lie, the well-known artist, who formerly resided here. Mr. Lie is greatly interested in the project in the early life of his work and the people of Plainfield have on several occasions shown appreciation of his talent. All persons who are interested in the development of art in Plainfield, at home and in civic improvement are invited to attend tonight's meeting.

BOICE-RUNYON CO. BUYS OFFICE BUILDING

The Boice-Runyon Company this morning purchased the office building in Park avenue, adjoining the Courier-News building, from Miss Annie E. Boice, former owner of the Boice-Runyon Company.

IRISHMEN CELEBRATE ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Great Saint Was Born in 372 —Christianized the Irish Race

Irishmen in all parts of the world, including the battle lines of France, are celebrating today, for this is St. Patrick's Day, when the memory of Ireland's patron saint is paid the homage that is due the memory of a great man.

France, which gave Rochambeau and La Fayette to the American colonies in the war of the Revolution, also gave St. Patrick to the Irish. He was born in 372, and spread the Christian faith among a race of men who cherished his teachings, transmitting them to their descendants, and they have carried them to all parts of the world, for there is no land where white men live that hasn't its quota of Irishmen.

Ireland's sufferings have been brought about through her adherence to the faith which Patrick brought to the Irish race, and no matter how severe the persecution, the Irish people, or a majority of them, have steadfastly refused to yield the right to worship God in accordance with the dictates of their own conscience.

When St. Patrick went to Ireland he found a highly intelligent people with universities of learning which have been classed by historians as the greatest in Europe.

At the disruption of the Roman empire, when the vandals destroyed all that the Roman civilization had developed, it was Ireland that taught the people of the devastated countries the way back to higher civilization than they had ever known before.

Ireland had a representative form of government one thousand years before the birth of Christ, and in the days of St. Patrick, the clansmen gathered in yearly sessions at Tara Mall, where governmental affairs were adopted, musical and literary festivals and religious devotions of an impressive character were held.

It was with the little shamrock that the great saint illustrated the Blessed Trinity. Ireland has been ravaged by wars for many years. The country was invaded by the Danes in the eighth century and they remained for nearly three hundred years, before they were finally driven into the sea. After their expulsion there came the Norman invasion in 1169, and there has been a state of warfare most of the time ever since, attended by various forms of persecution.

BOROUGH PRINCIPAL ADDRESSES MEN'S CLUB

Principal Earley of the borough high school, gave his lecture last evening, on the "Caverns of Virginia" at the meeting of the Men's Association of the Watchung Avenue Church. There were about thirty-five slides thrown upon the screen giving an interesting description of these wonderful caves.

The caverns which are world-renowned and which underlie about 100 acres, were discovered in 1878, and contain hundreds of chambers, many of which to this day have not been explored, the speaker said.

The entertainment committee of the Association is planning for a series of lectures on "Eminent Men" that will be held later. Senator Joseph Frelinghuysen has promised to speak before the organization in June.

DR. FISK WILL ADDRESS PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Dr. E. L. Fisk, the director of the Life Extension Institute, under whose auspices experiments were made with the "Diet Squad" in New York, will address a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Plainfield high school on Tuesday night, March 27, in the school auditorium.

Dr. Fisk's address will be directed to the timely subject of the cost, preparation and relative values of foods, and as he is said to speak with authority on these subjects, his address, it is believed, will be of particular value and interest. Members of all Parent-Teacher Associations are invited to attend the meeting.

RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room is to be open tonight.

Boy Scouts meet Monday night in the Stillman school building.

The West End Boys' Club will use the high school gym Manday evening.

The Girls' Recreation Club meets Monday night in the Washington school gym.

The Municipal dance in the Washington school this evening will be a St. Patrick's party.

The International Motor Company Band is to rehearse Monday evening in the Washington school.

A Guild of Play will be held in the Bryant school and Athletic games in the Jefferson school on Monday afternoon.

VENTILATION PERFECTED IN RESCUE MISSION HALL

The system of ventilation in the Rescue Mission Hall, on Madison avenue, which has long been imperfect, has been so improved that the hall is now quite comfortable. Those who attend the services there are much gratified at the change.

ANNIVERSARY OF CLEVELAND'S BIRTH

Grover Cleveland, twenty-second and twenty-fourth President of the United States; born at Caldwell, New Jersey, March 18th, 1837; died June 24th, 1908. The son of a clergyman. Mr. Cleveland received a fair education, studied law, and entered upon its practice at Buffalo, New York, in 1859. He was assistant district attorney of Erie county, 1863-65; was defeated for district attorney in 1865; and was sheriff of Erie county, 1871-74. A reform movement made him Mayor of Buffalo in 1881 and his efficient administration made such a favorable impression that in the summer of 1882 he received the Democratic nomination for Governor of New York. Republican disaffection contributed to his election by a majority of 192,000. His administration, following such an unprecedented victory, was such as to give satisfaction and in 1884 he received the Democratic nomination for President and was elected over James G. Blaine, the Republican candidate. His administration was marked by his support of civil service reform, of hard money, and especially of tariff reform, which he advocated in a message to Congress in December, 1887. He was again the candidate of his party in 1888 but was defeated. He retired from office, resumed the practice of law, and settled in New York City. In 1892 he was the third time nominated by the Democrats and was elected over Benjamin Harrison, his opponent in the contest of 1888. In 1893 President Cleveland convened an extra session of Congress, which repealed the purchasing clause of the so-called Sherman Silver Bill.

Must Have Lights on Wagons

Governor Edge has signed Assemblyman Pierson's bill requiring each horse-drawn vehicle to be equipped with a red light on the rear and a white light on front.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any Luxury relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

There are but very few housekeepers who realize the possibilities contained in a bunch of fresh mint, or who know how its piquant flavor will entirely change the character of the dish to which it is added.

Fortunately, mint is again coming into favor, for not only is it enjoyed by the majority of people, but physicians tell us it is a most healthful herb, with a beneficial effect on the digestion and nerves. It is also cooling to the blood, with the approach of the spring season.

Mint is a very ancient herb. The bitter herbs of the Paschal Feast, of *Bible times*, is said to have been a mixture of mint, dandelion, tansy, chamomile, etc. Mint is now seldom used as a salad, but a salad vinegar is made from it that is very popular. It may be used alone, like mint sauce or in place of plain vinegar, in the making of salads.

To prepare this delicious vinegar, *mint alone can be used, or a combination* of mint, chives, tarragon and summer savory. Use one ounce of each for a quart of vinegar and bruise the green herbs so that the flavor is easily extracted. Put the mixed herbs in a jug or bottle, that can be tightly corked, fill up with vinegar and place in the sun. Leave *for six weeks and then strain* and bottle for use. It will keep indefinitely and has a delicious, aromatic flavor. Cider or white wine vinegar may be used in connection with the herbs, as the housewife may prefer.

Formerly, mint was used exclusively in combination with spring lamb and green peas, and while *these are still favorite ways of utilizing it*, others are now being tried with excellent results.

To make a delicious sauce to serve with lamb, chop fresh mint finely and place three tablespoonfuls of it in a saucepan. Add two tablespoonfuls of sugar and eight tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Let the sauce scald, but do not boil. It is ready to use as soon as it cools.

Dried mint may also be used for sauce, by soaking in cold water to extract the flavor. This is generally used in winter, when the fresh is not obtainable, but it cannot be as highly recommended. An improved sauce, to serve with boiled mutton instead of the usual caper variety, is to prepare the desired quantity of cream sauce, and when it boils and thickens add a handful of mint, that has been slightly bruised. Stir the boiling hot sauce until well flavored. Then strain and add the usual amount of capers.

When cooking green peas to serve with roast lamb, try adding a few sprigs of mint while cooking and remove them just before the seasoning is added. The novel flavor is decidedly pleasing.

Mint butter is also in great favor for making sandwiches, in combination with finely minced meat of any kind. To prepare the butter, take a handful of fresh mint leaves and the same of parsley and let them simmer in boiling water for five minutes. Then drain and dress dry. Reduce to a pulp, by either chopping or pounding them, and to each four tablespoonfuls of the combined herbs allow half a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Work this well into five tablespoonfuls of butter and keep cold until ready to use.

For a delicious green pea salad, take one cupful of canned French peas, drain and rinse with very cold water. Then drain again and expose to the outside air for twenty minutes. When ready to make the salad, add to the peas half a head of crisp lettuce, finely shredded, and one tablespoonful of chopped mint leaves. Sprinkle very lightly with salt, moisten with a French dressing and heap in a mound on a platter. Surround with a border of heart lettuce leaves and serve the salad very cold.

Apple jelly, delicately seasoned with mint, is especially good when served with roast duck, lamb or goose. It is made in the usual manner. If possible select juicy, tart apples. To each cupful of the strained apple juice, add one tablespoonful of strong mint water (strained) and then proceed as for ordinary jelly, using equal quantities of juice and hot sugar.

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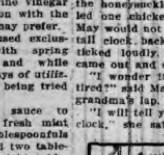
LITTLE MARY'S PRISONER

May was only 5 and every one called her the baby yet. But she resented the title. For was she not able to go down to the big gate alone and ride on Dixie to the cow pasture? So one particular August morning she sat on the top step of the porch alone, pouting.

The bees were humming around the honeysuckle, and the white hen led one chicken by the porch, but May would not notice them. The big, tall clock back in the wide hall ticked loudly. Presently grandma came out and sat in a big chair.

"I wonder if the clock ever gets tired?" said May as she climbed into grandma's lap. Grandma smiled.

"I will tell you a story about that clock," she said as she patted the



golden head nestling against her shoulder. "It was that very clock that saved your father's life. It was this way:

"A long, long time ago before you were born and when your mother, May, was a tiny girl like you, our lovely Virginia valley was not green and peaceful as it is now. Two armies tramped over its grass and cannon roared from mountain to mountain. I lived here then, just as I do now, and your mother was the only child at home.

"I remember so plainly—it is just fifty years this month—I went off for the afternoon to visit a friend and left May, your mother, at home in care of her nurse, Judy. Judy started down to the spring to get some fresh water, but did not return, and when May got weary of waiting she wandered out into the yard.

"Just as she struggled to unlatch the gate there was a clatter of hoofs down the road and four Union cavalrymen came tearing by, while after them rode about the same number of Confederates. A bullet struck one of the men in blue, he tumbled, but had enough presence of mind to roll out of the way into the bushes. On sped the Union riders and by swept the Confederates in hot chase.

"Under the big hollyhock hedge the young soldier—he was but a boy—lay. May crept down under the branches to where he was, with his face white and eyes shut.

"'Water, water,' he said, feebly. May tottered to the kitchen and came back with a big glass of milk. The boy drank it and seemed to feel better.

"'Come up to the porch,' said May. 'You can rest in the big chair and I will bring you some dinner.'

"So the lad crawled up to the house and waited on the porch while May went through the cupboard for cold bread, jam and ham. And the boy ate like one famished. In half an hour he was much better. Then again there came the clatter of hoofs beating back down the pike. Over a distant hill came the four Confederates again, this time with the three Union soldiers as prisoners. The boy turned white again.

"'They will look for me here!' he cried, startled, to his feet. 'I must hide.'

"He looked at May—could he trust her? 'Little girl,' he said, tenderly, 'you don't want anyone to see me and take me away, do you?'

"'Of course not,' laughed the child. 'You are sick and I am going to get you well.'

"'Those men rating here are trying to find me,' he said, hurriedly, 'but you must help me; you must hide me and not tell anyone where I am till they are gone. Where can I get?'

"Just then the big clock in the hall chimed two.

"'Oh! get in the clock,' cried May in delight. 'It is plenty large. I will not tell anyone, not even if mamma whips me.'

"'All right now,' replied the boy, as he stepped into the clock. 'Remember, not a word—and when I get out I will send you the biggest doll in New Hampshire. If those men in gray come, keep still—and say nothing.'

"Hardly had the clock door shut when there was a rush of men in front door. May, hidden behind the sofa, did not hardly dare breathe. The men searched the house from room to room, opening closets and peering into the cellar. But not a soul could they find. At last they mounted and rode away.

"May ran and opened the clock door—and out bobbled the lad, unconscious. He had been shut up too long and there was so little air. But in a few moments he opened his eyes.

"'Well, sister,' he remarked, 'that was surely a close call.'

"'Come up to mamma's room and take a nap,' said May, and she led the way upstairs to the bedroom. In a few moments the tired, sick boy was sleeping on a lounge by the window. When I came home May met me at the door and ran before me to open my door.

"'Oh, mother,' she said, 'I have found a poor, sick boy, and I am going to get him well and he is going to send me a big doll.'

"There was nothing for me to do but nurse the lad. And when in about a month he went back home well, but crippled, he did send a big doll by the next train. Then in a year he came himself—and stayed—for he married your mother. There he is now walking up the path with your mother."

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TWO NOTED STARS APPEAR AT PROCTOR'S TODAY

Monday and Tuesday at Proctor's Theatre

Two noted stars, Pauline Frederick in "Ashes and Embers" and Ethel Barrymore in "The Awakening of Helena Richie," appear at Proctor's tonight.

On Monday and Tuesday Mary Pickford will appear in "A Poor Little Rich Girl," as Gwendolyn, the "poor little rich girl" who had all that money could buy but scarcely knew her parents. She is left entirely in the care of nurses and servants as a result of the social and business "duties" of her parents, but the selfish parents are brought to realize that each is travelling in the wrong direction, and that their real goal is happiness rather than wealth. The children will adore it and the older folks cannot but appreciate its entertaining qualities.

In addition on Monday and Tuesday, Mrs. Vernon Castle appears in "Patria," the latest Hearst Pathe News is shown, and an added feature will be exclusive motion pictures of the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone for Plainfield's new City Hall. This picture will prove of great interest to all the members of the societies who took part as well as the hundreds of individuals who were interested spectators.

GORGEOUS GOWNS WORN BY BON TON GIRLS

At the Plainfield Theatre Monday, March 19, a genuine treat will be furnished by the "New Bon Ton Girls," who *contribute to the amusement* world one of the slickest and most diverting burlesque shows of the season. The affair is in two acts with superb scenic settings and gorgeous costumes, while the cast is headed by that able trio of funmakers, Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen and Babe LaTour, who have hitherto won the popular opinion of the public at large. Miss LaTour is conceded to be the best dressed young woman in burlesque, her gowns being dreams of beauty and effective-ness, all designed by herself and especially for this tour.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS

At the Columbia

Sam Sidman will bring his burlesque company to the Columbia Theatre the week beginning Monday afternoon, March 19, and present a new two-act satire, written by Jean Bedini, called "Welcome to Our City." Mr. Sidman is new to the ranks of burlesque producers although as a player of German comedy characters he is exceedingly popular with patrons of this form of amusement. In the arrangement of his show, Mr. Sidman is said to have departed entirely from many of the customs adhered to in burlesque, notably in the selection of the cast, not one of whom, it is asserted, has ever been seen on the Columbia stage. Also Mr. Sidman is credited with having provided an entirely new selection of musical features whose presentation is totally unlike anything hitherto offered in burlesque. The comedy of the new two-act piece is described as of the rapid-fire sort and is maintained at top speed throughout the entire performance except when some original vaudeville specialty or musical feature is introduced. Mr. Sidman will appear in his well known character creation, Ludwig Meyers, and during the performance he will introduce a completely new specialty that has been specially written and arranged for this production. The production is said to be lavish and uncommonly beautiful in its display of scenery and costumes and a large chorus of pretty girls is featured.

NEWARK AMUSEMENT

At the Broad Street Theatre

Earthquakes, wars, plagues, hurricanes and floods were the order of the day in the creation of "A Daughter of the Gods," the William Fox $1,000,000 picture, beautiful, featuring Annette Kellermann, at the Broad Street Theatre, Newark, with daily matinee, starting on Monday.

Almost any other man in the world might have been discouraged by this succession of adverse elements, but to William Fox they were but an incentive to try harder, and, that he did is best evidenced in the fact that in his picture beautiful, he has given to the world the greatest film fantasy ever produced. This big undertaking never daunted Mr. Fox, instead when he found that to produce a detailed artistic effect it was essential to overcome the work of nature, he engaged a corps of the best engineers in this country and an army of skilled workmen and shipped them all the way to the tropics to accomplish this one result. The cost of this one undertaking alone represented the expenditure of a fortune, but expense was the last consideration with Mr. Fox, in "A Daughter of the Gods."

BELGIAN SUPPLY SHIPS IMMUNE FROM ATTACK

By United Press:

New York, March 17.—Ships carrying supplies to Belgium for the commission for relief in Belgium, are now immune from German submarine attacks, *if they follow the northern* route, according to a statement given out at commission headquarters.

A cable from London says instructions have been sent commanders of all German submarines to spare the relief ships.

WILL GIVE BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Barton K. Davis, of 514 West Sixth street, will give a bridge party at her home this afternoon, when she will entertain guests from Newark, Elizabeth, High Bridge and this city.

GERARD PLEADS FOR PREPAREDNESS

Tells Welcoming Audience of Danger of War.

New York, March 17.—An impressive plea for preparedness, following his warning that the United States is on the brink of war, was made by Ambassador James W. Gerard in his reply to his "welcome home" to New York. In part he said:

We are standing today very near the brink of war, but I want to assure you that if we should be drawn into the conflict it will only be after our president has exhausted every means consistent with upholding the honor and dignity of the United States to prevent the front war.

I left Berlin with a clear conscience because I felt that during all my stay there I had omitted nothing to make for friendly relations and peace between the two nations.

I want to indorse every word that your mayor said about the necessity for preparation. When I came back to this country it was a position to find that in two years in which the world has been on fire that we have done nothing to prepare for even a reasonable measure of national defense. There is only one thing—universal military service—to give real training. That nation that stands opposite to us today has probably not less than 12,000,000 under arms. I am glad to see Germania take prisoner in one afternoon more than there are in the entire United States army.

Doesn't it seem to you ridiculous that the two states of New York and New Jersey should have more men on the border than there are soldiers in our army? My companions from the Twelfth regiment that have landed on the other shore today, and more men like them throughout the country, have done what they can, but they can do no more. There must be a public sentiment if we are to maintain ourselves as a nation. If we had a million men under arms today we would not be near the edge of war.

BRITISH KEEP UP GAIN.

Capture Wood on Somme Front Where French Lost.

London, March 17.—The British troops in the Ancre region have occupied almost all of the St. Pierre Vaast wood and 3,000 yards of German trenches north and south of the wood, according to the British official communication.

The St. Pierre Vaast wood lies directly east of Combles. It was here that the French last autumn made several ineffectual attempts to advance after the capture of Sailly-Saillisel, to the north of the wood, and Rancourt to the southeast. The French after heavy fighting got a foothold in the wood, but were held up.

MEXICANS IN CUBA REVOLT.

Many in Band Scattered by U. S. Sailors Near Santiago.

Havana, March 17.—United States sailors from the gunboat Eagle landed at Altrocedo, in Oriente province, and drove a group of insurgents from the town. It was reported that many Mexicans were in the insurgent group, which numbered about 300 men.

The presence with Cuban insurgents of Mexicans caused much surprise and speculation here. There are Mexican colonies in some parts of Cuba, but heretofore any activity of Mexicans skilled in revolutionary and destructive warfare in their own country has not been reported to the government officials here.

NICHOLAS MAY HEAD ARMY.

Grand Duke, Deposed by Czar, Back in Russia.

London, March 17.—The Grand Duke Nicholas is reported in a Reuter's dispatch from Petrograd to have reached the Russian capital. The dispatch says he will probably take command of the troops.

The question of replacing officers who were disarmed by their own troops is one which must be decided most promptly. In the meanwhile the provisional government is doing its utmost to straighten out the numerous tangles. The duma and the zemstvo council are working hand in hand, although issuing separate proclamations.

MRS. GUERNSEY OF KANSAS SEEKS PRESIDENCY

By United Press:

Washington, March 17.—A battle royal for the presidency of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be fought by Mrs. George Tacker Guernsey, of Independence, Kansas, at the national convention of the D. A. R. here the latter part of next month.

Mrs. Guernsey amazed the national organization by the thoroughness with which she came into the race prepared. *It was known she sought the place,* but it was not known she had secretly secured the backing of 43 States on the basis of her outlined policy.

Mrs. George G. Squires, of St. Paul; Mrs. John Miller Horton, of Buffalo and Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis, of Illinois are Mrs. Guernsey's opponents for the presidency, which now is filled by Mrs. William Cuming Story, of New York. Mrs. Story is said to favor Mrs. Lewis to succeed her.

Briand to Shif. Cabinet.

Paris, March 17.—The French cabinet will be reconstructed, Premier Briand, it is understood, in addition to replacing General Lyautey, the former minister of war, will have the departments which had been combined under one minister restored to their former status.

F. W. Roebling Dead.

Trenton, N. J., March 17.—Ferdinand W. Roebling, treasurer and general manager of the John A. Roebling's Sons & Co., builders of the Brooklyn bridge and other great structures and widely known in the wire rope industry, died at his home in this city.

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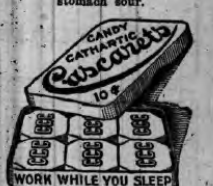

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GRAND DUKE MICHAEL.

Czar's Younger Brother, Who Also Abdicates.

Photo by American Press Association.

First reports of the revolution had it that Grand Duke Michael, who was banished from the imperial court because he married a girl out of his rank, had been appointed regent. This, however, was premature, and he has joined with his brother in the Romanoff abdication, thus ending his chances of the throne.

FRESH UPRISING STARTS IN MEXICO

General Obregon Reported as Foe to Carranza.

El Paso, Tex., March 17.—Rumors of a new political alignment in Mexico, with General Alvaro Obregon heading the opposition to General Carranza and the de facto government, are in persistent circulation here and in Juarez, having been brought from the interior by Mexican and foreign refugees.

While the punitive expedition was in Mexico letters were found by American officers which had been written by Villa and addressed to General Obregon offering to form a coalition against Carranza. Other letters were found at the time addressed to Zapata and were of a similar nature. There has been unusual activity recently among the old federals who were known to have been friendly with Felix Diaz.

The band of rebels now operating against General Gomez in Sonora are said to be under a Villa commander *and former federal officers loyal to* Diaz. The Diaz or Felicista movement has been under way in Sonora for several months. Obregon's friends are said to have had a part in it in that state, which is intensely loyal to Obregon. Fifty-five former federal officers crossed into Sonora recently to join the movement.

Rumors that the Yaqui Indians from Sonora had revolted in southern Chihuahua and declared for the new revolution are denied. They are at Jimines in the command of General Guillermo Chavez. The Yaquis are a part of Obregon's old command. Villa partisans here are rejoicing as a result of these rumors and predicted that the new movement would be in charge of the government within a month.

Must Sing U. S. Anthem Right.

Atlantic City, March 17.—Dr. Walter Reynolds, a school director, stirred colleagues to action by protesting against the "mutilation" of the "Star Spangled Banner" by school children during patriotic exercises in the schools. Dr. Reynolds deplored a tendency to eliminate parts of the anthem, and a resolution was adopted that it be sung in its entirety.

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MOUNT HOLLY RECTOR AT GRACE CHURCH

Rev. H. T. Cocke Talks on Social Barriers—Flag Presented to Church

The Rev. Henry Teller Cocke, of Mt. Holly, in his Lenten sermon last night at Grace Episcopal church, urges a greater movement among the women to assist the girls who had strayed from the path of rightousness. We hear frequently of the "big brother" movement, but very seldom of the "big sister" movement. "What we further need is more men and women who will awake to the situation of uplifting the fallen," said the speaker.

The Rev. Mr. Cocke is a rapid speaker, and his well-chosen remarks were listened to by a large audience. It was his first visit to the Plainfield church, and he gave a most eloquent sermon. He took his text from Chapter viii, verse 35, of the Gospel according to St. Mark: "For whosoever will save his life shall lose it, but whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's, the same shall be saved."

"So many people are building about themselves social barriers," continued Rector Cocke, "principally based upon money and education and fail to see the work that is planned for them by God in the community in which they live. As we read in the New Testament we find certain pages teeming with the principles of life, which God has set for us to follow—'For what shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul?' It is the struggle of men reaching up that may save lives. We are all pilgrims in our Master's eyes.

"There has never been written in books the tragedies of some of the every-day lives in our homes that are frequently bereft of the love of husband and wife. The lust for gold and worldly diversions have been the ruination of many a home. In the midst of this the heart has been starving for the lost love. The real life is the looking up to the Lord Jesus Christ."

The morning service included the dedication of the two flags that now float over the edifice. This was a very impressive service and conducted by the rector, the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson. It was announced that on Sunday next Bishop C. E. Woodcock, D. D., would conduct the services both morning and evening.

SEEK MISS PHILLIPS' AID IN RELIEF WORK

The Hoover Commission, which is promoting the movement for supplementary meals for the relief of Belgian children, has, through the subcommittee in this city, of which Mrs. Richard Boardman is the head, requested the trustees of the Charity Organization Society to permit Miss Mabelle C. Phillips, of that society, to spend a few weeks in organizing this work throughout the State. The trustees will meet tomorrow night to consider the matter.

The local publicity committee met last night and discussed plans, which will include advertising and other means for raising money here for this work. All of this work will be under the supervision of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society.

The Commission for Relief in Belgium, of New York, announces that it has received assurances from the German Government that from now on German submarine commanders would not torpedo Belgian relief ships, provided those ships follow the northern route to Rotterdam. This guarantees safety for the relief ships, six of which are now en route to Belgium.

RECRUITS ARE WANTED FOR UNCLE SAM'S NAVY

W. S. Brower, of this city, who is the wireless operator on the torpedo boat destroyer, "Ericsson," is at the local postoffice today ready to give any information to those desiring to enlist in the U. S. navy. Tomorrow morning two petty officers of the navy will be at the postoffice for the same purpose.

Men between the ages of 17 and 30 years, citizens of the United States, of sound mental and physical condition, good moral character and able to read and write the English language are wanted for the navy. Further information can be obtained from the recruiting officers.

SAURER'S BAND TO MEET

Saurer's Concert Band will hold a business meeting at the Washington School on Darrow avenue, at 8 o'clock tonight, when matters of importance will be considered. It is desired that all the members be present.

—Player piano for sale. Private party, sacrifices elegant 88-note Player with cabinet and rolls, only $175 cash; on storage. 311 West Front street. Act quick.—Adv. 3-12-tf

JUDGE NEWCORN NAMES COMMITTEE

Prominent Hebrews to Have Charge of the War Relief Campaign

The committee appointed by Judge William Newcorn to have charge of the campaign for raising $10,000 here for the Jewish war sufferers will meet tonight at the Y. M. H. A. The members of the committee are:

Herman Schwed, treasurer; Martin A. Rose, secretary; Morris Abramp, Hyman Adelberg, William Augenblick, Nathan Bernstein, Harry Berse, E. Bronston, Thomas Cantor, Dr. Ellis Campus, Harry Dreier, Victor L. Dreilich, Jacob A. Fass, Maurice Fiedler, J. Gershman, M. Goldring, Robert Heyman, Symon Hirsch, Solomon Hockberger, Harry Katz, Louis Kornfeld, Benjamin J. Kline, Samuel Krauthamer, Irving Kunzman, Louis Levin, Bernard Mann, Milton Mendel, M. J. Mendelsohn, Nathan Meyers, Sol. B. Meyers, Harry Penn, Harry Perlman, Louis Praeger, Henry Rosenbaum, S. Rosenbaum, A. Rotgun, Harvey L. Rothberg, Kalman Rothberg, Samuel Rothberg, Jacob Sachar, Kaspar Sachar, Samuel Saidel, S. G. Salis, Herman Sandler, Emanuel Schloss, William Schloss, Samuel Schwartz, Samuel H. Schwartz, Isaac Schwed, Herbert Schuldenfrei, Louis Schiff, Carl Silbert, Marcus Silbert, Leo Slonim.

Dr. Raphael Yood has been appointed chairman of the committee of arrangements for the mass meeting to be held in Columbus Auditorium on April 3, when Rabbi Wise, of New York, will deliver an address.

The Publicity Committee for this affair are: Samuel Rothberg, Harvey I. Rothberg and Irving Kunzman.

THE DEATH OF WELL-KNOWN HACKMAN

John J. Curran, Sr., died yesterday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary A. Higgins, of West Front street after a long illness. The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Higgins at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. The interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. Curran was widely known here. He was employed by former Mayor George W. Hockefeller when the latter was in the grocery business, afterwards Mr. Curran went into the hacking business, in which he was engaged up to the time of his death. He leaves two sons, Charles D. and John J. Curran, Jr., both of this city, and one sister, mentioned above.

CAPT. BEITH TO DESCRIBE TRENCH WARFARE

Captain Beith, better known as "Ian Hay," the author, who had a wonderful experience serving with Kitchener's first army of one hundred thousand during the early period of the war, will speak at the Plainfield high school Friday night, under the auspices of the National Special Aid Society. The announcement of his coming to this city has aroused unusual interest among those who are working for relief and preparedness.

Captain Beith gives the entire proceeds from his lectures to a fund in aid of the widows and orphans of his regiment. He will talk on "The Human Side of Trench Life," his story being filled with pathos and humor.

LOCAL MEN TO TAKE PART IN A DEBATE

James Smith of St. Peter's College, now a resident of Elizabeth, but formerly of this city, and Joseph Gallagher, of this city, will represent the Union County Holy Name Federation in a debate at Hackensack Sunday, April 1. The local men will uphold the negative side of "Resolved, That the United States should maintain a large army and navy."

It is expected that a large number of members of the various societies in this county will attend the debate. Mr. Smith will be one of six students of St. Peter's to debate the subject of compulsory military service on April 13.

ENGAGMENT ANNOUCED

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lewin, of Watchung avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Madeline J. Lewin, to Harold A. Seals, of Grant avenue. The date of the wedding has not yet been decided.

The Disposal of 35,000 Old Negatives

Parliser Photo Studio, of 107 East Front street, have announced that they will dispose of all their negatives taken by the late Mr. Landhorne for the past 40 years by the first of April. Their reason for doing this is the fact that they have no more room for further storage of negatives, and in order to make room for their new plates they are forced to do away with the old ones. Anyone interested in any of these negatives will kindly call, write or phone 1798.—Adv.

EXTRA MEETING OF BELGIAN RELIEF

A Letter Addressed to the Society Which Was Read at Recent Meeting

On account of recent international events it is necessary to call an extra meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society, to decide some matters of importance. This meeting will be held at 996 Hillside avenue, tomorrow morning, March 20, at 10:30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

The following is a letter received by the Belgium Relief Society which we announced would be printed at this time:

Mrs. F. W. Wallace, Plainfield, N. J.
Dear Mrs. Wallace:

At the suggestion of Mr. Giddings we are writing you concerning a plan recently put into operation by the commission, which we feel interfere with it an unusually interesting appeal and which has already resulted in a considerable volume of returns. In fact the widespread interest manifested is most surprising.

Belgium, for purposes of administration, is divided into ten provinces, one hundred and twenty regions, and two thousand five hundred and fifty-three communes; the entire country has been platted, and regional maps prepared in our London offices. These maps have been duplicated in an attractive manner, and an appendix added showing the names of the communes, numbered for convenience, together with the child population of the various villages. As an illustration we enclose you a map of the region of Wezemme in the Province of Liege, with a total of eighty-nine communes.

Our ambition is to secure the adoption of these communes for the period of the war by individuals or groups, or societies, or, as is already the case, by colleges and universities. In many communities groups have been formed and others

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GIVES THEATRE PARTY FOR HER DAUGHTER

Mrs. Fred Moore, of Somerset street, the borough, gave a theatre party on Saturday for her daughter, Lotta Mae, in honor of her eleventh birthday anniversary. The children were taken in automobiles to the theatre, returning afterward to the Moore home to be entertained with singing and dancing by Lotta Mae.

The supper came when the children entered the dining room, which was in darkness, except for the illumination of a large cake with eleven candles. The center of the table was a pyramid of tulips and carnations from which extended satin streamers to each plate, pulling these by satin heart-shaped box filled with bon-bons appeared. The plate favors were fancy hats. The big surprise for the little folks was the black dolls they found in the ice cream.

CRAP GAME IS RAIDED BY POLICE

Having been arrested at an early hour yesterday morning in a crap game on Park avenue, which was raided by Sergeant Flynn and Patrolmen Dunlap and Rissa, eight negroes were arraigned in city court before Judge DeMott this morning. He disposed of their cases as follows: William Hodges, $5; Vanwick Tucker, $5; Charles Roscoe, sentence suspended; John Johnson, $10; Ferdinand Bowser, sentence suspended; Edward Ellis, $5; Frank Spencer, sentence suspended; Warren Foyas, sentence suspended. Johnson was fined more than the others because he carried a gun.

THE DEATH OF MRS. EDWARD DREW

Mrs. Ruth Emiline Drew, the wife of Edward Drew, of West Fourth street, died yesterday in the twenty-second year of her age, leaving an infant a few days old. The funeral and interment will take place in Williamstown, Pa.

Mrs. Drew came here from Pennsylvania about a year ago. She was a member of Hope Chapel and of its Sunday school. Besides the little child and her husband mentioned above, she leaves four brothers and two sisters and her mother.

ELECTRIC IRONS CAUSED FIRE

The manager of the skirt factory in West Front street sent for the building at 10 o'clock last night and detected the odor of smoke. He went out in the street and summoned Patrolman Kelly. They made an investigation and found that two electric irons had been left with the current turned on and that they had become red hot and burned the cover of an ironing board. The damage was slight.

FASHION DISPLAY BEGINS TOMORROW

Dame Fashion will hold sway in Plainfield stores from Tuesday until Saturday this week. The local merchants have gathered lines of Spring merchandise that are truly representative of the best to be had, and the displays arranged for this week will prove very attractive to all those interested in new things for Spring.

Eastertide is not far away, and the wise shoppers are those who do their buying early, thereby securing first selection. All the scores, including those that sell wearing apparel for women, misses and children, millinery, shoes, men's clothing and furnishings, are filled with complete stocks.

Shopping in Plainfield during Fashion Week will attract many from this and from nearby towns. The weather man promises milder weather for tomorrow, and the attractive displays in the stores will surely bring out every woman who desires to shop for Easter.

A perusal of the pages of this issue of The Courier-News will acquaint shoppers with the merchandise offered by the local merchants.

GEO. CLARK, DEMOCRAT, IS NAMED POSTMASTER

George Clark, a Democrat, has just been appointed postmaster at Scotch Plains, succeeding Miss Rita DeMott, who held the position for two years. The fact that about the first of the year the postoffice was transferred from the fourth class to the third class, taking it out of civil service, necessitated the appointment of a postmaster.

The late Norman Dunn, a Republican, was postmaster at Scotch Plains for many years, and upon his death he was succeeded by his wife. Later a civil service examination was held, but Mrs. Dunn was ineligible owing to her age. Miss DeMott then took and passed the examination, and has held the position until the present time. Mr. Clark will take charge of the office this week.

RAILROADS YIELD ALL; STRIKE THREATS OFF

By United Press:

New York, March 19.—The railroads have met the Firemen's brotherhood's eight-hour law, and thereby definitely averted the threatened nation-wide strike. The railroads surrendered completely, leaving their end of the adjustment in the hands of President Wilson's mediation board. A joint committee is to thresh out the minute details. (Other details on another page.)

SEWING MEETING AND MARCH SOCIAL

The Woman's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh Day Baptist Church, will have an all-day sewing meeting on Wednesday, March 21, with the usual arrangements. At three o'clock the regular monthly business will be transacted.

The March sociable will be held that evening, under the direction of Miss Maxson and Mrs. Evans; the program will be musical, with monologues. A silver offering will be received. Ice cream and cake will be sold at the close of the program.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance the price of this paper.

We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everybody knows that the cost of making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while many things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper. Many newspapers have had to suspend publication, while others have had to adopt strenuous reforms. The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 60 per cent. of the quantity of paper actually required since the first of the present year. While it has been necessary to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and put into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary forty per cent., and for this reason we have had to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper, just as subscriber owes four or five weeks does not mean that we question that subscription. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change in price.

The subscription rates of the Courier-News are now:

Single copy	$ .02
One week	.12
Three months (in advance)	1.50
Six months (in advance)	3.00
One year (in advance)	6.00

As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or one year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

PROBASCO CLASS PLAY A SUCCESS

Capacity Audience Enjoys Annual Production at High School

"Too Many Husbands," a farce comedy in two acts by Anthony Wells, which was presented by the Probasco Bible class at the Plainfield High School Saturday night, was the most pretentious and successful effort of this active organization. It was the sixth annual production given by the class and it was enjoyed by a capacity audience which showed its appreciation by frequent outbursts of applause.

The cast was an excellent one, each part being impersonated in a manner that would have done credit to a professional. The play abounds in comedy and amusing situations, which kept the audience convulsed with laughter, and there was much praise bestowed upon the members of the cast for their clever acting.

The fun begins when N. J. R. Chandler, as "Col. Thaddeus Crane," a wealthy old retired soldier, visit his nephew, "Arthur Maitland," a poor author, which part was taken by Randolph M. Stelle. The latter was supposed to be a no-account, but when the colonel hears that his nephew is married, he plans for the visit. Young Maitland, in fact, is not married, but to carry out his part persuades "Harry Brown," a bookkeeper, which part was taken by Bert Ison, to loan him his wife, "Milly," who was Albert Newmiller. In the meantime, the nephew marries the colonel's daughter, "Dorothy Crane," who was Ralph O. Martin, before the colonel learns differently, and, of course, the pair receive the customary blessing. The incidents leading up to and following this part of the play are so complicated that one surprise follows another in quick succession.

The acting on the part of every member of the cast was praiseworthy, reflecting great credit upon Mrs. G. Stuart Simons, the coach, who had so patiently and faithfully supervised the preparation for the production of the comedy itself. The cast was as follows:

"Col. Thaddeus Crane," N. J. R. Chandler; "Dorothy Crane," his daughter, Ralph O. Martin; "Chauncey Chilton," his secretary, Harold Leadbitter; "Arthur Maitland," a poor author, his nephew, Randolph M. Stelle; "Harry Brown," a bookkeeper, Bert Ison; "Milly Brown," his wife, Albert Newmiller; "Reverend Ormsby," a preacher, Clifford Terry; "Mrs. Sheffield," mother-in-law," Irving J. Pratt; "Mollie," a servant, Duncan L. Patterson; "Jones," an expressman, Sullivan; "Cliffjnn," a policeman, Alexis Bouton; "Rudolph Baner," Earl B. Pierson.

Between the acts the class quartet comprising Ralph O. Martin, Karl Wilson, Luther Banks and John Richards, sang "The Rosary," and "Annie Laurie," and the members

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MRS. RICHARD BOARDMAN HOSTESS AT RECEPTION

Mrs. Richard Boardman will be the hostess at a tea and reception to be given at The Rookery on Sycamore avenue, this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, in connection with the exhibition of paintings by Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen, the artists.

Mrs. Boardman will be assisted in receiving by Mrs. Champlain L. Riley, Mrs. Henry J. Cochran, Mrs. B. Van D. Hedges, Mrs. J. S. Zelie, the Misses Harman, Mrs. Clara Krans, Mrs. E. F. Feickert and Mrs. Frederick E. Mygatt.

The exhibition which has been in progress during the past week and will be continued until Saturday, has attracted a large number of lovers of art, and the special features have been greatly enjoyed by every one. The exhibition is under the direction of Miss Edith Van Boskerck, of this city.

WILSON TALKS ABOUT TELEPHONE

The story of the centuries of struggle by mankind to transmit words rapidly and accurately over distances greater than the voice can travel unaided was told by A. B. Wilson, local manager of the New York Telephone Company on Saturday evening at Mrs. Waldorf's residence on Crescent avenue, before a gathering of invited guests.

The lecture, entitled "The History of Communication," described the various methods of communication which have been employed from the time of the Pharaohs to the present, when we have transcontinental wire telephoning and telephoning by wireless over great distances. Mr. Wilson illustrated his talk with more than fifty stereopticon slides.

—Wanted—An active man for garage, 6 p. m. to 12 night. Laing's Garage.—Adv.

URGES DEMOCRATS TO PERMIT LOCAL OPTION LEGISLATION

By United Press:

Washington, March 19.—Calling upon the Democracy of New Jersey to support local option, President Wilson's private secretary, Tumulty, has written a letter to Thomas F. Martin, Secretary of State for New Jersey, urging the party to release itself from influences that oppose local option legislation.

U. S. ON E GE OF ACTUAL HOSTILITIES

By United Press:

Washington, March 19.—Immediate announcement by President Wilson of the course of action he intends to take in reply to Germany's latest affront on the high seas was forecasted by officials today.

Some believe he will call Congress to session at once, to have it ready for consultation. Others think he might issue a proclamation empowering Secretary Daniels of the navy to use the emergency fund appropriated in pursuit of a policy more aggressively to protect American shipping.

Secretary Lansing went to the White House today to confer with the President and carried all reports coming to the department on the sinking of the three American vessels yesterday.

"The situation is too serious to discuss," was the only official word from the State Department previous to Lansing going to the White House.

The United States and Germany are on the verge of open hostilities with a virtual state of war existing as a result of the ruthless sinking by German submarines of three American freighters yesterday. It is now believed the first meeting between an American armed vessel and a U-boat will precipitate actual hostilities.

A semi-official view is that Germany's destruction of the three American vessels with probable loss of twenty-four American lives leaves no question that the Kaiser has forced the United States into a state of war.

RUSSIA SETTLING DOWN SATISFIED OVER NEW RULE

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 19.—This city is astir with enthusiasm; its streets are packed with orderly crowds; public utilities are now running as of old.

Today all newspapers were republishing, and with entire freedom of editorial power. Many of them who resumed yesterday commemorated the event by special editions full of eulogies of the new "free Russia," using poems and analytical articles.

All public buildings here have been draped with the red flag of the revolutionists. Dispatches from Moscow say all workmen have resumed their occupations there.

The deposed Czar Nicholas was given a home to one of his imperial palaces in the Crimea. Meanwhile his children are all ill, except the Grand Duchess Marie. The young Grand Duke Alexis, who was heir to the throne, was reported in a critical condition.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. C. V. SMITH

The funeral of Mrs. Marion Marshall Smith, the wife of Charles V. Smith, who died on Friday, was held this afternoon at her late residence on Greenbrook road, the Rev. Dr. Philip B. Strong, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. Two sweet selections were sung and there was a service by Lydia Chapter, Order of Eastern Star. The bearers were: George Berstler, of Millburn; William and Vernon Tigar, of Gladstone; Eric Miller, Leslie Stuart and Walter J. Leveridge, all of Plainfield. The interment was made in Springfield, N. J.

Mrs. Smith's death came as a great shock to her friends. She was a picture of health in the middle of the week and took lunch with Mrs. D. C. Smalley, of East Front street, on Wednesday. On Thursday she had a lunch at her home in honor of a friend and was seized with illness while at the table. She asked that she might be assisted to bed and she never rallied but passed away on Friday night.

CHURCH SOCIETY BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Grace Methodist Church will hold a birthday party in the church on Friday evening of this week. Miniature banks have been distributed to the members of the congregation and others who are invited to bring the same containing pennies, one for each birthday. A very entertaining program has been arranged by the committee.

NAME OF GEORGE'S FULL NAME WANTED

Will the party who sent a "patriotic communication" with $2, signing himself "George," to the Courier-News recently, make himself known to this newspaper either in person or by letter.

MEETING OF THE RASORES

The Rasores will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Phillips, of Kensington avenue.

Stopping in Asheville

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. King, of Watchung avenue, are spending some time at Asheville, N. C., where they are stopping at the Manor House.

Millinery Opening

You will have no regrets if you attend Varley's millinery display.—Adv.

PADEREWSKI COMES HERE NEXT MONDAY

Always successful in its choice of musical celebrities to bring before Plainfield audiences, the Plainfield Musical Club has again demonstrated its ability to secure the best by booking the world-renowned pianist, Paderewski, for a recital in the Plainfield High school, Monday next, March 26.

Paderewski was born with musical talent, in the land of musicians, but he had to fight for a place in the musical world, under difficulties, for he had to fight poverty at the same time. When most discouraged in his attempts to develop his art, and about to give up, he met Helena Modjeska, the famous tragedienne, who about ten years ago played Macbeth in this city, and she encouraged him to go to Vienna, and persist in his musical efforts. This was the turning point, and led to a career which the whole world now recognizes. Plainfield is fortunate in having this noted man come here, for his trips to America are far apart, and the great musical centres claim most of his time.

POTATOES, ADMISSION AT PROCTOR'S

At Proctor's introduces an entirely new innovation to aid local charities. On Saturday, March 24, at 10:30 a. m., children will be admitted to a special performance and the admission will be two potatoes to be deposited in barrels which are placed at the door for that purpose. Adults accompanying children will be charged the same.

The management solicits the aid of any ladies who would care to chaperone the children.

The performance will be entirely different from the regular program presented on that day.

MUSIC FEATURES THESE VESPER SERVICES

Mrs. Madden, a noted Pacific coast singer, was the soloist at the Congregational church Lenten vesper service yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Madden's singing was deeply appreciated by the congregation attending the service. Music has been a feature of these Lenten services, and will be continued for the remainder of the series. At the Palm Sunday vesper service, a prominent tenor will be the soloist.

Home from Philadelphia

Mrs. A. C. LaBoyteaux, of Fairview avenue, has returned home after a visit of two weeks in Philadelphia.

Millinery Opening

At Varley's, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.—Adv.

A. E. FORCE & CO.

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Copies of direct imported models from the French coutumiers; also from the famous designs of its Khaki-Kool family, Barbara, Catalina, Monetceto.

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COATS

We now have already an extensive assemblage of Coats, which in style and fabric, differ appreciably from anything thus far shown. This line is an impressive display, embracing not only the French modes, but the American, of the most exalted character. Materials and shades are this season most desirable.

$10.98 TO $37.50

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SKIRTS—Definitely exclusive in styles and fabrics, priced exactly as you want them. The greatest all-around collection of values ever shown in the history of this store—

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Our presentation of Gowns for street, afternoon and evening wear is incomparable in style. The charm of these models should be of unusual interest and can be depended upon as being exclusive. Sport Dresses of individuality, from

$10.98 TO $37.50

SHOE DEPT.

Styles Approved by the Smart Set

The coming season will be known as one of variety in footwear fashions. It is to be a season of White Kid Lace Boot, Dark Gray Kid Lace Boot, Gray Suede Lace Boot, African Brown Lace Boot, Dark Brown Kid Lace Boot, Dull Kid Vamp White Kid Top Lace Boot, Dull Kid Vamp Gray Buck Top Lace Boot. Tendency seems to be White Kid, African Brown, Light Gray Suede and Dark Gray Kid.

SUITS

SUITS—Just the kind you are looking for that have that snap and smartness in every detail, featuring Sport Tussoha, Wool Jersey, Checks, Poiret Twill, Poplin, Men's Wear Serge, and Sport Suits of every description, from

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BLOUSES

The BLOUSES this season are beautiful. The daintiest combinations, the soft trimmings, make these Blouses in great demand. We are showing an extensive line of the most exquisite models ever shown, in the new shades to match the suits, from

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Canvas Cloth, plain colors.
Plain and Fancy Voiles, in floral and stripe patterns.
Fancy Lawn and Batiste.
Sport Stripes in Palm Beach and Carolina Suiting.
Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chine.
Silk and Cotton Novelties—Windsor Floral Crepes.
White Goods.
Basket Weaves, Piques, Satin Stripe Poplin, Plaid Crepes.
Cotton Corduroy.

Our Millinery Dept.

We are showing an unusually large assortment of the very latest models in Spring colors and styles, copies from the smartest fashion creators of America and Europe. Shapes and trimmings to suit the most fastidious. We especially invite you to visit our Millinery Parlor on second floor, and inspect our large assortment at **Popular Prices.**

Spring Fashion Show

At THE FASHION SHOP

Spring has come! And the **Fashion Shop** window is just "a beautiful vision of loveliness." Here are Blouses, crisp in their very newness—fine as fine old lace—a little ahead of the others, in modes of exclusive design; **some made expressly for us.**

Worth every cent that you pay for them; many are worth even more.

Dame Fashion is good to you ladies this Spring, and here you can see the reflection. Gorgeous Colors and Dainty Fabrics in Oriental Fantasy or in Sublime Simplicity. Here a lovely Marigold, there a Chartreuse; others that vary from Flesh to Flame, Apricot, Peach and Rose.

Crepe Georgette in tender Mauve or Pink; striped effects in Persian Patterned Taffeta.

Some in the new Japanese Trimmings, so soothing to look and touch—some in sheer linen and linen and batiste.

Delightful Ratines! Blouses for Sports! Middies for the Kiddies! And—But come to the **Fashion Shop's Fashion Show** and see them with your eyes.

If you are susceptible to beauty, leave your purse at home.

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PRINCETON STUDENTS TO VISIT EUROPEAN CAMPS

Princeton, March 19.—Announcement is made by George W. Perkins, Jr., president of the Young Men's Christian Association of Princeton University, that nearly $15,000 has been raised from the undergraduates and members of the university to defray the expenses of twenty undergraduates to work in concentration and prisoners' camps of Great Britain next summer.

Among those who have volunteered for the service are Professor William Gillespie, J. D. McClanahan, H. Chapin, P. W. Goster, N. D. Jackson, A. Mathiasen, G. T. Purves, D. E. Barbwell, R. F. Cleveland, P. R. Erdman, A. Jackson, D. R. Shockwell, J. M. Speers, S. M. Shoemaker, Jr., D. D. Chaplin, W. B. Harris, H. H. March, W. Rahill, Z. P. Miller, W. B. Paul, L. G. McMillan, A. T. Copeland, M. M. Hamilton and R. H. Ritter.

TEACHING POLICE MANUAL OF ARMS

Police Lieutenant Maurice Higgins has been drilling the members of the police force in the manual of arms and target practice for the last week, and the men are beginning to show a degree of efficiency, which will count for much in carrying out the preparedness program which Mayor Calkins has in contemplation and which he will announce to the Common Council tonight.

Lieutenant Higgins attended the Plattsburg camps for six weeks last summer and acquired a knowledge of military affairs that makes him more valuable as a police officer and enables him to give instruction to the other members of the force.

Y. M. C. A. MEETING LARGELY ATTENDED

Inspiring Music and an Address Features Gathering at Plainfield Theatre

Inspiring music by the Biederwolf choir, with selections by Emil Closs, the well-known bell ringer, and an interesting address were features of a popular meeting held at the Plainfield Theatre yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The attendance of both men and women was unusually large. Every seat on the main floor was taken and many seats in the gallery were occupied.

Arthur M. Harris, superintendent of the First Baptist church Bible school, presided, and the meeting was opened with the singing of some of the more popular hymns from the Biederwolf song books, interspersed with selections by Mr. Closs. Another feature was the accompaniment by members of the Dutch Arms orchestra. Miss Alice Drake presided at the piano.

The speaker of the afternoon was W. G. Landes, of Philadelphia, State superintendent of the Pennsylvania Sunday School Association. He gave a most practical talk on the subject of "The Mainspring of Life." Mr. Landes was at one time a watch manufacturer, and he likened the watch with its various parts to the human life, emphasizing the point that it is the mainspring that makes the watch go, and so it is with the human life—it is the mainspring or the vision of life that makes a person go.

Mr. Landes contrasted the good and bad visions in life, showing how one might blast one's whole future and the other would make a life useful in so many ways. He referred to the rise of John Wanamaker, describing his vision as a young man for larger things which he has lived to see realized. He then contrasted that life with that of Napoleon, who defied man and God, only to finally meet his Waterloo and an unholy destruction.

Mr. Landes urged everyone to be sure and have the right vision which would lead to a life of happiness, success and eternal salvation. In quoting some statistics, he said that the Protestant church and Sunday School today have about a 20 per cent. asset, 30 per cent. of the people attending either one occasionally, while 50 per cent. never attend church or Sunday school. This, Mr. Landes said, does not look good, but he spoke hopefully for the future, commenting on the increased interest and activity in religious endeavor.

AMERICAN SLANG IN ENGLAND FEARFUL AND WONDERFUL

By United Press:

London, March 19.—American slang in England today is a fearful and wonderful thing. The Britishers struggle with it valiantly, as witness this squib in one newspaper just after the announcement of the German submarine decree:

"Among those seen at the steamship booking office was Mr. Alex Q. Jones of Detroit. He was most indignant in his breezy American way.

"Alex Q. Jones is taking passage for little old Detroit," he declared, "and if the Germans think they can frighten him off the big drink by their methods they have taken a long slide into the wrong guess shop. Maybe President Wilson doesn't think it worth while to protect Alex. Q. Jones, but the Yankee Doodle boys in Congress will let Germany know where she alights and Alex Q. Jones will jolly well take his chances."

The paragrapher of the Pall Mall Gazette did a little better in discussing what he said was recent news from the U. S.:

"They are now calling Count von Bernstorff a Spanish athlete," he said. "To understand this you must know that the very latest American slang is 'throwing the bull.' Wherefore one who throws the bull would be a Spanish athlete."

EGGS TAKE A DROP MAY GO HIGHER

Eggs have come down in price during the last two or three weeks, and are now bringing from 35 to 40 cents per dozen. But not the optimism of the housewife run away with her, however, for George L. Gillingham, of Moorestown, a professional lecturer on agricultural subjects, while addressing the Pennsylvania State Horticulaural Society last week, predicted that eggs will reach $1 per dozen within the coming year. He based his prophecy upon the ever-increasing price of feed and the lack of scientific handling of the chicken business.

WANT "NEGRO" USED AS PROPER NOUN

Representative Negroes of this community have joined the nation-wide movement to have writers regard their race with the same dignity that is accorded other races and to use the word "Negro" as a proper noun instead of as an adjective, "negro." It is pointed out that the Negro as a race are entitled to the same distinction as any of the other races which are referred to by writers as proper nouns.

REPORTS SHOW MUCH WORK ACCOMPLISHED

Review of Activities of National Special Aid Given at Public Meeting

The general reports of the work accomplished and contemplated by the Plainfield branch of the National Special Aid Society since the inauguration of its recruiting campaign, shows that this active "preparedness" organization will be a valued one in case of emergency.

Mrs. J. M. Charles, chairman of headquarters, announces that since the latter were opened at 175 East Front street, on March 1, 220 workers and 175 visitors had been there. A great deal of literature had been asked for, and the increasing interest was encouraging. She stated that headquarters will be open on Tuesday evenings, as well as Thursday evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Osmun, chairman of the junior branch, reports a growing membership, now so large that it was impossible to keep up the order of having regular officers, and in the future this branch will be under the officership of the parent organization. She said that the girls are rapidly becoming as proficient as the older members in making surgical dressings.

Mrs. Austin Andrews, chairman of motor service, states that since the recent recruiting campaign her motor squad had doubled in membership, and the work of taking infantile paralysis sufferers to and from Muhlenberg Hospital is being done by these members. She also said that she was endeavoring to obtain the services of an instructor for the motor service, one who would teach the members of the squad how to meet any emergency while on duty, such as a break-down, tire trouble, etc.

Mrs. W. C. Corlell, chairman of first aid, reported the formation of a class of twenty-five members to take a course under Dr. H. D. Corbuiser for the emergency care of the wounded.

Letters of acknowledgement were received from Governor Walter E. Edge and Mayor Leighton Calkins, thanking the society for its offer of service in case of emergency.

It was announced by Mrs. Walter L. Righter, chairman of the entertainment committee, that the tickets for Ian Hay's lecture, at the High school Friday night, were selling rapidly, and she urged an early selection of tickets before the best ones are sold. Mrs. F. W. Goddard, president, closed the meeting with a pleasing address, thanking the members for their interest and enthusiasm.

The following are the letters referred to:

My dear Miss Fleming:

Governor Edge directs me to acknowledge your favor of March 3, and thank the National Special Aid Society, of Plainfield and North Plainfield Chapter, for their very kindly offer of services in case of either local or national emergency.

The Governor is deeply grateful for this evidence of a desire for patriotic service on the part of the members of this chapter, and he directs me to assure you and the members that in case of necessity the State will be glad to avail itself of your splendid offer.

Sincerely yours,
F. E. CROASDALE,
Sec. to Governor.

Dear Miss Fleming:

I have yours of the 9th inst. and greatly appreciate the action of the Board of Directors of the National Special Aid Society of Plainfield and North Plainfield in placing the services of the members of the organization at my disposal, in case of emergency.

Yours truly,
LEIGHTON CALKINS,
Mayor.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

EDGE IS TOO BUSY TO THINK OF FUTURE

While in Newark Saturday night for an hour's rest between speeches in Philadelphia in the afternoon and in Orange and Montclair in the evening, Governor Walter E. Edge smiled over a story published about his political future.

"Just say that I'm too busy being Governor of New Jersey just now to even give a thought to political movements of the future," he said. "No other answer seems necessary to the fact that some of my newspaper friends seem to find pleasure in connecting my name with the next election for United States Senator."

BOMB EXPLODED IN COURT HOUSE

Boston, Mass., March 19.—Two men are dead and two others are injured as the result of the explosion of a nitroglycerine bomb in the Suffolk County Court House at four o'clock Friday afternoon. The bomb exploded in a lavatory adjacent to the Supreme Judicial Court, Judge Williams Caleb Loring was hearing a case at the time.

The dead are: Louis A. Zielinger, janitor. Unknown man.

The injured is Daniel H. Ryan, a court officer; leg and face cut.

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Here are garments with the many smart touches and individual motifs that make them distinctive in style, and exclusive in appearance. To your appreciative eyes they will present a spectacle such as could be seen only in the most exclusive of fashion centres. And to you who have already sensed the new vogue, they will make the strongest appeal, because of the many style effects that it will be difficult to see elsewhere.

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SPRING SUITS

A new and novel style thought is presented by every model. Tailleured, dressy and sports models, around which clings the exclusive air that every well dressed woman seeks—Novel sleeves, pretty pockets, fancy trimmed collars and cuffs, and all of the other features that go to make up the stylish suit of the hour. All favored materials are represented, such as serges, gabardines, Poiret twills, Vigeraux, Jersey cloth and novelty checks and mixtures in the popular shades of gold, apple green, chartreuse, sand, Copen and navy blue, and black. Prices varying from $16.95 to $40.00.

SMART DRESSES

The most charming of Spring Frocks is but fitting compliment to the new Dresses now on display. Styles for street, afternoon and evening wear are exhibited in good numbers. Some are georgette crepe with fancy striped taffeta combined, others are of silk, crepe de chine or plain georgette. Prettily embroidered belts, sashes and collars. There are also sports dresses fashioned of the newest materials for sports wear. All in such wantable shades as navy, Copen, gold, chartreuse, tan, sand, apple green, old rose, etc. Prices from $15.95 to $50.00.

Attractive Coats

A splendid assortment of models, materials and coloring. There are coats that are lined, unlined, whilst others are partly lined, with fancy, figured silks. Smart looking models, neatly belted, and with pockets. Fashioned from popular materials, such as gabardines, coverts, Poiret twills, serges, wool velours, chamois velours, etc., in green, gold, chartreuse, Copen, navy, tan, black and other shades that are very fashionable. Prices from

$6.50 to $49.50.

THE NEW MILLINERY

Many are copies and adaptations of models from the most exclusive style creators, others, smart, chic creations of the nimble fingered milliners of our own workroom. Many novelties of superb embellishment are being shown in the season's loveliest coloring, as well as scores of exclusive and severely simple models of a more sedate order.

Our Millinery Department is now under direct supervision of Miss Lillian Rogers, who through her excellent work has established for herself a worthy reputation among the leading milliners of this country. She is with us now, and will devote her entire ability to create millinery for the fashionable women of Plainfield.

New Fashions for Children

The New Spring Styles for Children are now ready for your selection. In correct style ,quality and workmanship these garments conform a great deal to the Tepper apparel that is being sold to their elders. There are pretty dresses, smart coats, and charming hats for children. There are fabrics for school, or dress wear, in the coloring that is most fashionable. In value-giving, too, the Tepper Children's Store takes the leadership.

Lovely Blouses

Dozens of lovely new Blouses for Spring are being shown here. Materials are crepe de chine, Georgette crepe, silks of different grades, and the finest of voiles and lingerie. The models are very striking. Color combinations are superb. Many are the new and novel effects of the embroidery, lace and bead trimmings. The shades used most effectively with the new suits or separate skirts are flesh, white, gold and green. Prices will please your pocketbook.

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THE STORE OF SERVICE

A story is told concerning a visit of Paderewski to an English country house, where one afternoon a countess remarked to the famous pianist: "Oh, Mr. Paderewski, you play, don't you?"

"Yes, madame," the master replied.

"Then," said the countess, "would you mind turning my daughter's music?"

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MAKE URGENT APPEAL FOR HOOVER FUND

United Effort Being Made to Save the Lives of Millions of Starving Belgians

Plainfield women who have become interested in the Hoover Fund which is being raised to prevent so far as possible the starvation of the Belgians, and especially the one million children of that country who are in great need of food, are making an urgent appeal for help. A meeting held in this city last week which was addressed by Mrs. Vernon Kellogg, of New York, resulted in arousing considerable interest and plans are now being formulated whereby the support of a certain number of children will be pledged.

The appeal cites the fact that the million Belgian children must have an extra ration each day or they will die of slow starvation. One dollar a month will supply this extra ration and save a child. The appeal comes to the United States to furnish the money and save these children. It comes from Herbert Hoover, chairman of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, from the Pope in a letter to Cardinal Gibbons and other influential men. Through the combined efforts of American people it is hoped to raise $1,000,000 a month for this work.

Theodore Roosevelt, in a letter written to the Rocky Mountain Club to aid in the raising of its Hoover Fund for Belgian Relief, says that "the nation that turns a deaf ear to the sufferings of ten million people, including a million and a quarter children, is committing moral suicide.

"I should like to see every school house in the west a collecting agency for this fund. I should like to see every Sunday school interested. I should like to see in every city and village a central agency collecting and forwarding relief. I should like to see every social gathering wind up with a Belgian collection. I cannot say more. I should be ashamed to say less."

Home from Hospital

Miss Mae Curran, of 943 Arlington avenue, has returned from Muhlenberg Hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

LOCAL RESIDENTS ENJOYING FLORIDA

A Little Account of Their Sojourn at Florence Villa, in Tropical Surroundings

Writing from Florida, Alfred Zimmerman, of Park avenue, gives an interesting account of his trip with Mrs. Zimmerman, mentioning some sights that travellers often miss. He says:

"From a trip of the Oklawaha river, with its striking scenic features, in a fifty foot launch, where alligators and wild birds are in the native haunts; the river being about as wide as a street, making a thousand turns in its course of 137 miles, the visitor ends a day's journey at Silver Springs, where fish can be seen through glass-bottomed boats.

"We are located at Florence Villa, where a colony of northern people is located. This is delightfully situated in the lake region of the State, and a better managed hotel would be difficult to find. Fruit is seen on every hand. The trees in this locality were not affected by the cold snap that destroyed much fruit elsewhere in Florida, and the trees bend under their burden of luscious grape fruit, oranges, tangerines, and the like.

"The temperature is about 85, and the bathers have great sport at the lake just at the foot of the hills near the Villa."

Mr. Zimmerman will continue his journey to the East Coast resorts, and return home from Key West.

On the register of the Florence Villa were several Plainfielders, including Mrs. L. DeGraff, Mr. and Mrs. James W. DeGraff, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGee.

LOCOMOTIVES FOR RUSSIA

Special to the Courier-News:

Philadelphia, March 19.—The Baldwin Locomotive Works have in hand contracts for a large number of locomotives for Russia, previously reported. Officials of the company say they feel no apprehensions over the recent turn of affairs in Petrograd, as the President of the Duma remains at the head of the Government, and the Duma authorized the purchase of these locomotives.

FASHIONS at the FACTORY

We extend a cordial invitation to you to visit the Factory this week, and our large assortment of new Spring Styles in

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ADVENTURE IN AIR BEFORE GERMAN LINES

A letter to F. H. Andrews gives a most thrilling adventure in the air before the German lines. The following is a part of the letter:

"I want to tell you about something which happened here recently. We had three machines on patrol long portions of our lines. I was the second machine. When we were a little nearer than usual they fired several shots at us. I saw the second burst just between the booms of the car ahead, cutting the control of the machine. The result was that the machine started off in a great spiral dive, hopelessly out of control. Watching it go down, and wondering how it would land, was one of my most thrilling experiences.

The pilot's only chance of a safe landing was to get it out of the spin, so as to glide safely down. The spin was caused because one wing was higher than the other, and the controls to rectify this were gone. Watching from above we saw him get out of the spin and glide straight down. He did this by having his observer leave his seat, and climbing over him, crawl out on the wing. This sounds simple, but, in fact, no one who has not flown can know what it means. It requires courage and coolness of the highest order. The slightest slip meant death, while success meant that they both landed safely. He certainly deserves decoration of some sort. He has earned it."

Premises Sold

The premises, 210 West Fifth street, sold by acution by Robert Murray on Saturday afternoon, was purchased by James McCarthy, of Richmond street. The attendance at the sale was large and the bidding spirited.

FORMER GOVERNOR FORT BEGINS WORK ON COMMISSION

Former Governor J. Franklin Fort, who has been confirmed as a member of the Federal Trade Commission, went to Washington last week to take up his duties, but he will not be sworn in and officially begin work until this week, when he and Mrs. Fort will arrange to take up their residence in Washington.

STYLE SHOW

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LOCAL BUSINESS MAN'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. William Bloom, of 152 Lenox avenue, New York, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel, to Meyer Litman, of this city. Mr. Litman is a member of the firm of Prussin & Litman, of North avenue, this city.

BURIAL OF AN INFANT

The funeral of Sarah McElarney, three months old, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McElarney, of West Third street, who died on Saturday night, was held this afternoon and the interment was made in St. Peter's cemetery, New Brunswick.

The Poor

By WALT MASON, The Peel-Philosopher

"I cannot give the poor a cent," remarks the portly, stallfed gent, who's just consumed a pie; "it turns my auburn ringlets gray to make ends meet from day to day, all prices are so high. Just glance along that bill of fare, and note the prices ruling there, on canvasback and teal; mark how things cost to beat the band, and then perhaps you'll understand why I can't spare a wheel. Planked steaks with French imported peas, and all such staple things as these, that every man must eat, are costing now so many wheels the woe-begone consumer feels a coldness in his feet. Without such things as mushroom sance my victuals are a total loss, and they've gone up in price; I shudder, too, as well I may, recalling what I have to pay for bottles on the ice. A man must feed before he thinks of handing out to needy ginks a portion of his kale, and he has little left, I swear, when he has paid for Belgian hare, for oyster stews and quail. I'd help the poor, as well as you, if lofty sentiments would do, instead of silver dimes. Now I must eat a slab of beef, while I deplore the woe and grief of these outlandish times."

On the Wagon

A legion recently swore off; they said, "We've had a-plenty; no more we'll crowd up to the trough, and guzzle S. Frumenti." And now, while yet the pledge is young, they suffer every minute, and from a cask they'd knock the bung, and drink the liquid in it. Cheer up—this epoch is the worst, the first few weeks of striving to curb a million dollar thirst, and keep the pledge surviving. That thirst, by years of effort built, is not at once dejected; but in a little while 'twill wilt, when finding it's neglected. The day will come, as from the dump you keep on gallivanting, when water from the village pump will seem to you enchanting. Though water seems upon the blink, until you're on the wagon, you never poured a better drink into a cup or flagon. When you're as glad to see a mug of undiluted water, as you were glad to see a jug of booze that made you totter, your million dollar thirst is tanned, your troubles all to bliss turn, and you will join the gladsome band that whoops around the cistern.

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QUESTION WHO WILL BE ARTILLERY MAJOR

"Who will be the major in command of the field artillery battalion of New Jersey?" is a question asked frequently, in military circles since the return of Battery C from the border. New Jersey has had a battalion of artillery—three batteries—since last spring, but the rush for the border and the separation of the troops has prevented any election being held for major. Now that C is back in quarters with Battery A in East Orange and Battery B is at its home station at Camden, the call from the adjutant general for an election is being awaited.

That New Jersey has a battalion of artillery is principally due to the efforts of Captain Claude E. Lantesman, commander of Battery A, who worked and planned until he succeeded in getting permission to split Battery A into two batteries, thus creating C.

Battery A was ordered to Douglas, Ariz., with Battery B. C went to Tobyhanna, Pa., and then started for the border when the other batteries were on their way home.

Thus the officers of the three batteries were not together and for some reason the adjutant general used this as an excuse to postpone an election. By virtue of seniority of commission Captain Samuel G. Barnard of Battery B was commander of the two batteries.

CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney on the house occupied by C. A. King, 911 Watchung avenue, was discovered on fire at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The firemen put out the blaze with chemicals. The damage was slight.

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LEGISLATORS TO HAVE BUSY WEEK

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 19.—Sunday "movies," golf crews, State police, the Kates local option bill, the Burley boxing bill, tax reform, the Morgan civil service reform measure, the Pierson municipal finance bills and the bill to enable the State House Commission to engage Gen. George W. Goethals as State Engineer, are a few of the big propositions that will come before the Legislature this week. Both Houses will meet at 8 o'clock tonight for the final week's work of the session. Next Friday, probably very late at night, the Legislature will take a recess until Friday, March 30. Then the law-makers will return to pass the appropriation bills and act on Governor Edge's vetoes, adjourning sine day that day.

LEFT ASSETS OF $564.64

Miss Eliza M. Bloodgood, sister of Martha B. Day, of Westfield, left $564.64 in assets and $602.38 in liabilities when she died intestate on November 30 last, which fact is shown by an appraisal of the estate filed in the Surrogate's Court, New York, today. The assets consist of $100 in personal effects, $431.78 in the Westfield Trust Company and $52.86 in the Greenwich Savings Bank, New York.

ST. PATRICK'S PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Asa F. Randolph, of Central avenue, entertained a company of friends at a St. Patrick's Day party at their home Saturday evening when an informal program, marked by many pleasing features, was enjoyed, followed by refreshments. There were about twenty guests.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Margaret M. Depew, wife of E. Henry Depew, complainant, and William F. Kirk and Lucy Steele Kirk, his wife, and Robert A. Fairbairn, defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All that tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey. Beginning at a point in the middle of East Fourth Street, distant in a North Easterly course one hundred and forty-seven and forty-one hundredths (147.41) feet from the centre line of Sycamore Street and corner of land of Thomas Thatcher, thence running along his line in a South Easterly course at a right angles to Fourth Street, one hundred and seventy-six and seventy-one hundredths (176.71) feet to a stake and corner in line of Lynch's lot; thence running along her line, and other land of the party of the first part, in a North Easterly course forty-five and four one hundredths (45.04) feet to a stake and making a corner for the parties hereto; thence running in a North Westerly course and parallel with the first line one hundred and seventy-nine and four one hundredths (179.04) feet, more or less, to a stake in the middle of East Fourth Street; thence running along the middle of said East Fourth Street in a South Westerly course forty-five feet to the place of beginning.

GEORGE C. OTTO, Sheriff.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Peoples Bank & Trust Company, a corporation, complainant, and Jennie G. F. Runkle and Harry B. Runkle, her husband, defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1917,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, together with the buildings erected thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of Seventh Street, distant three hundred and eighty and five tenths (380.5) feet northwesterly from the intersection of formerly Brooklyn Avenue, now Plainfield Avenue, and Eighth Street; and running from thence along the centre line of Eighth Street north forty-seven degrees, twenty-six minutes and three hundred and thirteen and three tenths (313.3) feet to a point; thence (2) south forty-five degrees, thirty-four minutes east two hundred and sixty-seven and two hundred and sixty-seven tenths (267.27) feet to a stake and corner of a lot sold to one Wright; thence (3) running along his line north eighty-nine degrees, forty-five minutes west one hundred and seventy-six and five tenths (176.5) feet to a stake and corner of Wrighton's land in the middle of formerly Division Street, now Plaid Avenue; thence (4) southeasterly along the centre line of said Avenue two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-five hundredths (256.65) feet to a point which is distant two hundred thirty-one and sixty-one hundredths (231.61) feet northeasterly from the intersection of the centre lines of Plaid and Stelle Avenues; thence (5) south eighty-three degrees, five minutes west and parallel with Stelle Avenue four hundred and twenty and eighty-one hundredths (420.81) feet to a stake; thence (6) north degrees, forty-five minutes west a distance of ninety-five and seventy-five hundredths (95.75) feet to a point; thence (7) north forty-two degrees, thirty-four minutes west two hundred and eighty-seven and forty-five hundredths (287.45) of a foot to the centre line of Eighth Street and the place of beginning.

GEORGE C. OTTO, Sheriff.

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LOCAL A. O. H. AT ANNUAL VESPERS

Attended Services Last Evening at St. Mary's Church, Fr. Shanley Preaching

The members of Division No. 4, A. O. H., and the two local women's auxiliaries of that order, last evening attended solemn vespers and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's Church. In addition to these orders, members of Watchung Council, No. 552, K. of C., Holy Name Societies, and St. Mary's T. A. B. Society were in attendance in bodies at the service.

Rev. Father John Baldwin was the celebrant, Rev. Father Henry Mahoney the deacon, and the Rev. Father Walter A. Hennessey acted as subdeacon.

Rev. T. J. Shanley, one of the best and most widely known of the Catholic clergy of New York, delivered the sermon of the evening, speaking at length on Irish history and the life of St. Patrick, and the great influence of that saint upon the subsequent history of the Irish race.

The members of the local Ancient Order of Hibernians partook of Holy Communion at the 7:30 mass yesterday morning.

FIRST PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER BURIED HERE

Miss Sarah R. Morse, formerly of this city, who died at her home in New York on Friday, was buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Plainfield, yesterday afternoon.

Miss Morse was the first teacher of Plainfield's first public school, teaching in 1847 and 1848 in the school that then stood on the site of the present Franklin school. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Morse, who resided between this city and Bound Brook. She left Plainfield about twenty years ago. She was eighty years old at the time of her death. She leaves a nephew, Frederick R. Morse, of Lebanon.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN LECTURE

An illustrated stereopticon lecture in the interests of foreign missions will be delivered by the Rev. P. Frasberg, of Upsala College, at the Swedish Lutheran church, East Seventh street, Thursday evening of this week. No admittance fee will be charged, but an offering for mission work will be taken.

BRITLING'S GOD IS DISCUSSED

Dr. Herring Compares Him to God of Scripture in Sermon Last Evening

Dr. Herring, preaching in the First Presbyterian church, took for his theme, last night, "Mr. Britling's God and the God of the Scriptures," saying in substance:

"Who is Mr. Britling and what care we for his idea of God? Is not the God of Scripture good enough for us? Yes, but it has been suggested that half a million people will adopt this kind of a god.

"Well, here is Mr. Britling's faith: He has worked it out of his experiences of Europe's great war.

"My God is not the Maker of heaven and earth—that is the Jew God the Christians took over—not my God. My God is limited and human like ourselves. A finite God, who struggles in His great and comprehensive way as we struggle in our weak and silly way. He is not almighty, but struggling to be almighty. Get into the fight with Him.

"If I thought there was an omnipotent God who looked down on battles and death and all the waste and horror of this war, able to prevent these things, doing them to amuse Himself—I would spit in His empty face.

"What is the matter with this religion?

"I—If Mr. Britling all through his life had been a man of a deeply religious life, he would not have uttered such a creed. He cared nothing for the church, and when the crisis comes and he loses his son, he finds he has laid up for himself no religious experience and he suddenly shapes a creed for himself not based on the Bible, but on Henri Bergson's 'Creative Evolution.' Perhaps those eight mild heart affairs after his marriage stood in the way of his being deeply religious.

"2—When Mr. Britling speaks of a God who has brought on this war for his own amusement, he sets up a Deity which no sane man believes—and which is embodied in no church creed. God is not indifferent to the world's suffering. Jesus Christ and His message is the evidence of that. It is the sin, the indifference and the greed of men and nations which have brought on the world this sad condition of things, and we believe that out of it all there will come a better order of things—that these agonies are but the birth throes of a new and higher social order."

Columbians Will Hold Easter Dance

Watchung Council, No. 552, Knights of Columbus, will hold a dance Easter Monday night, April 9. A large committee has been appointed to have charge of the affair.

WEAK FROM GRIPPE

Home Missionary Tells How She Restored Her Strength.

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GIVES PARTY IN HONOR OF MISS JULIA MARKS

Miss Katherine Himmelfarb, of New street, entertained at her home yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Julia Marks, of New York, dancing, vocal and instrumental music being features of the occasion. Edward Marks gave selections on the violin and there were piano numbers by Miss Margaret Gallagher and Paul Pope. There was also Victrola music. Refreshments were served following the program.

The guests included Herman Rosenthal, of South Orange; Isadore Bagin, of New York; Harvey Weinparten, of Perth Amboy; the Misses Julia Marks, of New York; Anna Hillstein, of Westfield, Margaret Gallagher, Rose Gould, Sadye Richards, Bessie Schiff, Sadye Epstein, Dorothy Berger, Katherine Himmelfarb, Mr. and Mrs. William Bagner, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Himmelfarb, Edward Marks, Louis Sklarew, Leon Hoffman, Paul Pope and Kerwyn Warrington, of Plainfield.

EVONA CHAPEL NOTES

There will be Bible study in Evona Chapel tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The topic will be "The Period of the Foreign Rulers." Robert Love will lead.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The topic will be "Traps." Robert Love will lead.

The mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening will be addressed by Mrs. William Larsen.

A special program is being arranged for the Easter service on the evening of Sunday, April 8.

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MARY PICKFORD TWO DAYS AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE

Miss Mary Pickford, Famous Players-Paramount Star.

Today and tomorrow Proctor's Theatre presents Mary Pickford in the foremost motion picture favorite her latest subject, "A Poor Little Rich Girl." It is a tale of particular heart appeal, offering many smiles and situations of humane charm. "A Poor Little Rich Girl" affords the incomparable Mary Pickford in a screen play which allows ample opportunity to portray touching situations as only she can. Gwendolyn, the "poor little rich girl," is so called for her wealth and material comforts and her poverty in the happiness and affection she craves, who is denied the actual pleasures of childhood through her selfish parents who are too busy with their own ambitions to realize their child is unhappy.

In addition to "A Poor Little Rich Girl" these two days, Mrs. Vernon Castle will appear in "Patria," also the latest Hearst Pathe News and exclusive motion pictures of the cornerstone laying of Plainfield's new city hall. The latter shows remarkable views of all the societies and individuals who were present on that occasion.

BON TON GIRLS TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

There is said to be more class and dash to the performances of the "New Bon Ton Girls" than to any other organization which will be seen here this season. Devotees of high-class burlesque will have an opportunity of judging for themselves tonight when this aggregation will hold the stage of the Plainfield Theatre.

There are no better exponents of fun and frolic than Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen and Babe LaTour, who are foremost in the cast. Others who may be depended on to qualify as entertainers of worth include Gladys Parker, June La Veigh and Calhahan and Jackson. The latter do a whirlwind dance that is said to be cyclonic in its swiftness and charm.

The chorus, which is always a potent factor with this show, is composed of young and pretty girls who are especially graceful and accomplished. The management has provided an environment of superb stage settings and elaborate costumes. There are more than twenty catchy musical numbers in the two-act burlesque.

Babe La Tour, with the "Bon Tons" at the Plainfield Theatre tonight

VAUDEVILLE TOMORROW AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Amelia Somerville, known to thousands of theatre-goers all over the country, and star in a number of Broadway productions in recent years, occupies the position at the top of the vaudeville bill at the Plainfield Theatre tomorrow and Wednesday. She entertains with a number of the latest song hits, as well as a host of catchy stories.

All through the week special features will provide extra attractions to the usual bill. Tomorrow will be "Country Store," and advance information has leaked out that potatoes and other valuables will be distributed along with the gold pieces. Wednesday night will see the inauguration of something new in the shape of "contest night." Diving for pieces of money in a pan of flour or water is one of the laughable features. On Thursday night there will be nine acts of vaudeville on the "tryout" program. The entire bill will also be changed Thursday.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENT

Annette Kellerman at Hippodrome

Annette Kellerman is one of this year's most ardent skating devotees and Charlotte, who has just returned to the Hippodrome, counts swimming her second best bet in the line of sports—after skating. The fair Charlotte is permitted to use the Hippodrome ice pond two mornings each week for practice and she has invited the divine Venus to share the frozen surface with her. In return, the famous Annette of form divine has said to Miss Oelschlegel, "You may use my private tank."

STATE POLICE NOT NEEDED

Former Assemblyman Anderson Says Every Community Can Take Care of Itself

Having organized a police force of more than 100 men, serving without pay, to preserve the peace in North Plainfield township, of which he was chairman of the Township Committee for many years, former Assemblyman William Delaroche Anderson announces that there is no justification for the Legislature passing a State constabulary bill and creating a police force which can only be used for one purpose, and that purpose is to settle labor troubles.

Mr. Anderson ridicules the survey of the State Chamber of Commerce and its effort to show that large sections of the State have no police protection, and for that reason there should be a State constabulary. He says that the law and order of these communities is just as good as the people want, and if there are no police it is simply because there has been no demand for such a force and indicates that the community is law-abiding. He points out that the sheriff of any county may summon every male citizen above fifteen years of age, who is not infirm, to assist in upholding the law and further declares that there is no more reason why a State police force should be supplied for the rural districts than there is for asking the State to police the city of Plainfield and relieve the community of maintaining a police force by local tax assessments.

Mr. Anderson's statement is as follows:

"The State of New Jersey needs a State constabulary about as much as the full moon needs a coat of lustrous paint. New Jersey is one of the most peaceful Industrial States of the Union and the rare occasions on which such a body would be needed and useful are so rare as to make the cost of maintenance between times prohibitive and uneconomic. The only case of serious disorder that I can call to mind recall that was not effectively handled by local authority was in Middlesex county, where the sheriff called in outsiders as a constabulary with very deplorable results. He could have summoned citizens of the county who would undoubtedly have done better.

"There is certainly no demand in this section of the State for this innovation, and as far as I have been able to observe, the principal demand at Trenton comes from certain corporate interests who, through their attorneys and lobbyists, are urging the passage of legislation on the subject. The solution of law and order is the willingness of citizens to serve law and order and not that method which creates new expense burdens and is unnecessarily cumbersome and formal and one that simply creates another organization to become a political asset and party perquisite.

"I am one of those who believe that under our form of government every citizen has a public responsibility and a public duty which he owes and which I believe he is willing to assume, whether it be military training and service, police duty or any other service. Every community can provide police protection to all within its borders."

NEUTRALS RAISE NO OBJECTION AGAINST ARMED SHIPS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 19.—The State Department has heard nothing of reported objections by European neutrals, particularly Holland, against armed American merchantmen entering their ports.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

Pending Legislation Affecting Business.

The extent to which the government may go in using business property for public purposes in case of emergency, and also the situations which business men must keep in mind in a crisis like the present in connection with their selling and other operations, is indicated by House Bill 20779, now pending in the House of Representatives.

The Bill provides, among other things, that in time of war, or of national emergencies to be determined by the President, the President is authorized:

(a.) To compel any person or corporation to construct or manufacture any ships or war material which may be required by the Secretary of the Navy, and which are of the kind usually produced or capable of being produced by such person or corporation. Such orders must be complied with to the exclusion of all other business, and at a price to be determined by the Secretary of the Navy.

(b.) To modify or cancel any existing contract for the building, production or purchase of ships or war material.

(c.) To require the owner of any factory in which ships or war material are built or produced to place the whole or any part of the output, of such factory at the disposal of the United States.

When it is borne in mind that war material includes all of the raw and manufactured products entering into the maintenance of the navy organization, including clothing, food, arms, medical supplies, etc., it is readily perceivable that practically the entire business of the nation is subject to call under the terms of the Bill in question.

While the Bill in question imposes startling powers upon the nation's Executive, its constitutionality, as a measure of national protection and emergency, is not open to serious question.

Proper provision is made in the Bill for compensation to all persons whose property, factories, or materials may be appropriated under the terms of the Bill.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 19.

French attacks checked on Dead Man's hill. Heavy and close fighting occurred at Dollaumont, near Vaux.

Russians started a new drive in the Vilna district.

Four German seaplanes dropped bombs on the southeast coast of England, killing nine persons; one of the machines brought down by a British aviator.

Two Years Ago Today.

Farthest westward drive of the czar's armies in East Prussia reached Memel, a Baltic port.

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1917.

ALIENS AND THE VOTE

The attitude of the United States toward children and aliens and their relations to citizenship presents a strange contrast. We spend money by the million to educate children for the protection of republican institutions. We all understand perfectly that a democratic government is not practicable unless popular intelligence exists. Meanwhile millions of aliens have come in, and in most States have acquired the suffrage even though a very large part of them can't read. If it is necessary to educate children for citizenship, why not aliens also? Of course, night schools are kept in many places, but the majority of illiterates are not within reach of these schools. There will never be good government while any considerable element is unable to read the ballot and the newspapers, so as to become intelligent in public matters.

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WOULD HASTEN PREPAREDNESS

Congressman Frederick W. Dallinger of Massachusetts believes that Congress should be guided by expert advice from the War Department in allotting appropriations for the army and that it may be exceedingly dangerous for members to attempt economies in directions which may seem to them perfectly safe. "We ought to give the War Department in this crisis everything it asks for," declares Mr. Dallinger, "and then, if it does not give us the guns and ammunition required we can hold it responsible." Government arsenals should be working three shifts, in Mr. Dallinger's opinion, so that we can have an adequate supply of arms and ammunition to meet any emergency that may confront us.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The danger of looking under the bed at night is not so much that you may find a German spy as that you will see considerable dirt left by Mary Ann.

In the selection of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch as regent, to succeed his brother, Czar Nicholas, who abdicated the throne, it would appear there is one "itch" in the royal family that was not scratched, in making up the list of eligibles for places in the government.

One reason for the high cost of food is the national custom of presenting the pigs, through the garbage pail, a lot of stuff that in other countries would be considered nourishing and appetizing.

The man who takes off his hat the instant the "Star-Spangled Banner" is played is not necessarily the first to enlist when war comes.

Night sessions of Congress and a snore from any member is considered an affirmative vote.

Among the food riots are those that occur in the pantry every 15 minutes after school closes.

The latest crop of food price investigations will come along quite conveniently for politicians who are out of a job.

It is hard lines for public official who merely gives good service and pleases the people without bestirring himself to do political work for those who protect him.

That mysterious diagram that you pick up on the streets is not always some spy's drawing of our fortifications, but may simply be the Chinaman's laundry check.

Still there are said to be 100,000 spies operating in this country, and if they keep on spring you will have to go to the cemetery to count some of them.

It's a mystery why some people will gamble when there is a sure thing in buying up some food supply and then starting a fake scare that it is going to be short.

The decline in the production of meat, corn, wheat, etc., did not worry the girls any, but the effect of the shortage of sugar on candy production must have caused some emotion.

AERIES OF NORTH JERSEY TO MEET

The aeries of northern New Jersey will hold a meeting in the home of Newark Aerie on April 10. The principal object of the meeting is to complete arrangements for the State convention, of the order to be held in Wildwood, July 6, 6 and 7. Grand Worthy Vice President Frederick Hughes will officially represent the Grand Aerie and will address the gathering on the benefits derived from State organization.

Other speakers will be Past Worthy President Fred M. Smith, New Jersey's candidate for grand worthy vice president at the next national convention; State President James E. Desmond, of Elizabeth; State Secretary John C. Coffey, of Passaic; Past Worthy President James W. McCarthy, of Jersey City, and State Conductor Siegler, of Progress Aerie.

A determined effort will be made to make the State convention one of the greatest ever held by the order. Assurances have been received that a committee from Wildwood Aerie will be present to explain in detail the program of events for the convention.

ART ASSOCIATION IS ORGANIZED

A meeting of the Plainfield Art Association, an organization to further public interest in the arts of painting, sculpture and architecture in Plainfield by holding exhibitions, lectures, etc., was held in Miss Edith Van Boskerck's Rookery on Saturday evening, March 17. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. C. B. Tober; vice-president, Mrs. Henry Weltz; treasurer, J. Fred Zerega; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Goddard.

Jonas Lie, of New York, gave an informal talk on the need and value of such an organization in Plainfield. Already there are about fifty enrolled members. Any one interested in such a movement in Plainfield may become an active member by paying two dollars a year and sending his name to any of the officers.

ST. JOSEPH'S PLAY TO BE GIVEN APRIL 11

The play to be given by the Chi Gamma Chi Club of St. Joseph's church in St. Joseph's Hall tonight has been postponed until Wednesday, April 11, owing to the illness of a member of the cast. It was erroneously stated in Saturday's issue that the play would be given Wednesday night of this week. Those who have purchased tickets for this affair may use them on the night of April 11.

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RECREATION NOTES

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday Afternoon
Guild of Play, Bryant school.
Athletic games, Jefferson school.

Monday Evening
Girls' Recreation Club, Washington school.
West End Boys' Club, High school.
Band rehearsal, Washington school.
Boy Scouts, Stillman school.
Game room, Washington school.

Tuesday Afternoon
Piano Class, Whittier school.
Guild of Play, Bryant school.
Athletic games, Washington school.

Tuesday Evening
Athenian Club, High school.
Zephyr Club High school.
Boy Scout Troop No. 7, High school.
Dressmaking class, Washington school.
Dancing class, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

Wednesday Afternoon
Guild of Play, Washington school.
Athletic games, Evergreen Avenue school.

Wednesday Evening
Alumni Men's Club, High school.
West End Boys' Club, High school.

Thursday Afternoon
Athletic games, Franklin school.
Athletic games, Bryant school.
Guild of Play, Irving school.

Thursday Evening
Boy Scouts, Lincoln school.

Friday Afternoon
Piano class, Whittier school.
Guild of Play, Stillman school.
Athletic games, Irving school.

Friday Evening
Ladies' swimming class, High school pool.
Night School Men's Gym class, High school.
Recreation Five Club, High school.
Band rehearsal, Washington school.
Dunbar dance, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

Saturday Morning
Athletic games, Bryant school.

Saturday Evening
Municipal dance, Washington school.
Game room, Washington school.

REWARD FOR MISSING EXPRESS CLERK

The American Express Company at Perth Amboy has offered a reward of $200 for information leading to the arrest of John McDonough, clerk of the company, who is alleged to have stolen $10,000 from the safe at the Perth Amboy station of the Central Railroad Company on Thursday night. It was learned that McDonough was bonded by the company, but for only $2,000. The search for him is being conducted by the detective force of the express company.

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ONDERDONK—Died at Philadelphia, Pa., on March 17, 1917, John P. Onderdonk, aged 79 years. Funeral service at the First Baptist Church, New Brunswick, N. J., on Wednesday, March 21, at 2:30 p. m. Please omit flowers. 3-19-2t

CURRAN—On March 18th, 1917, John J. Curran. Funeral from the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary A. Higgins, 469 West Front street, Tuesday, March 20th, at 8:30 o'clock; high mass of requiem at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery.

VAIL—At his residence, 427 East Fifth street, on Seventh day, 3rd month, 17, 1917, Adelbert Vail, in his 83d year. Services at the Friends Meeting House on Third day, 3d month, 20, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in the Friends Cemetery. 3-17-2t

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MAN with capital will purchase or take interest in prosperous business. Write "A," care Courier-News. 3-17-4t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

FOR EXCHANGE

WANT TO EXCHANGE for Jersey City property, 8-room house, has some improvements and 2-story store property, for small farm around Plainfield; the property is worth $4,500; my equity is $2,500; fine chance for workingman; we are 12 minutes from New York; convenient to any part of New Jersey. Answer to owner, J. R., 42 Ravine avenue, Jersey City Heights. 3-17-2t

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local. W. R. Way. 3-16-7t

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-gist. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres tillable; seven rooms; garage. 'Phone 1444-M, Fanwood. 3-15-1m

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WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address: 149 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED—Ford or Buick car about, not later than 1915; no junk. Box 221, Fanwood, N. J.

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FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

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BUILDING LOT Cameron avenue; street improvements; no reasonable offer refused. De Roner, 173 North avenue. 3-19-3t

111-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook; five acres woodland, large brook, 1,000 peach trees; 10-room house, outbuildings, silo; fine condition; $125 per acre; easy terms; exchange for desirable income property considered. Particulars, P. O. Box 334, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-19-6t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 215 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Young man, farm experience, desires permanent position, caretaker, gentleman's estate. Address "M. J. Caretaker," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

POSITION WANTED by experienced farmer and gardener. Frederick Gutman, Box 655, Metuchen.

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

GARDENER desires position on private estate; none but those looking for a real practical man need apply. Box 14, care Courier-News. State particulars in first letter. 3-19-3t

CHAUFFEUR wishes a position; private family; good driver; 12 years' experience; practical automobile mechanic. J. K., 59 Somerset street. 3-19-3t

GARDENER open for engagement; thorough experience in all branches under glass and out-doors. "T. H. M.," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

EXPERIENCED man desires place as watchman or general helper, good references furnished. Address "A. B. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

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GARDEN FREE—Use my plot, about 50x75, for raising vegetables; allow me some for table; between Watchung and Westervelt. Address "Vegetables," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

LADY TEACHER of violin and mandolin; special attention given beginners; violin 75c; mandolin, 50c. Address "Violin," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

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HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Camelo Clothing Store, 82 Somerset street, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—Man during the summer for garden work by the day. Apply evenings, 650 West Seventh street. 2-14-tf

WANTED—At once, first-class automobile mechanic; must have satisfactory reference; steady work and good wages; appointment by telephone. 755 Elizabeth, Elizabeth Automobile Co. 3-17-3t

WANTED—Machinists and tool makers. We have made additions to our plant. Highest wages; good opportunities; lasting positions; no munitions; preference given to non-union men. Write for application blanks or apply De Laval Steam Turbine Company, Trenton, New Jersey. 3-17-6-m-tf

MEN—Ammunition plant, $2.80 for 7½ hours work; boarding accommodations; no strike. 104 Halsey street, Newark. 3-17-3t

MACHINISTS WANTED—Familiar with heavy engine work. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

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HIGH SCHOOL BOY to work in auto supply store after school and Saturdays. Reply stating age and reference, "Opportunity," Box 19, care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Watchman or helper in shop. Address "A. B. B.," care Courier-News: 3-17-2t

STENOGRAPHER, good English, rapid operator, one familiar with purchasing records and routine preferred; permanent position. Address "A. B. C.," care Courier-News. 3-19-5t

WANTED—An active man for garage, 1 p. m. to 12 night. Laing's Garage.

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell lubricating oil, grease, specialties and paint; part or whole time; commission basis until ability is established; permanent position and wide field when qualified if desired; man with rig preferred. Riverside Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio. 3-17-3t

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition; Telephone 719-M. 3-28-tf

USED CARS FOR SALE—Ford touring, model T, $200; Marathon touring, 1912, $225; Chalmers 36, 1913, $350; Chevrolet Baby Grand, $450; Abbott-Detroit touring, 1914, $525; Studebaker Six touring, 1916, $550; Oldsmobile 8, demonstrator, $850; Cole 8, demonstrator, $1,250. All in first-class condition and guaranteed as represented. The A. & S. Motors Company, 337 West Front street at Central avenue. 3-15-4t

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 2-21-1m

CONTRALTO, experienced, would like position as soloist in church choir. "Contralto," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

POSITION as companion, home or traveling, or in any capacity where an educational cultured woman could be of service. Address Box 522, Dunellen. 3-17-2t

COLORED WOMAN wants position as cook and is willing to do other work. Maggie Barber, 'phone 2504-W. 3-17-2t

CHAUFFEUR wants position, private or commercial; reference. Address "N," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bill fold containing $16 in bills. Return to Reynolds' butcher shop, South Plainfield. 3-19-3t

LOST — From automobile, pair knitted bed room slippers, between Muhlenberg Hospital and Elizabeth. Return Courier-News. 3-19-3t

LOST—Auto license No. 59119. Please notify Mrs. J. R. Truell. 'Phone 186. 3-19-2t

LOST—Thursday, March 15th, an Airedale terrier, answers to the name of Dixie; last seen on Somerset street around 10 a. m. Reward if returned to Dr. Eaton, Watchung. 3-17-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in warehouse auditorium over J. W. Gavett's china store, 318 West Front street, being used as temporary auction rooms by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for displaying goods. The above mentioned sale will comprise several van loads of fine household goods and part storage and must be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 22, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, one 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany davenport, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three fine brass beds, three couches, several enameled white iron beds, one mahogany bed, one bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, almost new oak chiffoniers, two almost new pianolas, attachments, a number of rolls of music, one onyx clock, one marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, sizes 9x12, 8x10 and 1x2; two cabinet graphophones, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, lot crockery, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon to all purchasers. Robert Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-tf

CORNISH Game and White Wyandotte eggs, $1.25 setting. E. S. Bird, 26-A Walnut street. 3-14-16-19

FOR SALE—16-ft. semi-speed boat, with salt water fittings; this boat has never been in the water. 'Phone 111-W. 3-19-3t

FRESH COWS and springers, Holsteins, Guernseys and Jerseys. Come and see; a good lot. E. L. Van Deren, East Main street, Somerville, N. J. 9-24-tf

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching, $1.25 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-22-tf

JERSEY COWS and calves, also Berkshire pigs for sale. Apply Thomas Whalen, Supt. Geo. P. Mellick's Farm, Woodland avenue, adjoining Country Club. 3-17-2t

FOR SALE—1,500 feet of 5-foot chicken wire, post and railing, all new last September; price $12. 1308 South avenue. 3-19-2t

KITCHEN, bell-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Furmann, 625 South Second street. 1-29-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 15c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. Phone 2585-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 3, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cockerels, prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of wagons, carts, plows, harrows, cultivators, mower, reaper, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, blacksmith forge, anvil, stump dynamiting machine, and other articles of use on a farm. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 2-17-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; price reasonable. Greesbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-25-tf

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FOR SALE—Three silent salesman show cases. Dudley S. Miller Co., 401 Park avenue. 3-16-3t

FOR SALE—Horse and wagon, coffee mill, Hobart electric cash register and safe, all in good condition. "Grocer," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—White baby carriage, cheap, in first-class condition. Apply 130 West Fourth street. 3-17-2t

FOR SALE—Fine Guernsey cow, just fresh with calf. Box 264 Dunellen, N. J. 3-17-3t

FOR SALE—Some furniture. 'Phone 1819-R. 3-19-3t

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 922 South avenue. 2-26-tf

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

LARGE lot of poultry for sale, several breeds, prices low; table eggs 40c dozen. Wanted, "Old Trusty" incubators; mottled Anconas and Silver Campines. Marshall, 21 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1556-R. 3-17-4t

PHILO chicken coop and wire for sale. 'Phone 187-J. 3-19-3t

FOR SALE—20, Rhode Island Red laying pullets, 39 Steiner place. 3-19-3t

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, 1261 East Front street. 3-17-3t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 321 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

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JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 946 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

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ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

TWO young men can have comfortable room with excellent board at very reasonable rate, near station and trolley, in East End. 'Phone 1661-W. 3-19-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 126 North avenue. 3-12-1m

A PRIVATE FAMILY would accommodate two young men with room and board. Address W. J. R., care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

A PRIVATE boarding house, has superior accommodations for room and table board in best location. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 2-16-1m

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, single or en suite; board optional. 326-332 East Front street. Tel. 501-R. 2-15-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TWO connecting rooms, adjoining bath; also other rooms. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 2-15-1m

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—$5,000, first mortgage on new Plainfield house; excellent location. Box "T. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

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TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Four rooms, part improvements. Address "A. J.," care Courier-News. 3-16-3t

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four-room apartment, with bath, in or about Netherwood section; kindly state details. Address "A. M.," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping by responsible party. 'Phone 3079-W. 3-19-1t

WANTED—Four or five-room flat with use of yard and porch, or small house, Netherwood or Plainfield. Address "Renter," care Courier-News. 3-17-2t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-25-tf

BARGAIN — Three beautiful houses, all improvements, on Madison avenue, Dunellen; will sell on easy terms. For particulars write National Land & Building Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE on easy terms, 1 new house, all improvements, $3,000; 1 new house, all improvements, $3,200; several choice lots, $450 up. Apply J. P. Fenner, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-12-15-22

BARGAIN—Five beautiful houses just completed, all modern improvements, near stores, factories and schools; must be sold at once; reasonable terms. For particulars write S. H. Schwartz, 1129 West Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-13-6t

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,100. Harvey R. Lin, barger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

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TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-26-tf

SIX NICE ROOMS, fine neighborhood, with improvements. $21.00. A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 2-15-tf

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

TO LET—Six-room apartment; all improvements. Apply 312 Grant avenue. 3-19-3t

THREE-ROOM apartment, in refined neighborhood, hot and cold water, gas and bath. Apply 413 Spooner avenue. 3-16-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

TO LET—FLATS

SIX-ROOM FLAT, next to M. E. church, light rooms, rent $20.00. N. J. Piano Co., 311 West Front street. 3-16-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-27-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 11-

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Colemest, attorney, Hisbcock building. 3-9-tf-

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 995. 1-27-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPO-SITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Heyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements; large lot, in finest location; a few hundred dollars down, balance on your own terms. "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large veranda, large grounds; residential section, near trolley; immediate possession; rent $45.00. J. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—Modern nine-room house with garage; centrally located. Inquire E. & W. Schloss. 3-13-6t

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, all latest improvements, hot water heat, $35.00; also, properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willeyer street; 5-room house, 207 Manson place; 6-room apartment, latest improvements, 636 West Front street. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 239 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—Cook and laundress, also chambermaid-waitress; good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-3-tf

WANTED — Refined intelligent white girl for chamber work and care of child; personal references required; reference not necessary. 'Phone 449-M. 3-19-3t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing; Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Linke, 220 West Second street. 3-16-tf

MILLINERS—We require competent milliners; none others need apply; also a milliner's apprentice; wages paid while learning. Bonn's, 145 East Front street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Good sized girl after school hours. Wagner, news dealer, 251 West Front street. 3-19-tf

EXPERIENCED double entry bookkeeper, careful and good writer. Reply, giving reference and salary wanted, to "Experienced," Box 333, care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Saleslady. Apply at A. E. Force & Co. 3-19-tf

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 259-R. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Two girls to work in greenhouses. Apply Stanley, 159 East Front street. 3-19-2t

STENOGRAPHER, at least four years' experience, good English, rapid operator, for large manufacturing company. Address "A. B. C.," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

PROGRAM FOR DEPUTATION WORK

Following is the program announced by Secretary Mayhole for the visit on Saturday and Sunday of the *Princeton University students:* There will be a team or eight or ten of the leading Princeton men with a wide-awake message to the boys and young men of the borough. Saturday, 2.30 p. m., games and stunts in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, followed by a *hike with the Princeton fellows,* weather permitting. 7. 30 p. m. in the assembly room of the high school, entertainment and brief talks by members of the deputation team, orchestra, college songs. Sunday, State Boys' Day, various members to be assigned to Sunday Schools for brief addresses. 4 p. m., meeting in the Second Reformed chapel, two Princeton students to speak; male quartet. 7.30, four brief addresses in the First Reformed church.

Infant Drinks Ammonia

An eighteen-months-old girl accidentally drank some ammonia Saturday morning and was removed to Somerset Hospital, where she is reported to have almost fully recovered. The child lived with her parents on the Biggs farm, near North Branch. The household was alarmed when it learned that the child had taken the ammonia, and Dr. William H. Long, of this place, was summoned, who ordered the child's removal to the hospital.

Redding Gebhardt Meets Boys

A number of members of Camp Tadescong met Redding Gebhardt, of Clinton, yesterday afternoon in the chapel of the Second Reformed church. Mr. Gebhardt, who is a graduate of Lafayette College and a student at New York Law School, was leader at the camp both years and the young men had been awaiting his visit here with much anxiety. Mr. Gebhardt gave an educational and interesting address.

Officer Riha Is Host

Policeman Joseph Riha, more popularly known as "Big Joe," was host at a pig roast to the other members of the local police department and Chief Lewis A. Bellis Saturday afternoon at his home on Hayden street. The event was in appreciation of Mr. Riha's appointment to the police force here. The afternoon was a delightful one and "Big Joe" and Mrs. Riha proved efficient in every department of entertaining.

"What Troubles Somerville?"

Prof. Harry Berman, of New York, spoke before about one hundred people yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Y. M. H. A. in their rooms on Main street. "What Troubles Somerville?" was the speaker's theme, and he pointed out many instances in which the members could and should aid the Jewish community. Refreshments were served.

Business Not Sold

The announcement recently made in this column and in another newspaper referring to the reported purchase by Amzi Lamerson of the business of H. K. Streeter is declared to be incorrect. The Courier-News regrets having made the error, especially so because the news came through a reliable source.

Hardy Williamson, formerly leading tenor of the Century Opera Co., will be the principal artist at the free concert to be given by Honeyman & Co., in the Armory Thursday evening.

Several local clothing dealers are today attending a meeting at the Robert Treat Hotel for the purpose of organizing a new State Clothiers' Association.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a social in the chapel on Thursday evening.

Miss Margaret Thorn, of East High street, was the week-end guest of friends in Brooklyn.

Miss Bess Kline is the guest of relatives in Newark this week.

NORTH BRANCH

No services were held in the Reformed church here yesterday, as the pastor, Rev. Louis F. Sauerbrunn, is spending three weeks in Brooklyn. The Rev. C. W. F. Attlee, of Plainfield, will preach next Sunday.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Presbyterian church at Pluckemin held a St. Patrick's sociable Saturday night in the chapel. Mrs. M. E. *Amerman was chairman of the committee in charge.*

William Van Middlesworth and family, of Newark, have moved to South Branch, where Mr. Van Middlesworth formerly lived.

Rev. Theodore Beekman, of Krumville, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Miss Elizabeth Beekman, of South Branch.

Charles Kugler is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Martin, of Newark.

Mrs. Marvin Sheets, of South Branch, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Dilts, near North Branch Depot.

Mrs. Henry Terhune, of East Millstone, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tingley, of South Branch.

The Crescent Mission Band was entertained Saturday afternoon at *the home of Mrs. John Jensen.*

Miss Marian Van Fleet, of Somerville, is the guest of Miss Arietta Quick, of South Branch.

Miss Maud Van Nest, of South Branch, is visiting Mrs. Charles Conover, of Reaville.

Lewis Ten Eyck, of Syracuse, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ten Eyck, near here.

Mrs. Charles Maybach, of Yonkers, is visiting Miss Lottie Roy, near here.

Miss Louise Quick, of South Branch, is in New York.

Miss Florence Ernest, of Neshanic, is in Bound Brook.

WATCHUNG

Colleens Enjoy St. Patrick's Party

Forty young people enjoyed an attractive St. Patrick's party given in *the "Old Mill" Saturday evening by* the Colleens of Pedagogy, a club of Normal school girls. The hall was prettily decorates in green and yellow. After a pleasant evening of games a dainty supper was served.

Among those present were the Misses Elisabeth Doig, Olive B. Griggs, Lillian F. Harris, of Plainfield; Elizabeth Edwards, of Rutherford; Ada Cope, of Flemington; Esther Opie, of Somerville; Margarette Dilts, of Stewartsville; Stella M. Sheets, of Clinton; Ruth J. Fitch, of Hackensack; Ruth Williams, of Thorofare; Helen Schmidt, Carol Hughes, Elsie Schmidt, Adele Herrmann, Theresa Schmidt, Lucy Hughes and Daisy Schmidt, of Watchung; the Messrs. Floyd Mohrhof, Lawrence Thompson, Herbert C. Koehler and Noel D. Ludlow, of Rutgers College; Allen Doig, Benjamin Harris and Henry Kinney, of Plainfield; Rodney Sheets, of Easton, Pa.; Frank Anderson, of Princeton; Arthur H. Myers, of Elizabeth; Charles Conover, of New Brunswick; Douglas Demler, Thomas Fetherston, Mebane Ramsay, William Demler and Richard Underhill, of Watchung.

NESHANIC

Surprised on Wedding Anniversary

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Opie, on their thirtieth wedding anniversary, by the Friendship Bible class, and teachers of the Reformed Sunday-school of Neshanic Station. A cut glass sandwich tray was presented them. The presentation speech was made by the Rev. John Hart. A most enjoyable time was passed by all.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Covert, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Deiker, Mr. J. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Amerman, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cortelyou, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bannister, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. R. Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mann, of South Bound Brook, Rev. and Mrs. John Hart, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edgar, Charles Corle, J. V. Opie, the Misses Helen Opie, Mary Lane, G. Mann, of South Bound Brook; C. H. Hoagland, M. Amerman and Helen Amerman.

Entertained at Cards

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth D. Opie entertained at whist Thursday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderveer, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bannister, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. R. Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Deiker, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Opie, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. H. Brokaw, Miss Helen Opie, Miss Jennie Hoagland, Miss Hazel Barker and Lois Vanderveer, and Alex Brokaw, Mrs. W. L. Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bannister received the awards. After the games a bountiful supper was served by the hostess. All present had a most delightful evening.

SCOTCH PLAINS

The annual meeting of the World Wide Guild will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow night. Reports of the past year's work will be read, and officers for the coming year will be elected.

Charles Meyer and family will move in the near future to the Paff homestead on Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denison, of Suffern, N. Y., spent yesterday as the guests of friends in town.

C. W. Slocum was the leader of the Epworth League meeting at the Methodist church last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stevens, of Front street, entertained out-of-town friends yesterday.

Miss Evelyn Buckley, of Front street, is visiting friends in Jersey City.

ANNANDALE

Miss Ethel M. Alpaugh was the leader of the Christian Endeavor meeting last night in the Annandale Reformed church.

Mrs. Samuel H. Leigh is critically ill at her home on Center street, Annandale.

George M. Taylor has moved from Brooklyn to a farm at Allerton.

BOUND BROOK

MUCH BUSINESS FOR COUNCIL

Numerous matters of importance will come up before the Borough Council at its meeting tomorrow night. The ordinance for the proposed pavement with vitrified brick of Main street from the subway westerly to that part for which a paving contract was awarded last year will be taken under consideration for the second reading.

There will also be a report, it is believed, as to the proposed widening of Drake street, for which purpose a Commission of Assessments was named at the last meeting with instructions to assess the benefits and damages pursuant to the proposed change.

The March meeting of the Lafalot Club will be held in the Congregational chapel this evening. The hostesses will be the Misses Edna Brokaw, Mildred Graeber, Madeline Hasse, Viola Littell, Beatrice Porter, Hilda Johnson, Mary DePour, Ida Coudert, Julia Cramer and Mamie Higgins.

The Board of Trade will meet Wednesday evening, at which time it will determine the attitude of the board toward the Chimney Rock road matter, which has been voted against by the Board of Freeholders at their meeting last week.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society and the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church a St. Patrick's Day social was given in the parsonage Saturday evening.

Friends of Charles Byer will be pleased to learn that he is again able to be about, following his recent operation at Somerset Hospital, Somerville.

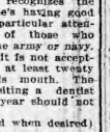
The Monday evening home service and conference of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be held with Mrs. T. Grace at High and John streets tonight.

J. V. N. Polhemus, carrier on rural route No. 1, from the Bound Brook post office, has purchased a new Ford auto to be used for mail delivery.

Plans are being made by some of the young folks of the borough for a dance in Ivy Hall on the evening of March 24.

John Regan, of South Bound Brook, has taken up a business course at the Rider-Moore & Stewart School in Trenton.

The Beechwood Fire Department will meet tonight.



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DUNELLEN

SCHOOL BOARD ISSUES STATEMENT

At the annual school meeting tomorrow night the taxpayers of the district will be asked to vote on the estimated budget amounting to $24,125, a slight increase over last year. Of this the State school funds supply $8,000, also $700 for manual training. This leaves the district $15,425 to raise.

In a statement issued by the Board of Education to be presented to the voters at the meeting will be found the concise report of District Clerk A. J. Hamley. Last year's receipts and disbursements totaled $21,204.87. The question of more school accommodations will be presented the meeting tomorrow night, the board finding that the increase in attendance has made it necessary for additional room to be made for the pupils. The number attending the borough schools at present is 517. Sixty-three are also going to Plainfield High School.

The members of the Board whose terms of office expire this year are: Paul Carpenter, Theodore W. Day, Frank R. Wynkoop and W. S. Frederick. They will be candidates for re-election.

Recorder Holds Juvenile Night Court

Two boys each about twelve years of age were arraigned on Saturday evening before Recorder David Campbell. They had been arrested by Special Marshal Sugars, charged with fighting in the streets. The third boy in the affair made good his escape. The Recorder after hearing the complaint dismissed the case.

The case against Peter Ritter has also been dismissed, his wife, the complainant, failing to appear in court.

The funeral of Mrs. William Barker, late of Fairview avenue, was held this forenoon at 9:30 o'clock from St John's church with a high requiem mass, the Rev. Father Dunphy officiating. Interment took place in St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield.

Complaints have been frequent of late regarding the crosswalks about the borough. Here the mud has been very deep. A little scraping occasionally would not do any hurt and would make walking considerable better.

J. Hill has been temporarily looking after the local fire apparatus pending the appointment by the Council of a permanent man to fill the job vacated by C. F. Dodwell.

There were 151 visitors registered at the Dunellen schools during the week just passed. It was known as *Go-to-School* Week, and *many took* advantage of this occasion.

Clarence Voorhees is now back in business at his North avenue shop after regaining his health from a successful operation.

H. S. Barton, who has been very ill with an attack of pneumonia, continues to improve.

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, March 27.

The front of Runyon's apparel store has been tastefully repainted in white.

Miss Mabel M. Noyes has resumed her position at the local schools.

An adjourned meeting of the Council will be held tonight.

NEW MARKET

The County Board of Freeholders *were to receive bids this afternoon for* material to be placed on the Metlar's Lane-Dunellen road, through this township.

The ice in the lake has all disappeared and the water has been sweeping over the dam in large quantities.

Several St. Patrick's Day parties were held in this place and the township on Saturday night.

Fred Coriell has been assisting the past week in the office of the New Market Supply Co.

The G. E. Club will be entertained tomorrow night at the home of Miss Alice S. Pierce.

Township Clerk C. S. Day is now able to be on the job after several weeks' illness.

A manual training exhibit of the schools was held on Friday.

The annual school meeting will be held tomorrow night.

LINCOLN

The teachers of the local schools have petitioned the Board of Education for an increase in salaries for the coming year. This matter with *other school questions will be brought* up at the annual meeting tomorrow night.

C. A. Zvolanek, the florist, received a prize for 100 square feet of sweet peas, arranged for effect at the International Flower Show, held in New York last week.

Mrs. E. P. Smith, of Philadelphia, is spending several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Dache, Beechwood Heights.

Watchung school was recently presented with a flag by Pioneer Council, of Bound Brook.

WESTFIELD

FIFTY GUESTS AT ST. PATRICK PARTY

Miss Estelle Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Wilson entertained about fifty of her friends at a Saint Patrick party and dance at her home, 597 Westfield avenue on Saturday night. Dancing and games were the features of the evening after which refreshments were served. The house was prettily decorated in *Emerald green, flags and green car*nations.

Among the games was a 100-inch obstacle race for teams of two girls; a sack race for boys and walking the tape line. The obstacle race was won by Adele Windfeldt and Mary Griswold. The sack race was won by Gordon Carr. Dorothy Dushanek was the most adept in walking the tape line. In the elimination dance Ruth Pencheon and Walter Ainsworth were the winners of the prizes. The favors were green hats of assorted shapes. During the evening Miss Marion Rice sang.

Among those present were the Misses Frances Edwards, Frances Pencheon, Ruth Pencheon, Frances Smitley, Ruth Gage, Catherine Dennis, Ruth Dennis, Margery Allen, Margaret Middlefich, Dorothy Dushanek, Muriel Lee, Lucy Williams, Julia Davidson, Margot Valentine, Adele Windfeldt, Orear Nicholas, Miriam Bloomer, Mary Griswold, Helen Faulkner, Grace Ainsworth, Grace Phillips, Nancy Reynolds, Messrs. Malcolm Russell, Kenneth *Davidson, Bradford Simpson, Gor*don Carr, William Taylor, Edward Date, Edward Hubert, Donald Vervoort, Howard Meyer, Walter Ainsworth, Walter Lee, Roger Williams, Donald Carberry, Jack Carberry, Roy Canfield, Harold Schaefer, Warren Winter, Robert VanDyke, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pencheon, Hon. W. E. Tuttle, Jr., who was timekeeper of the races and Frank Traynor, who was assistant timekeeper.

Party for Benefit of P.-T. Society

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. King entertained a number of friends at their home, 562 Lenox avenue on Saturday night at a bridge and musical which they gave for the benefit of the Grant School Parent-Teacher *Association. The house was prettily* decorated with green and American flags, carnations and daffodils. The musical consisted of vocal selections by Frank L. Apgar, of Roselle, baritone soloist of the Mendelssohn Glee Club of Elizabeth, and he was accompanied by Miss Edith Rundspadon, of this town, who is a student in the Virgil Conservatory of Music in New York. Quite a neat sum was realized for the association. The awards at bridge were won by Mrs. W. M. Morrison, Mrs. J. H. McLaughlin, Mrs. Floyd Fiske, Mrs. E. C. Butland, Mrs. H. L. Bray, Irving N. Weed, Frank Hazeltine, E. C. Butland, Alexander Hunt, Jr., and Charles Bradfield.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. John H. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Springsteed, Mr. and *Mrs. Charles H. Lord, Dr. and Mrs.* H. N. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hazeltine, Mr. and Mrs. Irving N. Weed, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Butland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradfield, Mr. and Mrs. *Floyd W. Fiske, Mr. and Mrs. C. J.* Hemberger, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Merrick, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. H. L. Bray, Dr. H. C. Hamilton, Miss Elda Fisk, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hunt, Jr., and the Misses Richards.

Gave a Masquerade Party

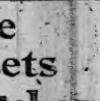
Mr. and Mrs. James W. Clifton entertained a number of friends at a masquerade Saint Patrick party at their home, 320 First street on Saturday night. Those who attended were in costume, several of which were very elaborate and unique. The house was decorated with green flags and green crepe paper and the refreshments consisted of green iced cake and green ice cream. The evening was spent in music and dancing.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Winter, Miss Jessie Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ludy, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Huyler, Mr. and Mrs. August Feilding, Norman Clifton, Douglas Clifton, Miss *Dorothy Chilton,* of this town; Miss Gladys Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tiltow, and Joseph Chilton, of Plainfield.

While on their way home in an automobile at four o'clock yesterday morning Police Officer Sidney Lawrence and F. H. Grey saw two men with a wheelbarrow trudging along on Fourth avenue. The action of the men were suspicious to Officer Lawrence so he and Mr. Grey got out of the automobile and started over towards the two men, one of whom ran away. The officer questioned the other but was unable to understand him as he was Polish. He found that there was a half a keg of beer on the wheelbarrow. As a result the man and beer were loaded *into the automobile and brought to* the police station, where an investigation will be made.

Miss Ruth Stauffer and Miss Edith Jones entertained fourteen friends at the latter's home on Saturday night at a Saint Patrick party in honor of Miss Stauffer's friends, Miss Lulu Snyder, Miss Mary Ritter,

Lingerie *and* Corsets *at* McCutcheon's



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Miss Edith Eisenbast, William Snyder and John Eisenbast who were her week-end guests from New York. The evening was passed in games and music after which refreshments were served.

Daniel Gibbons, of Newark, and Anton Pretzel, of Plainfield, were picked up by Sergeant Nelson and Officer Deter on Saturday afternoon. They were arraigned before Recorder Springsteed yesterday morning and given a suspended sentence on their promise to keep away from this town in the future.

The annual meeting for the election of Ruling Elders will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at the close of the service. Three elders for a term of three years are to be elected in place of J. B. B. Douglas, Robert A. Fowler and John C. Morrow.

Mrs. J. S. Purdy, Mrs. Russell Wilcox, Mrs. George Dougherty and Mrs. Ernest Wilcox attended the twentieth anniversary of the Mothers Congress which was held in Trenton on Saturday as delegates from the Parent-Teacher Association of the McKinley school.

The regular monthly meeting of the Literary and Social Circle of the First Methodist church will be held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles H. Learned, on Harrison avenue. Mrs. R. E. Martin will *present a paper on "The Gary Plan."*

The business meeting of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church will be held at the home of Miss Mildred Harkraider, 139 West Dudley avenue tonight. Following the business session a Saint Patrick's party will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Arrowsmith, of West North avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rebecca Arrowsmith, to Joseph A. Glendenning, of this town. No date has been set for the wedding.

The Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a silver social at the home of Mrs. J. J. Savitz, on Lawrence avenue tomorrow afternoon.

The room in the town hall adjoining *that of Town Clerk Charles* Clark has been fitted up for an office for Mayor H. W. Evans.

John Fitzgerald, who has been visiting John E. Niland, of Elmer street, has returned to his home in Springfield, Vt.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold an all-day meeting in the church on Thursday.

The Westfield Branch of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a special meeting in the town hall tomorrow night.

Miss Clara Denman, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit in Malden, Mass.

CALIFON

John D. Neuwisinger has been appointed rural mail carrier on Route No. 1 from Califon to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Harry C. Geist. He will enter on his duties April 2.

John H. Sliker, of Second street, Newark, is a week-end visitor to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Sliker, of Spring Valley.

Mrs. Anna Beavers, of Califon, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Pruden, of Rockwell Center, Long Island.

Mrs. Eliza Jones, of High Bridge, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Caroline Batson, of Clinton.

Mrs. Isaac H. Hoffman, of Hoffman's, is ill.

FANWOOD

Miss Rose Flosbach, of Farley avenue, Fanwood, who has been ill of pleuro-pneumonia for the past three months, was out for the first time Saturday.

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WHITEHOUSE

The county branch of the Y. M. C. A. at New Germantown has been divided into two groups. One is in charge of John Alpaugh, and Charles Lindabury is at the head of the other. At the meeting tomorrow night in the lecture room of the Methodist church the two groups will debate the question, "Which would be the most beneficial to New Germantown if it did not have either—a railroad or a macadam road from Whitehouse Station?"

A social dance will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall at Lebanon Friday night, with music by Leigh orchestra from Clinton. The committee includes Sr. A. G. Shepherd, Luther Smith, Earl Shurts, Ira B. Yawger, *George Groff and Holt A. Farley.*

Miscreants overturned a small building near the barn of John Vander Veer at Whitehouse Station Friday night, in which he housed his gasoline tank, and about twenty-five gallons of the fluid were lost.

The Mission Band of the Whitehouse Station Reformed church will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Theodosia Reger. The band netted $26 at its recent entertainment.

The Rev. Charles G. Empie, pastor of the New Germantown Lutheran church will resume his catechism class Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock in the church.

Five candidates from Lebanon will be initiated at a meeting of Washington Camp, P. O. S. of A., at High Bridge Wednesday night.

William Lambert returned yesterday to Carlington, Pa., after a visit of several weeks to Mr. and Mrs. Lambert at Lebanon.

Mrs. Wilma M. Black, of East Whitehouse, left Saturday for a trip to California. She expects to spend the summer in Oregon.

Walter Murphy, of Plainfield, is ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Murphy, at New Germantown.

The Y. C. T. U. will be entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Walter Wellck at New Germantown.

Garry V. Stryker, of Whitehouse, Station, has been visiting Philip Van Doren at Pottersville.

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The difference between beans "three quarts for a quarter," and beans at $4 per bushel up, makes the difference between a crop which hardly carries itself, and one which is a money-maker for the farmer. One New Hampshire farmer, this last season, planted three acres of beans. The season was poor, and he got only sixteen bushels per acre. But he sold these beans for $7 a bushel, and after paying for seed and labor for land rent and for fertilizer, he had $70 an acre or a little over $200 from his three-acre field.

WAR ODDITIES

London—A lock of hair of Mary, Queen of Scots, was one of the valued possessions disposed of by the will of Major Sir Foster Hugh Egerton Cunliffe, who met death on the field of honor in France. The will said the bedroom would be found in the Major's safe and was to go to Sir David Kinloch.

London—Asbestos pajamas have been provided for statues in the Duke of Westminster's house as a fire precaution while the food department has its offices there.

London—Professor Gandier of Lille extracted a Bulgarian bullet weighing 16 grams from the heart of a Russian officer who is expected to survive the operation.

Paris, March 19.—City authorities in provincial districts have assumed control of the movie shows, donating part of the profits to war relief.

Paris, March 19.—Canadian Tommies have introduced the pumpkin pie to France. Grocers are still selling autumn pumpkins at 2 cents a pound for pie.

POSITIONS OFFERED TO PRINCETON MEN

Princeton, March 19.—Princeton Seniors are no longer jobless. As a result of a job-market established on the campus a few weeks ago corporations from many sections of the country are now writing for employes with an eagerness indicating a great demand for college men.

Most of the jobs offered the Princeton boys are at a salary of from $60 to $70 a month, but a number of corporations offer specialized work at considerably higher salaries. The firms who have written to Princeton's job-market include large department stores, railway companies, public service corporations, automobile and other manufacturing plants, brokerage firms and chemical manufacturing companies. It is a notable fact that in several of these instances firms specify that they desire men whose ideals in life are for service rather than personal gain.

The Princeton Committee on Business Opportunities, organized by the Seniors themselves, is now at another angle of the situation, that is, trying to find men to accept the positions.

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Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

THEY WERE RUNDOWN

How often we hear it said of a man or woman that "they were rundown in health," which accounts for their present sickness. For that reason it is important that when you find you tire easily, when your nerves are troublesome or your work is irksome, you should strengthen your system immediately with the blood-enriching, tissue-building food in Scott's Emulsion which contains pure Norwegian cod liver oil and is free from alcohol.

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MOVING PICTURES OF PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

A remarkable visualization of a wonderful book, Pilgrim's Progress, is to be presented in moving pictures at the First Baptist Church, Wednesday and Thursday nights, March 21 and 22. Theodore Roosevelt has said it is his favorite work of fiction, and that one of its characters, "Great Heart," is more admired by him than any hero in the whole realm of literature.

It is claimed for this film that it is the only religious movie having a record of continuous presentation in churches for two years with never a word of criticism from those who have seen it, even the most critical about what is proper in a church. This picture is never shown in theatres. It was made in Torino, Italy, with the famous Alexander Salvini as Christian, and a notable cast of over 100 of Italy's best talent.

While the action takes place on the screen and the audiences beholds the various struggles of Christian, a lecture by Elwyn Eaton and special music on the pipe organ, add much to the understanding and inspiration, especially for those who have never read the book.

ACTIVITIES AT SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH

Owing to the church meeting last night, the Men's Club has postponed its monthly session for March.

The annual meeting of the Sabbath school for hearing reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held next Sunday night.

The Rev. L. C. Randolph will be in charge of the morning service on March 24, and the following Sabbath the Rev. W. D. Burdick is expected.

The Woman's Society for Christmas work will hold a rummage sale on Thursday, March 29, in the vacant store, corner of Madison avenue and Front street.

WOMEN'S ALLIANCE TO MEET.

A meeting of the Women's Alliance of the Unitarian Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Mrs. Leonard's, 329 Franklin Place.

PERSONAL

E. Yarde Breese, of East Seventh street, is in Pittsburg, Pa., on a business trip.

HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE WILL SEEK RECOGNITION

Bernardsville, March 19.—Report that the Bernards Defense League will seek to have the Township Committee recognize it as the constituted home defense organization in accordance with general recommendation of Governor Edge was made at a meeting of the league in the township rooms. It was also reported that an order has been placed for fifty Springfield rifles of the 1898 model and for 1,000 rounds of service ammunition and 1,000 rounds of reduced ammunition to be used on an indoor range. About fifty persons were present.

The work of guarding water supplies and railroads that the league would be called on to do in the event of war was described by President T. G. Mayberry. The league decided to hold meetings at Liberty Corner, Basking Ridge, Far Hills and Mine Mount to boom the organization. At Mine Mount thirty men have already organized under Rev. J. H. S. Fair.

CLUBS AND CHURCHES MUST PAY TAX

Internal Revenue Collector Duffy, of this district, has given his ruling to the effect that under the provisions of the Act of September 3, 1916, it is necessary for a tax to be paid on pool and billiard tables and bowling alleys by all clubs, even though there is no revenue derived therefrom.

The law, Collector Duffy points out, that it affects fraternities and also applies to churches and other organizations that maintain pool tables in their social rooms for the enjoyment of members. The tax on each pool table is $2.50 for the period of six months from January 1, 1917, to June 30, 1917.

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Weser Upright	115	Chickering Grand (used)	375
Lowrie Hayes Upright	118	Franklin Upright (new)	225
Hartman Upright	115	Fischer Grand (new)	550
Doscil Upright	125	Chickering Grand (nearly new)	595
New England Upright	125		
Stuyvesant Upright	135		
Walnut Upright	145		

Ellington Player	$210
Knabe Upright (used)	295
Milton Player	275
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Weser Player	310
Stratford Player	325
Symphotone Player	340
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Chickering Player Grand	950

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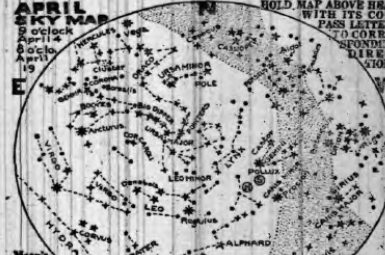
THE HEAVENS IN APRIL

(By C. S. Braisin, of the Columbia University Observatory Staff)



The planets Neptune and Saturn find places on this month's map. Saturn is still in the constellation Gemini, where he has been all winter, but has now taken up his direct easterly motion through the zodiacal groups, which will slowly but markedly change the configuration of that interesting section of the heavens. Neptune is to the east of Saturn, but is so dim that his light is less than that of a star of the seventh magnitude and is therefore hopeless for our style of observation.

April will also afford us another opportunity to view the small planet Mercury, which is the nearest of all the planets to the sun. It is this very nearness to the bright, all-eclipsing disk of the sun that makes the observation of this planet difficult enough so that the most favorable occasions have to be utilized. These occur when the orbital motion of Mercury has brought it as far as possible from the sun as seen from the earth.

On April 24 the planet will be at its greatest eastern elongation, so that for a very short time it will be visible when the sun is below the horizon. The word elongation is the technical astronomical term for angular distance from the sun as seen from the earth; therefore, this phenomenon means that Mercury will be as far to the east of the sun as it can get and will be an evening star.

On the 24th the angle between planet and sun will be about 20½ degrees; with an unobstructed and cloudless horizon we should look near the spot where the sun has just sunk below the horizon and about a fifth of the way up to the zenith. We do not, of course, need to confine our observations to the 24th alone, but should take advantage of the first clear day within a week preceding or following the 24th. Our map can not show the planet's correct location, for it will have set well before nine o'clock.

What We Know of Mercury

The orbit of Mercury is the least of the planetary orbits, the mean solar distance being only about 36 million miles; the next one in order, Venus, is twice as far away from the sun. In accordance with the fundamental laws of planetary motion, Mercury, therefore, has the shortest period of revolution around the sun and completes this in a quarter of a year. For this reason, also, Mercury receives nearly seven times as much heat per square yard as the earth, and this alone would make conditions on his surface impossible for man. Furthermore, we know that the albedo, or reflecting power of the planet is very low, showing the probable absence of any atmosphere or, at most, an extremely slight one. Again, at times when Mercury passes between the sun and our planet the disk of Mercury is seen with good definition and not surrounded by a halo of light, such as an extensive atmosphere would bring about by refraction.

It appears from the best observations so far that the rotation time of Mercury on its axis is the same as its period in the orbit around the sun, so that the same face, approximately, of the planet is always turned to the sun. Of course, observations of Mercury are so difficult to make because of its nearness to the sun that later observers may come to a different conclusion.

An interesting think to be noted about Mercury is that this planet shows phases analogous to those of the moon. When between us and the sun the unilluminated side of the planet is turned toward us, and we have what might be termed "new Mercury; astronomically this configuration of earth, planet and sun is called inferior conjunction of Mercury. The analogous configuration, superior conjunction of Mercury, shows the planet on the other side of the sun from us; this would give us the face of Mercury fully illuminated by sunlight and corresponds in a way to full moon. Between these two positions we can see different gradations of phase.

Lunar Occultations of Stars

The moon on the monthly round of its orbital path about the earth continually interposes its bulk between us and the stars which occupy the projection of its path on the celestial sphere. For a short time, then, the star is eclipsed from our view. However, the number of bright stars which are thus subject to lunar occultation or eclipse is very small and not extremely often do we have a chance to observe this happening to a star which is itself easily observable. This month two stars of good magnitude will be occulted and provide a spectacle for us which is well worth observation.

On April 2 at 10:27 p. m. Eastern standard time, the moon will obliterate from view the 4th magnitude star Leonis, and on April 11, at 2:53 o'clock in the morning, the star Sigma Scorpionis will receive the same treatment. This latter is a third magnitude star just west of the bright star Antares, and the phenomenon will occur when the constellation is about on the meridian, low down in the southern sky. A scientific fact of no small importance can be learned from these occultations: namely, that the moon has no atmosphere, for if it did, the disappearance of the star would be gradual and not so absolutely sudden.

The New Constellations

Among the new constellations for this month are: Corvus, the Crow, and the long Water Snake, Hydra, with the red star Alphard glowing in solitary grandeur in a field devoid of other bright stars; the entire group of Bootes, with Arcturus, and the group of Virgo, the Virgin, with the white first magnitude star, Spica, are well above the horizon; Hercules is a group which covers a great area of the heavens, but contains no very bright stars and is altogether inconspicuous. It contains, however, one of the most wonderful star clusters in the entire firmament, which is made up of not less than fifty thousand stars, each one in itself a glowing sun of no small size. These star clusters differ from nebulae, which are made up of finely divided matter in a state of incandescence and not of such separate large bodies. Of course, many or most of the nebulae contain globular condensations. Between Hercules and Bootes is the beautiful coronet of stars, the Northern Crown, Corona Borealis.

ATTORNEY CHANGES OFFICE LOCATION

Attorney Harry C. Runyon, who has had offices in the First National Bank building for the past fifteen years, removed on Saturday to the Manning building on Park avenue, near Depot Park. Attorney Irving Kunzman, who also had offices in the bank building, has removed to the State Trust Company building.

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For Elizabeth, Rahway, Metuchen, New Brunswick, Jamesburg, Trenton and Intermediate Stations—5.41, 6.38, 7.20, 8.20, 9.05, 9.38, 10.41, 11.27, 12.02, 1.41, 2.44, 3.35, 4.25, 5.12, 5.20, 6.20, 7.20, 8.20, 9.41, 11.27 p. m.
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For Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.41, 9.38, 11.27 a. m., 1.41, 4.25, 5.20, 8.20, 11.27 p. m.
For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk, 3.20, 9.44, 11.27 a. m., 2.00, 5.44, 8.53 to Easton), 9.23, 11.27 p. m. Sundays—(9.44 to Allentown), 10.57 a. m., 1.03, 5.44, 7.00 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—5.21, 9.44 a. m., 5.44 p. m. Sundays—10.57 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
For Asbury Park, Etc.—5.41, 6.52, 11.27 a. m., 2 Saturdays only, 12.33, 4.25, 6.05, 8.27 p. m., 11.42. For Red Bank only—8.54 a. m., 11.45. Saturdays only), 3.11 p. m.
For Atlantic City—5.41, 9.38 a. m., (12.30 Saturdays only), 2.11 p. m. Sundays—2.40 a. m., 2.15 p. m.
For Philadelphia—5.41, 7.41, 8.52, 10.43, 11.54 a. m., 1.12, 1.44, 2.45, 4.45, 5.21, 6.47, 8.45, 9.46, 10.45 p. m., 12.01 a. m.
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MEN WIN EIGHT HOUR DAY.

Details of Settlement Now Being Worked Out by a Joint Committee of Managers and Union Chiefs—Action Taken Regardless of Decision of United States Supreme Court on the Constitutionality of Adamson Law.

New York, March 19.—There will be no nation wide railroad strike. It was called off early this morning after conferences lasting practically all day Sunday and until after midnight today.

The men win the basic eight hour day, regardless of the decision of the United States supreme court on the Adamson law.

The settlement was announced by Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane, early today, after the close of conferences with managers and men, which began early yesterday and did not end until after 1 o'clock this morning.

Secretary Lane made this brief announcement;

"Regardless of the supreme court decision on the Adamson law, the basic eight hour day will go into effect.

"Details are being worked out by a joint committee, which will conclude its work by noon today."

The brotherhood chiefs met the president's mediators late in the afternoon. Secretary Lane told both parties that the sinking of three American ships had caused a situation which for patriotic reasons should prevent either the union chiefs or railway managers from forcing the issue at this time. This argument, it was said, had caused a situation which brightened the possibility of a settlement.

Await Court Decision.

Awaiting the action of the supreme court on the Adamson law and possible developments resulting from the sinking of three American ships, the three official groups conferring to prevent the threatened railroad strike practically marked time.

The president's special board of mediators met at the Hotel Biltmore at 10:30 a. m. Sunday and remained in session except for two brief intervals throughout the day and until late at night.

Soon after the opening of the conference the nineteen members of the National committee, of the brotherhood chiefs and the president's committee began at 6 o'clock. It had been called originally for 10:30 o'clock in the morning. It lasted for half an hour without any definite results being obtained and then was suspended.

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Hope for a decision of the supreme court in the test case brought to establish the constitutionality of the Adamson eight hour day is passed not September to meet the demands of the railroad workers also encouraged administration officials to believe the threatened strike would be averted.

It was stated that the postponement of the strike would clear the way for calling off the contest if the highest court should bring in its decision, which it is generally believed will uphold the law.

The government mediators in New York have urged to the railroad heads and the brotherhood leaders that as the court's decision would probably settle the controversy arrangements be made for putting the law into operation just as soon as the decision is handed down. Both men and roads have been told that they should make an agreement under which the disputed points in the law could be easily and properly administered.

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Hope for a decision of the supreme court in the test case brought to establish the constitutionality of the Adamson eight hour day is passed not September to meet the demands of the railroad workers also encouraged administration officials to believe the threatened strike would be averted.

It was stated that the postponement of the strike would clear the way for calling off the contest if the highest court should bring in its decision, which it is generally believed will uphold the law.

The government mediators in New York have urged to the railroad heads and the brotherhood leaders that as the court's decision would probably settle the controversy arrangements be made for putting the law into operation just as soon as the decision is handed down. Both men and roads have been told that they should make an agreement under which the disputed points in the law could be easily and properly administered.

Why Not Get Rid of Eczema?

If your skin itches and burns with eczema or any such tormenting, unsightly skin disease, simply wash the sore places with Resinol Soap and hot water, dry, and apply a little Resinol Ointment. Usually the itching stops INSTANTLY, you no longer have to dig and scratch, sleep becomes possible, and healing begins. That is because the soothing, antiseptic Resinol medication arrests the action of the disease, and almost always restores the tortured, inflamed skin to perfect health—quickly, easily, and at little cost. Prescribed by doctors for over 20 years, and sold by every druggist.

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Money cannot buy a purer, more cleansing toilet soap than Resinol Soap. And the healing Resinol medication in it helps to keep the complexion clear, fresh, and beautiful.

W. S. CARTER.

Railway Firemen's Head Busy In Strike Parley.

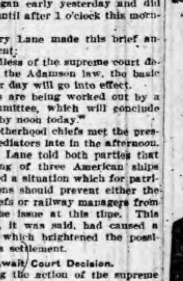

Photo by American Press Association.

STRIKE HITS B. AND O.

Notice of Postponement Did Not Reach Men in Time.

Freight traffic over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad was completely paralyzed Sunday by reason of the notification of the forty-eight hour suspension of the strike order not having reached the operatives. At 7 o'clock that night, not having been informed of the tentative agreement, locomotive engineers, firemen, trainmen and conductors walked out, leaving the freight trains of the entire line in and out of Washington completely tied up.

As soon as the state of affairs became known, Vice President G. H. Stone of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen was dispatched by special train over the Baltimore and Ohio lines to notify the employees that the strike had been postponed. It was well into the afternoon before his mission was concluded and slowly the men returned to work.

The mistake with regard to the Baltimore and Ohio is a puzzle. The Pennsylvania, Southern railway and other lines converging in Washington all received the notice and continued operations. The belated notice of suspension of the strike order were accepted with grave suspicion by the Baltimore and Ohio men who had walked out. They could not understand why the postponement had occurred.

SEEK WOMAN'S SLAYER.

Police Seek Companion of Mrs. Hilair "Tango Pirate" Victim.

New York, March 19. The police have convinced themselves that the man who garroted and robbed Mrs. Elsie Lee Hilair of jewelry worth $5,500 at the Hotel Martinique last Thursday went to her room at her invitation and that the murder was committed between 3:30 p. m. and sundown on that day.

By questioning the employees of a score of Broadway "tango parlors" and restaurants they obtained additional evidence of the gay life she had led without the knowledge of her husband for three years, but they were more interested in the man Mrs. Hilair met at the Orpheum theater in Brooklyn on March 5 last and who has not been found. They think Mrs. Hilair was the victim of a "tango pirate."

Drowns Herself and Daughter.

New Milford, Conn., March 19.—Mrs. Louis Bayette, thirty years old, drowned herself and year-old daughter in a pond a mile from her home in Bridgewater. The bodies were recovered.

OUCH! LUMBAGO?

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves

You just rub Musterole in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious, soothing comfort comes to take its place.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister.

Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). Always dependable.

25c and 50c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE

WAR ACTIVITY BY NEWARK WOMEN

Many Are Enrolling For Preparedness Work.

RED CROSS TAKING RECRUITS.

National League For Women's Service and Surgical Dressings Committee Are Also Attracting Scores of New Members—Many Catholic Women Are Taking Courses In First Aid.

Newark, March 19.—Recruiting for the new local branch of the National League For Women's Service, the Newark chapter of the American Red Cross, and the surgical dressings committee is progressing rapidly and beyond the expectations of the most optimistic members of those organizations. A subcommittee which practically represents these organizations is busy at work on plans to have various Catholic resources, such as auditoriums, organizations, etc., available to the government if desired.

The Newark branch of the National League For Women's Service is considering the advisability of cooperating with a men's organization, the details of which will probably be announced during this week. Both the league and the Red Cross chapter received many new members last week. The surgical dressings committee is busier than ever, and the committee on Catholic work expects to open a first aid course during the week.

The opening of the Y. M. C. A. auto school to women to learn automobile care and repair has attracted many women to the special classes for women which are being organized to take the course. Some have already started work. A general program of what Newark's women can offer in personal service is being compiled.

The Red Cross and league quarters at 777 Broad street daily present a busy scene. All women interested in such work are invited to call.

DOG COST ONE LIFE.

Two Other Occupants of Auto Capsized at Milford May Die.

Milford, Conn., March 19.—James T. Patterson, secretary and treasurer of the Cornwall & Patterson company, manufacturers of Bridgeport, is hovering between life and death at the city hospital, the result of his automobile capsizing when he endeavored in rounding a curve on a slippery pavement to save the life of a dog.

Mrs. Patterson also is in the hospital and Ernest Irvin, Jr., 12-year-old son of Rev. Dr. Phillips of New Haven, the third occupant of the car, was killed. The party were returning from a dance at the Brooklawn Country club. Mrs. Phillips had preceded them in her automobile with other members of the party and reached home before the news of the accident.

LID ON IN NEWARK.

No Liquor to Be Sold Between 1 and 3 a. m.

Newark, N. J., March 19.—The excise board clamped the city's lid today. Those with thirsts had to assuage them before 1 o'clock tomorrow morning, for no liquor is to be sold between 1 and 3 a. m. It is said that 1,000 of the 1,358 saloon keepers favor the early closing but cabaret proprietors claim it will interfere with their after theater business.

Fourteen clergymen, headed by Bishop Edwin S. Lines, joined 145 other residents in petitioning the excise board to abandon its original plan to issue all night licenses.

To Install Hamburg Pastor.

Newton, March 19.—The presbytery of Newton has announced that the installation of the Rev. J. W. Bischoff as pastor of the church at Hamburg, this county, will take place Thursday evening, March 29. The Rev. Edgar A. Hamilton of Sussex will preside and propound the constitutional questions. The Rev. O. R. Close of Blairstown will offer the charge to the pastor and the Rev. W. C. Peres the charge to the congregation. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Clarence W. Rouse of Newton.

Madison Will Vote on Budget.

Madison, March 19.—At the school election tomorrow night the voters will be asked to pass on a budget of $25,150. Two separate items will be voted upon. The first is $24,500, the amount agreed upon by the board as necessary for the maintenance of the school, and the other is $650, which is the opinion of Superintendent Godfrey and some of the members of the board for an additional grade teacher. The terms whose terms expire are running for re-election.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes —Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, tallow look, dull eyes, pimples, sometimes headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

"My Little Girl Got Fat Taking Father John's Medicine."

"Marjorie had a cold and Father John's Medicine helped her greatly and she likes it very much. She also got nice and fat on it. I think it is a good tonic for anyone who is subject to colds. (Signed) Mrs. F. Mannewitz, 91 Broad St., Stapleton, S. I.

Father John's Medicine is safe to take because it is free from alcohol or dangerous drugs.

BERNSTORFF ISSUES PUBLIC STATEMENT

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 19.—Count von Bernstorff, former German Ambassador to the United States, has issued a public statement, defending his action in the transmitting of the Zimmermann note to Von Eckhardt, the German Minister to Mexico.

Count von Bernstorff declared that the note was transmitted to Mexico because in the event of war being declared between the United States and Germany it would have been impossible to transmit it. If there was no German-American war, he asserted, Mexico would never have known of the German proposition.

Y. M. C. A. SECRETARIES' BANQUET

The Y. M. C. A. general secretaries of Northern New Jersey will have a banquet tomorrow evening at the Downtown Club, Newark. W. H. Ware general secretary of the Perth Amboy branch, is chairman of the committee in charge. Addresses will be delivered by C. H. Potter, general secretary of the Orange branch, on "The Newark Training Center"; Charles A. Coburn on the convention of employed officers next June in Y. M. C. A. College, Springfield, Mass., and Olaf Gates, General secretary of the Elizabeth Branch, on "Some Association Problems."

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

The members of the First M. E. Church held its annual every-member canvass yesterday afternoon.

A. H. Osmun, the men's furnisher in the Stirling building, has leased the store on North avenue formerly occupied by Daley Brothers, and will take possession on April 1st.

RAILROAD INCREASES TELEGRAPHERS' PAY

Special to the Courier-News:

Chicago, March 19.—An increase of 9.4 per cent. has been given to the telegraphers of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company. This increases the annual payroll of the company by $50,000.

RETURNED ON GERARD'S SHIP

Elizabeth, March 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Chalfield of 426 Westminster avenue returned from Europe yesterday, crossing on the Infanta Isabel, which brought Ambassador Gerard. Mr. Chalfield made the trip leaving here in November for a New York business house. He visited Italy, Spain and Portugal, and said that the respect of the people in those countries toward the United States increased when news arrived of this country's break with Germany. Before the break he said it was the prevailing idea that this country was willing to stand for anything sooner than raise serious objection to Germany's action.

LIKE ELECTRIC BUTTON ON TOES

Tells why a corn is so painful and says cutting makes them grow.

Press an electric button and you form a contact with a live wire which rings the bell. When your shoes press against your corn it pushes its sharp roots down upon a sensitive nerve and you get a shock of pain.

Instead of trimming your corns, which merely makes them grow, just step into any drug store and ask for a quarter of an ounce of freezone. This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. A few drops applied directly upon a tender, aching corn stops the soreness instantly, and soon the corn shrivels up so it lifts right out, root and all, without pain. This drug never inflames or even irritates the surrounding tissue or skin.—Adv.

"PAKRO" SEEDTAPE.

"Pakro" Seedtape affords earlier germination, stronger plant life and better results than seeds planted in the old way.

They come in thirty varieties of vegetables and eighteen varieties of flowers.

They assure healthier plants, even stand and fine straight rows; no thinning out is necessary.

The amateur gets expert results with "Pakro." Give them a trial.

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BE WISE—THRIFT IS A VIRTUE.

Our stock of selected, tested seeds is complete. Grown and tested by seedsmen of such national reputation as the Landreths and Burpe s, we offer you no experiments but thoroughly reliable seeds. Get the best. There is going to be an unusual demand, and seeds are scarce. Get yours now.

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$100.00 Ten Monthly Payments of $10.00, and Three Per Cent. Interest.
$150.00 Ten Monthly Payments of $15.00, and Three Per Cent. Interest.

Other amounts in proportion up to $200.00 upon like settlement. Loans made any time by payment of interest. Loans taken at from other concerns and all business transacted in the most confidential manner. Our company is bonded to, licensed by and under supervision of the New Jersey Banking Department.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10.00 a. m. on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Strauss Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The lift bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the necessary substructure and other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and including two safety gates as specified on sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following list:

(1) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(2) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(3) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(4) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(5) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $5,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check must be drawn to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on one plan only, and no time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications, the bridge must be completed within nine months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the bridge, which must be more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. HAUSH,
County Engineer.
3—12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 4—2, 5

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section, in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation.

Estimated quantity of surface pavement required is 27525 square yards.

Of Foundation, 27525 square yards.

And opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, entirely and separately, for proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Haush, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 120 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and blue prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper application and payment of cost of preparating. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated, which will require by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Chosen Freeholders, County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. A copy of the proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which may be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.
3—8, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of John Jessimell, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering thereon against the subscriber.

SUSAN P. BUSHNELL,
HENRY D. BUSHNELL,
THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.,
Executors.
REED & HITCHCOCK, Proctors.
3—19-03w-pw Fees, $11.10

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, sole surviving executor of and trustee under the will of Isaac Lederer, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

MARTIN MANTZ.
ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
3—26 2—5-12-19-26 Fees, $4.20

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LEGAL NOTICES.

MASTER'S SALE. In Partition. By virtue of a decree for sale made by the Chancellor of the State of New Jersey on March 1, 1911, in a cause wherein Clifford V. Brokaw, Executor, etc., is complainant, and William G. Brokaw and others are defendants, I, Charles N. Codding, Special Master in Chancery of New Jersey, shall expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public vendue, on Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the Sheriff's office, in the Court House, in the City of Elizabeth, New Jersey, all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union, and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a stake in the corner of Park Avenue and corner of Rev. Joseph Lederer's land, and running thence (1) along the southerly line of the said Park Avenue south, forty-seven and one-half (47½) feet to a stake and eighty-one and two-tenths links to a point in the said Park Avenue, Second Street; thence along the center of Seventh Street and the prolongation thereof, two chains and seventy-seven and one-half links to a point in the line of said Taylor; thence along the line until forty-seven and one-half degrees east two chains fifty-seven and three-quarter links to the place of BEGINNING. Containing one acre, more or less.

Subject to the easement of the public in and to the use of Front Street.

Also all premises having been conveyed to Isaac V. Brokaw by deed of George Speck and wife, dated March 31, 1854, recorded in Book 27 of Deeds for Union County, on page 52, and by deed of Thomas Speck and wife, dated June 29th, 1852, and recorded in Book 27 of Deeds for Union County on page 496, and by deed of Thomas Speck, Executor of Mary Speck, dated October 29th, 1853, and recorded in Book 30 of Deeds for Union County on page 496, and by deed of Thomas Speck, Executor of Mary Speck, dated October 29th, 1853, and recorded in Book 30 of Deeds for Union County on page 496.

Including also the in-heirs right of Lucretia W. Brokaw, widow of Isaac Brokaw, wife of Irving Brokaw and Edna L. Brokaw, wife of Howard C. Brokaw, Jr., and all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in anywise appertaining.

CHARLES N. CODDING,
Special Master in Chancery.
162 East Broad Street,
Westfield, N. J.
REED & HITCHCOCK,
Solicitors for Complainant,
202 Park Avenue,
Plainfield, N. J.
2—19-26 4—2-9

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THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.,
Executor.
REED & HITCHCOCK, Proctors.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of Charles Milliken, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

CHARLES F. DIEHELL,
ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
2—26 3—5-12-19-26 Fees, $4.20

NOTICE

To whom it may concerns:

This is to certify that from this day forth I will not be responsible for any debts my wife, Mary Day, may contract. (Signed)

MICHAEL DAY.
South Plainfield, N. J.
March 16, 1917. 3-16-3t

Courier-News want ads. bring results.

LEGAL NOTICES.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF FILING OF CONSENT BY STOCKHOLDERS TO DISSOLUTION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS, it appears by satisfactory, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings of the stockholders of THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO. dissolution thereof deposited in my office, that the

U. S. METAL AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

A corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 171 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, state of New Jersey (Frederick W. Martin being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served) has complied with the requirements of Section 40 of "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)" relating to the issuing of this Certificate that such consent has been filed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THOMAS F. MARTIN, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, Do Hereby Certify that the said corporation did, on the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1917, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by more than two-thirds in interest of the stockholders thereof, which said certificate and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this Twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(Signed) THOMAS F. MARTIN,
(Seal) Secretary of State.
3—5-12-19-26

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THREE AMERICAN VESSELS SUNK

Destroyed by U-Boats, All Without Warning.

MANY OF CREWS MISSING.

Washington Alarmed by News, but President and State Department Are Awaiting Official Reports From Consul Generals in Queenstown and London Before Acting—Two Ships Were on Way Here.

Washington, March 19.—The destruction of three great American ships in the German submarine zone has brought the United States a step nearer an actual physical clash with Germany.

According to the information before the president and the state department, all three ships—the City of Memphis, the Vigilancia and the Illinois—were sunk without warning and their crews left to the mercy of the seas in small open boats. All but eight of the crew of the Memphis were reported saved by British patrol boats. The crew of the Illinois is reported to have landed safely. Fourteen men of the Vigilancia are missing.

Await Official Reports.

The destruction of the three vessels added to the gravity and concern which the administration has felt as to the submarine situation, but there was some doubt as to whether the president would alter his carefully considered plans for resting the whole case of the United States on combating the U-boat menace by armed merchant ships.

While the president, Secretary of State Lansing and Counselor Polk of the state department reviewed in detail the meager reports from Consul Frost at Queenstown and Consul General Skinner at London no announcement was forthcoming from either the White House or the state department. Both announced that nothing could be said until full official reports of the sinkings had been received. It was stated that the sinkings materially aggravated the situation, but there was no indication of an immediate change in policy.

The president has up to now refused to make any definite move against Germany until the "armed neutrality" plan has been given a trial. There is feeling in Washington, however, that the continued destruction of American shipping and American lives might force drastic and prompt action.

In this connection it was suggested that the president may find it necessary to hasten the convening of the extraordinary session of the Sixty-fifth congress called for April 16. A new call for an extra session in ten days or two weeks was believed possible if the president decides upon a more aggressive policy.

No Letup by Germany.

In the sinking of the three American ships official Washington saw the doom of the last faint hope that Germany might so modify her submarine warfare as to render an actual clash between the countries unnecessary. The destruction of the City of Memphis, Vigilancia and Illinois was accepted as final proof that American shipping and American citizens must take the same chances in the war zone as all other neutral and belligerent shipping.

The Illinois was on her way from London to Port Arthur, Tex. She was in ballast. She normally carried a crew of thirty-five men. Her home port was New York. She was built in 1913 at Newport News, Va., and was of 5,222 gross tonnage and 380 feet long.

Vigilancia a Former Transport.

The captain, first and second officers, first, second and third engineers and twenty-three of the Vigilancia crew were landed at the Scilly islands. The fourth engineer and thirteen men are missing.

The Vigilancia was formerly a Ward line boat. The present owners are Walker, Armstrong & Co., of Savannah, Ga., who bought her from the Ward line two years ago.

During the Spanish war the Vigilancia was a transport for United States troops, operating between San Francisco and Manila. She was one of the fastest of the transport fleet. She normally carried a crew of forty-four. She left New York for Havre, France, Feb. 28.

The City of Memphis left New York Jan. 23 for Havre with a cargo of cotton. She arrived Feb. 6 at the Free-li port, whence she steamed for Cadiz. She was on her way from there to the United States when torpedoed.

The last vessel was owned by the Ocean Steamship company of New York city. She was under charter by the Savannah line. Her home port was in Savannah. The vessel was built in 1902 in Chester, Pa. She was of 5,852 gross tonnage and 3,500 net tonnage. She was 377 feet long, forty-nine feet broad and had a depth of fifteen feet. Her normal crew was fifty-eight.

Boy Killed at Basketball.

New Haven, Conn., March 19.—Thomas Downey of Wallingford, a seventeen-year-old boy, injured in a basketball game in Wallingford Saturday night between Wallingford and South Manchester high school teams, died at the hospital of St. Raphael in this city. The game was broken up in a rough and tumble fight, and Downey was kicked in the head and knocked unconscious. He was the son of John F. Downey, chairman of the Democratic committee of Wallingford.

Fourteen Hurt In Auto Crash.

Stamford, Conn., March 19.—Fourteen people were injured, three of them seriously, on the Boston post road in the town of Darien, near here, when an automobile in which they were riding turned over at a sharp curve in the road. The driver and part owner of the automobile, Nicholas Mulinchoegtes of Stamford, was driving so fast, it is said, that the car was unable to make the curve.

Annual Exposition

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The Turtle Dove pattern—a color symphony in black, rose and white against a gray ground—is combined on a soft gray willow suite of graceful proportions. It is priced most reasonably. The big arm chair, 15.00; a big chair without arms, 14.50; the roomy sofa, 36.00.

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Cheese is a much-maligned product. It really is not to blame for itself. Responsibility for it rests solely upon the human race. Cheese starts out in life as sweet, amiable milk. It is heartlessly pushed aside by unfeeling humans and allowed to get so lonesome and distracted that it sours on the world. Then, instead of the poor, ruined stuff being put out of its misery as humanely as possible, it is left to get worse and worse until it finally becomes cheese. But don't blame cheese for that. It is more to be pitied than censured.

"Weather or No"

Maybe he who hesitates is lost, but so is he who doesn't, sometimes.
—Old Man Gage.

FULTON WANTS TO KNOW THE REASON

Man From Minnesota Does Not Understand Actions of Big Jess Willard

Fred Fulton, the ponderous plasterer from Minnesota, who has lived up to his trade with considerable vigor in New York performances, wants to know why in Sam Hill Jess Willard prefers the life of the sawdust ring to one with a canvas spread over the soft spots. Fulton figures that a few thousand dollars a minute or some such inducement of an allied nature should at least be sufficient to make Willard put a ten-day claim in his contract, so he could fight once in awhile instead of just showing the circus patrons what a gay he is. "Look here," he said, "there's a champion who isn't, not by no means. He rants around the country showing the curious multitude how he knocked Jack Johnson stiff and then he disappears. He wears a lot of leather breeches and other things that remind the old-timers of the Rio Grande and gets away with it. He don't show 'em how he knocked out anybody since he and Johnson pulled off their little Havana meeting. And the reason is there ain't no other."

Fulton wants to fight. "He's just aching for a chance to get to Willard. He's almost as tall as the big Kansan, and he carries a terrific kick in his left tentacle. He's the right man to fight Willard and it does seem a little strange that Willard isn't willing.

Of course, Willard might dispose of Fulton in a round. If he did he would become a lot more popular than he now stands. If Willard lost—well, the public would just heave one long sigh and hope that Fulton would be more of a champion than Willard has been. Big Jess would just simply slide into pugilistic oblivion, for everyone knows there wouldn't be a chance for him to whip another title holder. Looks like a chance for Jess to die the happy fistic death he's been waiting for, or make himself so solid with the public that he never will be dethroned in popular favor.

It is the inherited duty of a heavyweight champion to defend his title whenever a good man appears. The popularity of many of the old-time brawlers lay in the fact that they willingly vaulted the ropes of a ring and hammered some opponent for a dozen or so rounds. There is just one man who stands out now over the many contenders for Willard's crown, and his name is Fred Fulton. He is the man who must eventually meet Willard. Let's have it.

CHALLENGE NO. 1

The Female Stars of Newark, champion women's baseball team of the State, have organized for the coming season with a strong line-up. Manager C. Smith, of 272 South Eleventh street, Newark, would like to hear from responsible Plainfield managers for dates during the coming season.

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L. S. T.

1. Would a peep sight be good on a revolver, and how should it be fastened on?

Ans. I do not think that a peep sight would be of any real value because it would have to be far from the eye if you shoot in the usual full arm position. For rapid shooting it would be positively a detriment. A peep sight on a rifle is fine for most kinds of work, but the problem, so far as revolvers are concerned, is not the same because of the difference in the method of holding and the uses to which the short arm is to be put.

2. Is it a good plan to carry a revolver with one empty chamber and the hammer let down on it?

Ans. If your revolver is so made that the hammer rebounds and is so locked that the nose or firing pin cannot be forced against the primer without pulling the trigger, there is no objection to carrying the weapon with all chambers full. Otherwise it is a good plan to have one empty chamber as you suggest.

C. E. S.

I have hunted and shot and owned shotguns all my life—good ones and cheap ones of more moderate prices—and I never could detect such a marked difference in the shooting power. One seems to make about as good a target as another, but in talking to some they will say: "My gun has got the shoot in its way, I can kill pheasant at fifteen rods right along." They they will tell you of the many times they have killed them dead at twenty rods. Does this great difference in power really exist or is it poor conception of distance or just braggadocio?

Ans. Any modern 12-gauge shotgun marked fall choke by a reliable manufacturer will kill pheasants consistently at ranges up to 40 to 45 yards if the barrel is clean and in good condition. If any man tells you he can kill them regularly at 75 rods, which is more than 75 yards, you can put him down as a liar or just "plain ignorant." The next time any one tries to string you along with a tale of that kind take him out and let him shoot—say, ten shots at the outline of a pheasant drawn on a piece of paper placed 75 measured yards from the muzzle of the gun. In chalking up the score remember that it takes three pellets of lead to make a clean kill.

A. R.

What is the cost of a Springfield rifle bought from the Government?

Ans. The present price is $17.37 for the complete outfit, but it has been announced that the price will go up within the next two weeks to approximately $22. The Government rifle is not sold to civilians unless they are qualified by the National Rifle Association as sharpshooters.

W. A. M.

Are ordinary high power rifle cartridges water-proof? I dropped some of my ammunition on my last hunting trip into a puddle of water and I wondered whether they are still good for much.

Ans. High-power rifle ammunition of reliable make is water-proof and I wouldn't hesitate to use those cartridges.

2. How long is ammunition good? What I want to know is, for what length of time can I depend on its being sure fire and powerful enough for hunting?

Ans. If of good make you can depend on it for four or five years.

3. Does black powder last longer than smokeless?

Ans. There is not much difference nowadays, but when smokeless powder was first brought out it didn't keep very well and the bad reputation it got in those days still hangs on to it, although the smokeless made today is very stable.

Alf P. Lane

EMPLOYED BOYS LOST THIS HARD CONTEST

The combined efforts of "Mac" Fullerton and Snyder, two P. H. S. basketeers, proved too much for the Employed Boys' quintet last Saturday night on the Y. M. C. A. court, the hard-working lads going down to a 22 to 16 defeat before the High School five of the association. Burner played best for the losers.

The score:

EMPLOYED BOYS	G.	F.	P.
Burner, f	2	0	4
Conover, f	3	1	7
Compton, c	0	3	3
Walters, g	1	0	2
Miller, g	0	0	0
Singer, g	0	0	0
	6	4	16

HIGH SCHOOL CLASS	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, f	5	3	13
Fullerton, f	3	0	6
Brower, c	1	0	2
Townley, g	0	0	0
Hummon, g	1	0	2
Willett, g	0	0	0
	10	3	23

Referee, A. Willett; timer, Sheehan; scorer, Art Townley.

MANVILLE LEAGUE IS STILL ON THE MOVE

Official figures of the Johns-Manville factory bowling tourney for the week ending March 17 shows Team A still holding full possession of the top rung of the ladder. The games of this tourney alternate between Somerville and Bound Brook alleys.

The standing of the teams at the present time is as follows:

	W.	L.	PC.	HS
A	12	3	.800	863
O	10	5	.667	807
B	9	6	.600	900
F	7	5	.583	801
M	7	5	.583	799
D	7	8	.467	805
E	4	11	.267	783
C	4	14	.067	726

High individual average, O. Sandusky, D, 178.8-15; high individual score, O. Sandusky, 241; three-highest games on Somerville alleys, O. Sandusky, 577; low individual average, T. Jobbins, 306.3-11.

ANCHOR HITS AZURE

Anchor Lodge bowlers annexed two out of three games from Azure Lodge of Cranford in the Masonic League match rolled on the H. P. O. E. alleys here Friday night. The scores: Azure, 757, 710, 691; Anchor, 789, 729, 828.

INTERNATIONAL TEAMS IN ACTION APRIL 17

The International League baseball schedule and the schedule for the International League series which the International League will play during the latter half of the season with the American Association were announced yesterday. The International schedule will open on April 17, Newark begins on her home grounds by playing Buffalo, Toronto to open at Baltimore, Montreal at Providence and Rochester at Richmond.

Newark opens the inter-league series by playing Milwaukee August 6 and 7, two games being scheduled for the latter day. Following this Newark plays in Kansas City, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Columbus, Toledo, Indianapolis and Louisville. The last game at Louisville is scheduled for August 29. The West then invades the East.

The first home game for Newark is with Kansas City, the three-game series beginning August 31. Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Indianapolis, Louisville, Toledo and Columbus follow at the Newark grounds in that order, the last game being scheduled for September 22, when the inter-club series will come to an end.

H. C. OF L. HITS THE SPORTING WORLD LIST

The high cost of living has hit the sporting world, according to John P. Doughty, the sporting goods dealer of North avenue. John put us wise to this over the Sunday dinner table yesterday noon when he let us in on the fact that many baseball goods would this year be sold at least 50 per cent. over their previous prices.

Not only will the baseball clubs be hit, but the fisherman as well. The cost of lumber fishing rods has come near to hitting the skies. They have gone up to the extent of 600 per cent., due largely to the fact that this material is used to a considerable extent in the building of aeroplanes and other airships. At least, this is what is handed out by the wholesalers.

Social Club at Summit

The basketball team of St. Mary's Social Club will autobus to Summit tomorrow evening to line up against the girls' basketball team of that place. To care for the large number of rooters who expect to accompany the team plenty of autobus room has been arranged. Bus will leave T. A. B. S. Hall at 7.10.

ALL STARS DEFEAT INNER TRIANGLES

"Doc" Kuldoshes' Team Put Crimp Into Speedy East End Aggregation

It was some team that Manager "Doc" Kuldoshes brought to the Netherwood court Saturday night, and a good game resulted, even though the Inner-Triangle Club men were outweighed. At the end of the first half the score stood 18 to 15 in favor of the All-Stars, but in the second half the L. F. C. team started off with a rush and soon made up the difference. The lead could not be held, however, and the All-Stars drew away from their opponents near the end of the game.

Jet Cartwright played a good game in his old position for the Triangles. Dunning was the star of the contest, running up a total of 11 baskets and five fouls.

The score:

	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, f, g	0	0	0
Day, f	1	0	2
Dunning, c	11	5	27
Fullerton, g	0	0	0
Kuldoshes, g	3	0	6
Townley, f	1	0	2
	16	5	37

INNER-TRIANGLES	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	6	5	17
Guilberg, f	2	0	4
Campbell, c	3	0	6
J. Cartwright, g	0	0	0
R. Cartwright, g	1	0	2
	12	5	29

Referee, Denny; timer, Collins; umpire, Glay; scorer, Hansen.

CENTRAL LEAGUE TO MEET TOMORROW

The Central New Jersey Baseball League will again hold forth tomorrow evening at the home of Tommy Agar. President Brit Martin has called a meeting, and it is expected that the sixth club to complete the circuit will be admitted at that time. The league is composed of five clubs at present.

If the application from the sixth club is acted upon, plans for the drawing up of a schedule for the season will be worked out immediately in order that the opening of the season need not be delayed. From present plans the opening games will be played late in April.

SCHOOL MEETING IN THE BOROUGH

The Borough of North Plainfield school district will hold its annual school meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. At that time three trustees will be elected.

HOME FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Codington, of Sandford avenue, are home from Florida, where they have been staying for the past two months.

LOCAL BASKETBALL SEASON CLOSING

Many Plainfield Teams Have Enjoyed Successes Upon the Indoor Court

The local basketball season of 1916-17 has practically passed into history. Both high school teams have closed, Hopes have but a single contest on with the girls team of the Chapel; the Y. M. C. A. first string men have completed their work, and only one game here and there will be played by one or two of the larger teams. The junior teams will carry the season forward to within hailing distance of the first of April.

The season in this city has been remarkable for the number of teams playing on local courts. Inter-club matches galore have been played, where a year ago there appeared to be a scarcity of local teams to sign up games and matches with.

From all appearances the local teams have come through the season on the right side of the financial ledger, each of the teams having a large followings of their own. This applies especially to the Tabs, Hopes, and Inner-Triangles, and the two high school teams.

The Grammar School team has had an exceptionally successful season, both in regards to the sport itself and finances. The Inner-Triangles of Feiring, Moses Gensman, Le Roy Force, A. Harold Livingston, Leslie Daisy, Stanley Burner and Seymour Day. Miss Elsie Campbell, who will coach the production, has called another meeting to decide the cast for tomorrow afternoon.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

On Saturday, Principal Farley visited the Standard Oil plant at Bayonne, N. J.

J. C. Evans of the business department of Plainfield High School will address the students of this high school tomorrow morning. Mr. Evans will talk on "Farming in the Middle West."

The Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y., has voluntarily offered to accept without examination graduates of the high school who present a certificate from the principal. The reputation of this school is traveling, that's sure.

The pictures of the four classes that were taken last week by a New York concern were received this morning. The Sophomore class withstood the ordeal of getting "mugged," the best, and the Junior class picture was the second in line.

The Boys' Athletic Association held a short meeting this noon and tickets for their annual play to be given in the Plainfield High School auditorium on the evening of April 13th were distributed to all the association members by Business Manager Kenneth Lewris. Mr. Lewris urged that the members make a thorough canvass of the city and borough to insure a financial success for the play.

The Freshman Entertainment Committee recently appointed by the president of that class, Clifford Marsh, have completed arrangements for the dance to be given in the Harrison school, Friday evening, March 23. Music for the affair will be furnished by Venable's string orchestra of this city. The committee in charge are: The Misses Dorothy Keller, Ella Wall, Clifford Marsh, William Fehring and Irving Scarborough, chairman. Invitations were issued last week to many of the students of the high school and a delightful time is anticipated.

The first tryouts for the Junior play, "The Elopement of Ellen," which will be presented by that class some time in May, were held in the high school auditorium on Friday afternoon. The following members of the class were present to try out for the cast: The Misses Adele Demarest, Marjorie Barry, Elsie Kershaw, Mildred Weiss, Emily Pilger, Agnes Jackson, Mabel Soffron, Selena and Florence Cornwall, Dorothy Keewson, Nelson Kenworthy, Douglas Stewart, Jack Cannon, Clifford

MAZIE COLBERG SLAYER IS STILL UNKNOWN

Philadelphia, Pa., March 19.—A coroner's jury, after listening to the testimony of nearly fifty witnesses, rendered a verdict that Mazie Colbert, advertising art model, found dead in her apartments here December 30 last, was strangled by a person or persons unknown.

Witnesses called by the police presented circumstantial evidence tending to show that Bernard W. Lewis, of Pittsburg, had killed the girl, but this evidence was not satisfactory to the Coroner.

Lewis committed suicide in Atlantic City as the police were about to arrest him in connection with the girl's death.

LOWERING COSTS OF POTATO PRODUCTION

Fifty years ago an acre of potatoes yielding 110 bushels required fifty-five hours of man labor. Now an acre yielding 220 bushels requires but thirty-eight hours, thanks to the potato planter and digger. One man with a good planter can open the rows, distribute the fertilizer, drop the tubers and cover them over an acre of three to five acres each day. Planters are now being used in many communities and a greater area covered. Best methods of cultivation and fertilization assists greatly in reducing the cost per bushel of growing potatoes by increasing the yields.

MOTHERS AND TEACHERS DISCUSS PLANS OF WORK

The State Council of Officers, Managers and Club Presidents of New Jersey Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, held an all day session on Saturday, in the Prospect Street Presbyterian church, Trenton.

The object of this State Council was for the purpose of formulating and discussing plans of work as well as for conferences with State Chairmen of Parent-Teacher Associations, Child Hygiene, Country Life and Mothers' Circles in Churches.

The National Congress will meet in Washington, D. C., April 24 to May 1.

NASSAU EATING CLUBS TO START "BICKERING"

Princeton, March 19.—"Bickering" is the period during which the sophomores are elected into the upper class eating clubs at Princeton University, will begin today. This period is usually exciting and with more than a quarter of the sophomore class in rebellion against the club system the fight of the upper class clubs for the sophomores bids fair to be more strenuous than ever.

The latest figures given out by Richard F. Cleveland, son of former President Cleveland, as the number of sophomores who have pledged themselves to remain out of the clubs is ninety-two. This number is expected to increase to 100 by Monday. Cleveland and his co-workers have been campaigning during the last few weeks to swell their ranks and are bringing students to their views more rapidly than the clubmen had bargained for.

The upper class clubs sent out their invitations last evening, so that the sophomores will receive them in the morning mail. Members of the upper class clubs will not be able to approach the sophomores on the club question until today. It is then that the real "bickering" will begin, the club members making a rush for the sophomores to get them to sign up for their clubs. Sophomores will not be allowed to join any particular club until Wednesday noon.

KILLED WHEN AUTO COLLIDED WITH BUGGY

William Masonf, of Roselle, was killed and two men riding with him were injured badly when the automobile he was driving collided with a buggy last night at Westfield avenue and Monroe road. Elizabeth. Benjamin Jacobs of Belleville and Louis Ashin, of Newark, were tossed out of the buggy and taken to the Elizabeth General Hospital, where Masonf's two companions also were sent.

MISS BARRY COMING HOME

Mrs. Barry, wife of Lieut. David S. Barry, who with her husband has been in Santo Domingo since her marriage here several months ago, is now on her way to Plainfield, where she will visit her father, William Palmer Smith, for a time, before going to Washington. Lieut. Barry will soon follow his wife to this country.

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PROBASCO CLASS PLAY A SUCCESS

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of Troop 14, Boy Scouts, participated in a tilting contest.

The music for the evening was furnished by the orchestra from the Dutch Arms Band, the musicians donating their services. This was one of the enjoyable features of the affair.

The attractive furnishings for the acts of the play were loaned to the class by John S. Johnston. The play executive committee comprised Karl Wilson, chairman; Earl B. Pierson, Fred E. Serrell and George L. Bird, and the staff was as follows: Business manager, Karl Wilson; house manager, George L. Bird; publicity manager, Duncan L. Patterson; stage managers, Daniel F. Randolph and Walter S. N. Tilden; property managers, Arthur J. Pierson and H. Preston Bailey; musical director, Wilbur E. Moke; directress, Mrs. G. Stuart Simons.

Proceeds from the play, which will be about $200, will be used directly for charity, the officers of the class having arranged to expend them among the needy families of the city. After the performance, Mrs. Simons, the coach, was presented with a handsome bouquet in appreciation of her services and interest.

The officers of the class are as follows: President, Earl B. Pierson; vice-president, George L. Bird; secretary, Daniel F. Randolph; assistant secretary, Duncan L. Patterson; treasurer, Hamlet L. Lockey; teachers, Dr. Norman H. Probasco and Judge J. Henry Crane.

ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hamilton, of Verdon street, on Saturday evening entertained a large gathering of friends in honor of the thirty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. It proved a very pleasant occasion, and besides the usual happy felicitations from their many acquaintances, the couple were recipients of many beautiful gifts.

The evening was spent in dancing and games. A collation was served toward the close of the social affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were married in New York city, thirty-five years ago, at the Church of the Sacred Heart, on Riverside Drive. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Father Garding. The couple have made their home in the borough of North Plainfield for several years. They have four children, Mrs. E. K. Kerwin, living in Illinois; Walter, Walter and Robin Hamilton, all of North Plainfield, who were present at the anniversary celebration. Guests were also present from New York City, Newark, Elizabeth and other nearby places.

DUKE'S BEAUTY ROSES WIN PRIZE

J. B. Duke, of Somerville, took first prize for a display of American beauty roses at the flower show that closed on Saturday at the Grand Central Palace. Mr. Duke's display consisted of twelve beauty roses. There were several other exhibits of cut roses but the Somerville display eclipsed all others.

HUNDREDS REPORTED KILLED IN COLOGNE EXPLOSION

Copenhagen, March 19 (via London).—A large munitions plant at Cologne blew up on Tuesday, according to information received from German sources by a newspaper at Kolding, near the frontier. Several hundred workmen are reported to have been killed.

ATTITUDE OF IRISH IN THIS COUNTRY

Joseph Gallagher Declares Every Man of His Race Will Stand Firm for Old Glory

Joseph Gallagher, of this city, writes as follows concerning the attitude of the Irish in America in the present crisis:

Editor Courier-News:

To the writer it seems peculiarly fitting that just as we have been celebrating St. Patrick's Day, we Americans should make some public recognition of the patriotism of the Irish race in the United States. At this time, the United States is on the brink of war with Germany and the services of loyal Irishmen may be needed. It is well that we recall to memory deeds of Irish valor recorded in the annals of history. When we realise that the population of our beloved country is made up, to some degree, of brave sons of Erin, or their direct descendants, we feel a little more secure because we know that no Irishman will turn traitor and that every Irishman is, instinctively, a fighter when the just rights of civilization are at stake.

Too many of us are prone to forget the part played by Ireland's sons in the war of the Revolution. One glance at the gilded page of history brings back to us the honored names of Jack Barry, Generals Stephen Moylan and "Mad Anthony" Wayne. One-half of the soldiers of the Revolutionary army of the United States were of Irish birth. There were two Irishmen to every native.

Nor did the spirit of Irish patriotism wane during the Civil War. The names of Generals Phil Sheridan, Meagher, McMahon, Ewing and Mulligan, the "hero of Lexington," testify to the fact that the Irish love of country never dies. The Spanish-American war found the Irish ready—just as they are today. The gallant "Sixty-ninth" made a name for itself and upheld a spotless reputation on the Mexican border. Brigadier General M. V. Sheridan and Major General John J. Coppinger, both of whom fought in the war with Spain, were Irish. The 69th regiment of New York, the 9th Massachusetts and the 7th Illinois, during the Spanish-American war were made up in the main of Irishmen.

Our President may rest assured that the millions of Irishmen in this country will rally to the support of "Old Glory." The Stars and Stripes will always float as long as there is an able-bodied Irishman in the land. I thank you.

"JOE" GALLAGHER.

Plainfield, N. J., March 17, 1917.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY OF THEODORE VAN PELT

Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, at its meeting Saturday enjoyed a social in celebration of the birthday anniversary of one of the members, Mrs. Theodore Van Pelt. Many happy returns of the day were expressed in the congratulations extended to Mr. Van Pelt.

The council received several propositions for membership, and the candidates will be initiated at the first meeting in April. Following the social Saturday evening refreshments were served.

GERMAN WAR STATEMENT

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 19.—Capture of a small piece of ground by the French northeast of Monastir was admitted by the War Office today. In a report on Macedonian fighting the statement said that the terrain was gained by the "reckless use of French troops."

Near Lake Doiran the German allies have reoccupied the railway station of Pordy. There were heavy engagements at numerous points on the Balkan front throughout Sunday. There is nothing to report from the eastern front. The official report made no mention of Roumanian affairs.

SURPRISE PARTY ON HIS BIRTHDAY

A surprise party was given in honor of Frederick Funk's twelfth birthday Saturday evening, when twelve of his little friends were present who were: Violet Stadele, Vera Gottlieb, Gertrude and Donald Steer, Edwin Funk, Clifford Albert, Elmer Borak, from this city; Alice, Edward, Goodie and Bert Ambusten, from Newark.

The evening was enjoyably spent with music and games. The table was decorated with green. Refreshments were served.

BOROUGH FIREMEN TO HOLD SPECIAL DRILL

A meeting of the members of the borough fire department is called by Chief McCullough for tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is desired that all the call men be present, as they will be put through a special drill by the chief.

NEW HIGH RECORD FOR HOGS IN CHICAGO

Special to Courier-News:

Chicago, March 19.—A new high-record was established here for hogs today when tops sold at $15.20, 15 cents higher than Saturday's average.

CAMPHOROLE WORKS WONDERS ON CROUPY CHILDREN

If Your Child Hawks and Coughs, Simply Apply Camphorole to Throat and Chest.

So many people will neglect their children's cough until it may develop into whooping cough, croup and bronchitis. Then you would wish you had a jar of Camphorole handy. It quickly touches the spot and gives sure relief. The remarkable success of Camphorole is entirely due to Wintergreen, Menthol and Camphor, prepared in a synthetic way to give results.

Camphorole is recommended for whooping cough, croup, bronchopneumonia, asthma, sore throat, tonsilitis, pleurisy and neuralgia.

At all druggists, 25c and 50c jars.

Camphorole TRADE MARK 25¢

A RUSSIAN MOUJIK.

Type of Peasant Freed by Russian Revolution.

Photo by American Press Association.

GIVES $4,000,000 TO AID WAR RELIEF

$8,249,000 Spent by Rockefeller Foundation In 1916.

New York, March 19.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., chairman of the board of trustees of the Rockefeller foundation, has issued a statement giving the details of the $8,249,085.96 given by the foundation during 1916. The largest appropriations for the year were for war relief, amounting to $2,500,000. Since the beginning of the war the foundation has appropriated for war relief $4,181,952.64.

The largest appropriation for specific use by one institution was $1,526,626.71 to the Rockefeller Institute For Medical Research. The second largest single appropriation was $1,068,147.17 to the China medical board. The third largest was $1,000,000 to the New York Palisades Interstate Park Commission. The China medical board is forming plans for the building up of medical schools of the first rank in Shanghai and Peking in co-operation with various boards.

The appropriations for war relief during 1916 were: Belgian relief, $40,000; Servian relief, $30,000; Armenian and Syrian relief, $500,000; International Committee of Y. M. C. A., $500,000; Rockefeller Institute For Medical Research, $25,000; American Red Cross, $25,000; Polish relief, $1,000,000; prisoners of war welfare work, $500,000; general relief work, $25,000; war relief commission administration, $40,000.

Some of the other appropriations include: American Baptist Foreign society, $175,000; American Baptist Home Mission society, $90,000; Boy Scouts of America, $9,500; Brooklyn Federation of Jewish Charities, $1,000; Cleveland Foundation For Charity and Philanthropy, $16,500; New York School of Applied Design For Women, $25,000; Vassar college, $10,000; Young Men's Christian association, $45,500; Y. M. C. A. International Committee, $75,000; Young Women's Christian association, $15,000.

MUSTERING OUT OF NATIONAL GUARD CONTINUES

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 19.—Secretary of War Baker today admitted that orders had been sent out by him last night to all commanding officers of departments to stop mustering out National Guard units, but stated that these orders were cancelled today, and that the mustering out will proceed. The secretary refused explanation of the reasons for the original orders or for the cancellation.

GERMANS RETREAT ON 100 MILE FRONT

Evacuate Peronne and Noyon In Big Move.

London, March 19.—All doubt that the Germans are making their big retreat in northern France has vanished. The movement has spread until on a front totaling 100 miles the Teutons have given way to a depth at many places of ten or twelve miles.

The more important towns occupied by the allies were Perrone, on the Somme, and Chaulnes, on the Oise, taken by the French, and Nesle, on the upper Somme, which troops of both armies entered, it being now their junction point. The British alone have taken more than sixty villages. The area of the German retirement stretches from Arras to Soissons, from the Scarpe to the Aisne.

It is now certain that the Germans are evacuating the mole Noyon salient and drawing back to the "Hindenburg line," twenty-five miles to the rear of the front they have held for two years. On this "Hindenburg line," fortified with tremendous strength, it is believed they propose to make a stand. It will be probably several days before the new line is reached.

The German withdrawal has again brought cavalry into the warfare on the western front. With wonderment London hears that British and French mounted troops are actually in open country, riding after the retreating German rearguard in such fighting as has not been known for two years.

There is evidence that the Germans are executing a masterly retirement, leaving no loopholes for the pursuers to cut through and throw them into confusion. The main body of the German troops is apparently far ahead of the rearguards, who are holding up the British and French as much as possible.

Unofficial reports from Petrograd state that the Russians have captured the Turkish city of Van, in southeastern Armenia, on the lake of the same name. The city has been taken by them twice previously, but was reoccupied by the Turks.

DR. C. A. EATON WAXES VEHEMENT IN SERMON

In his sermon in the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, New York, yesterday, Rev. Dr. Charles B. Eaton, speaking of the revolution in Russia said:

"The Czar, the Little Father of all the Russias, is looking for a job. The Kaiser, with his heaven-pointed mustaches, will soon be looking for one, too."

Dr. Eaton blamed the corrupt condition of Russia before the revolution last week largely upon the influence of the Greek Catholic Church. He became vehement in his denunciation of that church's activities in Russia.

"To hell with it!" he shouted, raising his hands and stamping his feet. "Down with it! To hell with it!"

"We may soon expect to hear the crash of internal explosion in Germany," he said, "and the grip of the monster military clique will be destroyed."

Dr. Eaton also sounded a warning for the United States.

"America," he said, "is like an ostrich with its head in the sand, thinking it is safe. Men in the unborn centuries may ask the question, 'What strange corruption killed America?'"

EX-SHERIFF SEBRING VISITING IN FLORIDA

The Florida "metropolis" of Jacksonville, Florida, of March 15, contains the following:

"Charles P. Sebring, of Plainfield, N. J., former sheriff of Somerset county, is the guest of Chief of Police Fred C. Roach, who is showing him everything worth seeing in Jacksonville. Last summer Chief Roach had the pleasure of a visit at the hospitable home of Mr. Sebring. The latter is a relative of Gen. W. H. Sebring and W. R. Sebring, of Jacksonville."

ARRIVAL OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 19.—The following steamers arrived this morning:

S. S. Brighton, from Kingston.
S. S. Brandon, from Norfolk.
S. S. Venator, from Matanzas.
S. S. Carolina, from Porto Rico ports.
S. S. Mexico, from Havana.
S. S. Mexico, from Havana.
S. S. Comus, from New Orleans.
S. S. Olympia, from Marseilles.

Arrived since morning: Denis, from Para; Delaware, from Philadelphia; Stavangeren, from Cienfuegos; Yaroslavl, from Baltomore; Sagua, from Jucaro; Oristano, from Cardiff.

ADAMSON LAW IS UPHELD

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 19.—The Adamson law has been held constitutional by the United States Supreme Court. Justices Day, Van Devanter and Pitney dissented.

H. F. R. HUNTSMAN CELEBRATES

H. F. R. Huntsman, of East Front street, celebrated his birthday anniversary yesterday and last evening the event was observed in a pleasing manner at a family gathering, during which congratulations were offered.

JESSE DAYTON IMPROVING

Jesse Dayton, of Division street, who has been confined to his home for the past ten days with blood poisoning, is getting along nicely.

Don't Make Your Home an Ice Box

You know the way the old style, inefficient heater and boiler acts. One minute your house is too hot and the next too cold. Mostly the latter. That's because the heater is run on the wrong principle.

With the Boynton *Square Pot Boiler* you can keep your house "cozy warm" all the time. The patented *square firepot* is round at the top and square at the bottom. This feature allows increased radiating surface and more heat on a less amount of coal.

Study the illustration closely. Note the *square firepot* and the nearness of the interior waterholding sections to the fire. *This arrangement gives free and* greater steam on little fuel.

Call on our dealer and he'll explain how the Boynton *Square Pot Boilers* will save you money and worry. Or write us.

BOYNTON FURNACE COMPANY
87th Street, near Broadway
NEW YORK

HEADQUARTERS FOR Y. M. H. A. IS ASSURED

The Young Men's Hebrew Association movement to take possession of its newly acquired building on West Front St. is gaining by rapid strides, and any further question as to the certainty of the young men obtaining a home for their better development has been removed.

Contributions continue to come in and this morning, Benjamin J. Kline, the treasurer, announces the receipt of a check for $25, from A. M. Harris, of 56 William street, New York City, who writes as follows: "Although not a Hebrew, I am in sympathy with your association's work, and with what you and your co-members are doing and with your effort to secure additional funds."

The campaign committee desires to call the attention of those who are not Jews, that it desires their co-operation, too, and that the results of the Y. M. H. A. movement are aimed to make a better Plainfield by strengthening the bodies and minds of the young Jewish men so that when the time comes they may the better realize their duty to their city and country and serve it patriotically.

Other donations received are from the Junior Boys association of the Y. M. H. A., who yesterday turned over to the chairman $42, as a result of their efforts. Dr. C. L. Moore, $5; Samuel Shipkin, $5; and M. Deutch, $2.

A committee of men representing the association will call on a number of people of other denominations and institutions on Friday of this week, between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions.

M. Stavitsky, of the National Council, is in town today to spur on the work. Will all who can send their contributions to Benjamin J. Kline, treasurer, 926 West Front street, this city?

FREIGHT RATES WERE NOT CONSIDERED

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 19.—Commenting on the strike settlement in an informal interview this morning, Secretary of the Interior Lane stated that the question of increased freight rates did not come in the conferences conducted by the Board of Mediators, but that the question had been considered in the conference of the railroad managers. "It seems to me, however," said Secretary Lane, "that the railroads deserve some compensation."

TO BID ON 200 HIGH POWERED BOATS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 19.—The Navy Department will open bids Wednesday for the construction of two hundred or more high powered boats, 110 feet each in length. It is expected that nearly a hundred companies will participate in the bidding.

FRENCH SPRING DRIVE IN THE BALKANS

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 19.—The spring offensive of the French army will be carried out in the Balkans, according to the view expressed by the war expert of the Overseas News Agency today.

Plainfield High School Auditorium
MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 26, at 8:15
Under the Auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club

PADEREWSKI
WORLD RENOWNED PIANIST

Tickets, $2.50, $2.00, $1.50. On sale at Miller's Drug Store, corner Park Ave. and Fourth St. Mail orders, accompanied by remittances, will be filled in order of receipt.

"The play's the thing"—Shakespeare.
MRS. JAMES GARDNER ROSSMAN
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Appointments only
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TODAY AND TUESDAY
The Strand Theatre, New York, Success
MARY PICKFORD
In the Third of Her Own Productions
"THE POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL"
PICTURIZED FROM THE PLAY BY ELEANOR GATES
7—SURPRANCING PARTS—7

MRS. VERNON CASTLE in "PATRIA"
LATEST HEARST-PATHE NEWS

EXTRA ATTRACTION
EXCLUSIVE MOVING PICTURES OF THE CEREMONIES ATTENDING THE CORNER STONE LAYING AT THE NEW CITY HALL

POPULAR PRICES | Afternoons—Orchestra .15c Balcony .10c | Evenings—Orchestra .25c Balcony .15c

WEDNESDAY
George Walsh in "Melting Millions"
Gladys Coburn in "The Primitive Call"
(Double Feature Program)

THURSDAY
Valeska Suratt in "Jealousy"
"Pearl of the Army" (Last Episode)
"His Ticklish Job" (Famous Fox Comedy)

PERSONAL

Lawrence Barrett, of the P. S. C. Company, was a week-end visitor with friends at Mamaroneck, N. Y.

Friends of Miss Hester C. Scobins, of Grandview avenue, gave her a surprise Friday evening. The affair proved a social success.

Dyckman Winckler, of the Plainfield Trust Company, who recently underwent an operation in Muhlenberg Hospital, is reported slightly better today.

Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, who has been a patient in Muhlenberg Hospital, is reported much improved, having been removed to her home today.

HIDDEN WHEAT FOUND IN RUSSIA; PRICES DROP

Copenhagen, March 19.—Petrograd is now well supplied with bread and grain and prices have dropped to normal, says the "Dagens Nyheter" Stockholm correspondent, quoting advices received from Hasranda.

"Search by the revolutionary party," the dispatch adds, "resulted in the discovery of thousands of tons of hidden wheat, leading to the belief that the shortage of food was systematically organized by the old regime. The populace of Petrograd held especial animosity toward Minister of Agriculture Rittig, who was killed in the revolution."

RESIGNED POSITION WITH CONFECTIONERY CONCERN

Howard Debele, who has for many years been affiliated with his father, W. G. Debele, in the confectionery business on Somerset street, has resigned his position and accepted one with the International Motor Company, West Front street.

MESSAGES ACCEPTED BY SAYVILLE WIRELESS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 19.—The Mackay Telegraph Cable Company announces that messages to Europe by wireless via Sayville, N. Y., may again be accepted, subject to indefinite delay and at sender's risk.

Golden Wedding at Cedarville.

Cedarville, March 19.—Surrounded by many relatives and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Hilliard celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. They are the parents of eight children, all of whom are living, and have fifteen grandchildren. Joseph Burr Hilliard was born in Woodstown June 10, 1842. Hannah Wright (Ballinger) Hilliard was born near Woodstown Aug. 4, 1848. They were married in Philadelphia by Mayor McMichael in March of 1867.

PLAINFIELD THEATRE

TONIGHT AT 8.15
THE NEW BON TON GIRLS
With Leo Hoyt, Lester Allen, and JOLLY BABE LA TOUR
Acclaimed by cheering ranks second to none for beauty and ability—class and quality added to quantity—this attraction
The Peer of Them All.
Eve. 8.15—25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.00

TOMORROW & WEDNESDAY
First Vaudeville Appearance of the Musical Comedy Star
AMELIA
Somerville
IN SONGS AND STORIES
4 OTHER ALL STAR ACTS 4
FIRST RUN PHOTOPLAYS
SPECIAL TOMORROW NIGHT
Country Store
Gold Pieces, Laughs and Many Useful Presents Given Away
SPECIAL WED. NIGHT
Contest Night
FLOUR BIDING CONTEST
PIE EATING CONTEST
OTHER BIG FEATURES
Entire New Program Thursday
SPECIAL THURSDAY NIGHT
Professional Try-Outs **9 BIG ACTS 9**

PREPAREDNESS PLEA IN BIBLE

Invasion of U. S. Foretold by Prophets, Speaker Says

E. B. O. Alexander, a South Carolina business man, who at his own expense is making a plea for preparedness in cities throughout the country, yesterday spoke on "Warning to the United States that he insists is to be found in the Bible. Mr. Alexander quoted prophecies by Daniel, John and other Biblical characters to prove that Great Britain will be defeated in the present war, that Russia will join forces with Austria and that the war will close in eleven months.

Other deductions prove to him that at the close of the war the powers of Europe will form a confederacy and will invade this country. After severe punishment America will rise triumphant, "ending the reign of the devil, and returning the kingdom of the righteous to the earth."

For these reasons he pleads for an army of 5,000,000 men, more warships and systematic preparation for defence by every citizen.

Protect Yourself!

Get the Round Package Ask For and GET
Used for ½ Century.

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HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK

Made from clean, rich milk with the extract of select malted grain, malted in our own Malt Houses under sanitary conditions.

Infants and children thrive on it. Agrees with the weakest stomach of the feeble or the aged. Needs no cooking nor addition of milk.

Nourishes and sustains more than tea, coffee, etc. Should be kept at home or when traveling. A nutritious food-drink may be prepared in a moment.

A glassful hot before retiring induces refreshing sleep. Also in lunch tablet form for business men.

Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price

Take a Package Home

EAST ORANGE WOMEN FORM DRILL CLASS

A first drill class for women of East Orange has been organized in the open-air gymnasium of the East Orange High School, under the auspices of the National League for Woman's Service. Twenty-four women were put through marching exercises for an hour and a half by George Henckel, physical director in the school. Mrs. Albert Livingston Johnson, in charge of the class, announced that drills will be held in the gymnasium every Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Similar classes will be organized in Orange and West Orange within a short time. Women of South Orange have held their first drill. When the various sections become familiar with the marching exercises it is planned to hold a battalion drill in the Orange Armory.

Check Bronchitis!

Distressing, Wearing Coughs Stopped by
FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR

Eases Tightness in Chest, Heals Inflamed Throat, Raises Phlegm Easily.

Changeable spring weather; exposure to cold and wet; dry, dusty winds, all tend to produce bronchitis, with its weakening, wearing coughs.

FOLEY'S Honey and Tar leaves a healing, soothing coating as it glides down the throat. Tickling, hoarseness, nervous hacking and distressing coughs all quickly disappear, tight feeling is gone, and phlegm is raised easily and copiously.

Mr. J. B. Williams, Trenton, Ga., says: "I have been using FOLEY'S Honey and Tar for years with the best of results. Last winter I contracted a deep cold and coughed with terrible violence. I began taking FOLEY'S Honey and Tar, got relief at once, and soon my cough and cold was gone. I prefer it because it contains no opiates and does no hurt if I take too much."

It pays you to buy only the genuine FOLEY'S Honey and Tar. No other cough medicine can give you as good and effective results. Refuse substitutes.

*** Every user is a friend.

"How do you feel, father?" "Dreadful, my throat and head ache and my cough is much better after each dose of FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR."

Weiss' Reed Drug Store.

EXTRA MEETING OF BELGIAN RELIEF

(Continued from Page 1)

are forming who obligate themselves to provide $1.00 each per month for the children of one or more specific communes. This makes possible the supplementary school meal, per day, so essential to something like 1,230,000 children. Although these children receive their daily ration at home, which is about 50 per cent of the normal average daily ration, it has been proven to be insufficient for adolescent children amongst whom has been discovered an alarming increase in tuberculosis due to protracted periods of mal-nutrition.

Where these communes are adopted we cannot promise that the gift will hear direct from the children, but our experience with the Belgians makes us believe that as soon as communication is permitted after the close of the war, the benefactors will receive such thanks from the children as will make them most happy.

It seems almost incredible that the sum of $1.00 will provide a single child with an additional meal for the period of one month. Nevertheless it is true. Scientific administration alone has made this possible. For instance, there is no middleman's profit—the millers must return in flour the exact amount represented by the wheat delivered to them for milling; in turn the bakers must produce a corresponding number of loaves of bread from the flour which they receive. They, of course, are paid for their services according to weight, but there is the elimination of a large amount of profit which would necessarily work a hardship on the people themselves.

This supplementary meal; from experimentation and practice, has been found generally to keep a normal child normal; in many cases it will restore a sub-normal child. It is now served in schools or other controlled establishments. Each child is checked with the record as to weight and other evidence of condition; at present our great anxiety is to insure this meal to every sub-normal child.

The supplementary meal itself consists of one biscuit, about four inches square, made with flour, lard and sweetening, and one cup of cocoa, with sugar and phosphatine, and with milk when it can be had. Where the depletion calls for modification, even of this simple ration, the cocoa may be diluted, or even, at times, substituted by a broth.

We would be glad if you could find it within your power to organize a group for monthly payments. We find that once the idea is given, it is only a question of a short time before persons who have become interested in farm interest others, with the subsequent result that many groups develop who take upon themselves the adoption of several communes.

The communes which have been circled in blue pencil on the map enclosed herein already been pledged; the others are still open. We have been confining our efforts in New York and adjoining territory to the Province of Liege in which there are four regions; the region of Liege is almost taken, and we expect to complete the quota of communes within the very near future.

It may be that you will want an additional number of maps; if so, we will be pleased to send them. We realize the strong interest you have always shown in our work, and feel that there is very little we can say further which you do not already know.

There are one or two pieces of literature which it is possible you may not have seen, and we are forwarding the same with the map.

We will be glad to furnish any additional data which might be desired.

Sincerely yours,
GEO. BARR BAKER.

RIBOT NEW PREMIER.

French President Asks Him to Lead Ministry.

Paris, March 19.—M. Ribot, minister of finance in the Briand cabinet, was conferring with members of parliament on plans for the formation of a new cabinet. President Poincare asked that Ribot take up the task of leading the new ministry. The president asked for a cabinet which would represent a thoroughly united people.

President Poincare conferred also with Antonin Dubost, president of the senate, and Paul Deschanel, president of the chamber of deputies. M. Deschanel told the president he could not undertake to form a new cabinet, as he felt he should remain at the head of the chamber of deputies at this time.

NURSE HAD POOR HEALTH

Suffered Much Pain, Yet Had to Work. Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Toledo, Ohio.—"I am a widow and go out nursing, and suffered from a female trouble that caused a great deal of soreness across my back, and through my abdomen. Sometimes it would be very painful after a hard day's work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it and it has helped me wonderfully, so the soreness is all gone now. I believe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is just the remedy for female troubles." — Mrs. ELIZABETH JOHN, R. F. D. No. 4, Toledo, Ohio.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and today is regarded as the most successful remedy for female ills. There are thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., to prove this fact.

M. AND MME. BAKHMETEFF.

Russian Ambassador to the United States and His Wife.

Photo by American Press Association.

One of the new phases of the Russian revolution as it affects Washington is the precarious position to which the Russian embassy is placed. The government will, of course, continue its relations with the Russian ambassador, George Bakhmeteff, precisely as if nothing had happened, looking it to the new Russian government to confirm or recall its ambassador hereafter. Bakhmeteff is a social favorite at the capital.

CHAUFFEUR TOO SPEEDY.

Rushes Fare to Railroad Station and Is Fined $25.

Atlantic City, March 19.—Rushing Mrs. Isabella Fishblatt, who is wealthy and lives in one of the most imposing villas on the Chelsea beach front, from her home to the Reading station in a taxicab in less than four minutes to catch a Philadelphia express cost James H. Johnson, a taxicab driver, $25 in city court.

Johnson explained that Mrs. Fishblatt had been delayed in her toilet by a family maid and begged him to get her that she might catch the train. He obliged her. Judge Gaskill said the driver's purpose was commendable, but that he could not sanction "taxicabbing" at thirty-five miles an hour.

HELD FOR DEATH OF SIX.

Suspect in Emporium Explosion Refuses to Talk.

Emporium, Pa., March 19.—Frank Roessler, an Austrian employee of the Acme Explosives company, was arrested on connection with the explosion at the plant Wednesday morning.

Officials are said to have charged that the explosion, which cost the lives of six workmen, was the result of an attempt to destroy the mills, at which munitions are made for the allies. Roessler, who was lodged in the county jail, refused to talk.

Haddon Township Protest.

Westmont, March 19.—Governor Edge is giving a hearing this afternoon to representatives of Haddon township on the bill providing for the annexation of part of the township to the borough of Oaklyn. A request for a referendum vote on the question will be asked. It is asserted that because of the increased tax rate which would result from the loss of this territory to Haddon township most of the residents oppose

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

Letters with this department bring Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science. A stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

The cooking of grains, such as mush or porridge, is of comparative recent origin, but the grinding of grains into meal or flour, then mixing the products with water and baking, is almost as old as written history. The most delicate and feathery cake that is baked today is a direct and lineal descendant from the cake of stone ground meal and water, baked on stones made hot in the blazing camp fire of primitive man.

In all flour mixtures the essentials are flour, salt, liquid and leaven, or something to make the mixture light and porous. The leaven may be either carbon dioxide, evolved in various ways, air beaten or folded into the mixture (sponge cake), or the expansion of a cold liquid when heated. Usually all three agents are present and at work in a flour mixture.

In quick breads (time is a necessity, when carbon dioxide is evolved by the growth of a microscopic plant—yeast—introduced into the dough), the carbon dioxide is usually generated by the use of bi-carbonate of soda (an alkali) and an acid like cream of tartar, sour milk, molasses, etc.

Keep in mind that the proportion of flour to liquid determines the consistency of the mixture, and that the quantity of liquid used determines the size of the finished product. Different names are given to mixtures, according to the proportion existing between the flour and the water. For example, when one measure of liquid is used to one or two measures of flour, the mixture is called a batter, and when one measure of liquid is used to three or four measures of flour, the resulting mixture is a dough.

Batter and Dough

When a batter is made of equal measures or parts of flour and liquid, it may be poured from the dish in a continuous stream and it is known as a thin or pour batter. When a batter is made of one measure of liquid to two measures of flour, it heads when being turned from a dish and is known as a thick or drop batter.

Soft and Stiff Doughs

When one measure of liquid is used to three measures of flour, a soft dough is formed—to four measures of flour a stiff dough results. A soft dough sticks to the sides of the bowl. A stiff dough while being mixed, gathers to itself all the particles on the sides of the bowl, and the bowl is clean when the dough is mixed. (A stiff dough, or paste, results when pie crust is mixed).

In practice, there are gradations between these mixtures. The mixture for the baking powder biscuit is neither a soft nor a stiff dough, but intermediate between the two.

Proportions of Salt and Flour

One-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt is needed to each cupful of flour, except when shortening that has been previously salted, is used, in which case a little less will be required.

Proportions of Baking Powder and Flour

Two level teaspoonfuls of baking powder to each cupful of flour is needed, except in mixtures where eggs or much beating introduces too much air into the mixture. (Heated air expands, continued heat hardens the cell walls, and the finished product is lightened to a certain degree). In the beating of butter and sugar to a cream, air is beaten into the mixture, but the greatest quantity of air is incorporated when the whites and yolks of eggs are separated and air is beaten into their full capacity for retention.

Proportions of Soda and Cream of Tartar

Half a level teaspoonful of baking soda and one and a quarter level teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar furnish, in the effect produced a very close equivalent to two level teaspoonfuls of baking powder.

Liquid Used with Baking Powder, Soda and Cream of Tartar Mixtures

When bi-carbonate of soda (an alkali) and cream of tartar (an acid) are used in making baking powder (and the same should be true when we measure these ingredients ourselves), they are so carefully weighed that one exactly neutralizes the other, leaving in the dough in which they are used no excess of either acid or alkali. Thus, no free acid, such as would exist in sour milk, lemon juice or molasses, can be added to the mixture, unless enough alkali to neutralize the acidity be added also.

In the article tomorrow evening will be given additional suggestions for the preparations of flour mixtures, with some simple recipes for quick breads.

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OLD WITCH NEDA—Part I

Once upon a time, thousands and thousands of years ago, I think, for no one ever hears of Witch Neda in these days, an old witch named Neda used to jump on her broomstick with another broom in her hand; she used to fly about the sky, brushing away the cobwebs, as she called them.

What she really did was to brush away the little rain clouds that the stars used for veils when they were tired of shining.

"You let our veils stay over our faces," said the little stars, quite angry with old Witch Neda. "We want them, you wicked old witch. Go away, go away!"

But Witch Neda would only laugh a cackling laugh and go on with her broom, sweeping away the cobwebs.

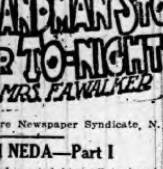
"Silly little stars," said old Witch Neda; "they would have the sky in a most untidy state if it were not for me. I have to sweep every night. If I didn't the sky would be filled with cobwebs. Veils, indeed! Those silly little things do not know the difference between a veil and a cobweb."

One night the stars were all wearing their veils, when along came old Witch Neda with her broom and whisked them off, and the little stars were so angry they forget their nice manners, and many of them rushed at old Witch Neda, darting little sharp points right into her face and making her wink and blink so that she could not see where she was going. She banged right into the moon, who was just coming out from behind the cloud to see what was going on. "Look out where you are going, old witch," he called.

Old Neda dropped her broom and made a grab for the moon, and she caught him, too, right by the nose. "Here, here, here! Let go my nose!" he cried, but old Witch Neda did not let go. She hung on and carried him off to her house on the top of a high mountain.

"I have given those silly stars something to cry about now," said old Neda, as she opened a dark closet and threw in the moon.

"They won't have any moonlight to-night, and if I can get the sun



I can have things all my own way in the sky and make those stars sorry they were so rude to me to-night."

The next day when the sun was shining and not thinking a thing about any harm coming to him old Neda put on her smoked glasses and high-topped cap and a long, black cape.

Then she jumped on her broomstick and flew straight for the sun. Of course, the stars were asleep and could not warn the sun, and he thought it was a black cloud he saw sailing toward him.

"Ah! now I can take a little nap," he said; "there comes a black cloud, which I can hide behind for awhile. I do get so sleepy shining all day," and then the sun gave a yawn just to get ready for his nap.

But something happened; he didn't just know what, but before he could stop the yawn he felt a jerk, and then he was covered with something black and whizzed along at a terrible rate of speed, he did not know where.

"There, I guess I can run things to suit myself now," said Witch Neda, as she took from under her cape the sun, winking and blinking and wondering whatever had happened to him.

Of course, the stars awoke as soon as it was dark, and it became dark right away when old Neda stole the sun, so the little stars, shook and winked all night and all day because the sun did not get up and they did not know when the night was over.

The next night they twinkled and the next day, but then they began to get so sleepy they could not keep their bright eyes open, and one by one they began to nod.

"I wonder what can be the matter with us?" said one star, trying to keep awake. "This is the longest night I ever saw."

"And I wonder where the moon is?" said another. "If we could see him we might find out why the sun is so lazy this morning."

Old Witch Neda was lying about hidden beneath her black cape, and she laughed to herself as she heard what the stars said.

"I can tell you where the sun is and the moon, too," she said, throwing off her cape and showing herself to the stars. "I have them both locked up in a closet in my house," and off she flew on her broomstick, leaving the poor little stars quite speechless with amazement. Tomorrow I will tell you what the stars did to get the sun and moon back in the sky.

(Continued tomorrow)

Tomorrow's story—"Old Witch Neda."—Part II.

BUTTONS WILL BE FASHIONABLE THIS SPRING

(Written for the United Press by Margaret Mason)

Belinda's garments button up,
Likewise they button down.
Some Button together;
The question is whether
She's hooked all the buttons in town.

New York, March 19.—"Button, button, who's got the button?" has ceased to be a thrilling interrogation. It must needs be relegated to its proper place among Goldberg's Foolish Questions. The answer is so painfully and unanimously obvious: Everybody's got it. Not one measly, lonesome little button either, not one, two button my shoe," but three, four and then heaps more.

There's a perfect epidemic of buttons. Like the measles or a spring rash. Every coat, suit, frock, blouse, cape and sweater is rashly broken out with them. No one has an eye for a hook any more. We are all just loking to buttons as a means of fastening on fashion.

"The long, straight lines of the present popular coat seems and shemise frocks are just pie for buttons. They are buttoned up one side and down the other. Some are putting their best buttons forward and others, turning their backs on them, use them nevertheless to back them up. Some have long sleeves and are often trimmed in odd small buttons from the elbow to the wrist, while those that are widely cuffed have two or three large and unique buttons fastening the cuff.

Shirt waists, roll collars and just any kind of collars at all bristle with buttons. They flaunt them openly and above board, and not at all in the usual prethwhile retiring and effacing manner of all good little old-fashioned and useful collar buttons. To be sure collar buttons did used to be a bit bone headed, but some of them were pearls among buttons and indeed quite a few were even pure gold. Anyway, they knew their place and performed a mission in life and a backbone, whereas these present-day collar buttons wander all over the place and the only thing that is really attached to them is fashionable imporiance.

117,000 NEW JERSEY WOMEN WILL ENROLL

Club Federation Takes Steps for Registering Every Member

New Jersey has 117,000 members of women's clubs in its State organizations. That these women may be ready and organized to do their share in any emergency that may come to the country, they are to be registered. The canvass for registering the women regarding their particular fitness for work that may be essential will be started at once. Letters will be sent to each club president, and there are nearly two hundred clubs in the State organization. These letters will contain questions for each member to reply to, and from these a table of statistics will be arranged showing the capability of New Jersey's women.

The State clubs are to devote the entire session of three days at their spring convention at Atlantic City, May 3 to 5 to "America First." Mrs. Daniel Van Winkle, of Jersey City, has arranged this program, and it will contain talks by Dr. George Raiguel, of Philadelphia; Professor W. B. Guthrie, Mrs. E. J. Grant, on "The Loyal League for School Children," and other speakers, all to show the women of New Jersey the need for greater interest in their country's work.

The club women also will choose new leaders at that time. The list of candidates has been announced. Mrs. John R. Schermerhorn, of East Orange, is the candidate for president for two years, to succeed Mrs. Charles W. Stockton, of Ridgewood. Others are: For vice president-at-large, Mrs. William M. Wauters, of Bayonne, and Mrs. C. F. Dewey, of Hackensack; for recording secretary, Mrs. W. G. Moore, of Haddonfield; for corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. W. Bailey, of Leonia; for treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Healey, of Newark.

The federation will go on record as for or against women suffrage, and delegates are to attend instructed from their several clubs. The headquarters will be the Chalfonte, and the meetings are all to be held on the Steel Pier, with evening receptions at the hotels.

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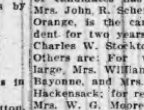

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A DREAM of TURQUOISES

BY JOSEPH ANOM

"Jacques, if you should fail!"

OUTSIDE the barber shop in Zepata, the tropical sun was beating down upon the hot sand and gray adobe with a fierceness that drove even the listless Mexicans and Mestizos to the shelter of the few straggling buildings of the little village. Torella's shop presented a mingled scene of activity and idleness. White-aproned barbers plied razor and brush energetically, while Creoles, Americans, Mestizos and Indians lounged lazily in the crowded room waiting their turn.

Jacques De Mules, barber in charge of the front chair, talked earnestly, even volubly, while he skillfully lathered the face of his victim, his dark eyes, and white, even teeth flashing with every word.

"You see, monsieur," he was saying, "I know just where they are. Such beauties!—blue like the Heavens—and I—Mon Dieu! Monsieur what misfortune! I have not a penny beyond my board." And he sighed as he wisked the razor over the smooth face of the American.

"What wealth!" he continued; "ah, the riches buried there, and I too poor to go after it! These shiftless Creoles! What do they care for money? Even Señor Torella, the barber, will not listen to me. Day by day, I shave these people—I strike off their beards—you will see presently, monsieur, how smoothly I perform this— all the while I dream of the bed of turquoises."

By this time, having finished, with a flourish of powder—a light puff here and there, he raised the chair and made ready for the next customer, smiling sadly as the first stranger, giving no attention, apparently, to his story, passed out without a word. The American, who took the place, was tall, lean and shrewd looking. As he dropped his head back on the cushioned head rest, he addressed himself to the barber.

"I was interested in your story," he said under his breath. "Tell me all you know."

"What ecstasy, monsieur!" Jacques' face lit up with a boyish smile.

"I had a friend once, who himself had seen the place. He was going up there, when he was prevented by a quarrel. I regret to tell you that the quarrel was over a lady—he was shot, and on his death bed he told me all. He was the soul of honor, monsieur, and I am sure he told the truth. But me! I am a beggar. I should starve on the journey. If someone would advance me the money—a mere trifle—I could go. It would mean a fortune to me. I would make division of the profits of the adventure. Besides, I should be so happy—for I love a lady—who is rich, while I am only a poor barber. I have nothing but my razors: my brushes—and this, my dream of the turquoises. But no one believes—no one will listen to me—no one but the beautiful señorita. We together."

The American got out of the chair and said, with a whimsical smile:

"I too, believe, and will outfit you if you are willing to divide. Meet me tonight at the hotel, and we will make the necessary arrangements."

Even in the pale starlight, the young girl's charm was apparent. One could dimly trace the outline of a well set head, and the shimmering folds of a silken gown. Jacques caught the gleam of a pair of dusky eyes, and his heart leaped to his throat. Petrona turned to her lover with a little cry of delight and together they strolled farther into the shadows.

"What news?" the girl asked anxiously.

"News that will turn our sadness into joy, dear one. I have at last found a patron who will listen to me. He is a rich American, and with the aid of his gold I shall set out to secure the turquoises. When they are mine I shall come back here to your father, and demand your hand in marriage."

"Ah, Jacques," Petrona sighed, "this very day, my father has commanded me to marry the renowned Señor Pedro. I fear your riches have come too late."

"That cannot be," cried Jacques. "It shall not be. In one short week I will return with the turquoises and pour them at your father's feet. He will not favor this rich señor unless you love him. That is impossible. So, I shall return with my treasure and claim my bride!"

And thus he comforted her as they strolled among the shadows of the garden, but Petrona's heart remained heavy and her tones were as mournful as the wind that swept through the tree tops.

"Jacques, if you should fail!"

"Ah, but I shall not fail!" and the assurance in his tones almost awoke a faint, answering echo in her heart.

Sunrise of the next day found Jacques far up the trail—lonely, yet hopeful figure, trudging beside his patient pack-mule.

Meanwhile Señorita Petrona Tesajera was walking in her father's beautiful garden among the flowers. Beside her, tall, dark, with a lazy grace and amorous smiles, paced the rich Señor Pedro. His sleepy eyes were drinking in the rare beauty of the woman in her sweeping crimson robe, and as she idly pulled the petals of a flower apart, letting them fall fluttering at her feet, her fair white arms only half concealed under the lace of her flowering sleeves, the soft whiteness of her full round throat kindled within him a passionate desire.

"I do not love you, señor," she declared scornfully, " and I do not wish to marry you."

"Ah, Señorita Petrona, love will come later. Your father has already consented, the way is clear to our marriage."

"But I repeat I do not wish to become your wife. I love another, whom alas I cannot marry. My father will not give his consent."

Again the Spaniard's sleepy eyes kindled, and the slender dark hand thoughtfully tapped the hilt of a dagger, thrust carelessly through the folds of the grandee's sash, but Petrona's eyes were bent upon the ground, as she still idly cast the petals before her.

"But your father desires the alliance with me. It only remains for you to set the day to become my wife."

"You do not mean that you wish me to marry you when I love another," Petrona cried aghast, "even though my father commands it? Señor Pedro, I entreat you to withraw your suit."

But Señor Pedro, half mad with desire and a new jealousy of this unknown rival, answered coolly: "That cannot be. Your father has promised that you shall marry me."

"I shall make a very loving wife, señor." Petrona returned with a haughty smile. "Can you not guess?" she repeated fiercely, "I shall learn to hate you," and her eyes kindled suddenly with something of the fire of his own.

He folded his arms and stopped before her, baring the path. Then smiling:

"Come, señorita, when shall it be?"

"Oh, since you insist," she answered with a shrug, "if I may but have a little time—two weeks,—a week, even, I will give you a definite reply."

"Ah, you make me happy, señorita! I will meet you here in a week. Now, good-night and pleasant dreams." And kissing the nerveless hand reluctantly extended, Señor Pedro left her.

The week of respite slipped by on rapid wings, and the señorita was in despair, for Jacques De Mules had not returned. She dared make no appeal to her father. Never would he permit her to reject Señor Pedro, unless a wealthier suitor could be found, and among all their acquaintances Señor Pedro was the richest.

Still another day, and Jacques had not appeared! Slowly and sadly the girl stole out into the garden and seated herself in the shadow of the tall palms. Drawing her mantilla about her, for the air was growing chilly, she was creeping sadly back to the house when the tones of a dearly loved voice reached her listening ears.

"Señorita!" She was in her lover's arms.

"The bed of turquoises " she whispered.

"I found them, dear one, I cannot tell you how I suffered in the finding. The mule died on the very day I turned my face toward home, and I had much difficulty returning. But here they are, señorita, and they make me rich—richer even than the Señor Pedro! There are more—many more of them. It is a wonderful mine of treasure. You cannot even guess its value."

"Ah, but you have grown so thin—you are trembling!" and she made him sit down beside her on the stone bench.

"To-morrow, dear one, I shall rest."

Señor Tesajera was sitting out in the patio felicitating himself upon his daughter's marriage with Señor Pedro, when looking up, he saw her coming through the entrance gate with the barber, Jacques. Rage filled him. At the sight his face paled, so that his black eyes gleamed like coals. Although Señor Tesajera had the temper of a demon, his voice was like an angel's. He spoke now, and though his eyes were so fiercely ablaze, his tones were silky and smooth.

"Petrona, you elect to keep strange company."

"Let me present M. Jacques De Mules," Petrona repeated, with a grave salutation.

"Who is Jacques De Mules?" Señor Tesajera's voice was still almost caressing.

"I will speak for M. De Mules," Jacques, worn and haggard, yet quite master of himself, stepped forward into the light, with a box clasped tightly under his arm.

"I have come to ask the hand of your daughter in marriage. She has already given her gracious consent."

"You—Jacques De Mules, the barber! Surely, I recognize you now. Did you not shave me only a week since—and now you have to ask for my daughter? She could have told you that she is to marry the Señor Pedro."

"You, a barber, to aspire to my daughter's hand!"

"But, señor, here are these—my fortune!" and the barber brought forth his box. Opening it the little heap of bluish-green stones flashed their splendid beauty full into the old Spaniard's avaricious eyes.

"These!" he gasped. "Where did you find such a treasure?"

"That is my secret, señor," said Jacques. I have discovered a turquoise mine, I am no longer Jacques—the poor barber. I am M. Jacques De Mules!"

"Ah, very good, but these are not enough. Show me yet as many more and I will believe. I will then give you my daughter. It will be easy enough, surely, since, as you say, you have discovered a mine of these precious stones," and a sneer curved the Spaniard's thin lips.

"Ah, how happy you make me!" cried Jacques. "In just a week I will be here again with turquoises, yes, turquoises enough to satisfy even you."

Turning, they saw Señor Pedro standing in the doorway. Pedro bowed to the señorita, and said in paressing tones that veiled his murderous wrath, "I am not needed, I see. I will call again. Adios."

Two days later, Jacques was once more on his way to the mine.

Night found him well along the trail. He had started to make his rough bed and boil his coffee just as the sun cast its last rays over the distant mountain peaks. Then a something—dark and lithe and sinewy—crept out from among the shadows of the rocks and moved stealthily forward.

Señor Pedro's eyes were not sleepy now. He had come a long journey since day-break to meet his foe. Quickly he measured the distance between himself and poor Jacques, who was standing at the summit of the trail, lost in admiration of the valley at his feet. Slipping lightly along like a panther stalking his prey, Pedro gained the height and crouched low behind his unconscious victim.

"So you would win a double prize—your heap of sea green treasure and the heart of the woman I love? Die, dog!" With one quick lunge Pedro struck Jacques full in the back. He left his jeweled dagger buried to the hilt.

There, under the calm stars, rambling incoherently of the turquoises and the señorita, his American patron found him.

It was many days before he could be carried back to the valley. When he went, the American accompanied him, to see that no harm should come to him and his treasure. In the wretched little adobe house which Jacques called home, he was nursed tenderly back to life and health. Then there came a happy hour of triumph for the humble barber, the hour when, pale and weakened by his long siege of suffering, he made his way to the old señor, and laid a box of gleaming blue stones at his feet. "Here is twice the value you demanded," he said simply, "I have come, as I said I should, to claim your daughter."

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The Kind that Mother Made

By Gladys Hyatt Sinclair

HOT doughnuts! Come over!" called my neighbor. And I went; wouldn't you? The delectable odor of hot-fried cakes and coffee greeted me with the smile of my morning hostess; but behind the smile were red eyes and a worried look. As I broke open my cakes of crisp brown, crusted over with flaky deliciousness, and sipped the perfect coffee, we chatted in a friendly fashion. But gradually an odd silence fell between us and my neighbor began tracing the tulips in the table cloth with the handle of her spoon.

"If I could make such brown and golden dreams as these I should dance on air. Why aren't you jubilant?" I asked.

She dropped her pretty head, her lip quivering. "Because i probably shan't have any place to make doughnuts in, after a few months. We had to mortgage this little home two years ago The mortgage was foreclosed yesterday. We have a year to redeem the place of course.

"How heavy is the mortgage?"

"A hundred and fifty dollars."

I traced tulips, too, and swiftly did a little plain thinking. "I know how kind and neighborly you are, Mrs. Brant. How sensible are you?" I demanded. "Are you sensible enough to brave shallow criticism and use your genius to save your home?"

"But I have no genius!"

"Not for painting pictures or sculping statues; but," and I held up the last doughnut that had survived even my capacity, "these are products of absolute genius—genius plus experience. Will you put your false pride in your pocket and sell me two dozen of these every week for twenty cents a dozen? That's very cheap for such delicious doughnuts, cheaper than they ought to be a-id."

"But a neighbor——"

"Neighbor, nonsense! A customer, and only too glad to be able to buy your ability. Will you make me a four-pound beef loaf at twenty-five cents a pound for my company next week? And may I use your telephone to tell our friends that they can get beautiful cakes and a lot of your famous foodstuffs for a price?"

Mrs. Brant hesitated. I knew she was wondering if she could bring herself to take a cake in the morning, and partake of the same cake at a card party in the afternoon. Finally came a firm "I will." It sounded like a marriage ceremony.

I took my doughnuts home victoriously and returned with the forty cents. Mrs. Brant dropped it into a blue china sugar bowl on the buffet. "Wouldn't it be wonderful if I could help enough to make it count?" she said tremulously.

"Not wonderful at all. People will pay good prices for good food, and there are a number of women who live a long way from a grocery or bakery."

"I'll furnish things fresh and on time, if I have to work all night!"

"That's business! And make everything of good material; just as good as it can be bought. Then charge enough to pay for your material and work."

Next morning as I entered the kitchen with a to-be-continued order for doughnuts from a friend who had tasted Mrs. Brant's at my house, the telephone bell rang. Mrs. Brant answered it. "Oh, Mrs. Swift? Good-morning!——Your daughter said you were gone yesterday; she told you, then?—Yes.—Twelve cents a loaf; yes, it does go farther than some kinds of bread——Three on Tuesdays and three on Saturdays? All right. Beans? Ten for the little dishes and twenty-five for the big ones——Oh, yes, plenty for your family! Hot? Why, yes, of course, hot, if you like! Thank you. Good-bye." She wants bread twice a week and a big pan of beans, hot, for supper every Sunday night," she concluded.

"Hot?" I stared. I had never thought of hot beans.

"They shall have what they want, and when they want it! I cook beans Saturday, and bake them hot, on Sunday, for my family; why not for others Home cooking must be home cooking to succeed."

"Good for you! It's the home taste that they can't get, and you can supply it."

Mrs. Brant arranged that Tuesdays and Saturdays should be her bread days." Mr. Brant, when he saw that his eager little wife meant business, rigged a frame for the express cart to hold a twenty-pound cracker box securely. This was lined with white paper and contained two shelves. From it twelve-year-old little John delivered the goods, not called for. He was trusted with the necessary amount of dimes and nickels for change, and Mrs. Brant made it very plain that she meant to keep no books and could not extend credit except, on occasion, from one delivery to the next.

"Can't I have something new in sandwiches?" came a wail over the telephone from an indefatigable entertainer and card player.

"What have you and your friends been serving?" Mrs. Brant inquired, briskly.

"Oh, minced ham—and lettuce, and egg," disgustedly.

Mrs. Brant laughed. "Certainly you can have something new," she replied, cheerily.

"Joyful! I'll leave you to decide what it shall be. I think I should really expire if I had to manufacture a few more ham sandwiches."

Borrowing all my old magazines she curiously left room for a cooler place; sandwich combinations. Her sandwiches became famous among club members and party-givers; and her list of patrons increased by leaps and bounds.

The little woman was sweetly sensible about her work, taking it quite as a matter of course, so that her customers many of them her personal friends, never hesitated to give her orders wherever they happened to meet her.

As the weather grew hotter, many customers left town for cooler places; but those who remained were less and less inclined to bake and roast either meat or themselves. And neighbors and friends, noting their comfortably cool leisure, and tasting their delicious fare, thought of the "cooking expert," as she was laughingly called, all through the hot weather. Mrs. Brant was obliged to buy an extra gas range, a bread mixer and any number of fireless cookers, and hired a girl to come in on mornings to prepare vegetables and wash the dishes. But the little woman stood pluckily up to her hot, tiring work all summer, keeping vigilant voice for the telephone, whatever happened.

Within a week of a year from her start in business Mrs. Brant called to me: "Hot doughnuts! Come over!" I went. With the doughnuts and coffee she brought out a tiny brown bank book for my inspection. "See," she exclaimed in trembling pride and gladness, "the mortgage will be paid when the year is paid by me! The home is ours. I've paid for my gas stove, all my excellent cooking and kitchen labor saving apparatus, and have a large supply of raw material on hand! And I am the proud proprietor of a business that bids fair to last as long as men can eat, and I can cook! I'm so thankful that you asked me, on that never-to-be-forgotten morning, 'How sensible are you?'"

"And I'm so thankful that you have proved how sensible a woman can be," I promptly returned.

FOR those having asparagus ferns that do not seem to grow, try putting a teaspoonful of castor oil around the roots and notice the change in about six weeks.

FOR the Safe Keeping of Oil Rags in the house, and which may be used for floors, furniture or wiping lamps, there should be provided a metal box perforated with holes to admit of good ventilation. Spontaneous combustion is often the cause of "unknown" fire origins, and quite frequently the oil rags tucked in a corner or kept in a closed box may have been the cause. A very simple rag box can be made from a large tin cracker box properly mounted on a wood base with a strip made fast to the base and to the hinge edge of the box so that at no time can the cover be thrown all the way back. The object of this is to allow the cover to be held open long enough to remove or replace rags and if properly set up there is room for the cover must come down of its own weight and at all times keep the rags within a metal box.

A tablespoonful of stewed tomatoes catsup added to the gravy of roast meats is thought to improve it.

FOR cleaning hair brushes a few drops of ammonia are excellent. Put a tablespoonful into the water, having it only tepid, and dip up and down until clean; then dry with the brushes down and they will be like new.

TO clean leather use good sweet cream, dip a piece of cheese cloth into the cream and rub the leather well with it. It cleanses the leather and the fat of the cream is an excellent food for it. Then polish by dipping a piece of cheese cloth into the white of an egg which has been whipped as for frosting.

IN making a baked custard warm the milk before adding the eggs, and there will be less danger of the dessert turning watery.

HEMSTITCHED tablecloths and linens can be nicely mended when the hemstitching breaks by fagoting the edges together with strong thread. This will wear as long as the article.

FANCY Japan tea trays and also lacquered wooden ones, may be cleaned in this method: Rub the surface with a flannel dipped in milk until all marks are removed; dry with a clean cloth, sprinkle a little flour over, and polish with a soft piece of old silk.

FREQUENTLY table cloths and napkins are stained by cocoa. Such stains should be washed in cold water first, and then boiling water should be poured through until the last vestige of the stain is gone. For spots made by coffee or tea, boiling water poured through will prove efficacious.

Clever Answers to Queer Questions

WHO gave the tar-tar? The Jack-all gave the Jack all.

Why did the wood-saw? Because it saw the lamb-chop.

Why did the butterfly? Because it saw the cake-walk.

Why did the fly fly? Because the spider spied her.

What is the largest room in the world? The room for improvement.

Why is the street car like the heart of a coquette? Because there is always room for one more to be taken in.

When may a man be said to breakfast before he gets up? When he takes a roll in bed.

Why are teeth like verbs? Because they are regular, irregular and defective.

What is it that a gentleman has not, never can have, and yet can give to a lady? A husband.

Why is a man just imprisoned like a boat? Because he requires bailing out.

When does a ship tell a falsehood? When she lies at the wharf.

What is the difference between a mother and a barber The latter has razors to shave and the former has shavers to raise.

Why are fowls the most economical things a farmer can keep? Because for every grain they give a peck.

The Care of Children

By Marianna Wheeler

MEASLES

THE earliest symptoms of measles is a watery discharge from the eyes and nose accompanied by sneezing and a teasing cough. With these symptoms there is also frequently found some tiny white specks on the inside of the cheeks which somewhat resemble sprue. The rash usually follows these symptoms in three or four days, showing first behind the ears or on the neck beneath the chin, in scattered, fine spots. Then it spreads in large, coarse red patches to face and chest, gradually extending down the body to legs and feet, fading in the order in which it came, face first and going off at the legs.

Measles is usually considered a mild disease without serious consequences; this is only partly true, for the dire complications of measles are usually severe, especially the broncho pneumonia of children under two years, and tuberculosis of older children to which there is a tendency among those living in the crowded districts of large cities. It is a disease that is contagious by direct contact, but rarely being carried by a third person; it is always most contagious during the catarrhal stage before the rash appears. For this reason an early diagnosis and prompt isolation of the supposed child is a most important factor in preventing the disease from spreading. I know of a child contracting down with this disease to have access to but once in a room where there were six children and all but one, who had already had measles, became infected. Consequently, whenever a mother, teacher or nurse notice in a child the condition described, take no chances but isolate him at once. If the alarm proves a false one no harm has been done; if measles develops she will have no cause for regret. Be sure to look for the little white spots inside the cheeks; they are not always seen, but if only one or a dozen are discovered they make the diagnosis certain. Children who have been exposed to measles should be kept under observation and away from other children who have not had the disease for three weeks, for while the time between the exposure and the development, of the disease is from two to eighteen days, occasionally cases have been known to develop as late as the twenty-first day after exposure.

Some of the simple complications of measles are conjunctivitis, which is inflammation of the mucous membrane of the eye; laryngitis, an inflammation of the mucous membrane of the windpipe, and earache, caused by inflammation of the little tube leading from throat to ear; all of which may be greatly relieved by good nursing.

The room in which the patient is sick should be large and sunny with plenty of fresh air both day and night. Protect the child from any possible draughts or cold by screens and warm clothing. Hands and feet should be kept warm but never keep the child so warm that it perspires. The eyes should be washed several times each day with a saturated solution of boric acid, also the mouth. An occasional gargle of either hot or cold salt and water will help the throat. Sunlight is desirable, but the light in the room should be tempered by a dark shade and the child's face turned from any bright light. While the rash lasts, usually four days, sometimes a little longer, bathe only face, hands and fingers. As there is usually some discomfort from the eruption, such as burning and itching of the skin, a rubbing of the entire body with olive oil both night and morning is found soothing, but this must be done undercover, without exposing the child. At the end of a week a full sponge bath may be given every day, followed by a rubbing with oil, cold cream or cocoa butter.

For the first few days or while there is fever, the food should be fluid, such as milk, broths and gruels; after the fever subsides dry or milk toast, porridge, soft boiled eggs and simple desserts may be given, and in two or three days more the patient may have the usual diet. At the end of a week if there are no complications most children feel well and chafe at being confined in the sick room, but it is best to keep the child in bed for one week and confined to the room for one week longer, before allowing it the freedom of the house. Fumigation is not necessary after measles, but after the patient leaves the room, it should be thoroughly cleansed and mattress and pillows beaten and brushed and exposed to the air and sun for several hours.

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HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE ORGANIZED LAST NIGHT

Mayor Appoints Fifty Men to Act as Special Policemen in an Emergency—Others to be Named—Special Message to Council Outlines Plans

Mayor Calkins sent a special message to the Common Council last night setting forth the object and aims of the Home Defense League which has been organized here for the purpose of acting in defense of the city in case of an emergency.

Accompanying the message was a list of fifty appointees whom the Mayor has designated as the first unit of the league. These men will be sworn in as special policemen to serve without compensation and will be expected to render such service as may be required in any emergency.

They will be fully equipped with firearms and other means of defense.

The council approved the suggestions made in the Mayor's message, and confirmed the appointment of the men designated as the first unit of the Defense League.

A census of the city is now being made with a view to determining the number of people living here and to acquire such other information as may be of value from the standpoint of general protection.

Major William L. Smalley will appoint a Defense League for North Plainfield and both leagues will act in conjunction with each other, should such action be necessary.

The members of the first unit of the Plainfield League are:

Marion S. Ackerman, L. S. Ayer, George G. Andrews, Douglass Anderson, David G. Atwood, J. Whitney Baker, Allen E. Beals, James R. Blake, Frank P. Burke, William M. Beekman, Paul Collier, Charles H. Dutcher, Morris J. Dumont, Edwin M. Daniel, 2nd, Harvey Fisk, Leslie R. Fort, Charles H. Frost, Henry S. Fullerton, William J. Firstbrook, Richard J. Harrigan, Christie P. Hamilton, William J. Hartpence, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., R. F. R. Huntsman, Guy H. Hillman, Sherman B. Joost, Thomas H. Keller, Joseph J. Kennedy, Charles B. Lufburrow, Elliott C. Laidlaw, Charles M. Lucky, Jeremiah L. Manning, Walter F. Manning, Percy A. McVoy, J. Hartley Mellick, Arthur L. Otterson, A. W. Ransome, Rufus S. Rowland, Joseph H. Sullivan, Herbert B. Smith, Martin H. Stutsman, Thomas Strappe, George J. Tobin, Louis A. Viviano, Thomas R. Van Boskerck, George T. Van Boskerck, Jacob L. Vandeventer, Edward J. Waring, Lewis A. Williams, John E. Watson.

The special message is as follows:

To the Honorable the Members of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

"I wish to inform you, and the public through this message to your honorable body, regarding certain measures which are being taken in this line of uncertainty and general suspense to prepare for whatever emergency may later arise. I have thought it best not to make announcement on this matter until certain plans which I have had could be developed. These have been worked out in the last month and are now sufficiently advanced to enable me to state in a general way what is being done.

"Early last month the Board of Police authorized the purchase of additional equipment for the regular police force, and instructions issued for gun and revolver practice which is now being carried on systematically. In other directions also the police department has made active and thorough preparation for the maintenance of good order, although I deem it inadvisable at this time to make public the details regarding the emergency organization of the regular force. In the Fire Depart-

(Continued on page three)

P. S. C. WANTS "Y" AT BUSY CORNER

Wants Additional Facilities at West Front and Somerset Streets

The Public Service Street Railway Company filed a request with the Common Council last night which is not likely to be granted. It was for permission to install a "Y" at the corner of Somerset and West Front streets. The reason why this request is not likely to be acceded to is that Somerset street at this particular point is very much congested by traffic at the present time, and if the street railway is allowed to install more tracks there it will develop a very dangerous situation for users of the street.

The Street Railway Company desires to lay two tracks instead of one on the easterly side of Somerset street from the main line on Front street and a single track on the westerly side of Somerset to the main line, making a "Y."

This arrangement would permit cars to meet and pass each other on one branch of the "Y," thereby overcoming some of the difficulties now experienced.

The request of the Street Railway Company, with a blue print showing the proposed changes, were referred to the committee on streets, of which Councilman Hylan is the chairman.

C. W. Belter sent a communication to the council in which he insisted that the city was responsible for an expenditure of $15 which he was obliged to make for thawing out water pipes in front of his premises, owing to the fact that contractors repairing the street had failed to properly cover the pipes after repairs were made.

The East End Civic Association sent a petition asking that the railway embankment between Johnson avenue and Terrill Road be removed; that portions of East Second street, Norwood and Hillcrest avenues, Hill street, St. Mary's and Midway avenues be macadamized and sidewalks laid; also that crosswalks be installed and that about fifty more fire hydrants be located in that section.

J. R. Worcester of East street, protested against the condition of a portion of the street in his neighborhood, and asked that property owners were not compelled to lay walks.

The Spicer Manufacturing Company asked permission to install a 1,000 gallon gasoline tank on their property in Madison avenue. The request was granted.

Morris Israel was granted permission to remove a house from 836 to 837 South Second street.

Licenses were granted to five junkmen.

The request of the Allan B. Laing Company for an additional street light in West Second street, and Amos Andrews for an additional light on Leland avenue were refused.

Additional lighting facilities were authorized for Madison avenue between West Front and Second streets; between West Second and Third streets, and on Midway avenue.

An ordinance authorizing the widening of Watchung avenue to a depth of three feet on the westerly side of the street was adopted on second reading. A public hearing will be held on April 9th.

The City Clerk was authorized to advertise for proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet of fire hose and for laying permanent pavement in streets and parts of streets. These proposals will be received on April 9th.

QUEEN CITY OPENING DATE POSTPONED

Owing to delay in shipment of freight, the repairs to the Queen City Hotel have not been completed, and the opening late, planned for today, has been postponed to next week, the date to be announced later.

Mr. Staats was busy on the telephone yesterday, answering calls which came to him to reserve tables for the opening night. He wishes to thank the public for the many good wishes extended to him, and also to ask all to be patient until the house is ready for a grand opening.

PAPER AND DISCUSSION AT MONDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

The literature department of the Monday Afternoon Club met in the parish house of the Congregational church yesterday afternoon when a paper on "Brazil and the Brazilians" was read by Mrs. John B. Patton. A discussion on "Brazilian Men of Letters" followed and was led by Mrs. Chauncey Williams.

On Monday afternoon next Mrs. C. R. Banks will read a paper on "Opera and Theatre in South America."

GIVE AN AFTERNOON TEA

Mrs. Harold F. Biddle and Miss Helen Biddle, of Leland avenue, gave a tea at the home yesterday afternoon for a few intimate friends.

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TO FORCE ISSUE ON LOCAL OPTION

Action of Wm. N. Runyon Makes It Necessary That Assembly Go on Record

By United Press:

Trenton, March 20.—Before the Legislature recesses Friday for a week, after which it will return for only a day to act on the appropriation bills and possible executive vetoes of measures already passed, the assemblymen will once again be required to put themselves on record as regards the local option issue.

This was made certain late last night when William N. Runyon, of Plainfield, Union County, one of the Republican members of the judiciary committee, served notice that at the expiration of 24 hours he would file with the clerk a petition signed by himself and fourteen other legislators, calling upon the House to relieve the committee of further consideration of the bill introduced by Senator Kates of Camden county, giving municipalities the power to initiate local ordinances, including home rule on excise matters. The bill has already passed the Senate, and Mr. Runyon acted only after it became apparent that the other three Republican members of the committee, of which the majority floor leader Oliphant, of Mercer, is chairman, did not intend to report the bill unless forced. Mr. Geran of Monmouth, the Democratic leader, is a member of the committee and favors the bill.

IAN HAY'S LECTURE HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

With the subject "The First Hundred Thousand," covering the topic, "The Human Side of French Warfare," Ian Hay Beith, a noted writer, a captain of the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders, will speak in the Plainfield High School Friday evening, of this week, and will bring an interesting story. He was one of the first hundred thousand in Kitchener's army, and his story is graphic and absorbing.

A synopsis of the lecture will include—Warfare from the Retail Point of View; Assembling a Regiment; Arrival in France; Behind the Line; How Supplies are Sent; Night Work in the Trenches; The British Soldier's Domesticity; What Women are Doing to Help; A Few Anecdotes, etc.

Tickets for the lecture are on sale at Miller's drug store. Anyone wishing to hear a real story of the war, and how the whole world is vitally concerned, our own country not excepted, will find a real interest in Captain Beith's lecture.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Ruth A. Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Day, now of Weston, but recently of North Plainfield, to Joshua T. Loizeaux, of this city, was announced last evening at a collation given by Mrs. Day. The wedding will take place in the fall. Miss Day is a graduate of the North Plainfield High school of the class of '09.

Announcement of Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davidson, of Westfield, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anita Berry Davidson, to Edward M. Zimmele, of Yonkers, N. Y.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers.

We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everything that enters into the cost of a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper, and many newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt strenuous reforms.

The Courier-News has been unable to increase its price more than 60 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This has made it necessary to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and put into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary forty per cent., and for this reason we are forced to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscription is one or five weeks does not mean that we question that subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only impossible—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change to weekly.

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As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, subscriber must pay in advance.

SAMUEL ROTHBERG CHOSEN PRESIDENT

Plainfield Merchant Made Head of State Retail Clothiers' Association

Samuel Rothberg, of this city, was chosen as the first president of the Retail Clothiers' Association of New Jersey at an organization meeting held in the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark, yesterday, and in addition was selected as a delegate to represent that body at the national convention to be held in Chicago in June. This honor was entirely unexpected by Mr. Rothberg, but was bestowed in recognition of his interest and activity in the retail clothing trade. Isaac Schwed was another representative from this city at yesterday's meeting, and made a few interesting remarks.

The objects of the association are to bring the retail clothiers in closer touch, correct many evils among the trade, protect the merchants, further plans for honest merchandising, to discourage fraudulent advertising, take up national issues, such as the one-cent postage and to eliminate cut-price sales. There were about forty retail clothiers present, representing as many towns and cities of the State.

Charles E. Wry, of Des Moines, Iowa, secretary of the national association, assisted in the organization of the State branch. Others present who made addresses were Nathan Lemlein and Sol. Heller, president and secretary of the New York Retail Clothiers' Association, and Jacob Gumpel of New York.

There was a morning and afternoon session, and at noon the delegates enjoyed dinner at the hotel, when further plans were discussed. It was decided that directors of the association should be chosen according to Congressional districts, thus giving the entire State representation. These officers were elected:

President, Samuel Rothberg, Plainfield; first vice-president, B. H. Arnold, Jersey City; second vice-president, M. J. Bears, New Brunswick; secretary, H. R. Sellner, Newark; treasurer, J. K. Sheehy, Perth Amboy; directors, J. R. Bynum, Asbury Park; W. H. Downs, Morristown; P. J. Morgan, Trenton. A constitution and by-laws were adopted. Another meeting will be held within the next month to select other directors.

THE FUNERAL OF ADELBERT VAIL TODAY

Simple, but impressive services marked the funeral of Adelbert Vail, of 427 East Fifth street, which were held at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, at the Friends' meeting house on Watchung avenue. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends.

Joel Borton, of Woodstown, spoke words of consolation, and Dr. C. Stringham, of Brooklyn, a close friend, told of the unselfish life of Mr. Vail, extending words of comfort and sympathy to the bereaved family. Appropriate addresses were also made by Margaret F. Vail and others.

The burial was made in the Friends' cemetery, near the meeting house. The pall bearers were: William Gary, of Bayonne; Fowler Vail, of Dunellen; Charles E. Vail, Joseph T. Vail and Randolph Vail, of Plainfield.

MILITARY RECEPTION AND EXHIBITION DRILLS

Under the auspices of the Dongias Co., No. 11, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., of this city, a military reception and exhibition drills will be given at Sweneerbund Hall tomorrow night. There will be a musical program during the early part of the evening, to be followed by exhibition drills. At midnight there will be a grand march.

Resolutions Respecting the Death of Mr. Stebbins

At a meeting of the Board of Managers of the Plainfield Savings Bank of Plainfield, N. J., held on Wednesday, the 14th day of March, 1917, at 5 p. m., the following resolutions were adopted respecting the death of our late Vice-President, Mr. Albert C. Stebbins:

We do hereby record our appreciation of his faithful and efficient services rendered to this bank, as one of its Board of Managers, and Vice-President since being called to assume the duties of said offices, and the high esteem felt for him by all with whom he came in contact.

That we hereby bear testimony to his efficient and upright services in all the positions of trust and responsibility in which he has been called upon to serve.

Resolved, That we hereby tender to his bereaved relatives and friends our sympathy in the great loss which they are called upon to bear.

That a copy of these resolutions be delivered to the relatives and friends of the deceased, and recorded in full in the minutes of the meeting.

HOWARD A. POPE,
—Adv. Treasurer.

GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS ADDS TO HIS POPULARITY IN RUSSIA

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 20.—The Grand Duke Nicholas cemented his alliance with the people in the Russian revolution, and added to his popularity today, when it became known that he was the one who really induced Czar Nicholas to abdicate the throne. It was revealed that the Grand Duke held an audience with the Czar, and urged him to abdicate, previous to the visit of the revolutionary committee, who came to ask him to abdicate.

THREE NATIONS JOIN TO KEEP SEA OPEN

By United Press:

Washington, March 20.—The United States, Great Britain and France will join in guarding the trans-Atlantic ship lanes against German U-boats, if present Government plans materialize. The administration expected to begin today informally negotiating with these nations through the State Department and the British and French embassies here.

Navy and army departments are busy preparing. The navy bears the brunt of the work, but under the surface the army has made plans to call out the National Guard anew, and also provide enough officers for training a half million men.

The New York navy yard began work today on 40 submarine chasers, hastily ordered. Tomorrow bids will be opened for 200 or more 110-foot speed boats available for coast patrols and submarine chasing.

Mobilization of the Atlantic and naval militia has been considered for two weeks, and it may be necessary to accomplish this before long.

The imminence of international affairs has spurred both army and navy recruiting. The navy now has 60,600 men, but must raise 27,000 more. Early graduation of two Annapolis classes will provide officers for the untrained.

PRESIDENT TO DECLARE NEXT STEP WITHIN 24 HOURS

By United Press:

Washington, March 20.—President Wilson is expected to outline the real status between the United States and Germany within the next 24 hours as his next step in preparing the country for probable hostilities. That a state of war now exists between the United States and Germany is now taken for granted. Few believe the President will fail to acknowledge this in his first utterances.

Having moved rapidly yesterday in speeding up war preparations, especially for sea forces, the President worked late last night. Today he meets his cabinet.

Complete proof of Germany's bold affronts on the high seas is now before the President, in an imposing array of war acts against the United States. The toll in two weeks has amounted to four American ships, and over a score of American lives, a sacrifice through utter disregard of the rights of the United States. From all over the United States telegrams came to the White House today demanding war.

The President's condition was so much improved today that his physician, Admiral Grayson, permitted him to go to the golf links.

ADMINISTRATION REJECTS CARRANZA'S PEACE PLAN

By United Press:

Washington, March 20.—While rejecting Carranza's peace plan and proposal for embargo on shipments to the Allies, President Wilson in his note to Mexico, made public today, renews his suggestion for co-operation among neutrals for halting the war.

"The President regrets that however desirous he may be to co-operate with Gen. Carranza," says the note, "in finding a solution of the world problem that is intruding itself on all countries, he is unable just now to direct his energies toward the accomplishment of the lofty purposes of the President-elect of Mexico, in the way suggested by his proposal."

At the outset of his note President Wilson called attention to the break in relations with Germany, and emphasized the German-Mexican-Japanese plot recently uncovered. The reason for mentioning it is taken to mean that Carranza, despite several requests, has never disavowed his sympathy with or knowledge of the plot.

INTERNED GERMAN SAILORS ESCAPED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 20.—Dispatches received at the Navy Department today show one German lieutenant and nine sailors attempted an escape from League Island navy yard last night. Two of the sailors succeeded; four of them were drowned in the attempt, and four were found in a state of exhaustion in the water.

The whereabouts of the two who apparently have escaped have not been ascertained.

SLAYER OF JUDGE ESCAPES FROM JAIL

By United Press:

Birmingham, Ala., March 20.—David, Overton, former clerk of the Madison County Circuit Court, convicted slayer of Judge W. T. Lawson, escaped early today from the Jefferson county jail.

CALKINS TO SPEAK ON JEWISH RELIEF

Mayor and Rabbi Wise to Address Mass Meeting on April 8

At a meeting of the Jewish Relief Committee in the Y. M. H. A. last night, Judge Newcorn announced that Mayor Leighton Calkins will make a brief address at the mass meeting to be held in Columbus Hall on the night of April 8, when Rabbi Stephen Wise, of New York, will speak on the subject and aims of the relief committee.

In addition to these speakers Judge Newcorn announced that the Plainfield Ministerial Association will also send representatives to the meeting.

Judge Newcorn stated thas morning that the sufferings of one branch of the human family, no matter where that branch may be, should appeal to all humanity, and those who are in a position to contribute in any way to the alleviation of the suffering ones should not fail to do so.

"I believe that the people of Plainfield will respond to our petition for the suffering Jews," he said. "They have never failed to feed the hungry, clothe the naked and care for the sick. They will not fail in this emergency. The American people are being called upon by the sufferers of every country and they are responding generously to every call. They are appealed to because America is regarded as the most civilized and progressive country in the world. Because the nation has attained this distinction it is looked to for succor by those who are in need. The Jewish Relief Committee of America expect that we shall raise $10,000 here. We expect that every Jew will do his duty and as a matter of human sympathy we indulge the hope that those who are not Jews will also feel an impulse to contribute to the cause. Checks may be sent to Herman Schwed."

MISS WARING AND HER CHAMPION BULLDOG

The current issue of "The Rider and Driver" contains an excellent picture of Miss Louisa Pisk Waring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Waring, of West Seventh street, and her English bull dog, Dreamwold Demon. The highly valued dog was the gift of Thomas Lawson, of Boston, to Miss Waring, and is a champion.

KING'S DAUGHTERS TO SEW FOR NATIONAL AID SOCIETY

The members of the various circles of The King's Daughters will meet tomorrow at the headquarters of the National Aid Society, on East Front street, and occupy the day with sewing.

BEREAN BIBLE CLASS WILL HOLD BANQUET

The Berean Bible class, of Hope chapel, will hold its annual banquet this evening, at which Richard Boardman, who was a candidate for the Republican Congressional nomination in this district last fall, will be the speaker. Mr. Boardman will speak mainly on matters pertaining to the construction of submarines, a subject on which he is well posted.

Prior to the banquet, the class will hold its annual business session, at which the reports of the various officers will be received, and officers for the ensuing year elected. David Wardrop is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the evening.

EDITH RUBEL TRIO APPEAR HERE APRIL 9

The Edith Rubel Trio with Evan Williams will appear at the High school Easter Monday night, April 9th, under the auspices of the Plainfield Dental Society for the benefit of the Dental Department at Muhlenberg Hospital. Seats on sale on and after Saturday, March 24th, at the Reed Music Co., 150 East Front street.

MICHAEL SHAPIRO CHARGED WITH THEFT

Michael Shapiro, of 125 West Fourth street, who has been in the employ of Rosenbaum Brothers for the past five months, was arrested last night by Patrolman Fred Bader, charged with taking two diamond rings belonging to Mrs. Samuel Rosenbaum, of 420 Madison avenue, some time yesterday.

It was said that he had taken the rings in New York and given them to his sister. Police Captain John J. Flynn went to New York today to recover the stolen property. Shapiro is being held at headquarters until tomorrow morning when he will be arraigned before City Judge W. G. De Mezz.

About five months ago he was released from the Rahway Reformatory. He was committed from New Brunswick.

EX-GOVERNOR FORT IS 64 YEARS OF AGE

Ex-Governor Fort is sixty-four years of age today, having been born on March 20, 1853.

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A story is told concerning a visit of Paderewski, to an English country house, where one afternoon a countess remarked to the famous pianist: "Oh, Mr. Paderewski, you play, don't you?" "Yes, madame," the master replied. "Then," said the countess, "would you mind turning my daughter's music?"

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DRINKING A HANDICAP IN COMPENSATION CASE

Evidence tending to show that Henry Sohn of Brookdale was intoxicated September 7, 1915, when he fell from a wagon he was driving for Robert L. M. Axt, a wholesale vegetable dealer of that town, receiving fatal injuries, caused Judge Osborne in the Common Pleas Court Newark, yesterday to refuse compensation to Sohn's widow, Mrs. Lena A. Sohn. She had brought suit under the employer's liability law.

In the concluding paragraph of his decision, Judge Osborne said: "I am satisfied that this man was very much intoxicated, and in the absence of any other suggestion whatever as to the reason of his falling off the wagon, that the whole case indicates that he fell off because of his intoxication, and therefore, it is the natural and proximate cause of the injury."

REV. URIAH M'CLINCHIE WILL LEAVE IRVINGTON

Rev. Uriah McClinchie, pastor of the First Reformed Church, Irvington, tendered his resignation to the congregation at the close of the morning service Sunday, to take effect the last Sunday in June, when he will have completed fourteen years in his present charge. A desire to devote more time to lecturing is the reason advanced for his withdrawal from the pastorate.

The annual business meeting of the congregation will be held April 10 and the minister requested that the usual steps be taken at that time to have his pastoral relationship dissolved by the Classis of Newark.

SENATOR PIERCE OFFERS SERVICES TO GOVERNOR

Trenton March 20.—Anticipating the probability of war in the near future, Senator Carlton B. Pierce of Union County has tendered his services to Governor Edge. In a communication to the Governor Senator Pierce said:

"I hereby tender my services to the State for the probable coming war and the preparation therefor."

GERMANS STILL RETIRE.

French Occupy Three More Important Towns.

London, March 20.—The Germans are continuing their retreat in France over the eighty-five mile front extending from south of Arras to Soissons, closely pressed at all points by the British and French. According to military critics both here and in Paris, the German armies are now within a short distance of reaching the Cambrai-St. Quentin-Laon line, which the French are fast approaching.

The important town of Ham, twelve miles southwest of St. Quentin, has been reached and passed by the French advance guard, while troops advancing up the valley of the Oise have passed Chauny, seven miles southwest of La Fere. The French are pushing forward much faster than the British, having covered about twenty-two miles since the advance began three days ago. Over 120 villages and towns have so far been recovered by the French alone, the civilians still remaining in them receiving the troops with open arms.

MUTINY ON U. S. CUTTER.

Fire Firemen Arrested on Coast Guard Ship Seneca.

New York, March 20.—Charged with mutiny, five firemen were taken from the United States coast guard cutter Seneca, landed in shackles at Tompkinsville, Staten Island, and taken to the Richmond county jail, twelve miles distant, by trolley. The men are John Odell, James Dingle, Joseph Mooney, John Donovan and Matthew Fields. Sheriff Tilton was asked to lock the men up and keep them pending a court martial for alleged mutiny.

Nothing was learned from officers of the Seneca as to the details of the alleged mutiny. But the men, talking in their cells, intimated the charge grew out of the throwing of an iron bar at an engineer after he had interfered with a fist fight.

5 Per Cent. Interest on Loans

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 20.—The Farm Loan Board announced today that the interest rate on all loans made to farmers throughout the country by Federal land banks would be 5 per cent., A rate of 4 1-2 per cent. on bonds to be issued by the land banks also was officially announced.

"THE PRECIOUS TRUTH" BY REV. C. H. FOUNTAIN

The Sunday School Quarterly for the second year, entitled "The Precious Truth," by the Rev. Charles Hillman Fountain, B. A., B. D., of this city, has just been published by Charles C. Cook, of New York, and is now on sale at Estil's Book Shop, on Park avenue. The issue for the first quarter was quickly sold out, and the book commended itself so highly to teachers and pastors throughout the country that it has become the text book in a great number of Bible schools, and its popularity is increasing daily.

Mr. Fountain and his family are so well known in Plainfield that it might be expected that a review of this book would be colored; but this review is not; it is written as it would be if Mr. Fountain were not known here. The book is a genuine treasure of truth; the exegisis is admirable, clear and convincing; the scriptural references are most wisely chosen, the points of the lessons are pressed home with surprising force and the whole is so intensely interesting that it is hard to put the book down when once it is taken up. To say the least, it is one of the most useful text books for the teacher that has ever been written.

The book may well be recommended to pastors, for it is the result of much study and profound thought, and it presents the fourth Gospel and its difficult problems in a telling and concrete way that will be helpful to even advanced students of theology.

GERMANS CAPTURE FRENCH TRENCHES

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 20.—French trenches on the Verdun front, over a width of 500 yards, were captured by the Germans in strong attacks Sunday afternoon, the War Office announced today. Eight French officers and 485 men were captured. Counter attacks by the French during the night were repulsed.

There was violent fighting on both sides of the Meuse river. Near the North Sea coast and in Artois there has been lively fighting activity.

The War Office admitted a general retirement between Arras and the Aisne, Somme front, saying that the British offered no strong resistance and followed in a hesitating manner.

SOUTHERN GOVERNORS MEET TO PLAN RIVER TRAFFIC

By United Press:

New Orleans, March 20.—Governors of Mississippi Valley States met yesterday to plan the use of the Mississippi river and others to obtain relief from freight rates which tend, they say, to force shipments by lake and rail instead of via this port.

ALLIANCE SPLIT

Milwaukee, March 20.—The Milwaukee branch of the German-American Alliance faces a split as a result of a stormy session, at which it was announced that a manpercher had resigned and that the Militar Verein and the Bavarian Sick Benefit Society contemplated resigning.

It was decided to send a telegram to Senator La Follette expressing the admiration of the society for his recent stand in the Senate, and a letter to the Milwaukee representatives in the State Legislature asking them not to take any part in censuring the Senator.

When the societies' resignations from the alliance were read a lively debate was started. Several of the members, including the State president Leo Stern, severely criticized the leaders. Charles Tlaser, treasurer, said:

"I think it terrible that the council should fight among its members. Germany is putting up a great fight and she will win. No matter if two or three more countries enter the war as her enemies she will still come out the victor."

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To Samuel M. Reasoner:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a certain cause wherein Della M. Reasoner is petitioner, and you, Samuel M. Reasoner, are defendant, you are required to appear, and plead, answer or demur to petitioner's petition on or before the 16th day of April next, or, in default thereof, such decree will be taken against you as the Chancellor shall think equitable and just.

The object of said suit is to obtain a decree of divorce, dissolving the marriage between you and the said petitioner.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Maria F. Gardner, Deceased.

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Estate of Albert C. Stebbins, Deceased.

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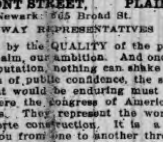

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MARY PICKFORD ENDS PROCTOR ENGAGEMENT

In "The Primitive Call" at Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

As Gwendolyn, the "poor little rich girl," who had all that money could buy but scarcely knew her parents, Mary Pickford in "A Poor Little Rich Girl," her newest Artcraft picture, closes at Proctor's tonight after playing to capacity houses. Mrs. Vernon Castle in the 10th episode of "Patria," also closes at Proctor's tonight. The latest Pathe News, and motion pictures of corner stone laying at the new City Hall, will be other feafures.

Tomorrow a double feature Fox program includes George Walsh playing a role a la "Douglas Fairbanks" in "Melting Millions," and Gladys Coburn, the beautiful emotional star, is seen in a breezy five-part photoplay of Western life entitled "The Primitive Call." Pathos, romance, and adventure are combined in this stirring story.

On Thursday Valeska Suratt is starred in a powerful dramatic offering entitled "Jealousy." Also the last episode of "Pearl of the Army" is shown, and Hank Mann appears in a two-part Fox comedy creation entitled "His Ticklish Job."

Douglas Fairbanks makes up one-half of the program on Friday in his newest Triangle success "The American," a comedy drama in which he introduces a wonderful array of novel stunts and thrilling escapades.

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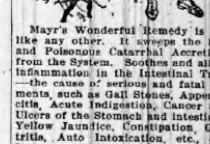

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AMELIA SOMERVILLE AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Amelia Somerville, the dainty musical comedy singer, is starring as the headline attraction at the Plainfield Theatre today and tomorrow in a singing vehicle of the latest song hits. Besides being a favorite on Broadway, she is well known on big-time circuits and should make a hit during her local engagement.

Gold pieces and other prizes will be given away at the "country store" tonight. Tomorrow will be "contest night," a new feature at the local playhouse, and Thursday will be "try-out" night.

RUNYON OPPOSES SUNDAY THEATRES

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 20.—With Assemblyman Runyon, of Plainfield, protesting, on the ground that it would result in a desecration of the Sabbath, the House last night reconsidered its action of a week ago and passed the Colgan bill, providing for the opening of moving and other theatres on Sundays in first-class cities, providing the people approve by a referendum vote. The fees from the licenses are to go to the public school fund. The vote was 32 to 23.

Runyon said that more and more is there a disposition to set at naught the day God set aside for rest. Licensing picture theatres was breaking the day and would not enhance either the physical or moral well-being of the people.

RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room will be open tonight.

The West End Boys' Club meets in the high school tomorrow evening.

The Alumni Men's Club is to use the high school gym Wednesday evening.

The Athenians, Zephyrs and Boy Scout Troop No. 7 meet in the high school gym tonight.

Miss Snyder will conduct her dancing class this evening in the Washington school auditorium.

The dressmaking class, under Miss Scarborough's direction, is to have another lesson tonight in the Washington school.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Evergreen avenue school and a Guild of Play in the Washington school on Wednesday afternoon.

MUSICAL SERVICE AT CRESCENT AVENUE CHURCH

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the musical service at Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church next Sunday afternoon at 4:45. This service, commencing with a fifteen-minute organ recital, will consist of music by old Italian masters. The organ recital will embrace numbers by Scarlatti and Corelli, and the selections to be sung by the choir have been collected from various sources. One, an Adoremus by Rosselli, was brought from abroad by the organist, Dr. E. Mettler Davis, still written in the old clefs.

BILLS PAID BY COUNCIL

The Common Council paid these claims last night:

Salaries and wages of general office employes, $837.34; salaries and wages, street department, $1,492.21; salaries and wages, sewer department, $158.60; salaries and wages in connection with the work on sewer extension, $224.10; salaries and wages, removal of snow and ice from sidewalks, $645.46; salaries and wages, work on storm sewers, $245.66; salaries and wages, permanent pavement account, $18.75; salaries and wages, shade tree account, $34.38; salaries and wages, poor department, $109.41; salaries and wages, police department, $1,362.27; salaries and wages, fire department, $1,693.17. Total $6,961.33.

HOME DEFENSE IS ORGANIZED

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ment an emergency reserve has been created, the retired call men having volunteered for the purpose, and other protective measures taken.

"In order to have ready a reserve body of citizens as an auxiliary to the regular police force I have, with the approval of the Board of Police, organized a Plainfield Home Defense League. The general plan and scope of organization is as follows:

"1. I have appointed the following Commission, which has agreed to act with me in the management of the activities of the League: S. F. R. Huntsman, of the First Ward; Marion S. Ackerman, of the Second Ward; Henry S. Fullerton, of the Third Ward; C. B. Lufburrow, M. D., of the Fourth Ward. The purpose of the League is to organize, drill and otherwise train a body of citizens to be available for service as special police officers. The League will also undertake a general campaign of preparedness for home defense in order to mobilize the resources of the city for the protection of the citizens and their property. All expenses, including those for equipment and drill and the cost of maintaining members as special police officers when called out as hereafter explained, will be met by voluntary subscription to a Home Defense Fund. George P. Mellick has accepted appointment by the Commission as chairman of a Finance Committee of citizens, which will have charge of this matter. The committee will shortly announce where contributions may be sent. It is desired that all residents of Plainfield who would like to have a part in this movement shall feel that the smallest contributions are welcome. The Commission will also name such other citizen committees as may be needed to further the objects of the League.

"2. Membership in the League is wholly voluntary, without dues, and may be terminated by resignation at any time. It is limited to able-bodied men, citizens of the United States and residents of good standing in the city for at least one year, who are not connected with any military organization. Members agree to give so much of their time outside their usual affairs as the Commission may require for drill and other training; also to stand ready for emergency service at any time as special police officers, without pay, regardless of business or professional demands.

"3. All authority of the League will be superseded by that of the Mayor and Police Department from the time and for the period that actual service as a special police officer is required of any member of the League. All members of the League stand ready to be sworn in as special police officers at any time, and as such to be subject to immediate call by the city authorities for police service.

"Otherwise all members of the League will be equipped and drilled, in such units or companies and with such officers and other organization, as the Commission may determine. A. W. Hanthorn has accepted appointment by the Commission as commander of the League and will have charge of this work under the general direction of the Commission.

"4. Fifty citizens have volunteered to serve as a nucleus in the organization of the League and their nominations go to you today for confirmation as special police officers. Until called into service they have agreed to sacrifice their leisure for whatever drill and training may be necessary; and as stated they agree as members of the League to make whatever sacrifice of business or professional interests may be required in an emergency.

"5. The Commission invites applications for membership in the League. Name may be handed to any member of the Commission. Many are now being received and additional units are being organized. These will be equipped and drilled and be held available to be sworn in as special police when needed, or may be sworn in at once and held subject to immediate call for service.

"While the League as an organization is separate from the Police Department, all its services, including the recruiting of a reserve police force, as above outlined, will be at the disposition of the regular authorities in all measures that may be taken for local protection.

"As the plan of organization of the League, so far as special police service is concerned, makes it necessary to limit membership and service to residents of the city, I have conferred with Mayor Smalley of the Borough regarding the organization there of a League along identical lines. I am pleased to announce that the suggestion meets with his cordial approval and that he is already at work on the project. By this means the men of North Plainfield will have like opportunity to show their patriotism. While the two Commissions will exercise separate jurisdiction, they will act in co-operation for the benefit of the community as a whole.

"The Plainfield Council of Boy Scouts has placed all local Boy Scouts at my disposition for such service as they may be able to perform. Already the Scouts have taken a preliminary census of the city. In this matter also I have had the co-operation of Mayor Smalley, who has approved similar action in the Borough. The Scouts will shortly undertake a more detailed survey of the resources of both communities for local and national emergency and we shall expect ready compliance with all requests for information. In addition the Commission is working out with the Scout Council a plan by which the Boy Scouts will be available as messengers, on patrol assignments, and in other ways.

"It now seems probable that our country, despite unexampled effort to safeguard American lives and the nation's vital interests by an appeal to reason and the fundamental principles of civilization, may yet be driven to the employment of force in the defense of life and for the maintenance of right and liberty. Seeking first to establish international right and justice by persuasion and an appeal to moral obligation, we have given an example of sovereign forbearance which has amazed a practical world and will forever redound to the honor of American ideals whether or not it has advanced the security or the separate interests of the republic. No nation has ever given such proof of its devotion to peace. But what we now have is not peace, and if we would have it we may need to be ready to enforce it.

"Therefore in this hour of national crisis I earnestly urge upon the people of our city not only that their loyalty which is known should also be proclaimed, for the encouragement of those entrusted with high responsibility, but that they awake to a realization of the menace which threatens the country and of their own duty in preparing to meet it.

"LEIGHTON CALKINS,
"Mayor."

TRAINING CAMPS WITHOUT EXPENSE

Many people who do not wish to tie themselves down for a long period of time would like, however, to secure some military training under competent officers, more especially if it might be had without expense to them of any kind other than the time necessary to give to it.

These will be interested to know that the War Department has authorized and the Eastern Department of the United States Army will conduct such training camps at Plattsburgs for the Senior Division, and at Plum Island for the Junior Division, this summer.

The Senior Division includes men from eighteen to forty-five years of age, and the Junior Division boys from fifteen to eighteen years of age.

Full details as to these training camps may be obtained by addressing The Officer in Charge, Training Camps, Eastern Department, Governor's Island, N. Y.

CAN FLY TO EUROPE IN FORTY HOURS

By United Press:

St. Paul, Minn., March 20.—Paul Rickel, 23, today claimed that he can fly across the ocean in forty hours by using in his engine a certain oil formula he claims to have perfected. He has sent this formula to the United States Government as a gift. Whether it has been tested is not known.

YOU HAVE CATARRH!

What Are You Doing to Stop It?

If your nose is clogged with air passage swollen and inflamed or if crusts are constantly forming in it, if you suffer from droppings in the throat and are blowing, hawking, spitting all the time you have catarrh.

You may nose and throat catarrh for years and not get an inkling of it. For years to come it you refuse to act. But if you really wish to end it quickly and feel in your best better in every way go to R. W. Randolph or any live local druggist and say, "I want a large package of Hyomei with inhaler." No stomach dosing, greasy ointments, sprays or gargles. You breath Hyomei and as you inhale its pure, wholesome air healing tonic balsams quickly reach all the sore, inflamed membranes of the nose and throat and the catarrhal germs are destroyed. Clears out the head and throat like magic opens up the nose, makes breathing easy and gives speedy relief from every catarrhal symptom. It has done this for years for thousands of people. Your money back if it cannot do it for you.—Adv.

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If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

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JAMES DODD DIES; STRICKEN IN OFFICE

Prominent Aged Somerville Resident Died Suddenly in Jersey City.

Special to Courier-News:

Somerville, March 20.—James Dodd, a prominent resident of the borough, died yesterday at his office in Jersey City. He was in his seventy-fifth year. Mr. Dodd had been feeling well before he left his home on Bridge street in the morning, but was suddenly stricken after reaching Jersey City.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. J. S. Gardner, acting pastor of the First Reformed Church, and Rev. Dr. J. P. Searl, professor in the Rutgers Theology school, will officiate. Interment will be made in the new cemetery by Director John Maxwell.

Mr. Dodd had been a resident here for many years. He was a member of the First Reformed Church of Somerville, and for years was an officer in the church.

He had been connected with the clerical department of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. for many years. It was in his office of that company in Jersey City that he died.

Mr. Dodd leaves four children: Mrs. R. G. Savoye, of Westfield; Mrs. Hugh Vander Veer, of this borough; Miss Eula Dodd, a teacher at Oneonta, N. Y., and Lindley Dodd, who is connected with the U. S. Consul service in Nicaragua.

CHAPLAIN READ PRAYS FOR RUSSIA

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 20.—Senate Chaplain Read, of Plainfield, in opening the Senate last night, invoked divine aid for the people of Russia, that their new form of Government might be established orderly, and that anarchy might not reign.

REV. CANON WELLS AT HEAVENLY REST CHURCH

The Rev. Canon Wells, institutional chaplain of the Diocese of New Jersey, will preach in the church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow evening.

MRS. G. T. GUERNSEY FOR HEAD OF D. A. R.

Mrs. C. R. Banks of This City Among Those Who Favor Kansas Candidate

The Daughters of the American Revolution in Kansas have presented Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, as a candidate for the office of president-general of the National Society, and the nomination is backed by nearly one thousand regents and other officers past and present of chapters in the East, West and South. One of those in the list is Mrs. Charles Read Banks, of this city, regent of the Continental chapter.

Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, founder, who died in 1915; Mrs. Donald McLean, honorary president-general, who died in May, 1916, and Mrs. H. S. Chamberlain, former vice-president-general of Tennessee, who died in September, 1916, responded that their names be added to the list of those favoring Mrs. Guernsey for the office of president-general.

A report was circulated in some of the papers that those favoring Mrs. Guernsey had been working secretly for her nomination, but Mrs. Banks states that quite the contrary is the fact, and that the campaign has been very much in the open, and that she sent the list of nearly a thousand names of those favoring Mrs. Guernsey to every chapter in New Jersey.

ATTENDING THEIR BROTHER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Forgerson, of Summit avenue, have gone to Newfoundland, N. J., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Forgerson's brother, Arthur Fredericks, who was killed Saturday night by a train.

Mr. Fredericks leaves a wife and two children.

AUTOS COLLIDE ON SOUTH AVE.

An automobile owned and driven by M. W. Tracey, of Westfield, collided with a car owned and driven by Peter Ritter, of Pasewood, near the Maples, in South avenue, this morning. Ritter's car was badly damaged. No one was injured.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 20.

Turkish airships bombarded Kut-el-Amara, the British citadel on Tigris river.

Allied air fleets comprising sixty-five machines dropped 10,000 pounds of explosives on the German submarine base at Zeebrugge, Belgium; casualties reported 550.

France reported the repulse of a violent German attack on the left of the Meuse in the Verdun area.

An attempt made to assassinate Premier Radoslavov of Bulgaria in Sofia.

Two Years Ago Today.

Zeppelins bombarded Paris. Austrian garrison of Przemysl driven from its line of fortifications.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1917.

RUSSIA BEGINS TO LIVE

With the changes that have taken place in Russia the past week, in the abdication of the Czar, and the democratic attitude of his brother, who accepted the regency until a new government can be formed, Russian people will begin to live. It may seem strange that Russia should be almost the last of civilized nations to overturn autocratic rule, since the autocracy has been so tyrannical, and since that country is one of the largest and most populous in the world. While other monarchies of modern times have been autocratic they have not been obliged to be so tyrannical, nor deal with so many millions of hostile people. This is probably the only civilized country in which its ruler has been obliged to hedge himself about with soldiers, even in the privacy of his room, to avoid assassination from a discontented people. He has escaped the fate of the monarchs of old in whose history has been demonstrated one great feature of human instinct. From the beginning of the world it has been shown that a people cannot govern itself without a ruler into whose hands is given full power of government, but that the moment the ruler becomes a tyrant the people have risen and killed the tyrant, and put some one else in his place. Czar Nicholas escaped the fate of other monarchs by abdicating. The tension was too strong for him to resist longer, with his pro-German affiliations and sentiments that country has given thousands of her people for war, only to be slaughtered for want even of willingness on the part of the monarch to allow them to be prepared to face the enemy. Russia was handicapped from the first, for want of munitions. Despite the fact that great factories in that country had offered to make munitions at a price set by the government, the offers were turned down, and when this secret became known outside the palace the reigning party was blamed for bad faith. The people resented the attitude of a government which would let its people go to battle bare-handed, and face the most deadly of modern armament. Suspicion that a barbaric subterfuge had been used to hoodwink the people of Russia, and wear them out with discouragement, so ultimately they would have to surrender to Germany, needed only a spark to fan it into flame and the Czar saw the sign "This way out," in time to go out voluntarily. Today the sentiment for a republic is crystallizing in Russia, and the people are beginning to draw the satisfying breath of freedom. That the people all except the royal family were ready for the change, is evidenced in the condition of peace that prevails today in Petrograd, and in the resumed industries in Moscow, where the people have returned to work with some heart. Their endeavors will now amount to something. With the freedom of the press, abolition of political censorship, the opening of the hidden supplies of food products which have been held by the royal party, while the people starved are evidences of admitting the people to the class of human beings. These people have only needed a chance, for Russia is blessed with all varieties of climate, and can grow anything from icebergs to pomegranates, and all she needed has been human opportunity and human encouragement.

THE HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE

Three weeks ago a meeting, organized by the Mayor and a group of patriotic citizens, was held in the High school auditorium, which was packed an hour in advance to its greatest capacity. It was estimated that not less than two thousand people were turned away at the doors. The purpose of the meeting was to enable loyal citizens to give open expression to their belief that the President of the United States, who has striven to maintain peace by forbearance and moral persuasion, should be supported by all true Americans to whatever extent he may find it necessary to employ force to safeguard the country and its citizens. But Plainfield is not to rest content with a declaration of loyalty to American ideals and American liberty. We commend to our subscribers a careful reading of the Mayor's message to the Common Council last evening, from which it appears that plans have been under way for several weeks to prepare for whatever emergency may arise. Aside from an emergency organization of the police and fire departments, the Mayor has perfected the details for a Home Defense League, which not only will recruit a large reserve of special police, but will undertake an inventory of community resources to be available for local protection, and as a military census for use by the Government when called for. The League will have the services of the Boy Scouts, and expects in addition to assist the high school boys in carrying forward their plans for military drill. The Home Defense League should have the active and hearty support of all loyal citizens. It will serve not only as an agency for the protection of life and property, but as a means to arouse the public generally to the menace which threatens right and justice the world over, and to the great need of an awakening throughout the country to the duties of manhood and citizenship. Liberty and democracy are at stake. The time has come for Americans as men to stand shoulder to shoulder, regardless of race, creed or position, for the defense of liberty and national honor. In the Commission which he has appointed to manage the activities of the League the Mayor has chosen men of experience in such matters and of recognized standing in the community. He has selected a representative from each ward, thus giving the movement a popular community character. Fifty citizens have volunteered as a nucleus for the League, and we are at fault in our knowledge of Plainfield if the Commission does not find itself overwhelmed with applications for membership and with offers of financial support, each according to what he may be able to contribute. The organization of a similar league in the borough is under way so that the community as a whole will be prepared to safeguard its interests and to take its proper place among the wide-awake and patriotic municipalities of the country.

THE COST OF TRANSPORTING FOOD.

The investigations of the expert in regard to cost of living emphasizes the high transportation charges. Not merely is freight a large item, but with labor costly, the trucking charges, by the time articles have gone through several hands, have added very appreciably. Years ago farmers used to sell more direct to the cities and towns in their immediate neighborhoods, and trucking and freight were not so much of a factor. Now more business is done through jobbers and wholesalers, and one charge is piled on top of another. The farmer sells to the wholesaler because it is the easiest way, with the least bother and time required. Many times by displaying some enterprise, and particularly by advertising in the newspapers, he could develop a line of near-by customers that would take a part, or perhaps all, of his product. Where this can be done, it gives the farmer a better return, and should give the consumer a lower price.

NOW THE ONION PEST

Most people have, perhaps, been reconciled to the various difficulties in raising fruits and vegetables, in the menace from the potato bug, the tomato worm, the plum curculio, the apple worm, the San Jose scale on peaches and pears, the cabbage worm, etc., but in these days when people are thinking of returning to the soil to raise some crop that will ease the cost of living, they perhaps did not know that onions, which are bringing a high price, are another crop that is infested by a menace, a maggot which injures whole fields of onions unless checked. However, as in the case of other crop menaces, agriculturists have found a method of protecting the onions. Anyone wishing to know about it may ask R. W. De Baum, extension specialist on market gardening, at the State Agricultural College, New Brunswick, N. J., free of charge.

CZAR'S COSTLY MOVE

The move which Czar Nicholas made in abdicating the throne of Russia cost him something, but he cannot be said to have sacrificed his wealth for a principle. In abdicating he leaves a fortune of nearly two thousand million dollars, his cash being on deposit in the Bank of England, and much invested in American securities, among them Pennsylvania Railroad stock, and beside that about twelve million acres of land in Russia, with all the mineral resources of the country. All this will probably be confiscated. Once he could have been the richest man in the world, and still held the throne, but he flew in the face of fate, and bumped against something.

AUTOMATIC POWER VESTED

The espionage bills which the administration so strongly demanded and so generously received from Congress carry a larger power to the President than anything this country has ever seen of than most autocratic nations possess. Mr. Wilson may so prescribe the "other places and things" which are interdicted to the citizens that freedom of movement and of speech, perhaps even of assembly, might be variously curtailed. Under this bill, Mr. Wilson, for instance, might be able to deal with Senator Stone and some others more stringently than by refusing to invite them to the White House.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Perhaps the people who started some of these food riots did so not so much because of hunger themselves, as desirous of seeing other people hungry.

It is perhaps natural that the bone-dry law should make many people shiver to the marrow.

Treaties nowadays are the agreements you expect to keep with nations having a stronger military force.

The people of the United States would almost be willing to go without potatoes for six months if all those being held by speculators should rot on their hands.

Of 100,000 visitors in Washington during the inauguration probably not more than 99,000 of them were looking for office.

Our people don't worry much about lives being lost, but wait until some one finds out that he has lost a dollar by the way the war is going.

The Congressmen are scrambling for committee places, and some are ex-officio members of the committee to keep the Congressional Record filled up.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Disagrees With Mr. Sminck

Editor Courier-News:—I noticed in the Courier-News of March 13 an article headed "Sminck's Plans are Presented," in regard to the overflowing of Green Brook every time there is an extra heavy downpour of rain. If I am not mistaken, the part of Green Brook that overflows lies between Faragut road and Leland avenue. I would like to suggest, if suggestions are in order, that before any imported engineer is consulted, the cause as seen by old Plainfielders be removed. The cause from my point of view is, the water is held back by two dams; also the brook is not wide enough to take the amount of water that drains into it after every cloudburst.

My views differ from Councilman Sminck's in this matter, namely, he advocates controlling the brook above the overflowed district. My view is to let the water out below by doing away with the two now useless dams, thereby giving the brook about ten feet more fall in less than an eighth of a mile below the part that overflows. If that is not sufficient widen the brook below enough to take all the water that would ever flow through that district. With ten feet more fall in such a short distance below the overflow part the water can get out as fast as it can get in, thereby remedying the bad state of affairs that happens too often.

F. W. BIRD.
Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

DIED

ONDERDONK—Died, at Philadelphia, Pa., on March 17, 1917, John F. Onderdonk, aged 79 years. Funeral service at the First Baptist Church, New Brunswick, N. J., on Wednesday, March 21, at 2:30 p. m. Please omit flowers. 3-19-2t

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LOST—A school medal. It found return same to St. Mary's School, or 507 West Fourth street, and receive reward. 3-20-3t

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WANTED—Man during the summer for garden work by the day. Apply evenings, 650 West Seventh street. 3-14-tf

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FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in the large auditorium over J. W. Gavett's china store, 218 West Front street, being used as temporary auction rooms by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for displaying goods. The above mentioned sale consists of several van loads of fine household goods and part storage and must be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 22, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, one 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany davenport, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three fine brass beds, three couches, several enameled white iron beds, one mahogany bed, five bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, one mission settee; oak chiffoniers, two almost new pianolos, attachments, a number of rolls of music, one onyx clock, one marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, sizes 9x12, 8x10 and 1x2; two cabinet organs, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, lot bric-a-brac, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon to all purchasers. Robert Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-tf

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FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 Georges street. 2-27-1m

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SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 2-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner cocks, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of cultivators, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, and other articles of use on a farm. Also some very fine mahogany furniture; one mahogany roll top desk. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 2-20-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornbeld's Bakery. 11-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE

To settle estate of the late Peter Von Twistern beginning on Thursday, March 22d, at 10 a. m., and continue daily until everything is sold, at the Rahway Junction, Westfield, N. J., consisting of 1 merry-go-round, 1 Taylor organ, shooting gallery, 1 baby game, 1 cane rack, 1 'phone connection, cost $1,000, almost new; 1 Regina, 100 assorted records; penny slot machine, in good condition; 3 cash registers, 1 ball safe, 21 in. high, new; lot of counter show cases, clear case, counters, soda fountain, lunch and back bar tables and chairs; chiffoniers, beds, springs and mattresses, lot of groceries, all new stock; cigars, tobacco, cigarettes, medicine, liniments, 1 peanut and pop corn wagon, 1 counter pump with gasoline engine attached, also have with hose; 1 hand pump with hose, lot of wagonas harness, leather set of parlor furniture, oak dining set, wardrobe, sideboard, lot of rugs, also several hundreds of other articles too numerous to mention. Take Union car to Rahway and to the sale. Terms cash. W. Schopp, auctioneer. Emma S. Zachar, administratrix. 3-20-2t

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; prices reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

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FOR SALE—White Angora goat and harness. Call Netherwood store. 3-20-2t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—Fine Guernsey cow, just fresh with calf. Box 264, Dunellen, N. J. 3-17-3t

FOR SALE—Some furniture. 'Phone 1819-R. 3-19-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 823 South avenue. 2-26-tf

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs, John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

NEW Cyphers incubator, 240-egg, for sale, cheap. A. Perry, R. F. D. No. 3. 3-20-2t

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse; sells, $150. Sixth street, Scott place.

FOR SALE—Nine fancy roosters. 39 Chatham street.

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle, 26-in. wheel, coaster brake, first-class condition; price $10. Address "V," care Courier-News. 3-20-2t

FOR SALE—Drop head Wheeler & Wilson machine; price $10. Apply 30 Harrison avenue. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—Two goats, 1 fresh goat and 1 kid. Apply 126 Plainfield avenue. 3-20-2t

BABY CHICKS for sale. 214 Berckman street.

LARGE lot of poultry for sale, several breeds, prices low; table eggs 40c dozen. Wanted, "Old Trusty" incubators, mottled Anconas and Silver Campines. Marshall, 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-17-4t

HORSE FOR SALE, reasonable. E. Clarke, Woolworth avenue, South Plainfield, 5 minutes' walk from the high station. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—Two extra fine Toulouse ganders, also 5 setting goose eggs. 1226 Park avenue. 3-20-22-2t

FOR SALE—30 Rhode Island Red laying pullets. 39 Steiner place. 3-19-3t

FOR SALE—Laying pullets. 1261 East Front street. 3-17-tf

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Hartford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

ONE-CYLINDER Pope motorcycle, first-class condition, at very low price. Apply 921 West Third street, Plainfield. 3-19-6t

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four-room apartment, with bath, in or about Netherwood section; kindly state details. Address "A. M.," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

WANTED — Three unfurnished rooms; convenient for housekeeping, garden; convenience; preferably east section. "L. B.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

FURNISHED house wanted by exceptionally desirable family; three adults; about $100 month. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-20-5t

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping by responsible party. 'Phone 2679-W. 3-19-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1226 West Front street. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU to equal my offer in Plainfield. $200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house, modern improvements, on large plot, restricted; near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Owner," 346 Park avenue, Courier-News. 3-20-6t-th-sa-tf

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain and quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE. House, 8 rooms, all improvements; large lot; in finest location; for a few hundred dollars down, balance your own terms. Address "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-11-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

THREE-ROOM apartment; all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sauret's; $20 dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. 11-4-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

$1,500.00 On first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J, W. F. Wilson. 1-12-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgages at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tf-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-sod-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-23-tf

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue; inquire Boyce, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

AT NORFOLK, Conn., house and stable, will rent for summer. R. V. Cox, 150 East Seventh street. 3-17-3t-22

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, improvements, lower floor 5 large rooms, upper 6; $21.00 each; 1077 Arlington avenue. Inquire A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-20-tf

TO LET—Seven rooms and bath, all improvements, Nether wood. W. R. Way, 308 Watchung avenue. 3-20-6t

TO LET—Six-room house, with all improvements; moderate rent; adults preferred; large yard and chicken houses. Apply 311 Orange place. 3-20-2t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water; over an acre of land, 120 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 8 minutes' walk from Bound Brook depot; will sell very reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-1f

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, all improvements; large yard, fine location; a few hundred dollars down, balance on your own terms. "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-17-3t

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large verands, large grounds; residential section, near trolley; immediate possession; rent $45.00. J. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, all latest improvements, hot water heat, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 2-15-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 955 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 1205 Manson place; 6-room apartment, latest improvements, 686 West Front street. Jacob Sachar, 613 Sachar place. 3-27-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 326 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-6-tf

WANTED — Refined, intelligent white girl for chamber work and care of child; personal references required; experience not necessary. 'Phone 449-M. 3-19-3t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Frank Linker, 220 West Second street. 3-16-tf

MILLINERS—We require competent milliners; none others need apply; also a milliner's apprentice; wages paid while learning. Bonn's, 102 East Front street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Good sized girl after school hours. Wagner, news dealer, 254 West Front street. 3-19-tf

EXPERIENCED double entry bookkeeper, careful and good writer. Reply, giving reference and salary wanted, "Permanent," Box 333, care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Girl to do pressing in cleaning and dyeing shop. 258 East Broad street, Westfield. 3-20-3t

GIRL WANTED to work in tailor-shop on ladies' work; good wages for right party. 256 East Broad street, Westfield. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to do light housework and care for convalescent; two in family. Call at once, 1020 East Front street.

WANTED—Experienced saleslady for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 411 Watchung avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Mother's helper who understands care of infant. Address 604 Willow street, Cranford, N. J. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Woman to help with housework; mornings. Address "B. C.," care Courier-News.

DRESSMAKER wants experienced finisher, also errand girl who would like to learn trade. Call 421 Central avenue, upstairs. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. Berrien, 107 West Seventh street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Saleslady. Apply at A. E. Force & Co. 3-19-tf

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Two girls to work in greenhouses. Apply Stanley, 159 East Front street. 3-19-3t

STENOGRAPHER, at least four years' experience, good English, rapid operator, for large manufacturing company. Address "A. B. C.," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework without washing; reference required. Call 414 West Sixth street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Capable nurse and chambermaid with good references. Ailing, 1017 East Seventh street. 3-17-3t

COOK WANTED—Reference required; wages $35 per month. 'Phone 851. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Young girl to assist with general housework. 338 East Front street. 3-19-3t

FIFTY more girls wanted for hand embroidery on frame; learners paid while learning; also home work. Only girls willing to learn; no others need apply. Room 407, Babcock building. 3-13-7t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 947-W. 2-21-1m

WOMAN wants position as cook and general housework. Tel. 1195-J. 3-20-tf

RESPONSIBLE woman desires work by day or week, general housecleaning or laundry work. Address "X. X.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

EXPERIENCED chambermaid-waitress wants position; good reference. Address 181½ Somerset street. 3-20-4t

NEAT, experienced Danish girl wishes housework with nice small family. 217 Pond place.

YOUNG German lady wants position, children and chamberwork, during daytime. Care of F. Stein, 208 West Fourth street. 3-20-3t

COLORED GIRL wants place as chambermaid and waitress. 446 West Second street. 3-20-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

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ALL ABOARD FOR NEWARK TONIGHT

Meet at the Club House and Get Your Cane and Flag.

Plainfield Lodge will leave Club House at 7:30 P. M., headed by a band and will parade North on Watchung Avenue to Front Street, to Park Avenue to Railroad Station.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

School Election Tonight

The annual election for members of the Board of Education will be held in the school tonight. There seems to be little prospect of any lively competition for the offices. The Board of Education ticket contains the names of Wallace F. Nayler, John D. Case and Stewart A. Kenney, for three years. There are also to be elected one member for one year, and one for two years. It is understood that Clarence Garretson is a candidate for the two-year term and L. C. Davis for the one-year term.

K. of C. Fair Committee Active

Another meeting was held last night by the committee arranging for the big fair to be held under the auspices of Somerville Council, No. 143, Knights of Columbus in Eagles Hall on April 8, 9, 10. One of the features of the affair will be the minstrel show which will be held on the opening night.

Miss Elizabeth Tunison, of Raritan, left this morning for Lebanon, where she will spend several weeks for her health.

Harry Mack Clane returned yesterday after a week's trip in New York State.

John Hartman, of East High street, is spending a few days in Washington.

Max Schwed was a Newark visitor yesterday.

(Other Somerville news on another page.)

BOUND BROOK

Funeral of an Infant

The funeral of little Catherine Hulm, seven-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hulm, was held Sunday from the residence in South Bound Brook, the Rev. Harold E. Green officiating. The infant died Thursday night.

Lively School Election

Bound Brook and South Bound Brook will have the annual election of members of the Board of Education tonight. Especially in this borough will there be a lively fight because of the opposition to the present board have named some strong candidates.

The annual meeting of the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will be held in the chapel tomorrow afternoon. Officers will be elected.

Miss Elizabeth Tunison left today for Lebanon, Pa., where she expects to spend several weeks in an effort to regain her health.

Theodore Bellis, of Flemington, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Sperling.

Miss Mary Williams, of Talmage avenue, is spending the week with relatives in Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Reed were visitors with relatives at New Brunswick Sunday.

The Borough Council will hold its adjourned meeting tonight.

(Other Bound Brook news on another page.)

NORTH BRANCH

Miss Mabelle Moore, of Plainfield, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Moore at Cherrywood Farm, near Neshanic.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Derbeck entertained the North Branch Pisochie Club at a dinner Saturday night.

Andrew Housel, of South Branch, is suffering from a fractured leg. He is in Somerset Hospital, Somerville.

Mrs. William Gorman, of Binghamton, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Titman, at Neshanic.

Mrs. William Shafer, of Plainfield, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garret Q. Baird, near North Branch Depot.

Miss Bessie Snyder, of Bound Brook, is the guest of Mrs. Ellsworth Opie at Neshanic Station.

The Misses Clara and Evelyn Brokaw, of Three Bridges, are visiting Miss Anna Labaw at Neshanic.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church will hold a sociable in the chapel Friday evening.

J. L. Williams, of Bayonne, is visiting his aunts, the Misses Bella and Mary Morrison, at Neshanic.

Raymond Cornell, of Readington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Van Fleet at New Germantown.

Miss J. H. Hoagland, of Neshanic, is visiting Miss Helen Herder at Flemington for a few days.

Mrs. William C. Newell, of Somerville, is visiting Mrs. Eli Dow, Jr., near here, for a few days.

Mrs. John H. Gaddis, of Neshanic, is the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Albaugh at Three Bridges.

Audley Crispin, of Readington, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter B. Hall at Neshanic.

Miss Grace Force, of Clover Hill, is the guest of Miss Grace Strryker at Three Bridges.

Mrs. Anna Hall, of Plainfield, is the guest of Miss Jeanette Ten Eyck at South Branch.

Miss Lois Van Derveer is visiting Miss Edna Quick at Neshanic for a few days.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

The St. Patrick's night dance held in Washington Hall on Saturday evening proved to be a splendid success. Old Irish dances were successfully exhibited by Mrs. James Leahy and James Galligan. Music was furnished by Guttman's orchestra, of Perth Amboy.

Miss Elizabeth Horan has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Michael Lyons, of Plainfield, is now able to be around after being confined to bed with rheumatism for the last thirteen weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Nest and children have returned from a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGranahan, formerly of this place but now of Jersey City.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDonough, of Lakeview avenue, have been entertaining Mrs. McDonough's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bray, of Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Snyder and daughters, Alice and Lillian, spent Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Snyder's mother, Mrs. John Fiester, of Newark.

Miss Alice Sisty has returned to her home in Dunellen after enjoying a few days' visit with her aunt, Miss Emma Manning of Brookside avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., have returned home from a few days' visit with Mrs. Cunningham's brother, John Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weidgen and son Paul, of Somerville, spent Sunday with Mr. Weidgen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weidgen, of this place.

Miss May Purchess, of New York city, was the week-end visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Purchess.

Miss Olga Jordonson, of Perth Amboy, has returned to her home after enjoying a few days' visit with Miss Mabel Looby, Terry Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman E. Parr entertained Mrs. Parr's cousin, Miss Katherine Dolan, of Jersey City, for the last few days.

Miss Isabelle Delaney, formerly of this place but now of Newark, spent the week-end with her father, Daniel Delaney.

Miss Mary Mitchel returned yesterday morning from a few days' stay with her parents at Flemington Junction.

William Farrel and son John, were the guests of the home of Mrs. Mary McDonough on Lehigh avenue on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Delaney have been entertaining Mrs. John McCormick, of Newark, for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews returned yesterday after spending a few days with relatives in Scranton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Leddes, of Brookside avenue, have been entertaining Mrs. J. Dummer, of Irvington.

John English has returned to his home in Plainfield after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Duy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton entertained Miss Nora McDonough, of Plainfield, over the week-end.

Mrs. J. Swope, of Easton, Pa., is spending a few days as the guest of her brother, Harry Phillips.

Edward La Rue of New Market, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Randolph on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leahy and son James, spent Saturday in New York city, visiting relatives.

Miss Susan Ryno spent the week-end as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William Lant, of New Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Boss, of Lehigh avenue, entertained friends from Perth Amboy on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smith have returned from a visit with friends in New York city.

Miss Ida Hockunghury, of Clinton, was the week-end visitor of Miss Jennie Townsend.

Miss Esther Thornton entertained Miss Nan Murray, of Plainfield, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipshitz are entertaining a relative from Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lipshitz visited friends in Newark on Sunday.

P. J. Finnerty spent Sunday visiting relatives in Jersey City.

HIGH BRIDGE

Edward De Long moved last week from Cokesbury to Hampton, where he will engage in the blacksmith business.

William Ward, of Jersey City, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hanlagan at East High Bridge.

An all-day quilting party will be held Thursday at the home of Mrs. George Latimer.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Emery at Califon.

Mrs. M. N. Hann is recovering from injuries sustained by a fall.

Mrs. John May is at Neshanic, the guest of Mrs. Mary C. Huff.

Mrs. Roy Hoffman, of Califon, is at a Morristown hospital.

WHITEHOUSE

ANNUAL MEETING OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

At the annual school meeting of Readington township, held in the schoolhouse at Pleasant Run this afternoon the report of the Board of Education for the year was made. The receipts amounted to $13,175.28, which included these items: State school fund, $267.93; State appropriation, $6,453; ninety per cent. of State school tax, $3,055.40; ten per cent. of reserve fund, $1,350.34; railroad tax allotted, $1,695.37; district tax, $6,180; tuition from Hillsborough township, $10; from Clinton township, $80; from Branchburg township, $60; temporary loan on tax, $1,400; and sundries, $12.91.

The disbursements, including teachers' salaries, tuition and transportation of high school scholars, coal, books and sundries, amounted to $14,796.34, which, with interest paid on temporary loans of $112.66, made a total of $14,879.22, leaving a balance of $296.06.

The congregational prayer meeting of the East Whitehouse Methodist church will be held tomorrow night in the lecture room with the Rev. Frederick S. Benson leader. Meeting the official board Thursday night at the parsonage. The Young People's Union will be entertained next Tuesday evening by Mrs. H. F. Kunze at the bungalow. The pastor will leave March 28 for the Newark conference.

The public schools here will be closed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week because the teachers will be in attendance at the Hunterdon County Teachers' Institute, which will be held at Flemington. A number of the scholars have sent some of their work done outside of school hours, such as crocheting, drawing, etc., for exhibition at the institute.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hoffman, of Whitehouse Station, were tendered a surprise party Saturday evening at their home in honor of their relatives and friends in honor of the fortieth anniversary of their wedding. Games and music afforded amusement. Refreshments were served.

William H. Reger, senior member of the firm of William H. Reger & Son, proprietors of the Whitehouse Roller Mills, will retire from business May 1 and the same will be conducted by William D. Reger.

Alvin O. Shafer has resigned his position at the Whitehouse mills and will take a similar position at the Lebanon mills. He will be succeeded here by George Reger.

The Rev. J. C. Forbes, of Hawthorne, N. Y., will preach as a candidate at both services in the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station next Sunday.

The macadam road on the Ridge between East Whitehouse and the county line is in bad shape and is being treated to cracked stone.

Mrs. Charles P. Oliver will entertain the Wishbone Improvement Society at her home in East Whitehouse tomorrow.

Mrs. William D. Reger, of East Whitehouse, will entertain at progressive Five Hundred Saturday afternoon.

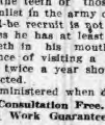
Mrs. Roger R. Hall, of New York, is visiting Mrs. Lewis A. Compton near East Whitehouse.

Miss Matie Swackhamer returned yesterday to East Whitehouse after a visit to Plainfield.

SCOTCH PLAINS

The local fire companies were called out yesterday afternoon to extinguish a fire in the storeroom of the Twin Falls Paper Mill Company. The fire was particularly hard to fight, as bales of old paper were burning. Owing to the efficient work of the firemen the damage was slight.

The yearly meeting of the Baptist Young People's Society will be held in the chapel of the Baptist church tonight. Reports of the past year's work will be read and officers for the coming year will be elected.



Care of the Teeth

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear but the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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DUNELLEN

STREET LIGHTING QUESTION DEFERRED

There was a large representation of members of the Business Men's Association present at last night's adjourned meeting of the Borough Council who favored a better lighting system along North avenue. After hearing the views of those present the Council deferred action on the regular meeting in April.

The Council selected new members of the Sewer Assessment Commission to take the places of those recently appointed, but ineligible to serve owing to the appointees being property owners. The new members are, George Vanderveer, Wayne Burns, and Raymond J. Hamley. Included in the routine business transacted was the authorizing of the Mayor and Clerk to sign warrants amounting to $300 to pay outstanding accounts.

Much Interest in Evangelistic Services

The Evangelistic services at the Methodist Episcopal Church last night were devoted to the young people, with a good representation of members from both the Presbyterian and Methodist churches being present. Rev. P. C. Bascom preached on the topic, "The Man For Leadership."

The other topics for the week are: Tonight, fraternity night, "The Church on the Rock"; Wednesday, community night, "The Man Who Meant To"; Thursday, business people's night, "The Man Who Did"; Friday, Bible hour, 4:00 p. m., Children's Sunshine Hour; 8:00 p. m., Sunday School night, "The Little Giant"; Saturday, everybody's night, "The Story of My Life." The evening services begin at 8 o'clock. Much interest has been manifested in the services which will close this week.

Henry Kirchner Laid to Rest

Many friends paid their last respects to the memory of Henry Kirchner by attending the funeral held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, from his late residence on Lincoln avenue. The services was conducted by the Rev. Ernest R. Brown of the local Presbyterian Church. The service was brief but impressive, the Rev. Mr. Brown offering prayer, and reading the scriptures from the Book of Psalms. The bearers were Paul Kretzell, Paxton Van Arsdale, William Deering and William Schneider. Interment took place at Bound Brook cemetery.

Jottings About the Borough

Rev. Ernest R. Brown, of the Presbyterian Church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday morning with the Rev. J. O. McKelvey of the Watchung Avenue Church, North Plainfield. On the same afternoon Pastor Brown spoke before the Men's Club of the Second Reformed Church in Somerville. His topic was "Helping the Down and Outs."

Thos. J. Fosbre, the genial Union news agent, at the depot, can be found daily on the job. Fosbre has been the local agent for the past five years, commuting daily from his home in Plainfield. "Tommy" as he is familiarly known, has a host of friends among the commuters and others in these parts.

John Fedderman, the real estate agent, reports the rental of the S. J. Johnson house, on Dunellen avenue, to C. M. Webber; also a house on Prospect avenue to H. Tittsworth. Mr. Fedderman was a visitor to New York today. He reports business looking up with many prospects in view.

With the advent of Calendar spring finds many of the local gardeners who have already planted their potatoes. Some of the chicken fanciers have little chicks in the brooders. The eggs are reported unusually fertile this spring.

"Tim" Overbaugh, who conducts the restaurant at the West Dunellen trolley station, has been badly afflicted the past few months by an attack of rheumatism. His condition is greatly improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Siedentop, of Walnut street, are the proud parents of a baby boy born to them on Sunday morning. The mother and child are reported as doing nicely under the doctor's care.

The district school meeting will be held tonight at Whittier school, opening at eight o'clock. Women have the right to vote for the candidates for the Board of Education.

Mr. Causfield, the new section foreman, with his family, have moved into the apartments over the Central Railroad station. Henry Levans has moved to Cartaret.

Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Bascom, of Bound Brook, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Bascom, to G. Clifford Nevius, of Franklin Park.

Thomas Briskey of the local freight station has been transferred to the Elizabethport freight depot of the Central Railroad.

Councilman Richard Ryan, headed a party today that inspected the pumping station of the new sewage disposal plant.

The Board of Health held a brief meeting last night and then adjourned to meet with the Borough Council.

John Case, of Grove street, who has been ill with an attack of erysipelas, is reported as recuperating.

LINCOLN

A daughter was born Saturday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edmonds, of Kings, near here.

J. M. Vail, the elder, will preach Thursday night at the home of A. J. DeMott, near this place.

WESTFIELD

AWARDS CONTRACTS FOR SEWER WORK

Bids for the construction of a sewer in Rahway avenue, Park place, Sylvania avenue, Edgewood avenue and Hazel avenue and for the improving of Hillcrest, Kinnhard and Lenox avenues were received by the council at its meeting last night. There were three bidders for each improvement. Bids for the sewer were received from the Louis Jacques Construction Company, Ralph T. Riley and F. Foster Callehan and the contract was awarded to Riley, he being the lowest bidder. For the improvement the bidders were: J. C. Bentley, W. H. Weldon and the H. B Spruill Construction Company and the contract was awarded to W. H. Weldon. Bids for furnishing 90,000 gallons of coal tar to be used on the roads in the town this summer were received from the Barrett Manufacturing Company. The total amount of their bid was $6,210.

Ordinances to construct a sidewalk on Westfield avenue was passed on third reading as was the one to improve Sinclair place. The ordinance to improve Sylvania place and the one relating to the tax budget for the year 1917 were laid over until the next meeting. On the recommendation of Councilman Young, of the public safety and convenience committee, the council authorized the payment of $10 to James Frazee for the loss of his ducks which were killed by dogs.

The town treasurer was directed to issue a certificate of improvement for $562.67 and to draw a warrant to the order of the Overseer of the Poor for $300. On the recommendation of Councilman Warnicke, of the finance committee, the uncollectable taxes of the years 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1916, amounting to $684.96, were remitted to Tax Collector Clark.

Petitions for curbing and macadamizing Summit avenue from Park street to Grove street and for a sewer constructing of a sidewalk on the northeast side of Scotch Plains avenue from Clarence avenue to Doiran road were presented by Councilman Taylor, of the road committee, and April 16 set as the date of the hearing.

A resolution was introduced by Councilman Affleck, of the Police Committee, confirming the action of the police committee in organizing a citizens' police force of forty members. The reports of the town treasurer and tax collector were received and were as follows: Treasurer's balance, $14,808.73; tax collector, amount of taxes collected $42,874.40 and costs, $610.30.

J. M. Schoonover, of Mountainside, made application for a license to run a hack in this town. H. F. Taylor applied for a hack license and Martin Snyder made application for two hack licenses. The application of Mr. Schoonover was granted but the others were referred to the police committee.

Residents of the Germantown section presented a petition asking that something be done with the cinder walk on Chestnut street from Dudley avenue to Germantown. This was referred to the road committee. A. Rule and others presented a petition asking that the grade of Woodland avenue be established. This was referred to the road committee. A letter was received from Mrs. Joseph Perry and family thanking the council for the resolutions on the death of their husband and father, the late Freeholder Perry. The following reports of the Board of Assessors were received and hearings set for April 16th: Boulevard, Stanley and Tremont avenues, cost to the property owners, $6,438.43; to the town, $2,701; constructing a sidewalk on Washington street from the Boulevard to Westfield avenue, cost to the property owners, $802.04 and to the town, $65.82.

After bills amounting to $1,916.87 had been approved and ordered paid the meeting adjourned. Mayor Evans presided and all the members of the council were present.

Catholic Club Gave Minstrel Show

The members of the Elmwood Catholic Club of the Church of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament, of East Orange, gave a minstrel show in the Holy Trinity auditorium last night and the show from beginning to end was excellent. It was greatly appreciated by the audience which taxed the seating capacity of the auditorium. There were thirty-two in all comprising the minstrel troupe, which was made up of talented young men and women from the East Orange church.

To especially praise the special features of the program which they presented would be impossible, but it is sufficient to say that every one did his part well. The program given by the troupe consisted of the most part of musical numbers, readings, dancing specialties and closed with a Westfield cabaret.

The patrons of the minstrel show were: Mrs. William Weldon, Mrs. R. Lipps, J. P. Connolly, Thomas F. Moore, J. W. Kelly, Hill Burke, J. M. Walsh, Charles Sheelen, Mrs. J. Roy, D. T. Gilmartin, P. J. Traynor, George H. Riley, Charles E. Gottlick, Captain J. J. Thomas, B. Walsh and Martin Burns.

Miss Gertrude Cox entertained a few of her friends at a St. Patrick party at her home on Downer street on Saturday night. The house was prettily decorated with green and the evening was pleasantly passed in games and dancing. Those present were Miss Dorothy Brush, Miss Jeanette Armgardt, Miss Marion Hamilton, Charles Clark, Morton Lambert, Edward App and Hugh McMillan.

Westfield Lodge of Odd Fellows which has been holding its meetings in the hall over the Pearsall Company's office for a number of years, will have a farewell party in that hall tomorrow night prior to its removing to Arcanum hall, where it will meet hereafter.

Miss Alice Rodenbaugh, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Rowland, of Euclid avenue, has returned to her home in Otsego, N. Y.

Frank Sperrell has rented the Young house on Prospect street and will move there with his family on May 1st.

E. C. McMahon is confined to his home on Elmer street by a severe attack of the grip.

FANWOOD

A meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club was held this afternoon. Miss Hazel Gardner entertained the members at her home on Martine avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Carr has returned to her home in Greenville, Jersey City, after a short visit with Mrs. Hulbert Ten Eyck Beardsley, of North avenue.

The Thursday Afternoon Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. John H. Thompson, Martine avenue, next Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

An election on Fanwood Township school expenditures will be held in Fanwood Township School No. 1, this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner are making preparations to move to their new home on Elm street in Westfield.

Graham Pentz has returned to his home in Brooklyn, after a visit with friends here.

FLEMINGTON

The Presbyterian Brotherhood will hold its March meeting in the chapel Thursday evening. John H. Van Cleve will lead the devotional exercises and Oscar M. LaRue will act as toastmaster. The women of the church, under the direction of Mrs. John E. Garis and Mrs. Jennie Fisher, will serve a dinner.

The Climax Gun Club of Plainfield and the Duane Gun Club of Elizabeth and the Flemington Gun Club will hold a target shoot on the grounds of the Flemington club Saturday afternoon. There are to be five events, including two team races.

The Senior class of the Flemington High School has invited County Superintendent and Mrs. Jason S. Hoffman to accompany the class on a trip to New York in June.

Miss Ella Higgins has left for Pasadena, Cal., to visit her aunt, Mrs. William S. Van Zandt, who is ill.

The pupils of the Ringoes Public School are rehearsing for an entertainment to be presented next month.

Former Surrogate George H. Bloom and family will move soon from Flemington to Frenchtown.

Russell Bird, of Easton, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Bird.

Edwin Case, of Newark, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Case.

Mrs. Arthur Joplin, of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Theodore C. Alvater.

The date of the debate of the Flemington and Clinton high schools has been deferred.

Miss Katherine Dilldine, of Washington, N. J., is visiting Mrs. Lewis R. Runkle.

WATCHUNG

Miss Pimm, of Rutgers Experimental Station, will give a lecture Friday evening in the Watchung school auditorium on "Food and Its Relation to Human Diet." All are invited to attend.

Mrs. William Demler will be the leader of the Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday evening in the chapel. The topic is "The Curse of Cowardice," and a large attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kastel and family, of Mount Bethel, have been visiting William Getz of Stirling Boulevard.

Miss Lorraine Coutts, of Sunbright Farms, is confined to her home with an attack of chickenpox.

Richard J. Fell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been visiting friends here, has returned.

Junior Christian Endeavor will meet Wednesday afternoon in the Wilson chapel.

The regular meeting of the S. O. S. Club was held last evening in the club rooms.

Tony Wolfe, of Lyons, is the guest of Max Underhill, of Stirling Boulevard.

ANNANDALE

William A. LaRue sold the seven building lots across from the Reformed church at public sale Saturday to Walter Faulks of Bray's Hill, his bid being $600.

Mrs. Richard S. Yawger, of Bray's Hill, near this place, has returned home from West Portal, where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis C. Reid for a week.

Mrs. Carrie Meyers, of Keyport, is spending two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Manning.

Several interesting days in New York City, Miss Mazie Todd has returned home.

Mrs. Edward J. Dowd is visiting in New York City for a fortnight.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The debate in the final of the Rutgers interscholastic series between teams representing Hackettstown and High Bridge high schools was won Friday night at the first named place by High Bridge, which had the negative of the question, federal control of food and prices. The team from High Bridge was made up of Miss Mary Cullen, George Ainsley and Richard O'Rourke, with Miss Margaret Neuweisander as alternate.

The congregation of the Musconetcong Valley Presbyterian church, near Hackettstown, will tender the retiring pastor, the Rev. Ward C. Peabody, and wife a farewell supper in the chapel Thursday evening. Mr. Peabody has accepted a call to the Presbyterian church at Shaferstown, Pa.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Reformed church at High Bridge has elected the following officers: President, Harry Valentine; vice president, Roy Karn; secretary, Miss Arvid C. Apgar; treasurer, Frederick Ort; pianist, Miss Dorothy Litts.

The Rev. William D. Steckley, pastor of the Lebanon Methodist church, will preach the final of his series of sermons on the Ten Commandments Sunday evening, when he will have for his topic "Isn't a Sin to Save?"

Arrangements have been made for a card party which will be held Friday evening at the clubhouse of the Hunterdon Country Club near Clinton. On the following Friday night there will be a dance.

Washington Camp, No. 195, P. O. S. of A., of High Bridge, will have a class initiation at its lodge rooms tomorrow night when about fifty candidates will be received into membership.

August 22 and 23 are the dates selected by the official board of the Methodist church at Califon for its annual fair.

Mrs. Vernon Tiger, of High Bridge, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell F. Randolph at Bernardsville.

Assemblyman Harry J. Iobst, of Cokesbury, has announced that he will be a candidate for re-election in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Broadhead, of High Bridge, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Feats at Califon.

Marian Apgar, of Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Apgar, at Bloomsbury.

Mrs. Edward Bailey, of Hampton, has been visiting relatives at Three Bridges and Annandale.

MORE PAY FOR SCHOOL CUSTODIAN

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 20.—The House today, by a vote of 31 to 10, passed the Johnson-Harry bill allowing North Plainfield to increase from $50 to $250 the compensation for the custodian of school funds. The opposition to the bill came from members who said their communities would be forced to increase the salaries of custodians by the Runyon bill.

NO THIRTY CENT REDUCTION BY NEW YORK COAL DEALERS

By United Press:

New York, March 20.—The usual fifty cents a ton reduction in the price of coal will not be made this April 1 by New York dealers, it became known here today. The large operators allied with the anthracite roads may not offer any reduction at all, and those who decide upon a decrease, if they do so, are not expected to make it more than twenty-five cents.

Eight and nine dollar coal is the prospect for New Yorkers this summer. Meantime many of the dealers are preparing to face trial in Federal court here on indictments charging conspiracy to boost prices.

MOVES TO QUASH INDICTMENT

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 20.—Frank J. Burnd, counsel for Patrick Martin, of Plainfield, moved to quash an indictment for embezzlement of $200 against Martin before Judge James C. Connolly in Quarter Sessions Court yesterday on the ground that there is no statute under which such a complaint could be brought when the complaining witness is a partner of the defendant. The complaining witness is Robert Tonell. Decision was reserved.

MEMPHIS WAS WARNED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 20.—The City of Memphis was given warning by the German submarine before she was sunk, according to dispatches reaching the State Department today. A subsequent dispatch from Consul Frost says as follows:

"Neg. news got of Captain Borum, of the City of Memphis. Papers found today in a boat in his captain's boat, which was picked up at 11 a. m.; the 18th boat showed signs of hasty abandonment, discarded overcoats, etc., with white silk handkerchiefs at mast heads and flag showing, boat was not abandoned until after daylight. It is barely possible that all men in boat were taken by German submarine, but more probably by some friendly craft having no wireless."

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PERSONAL

Miss Mabel M. Conover, of Jackson avenue the borough, is visiting relatives at Whitestone, Long Island.

Mrs. Charles De Camp, of Jackson avenue, the borough, has returned home after visiting relatives in New York City.

WOMEN IN ATLANTIC CITY WANT HOTEL FOR DOGS

Atlantic City, March 20.—Angry because of Mayor Bacharach's proclamation that all dogs shall be muzzled for six months, and because most of the hotels here refuse to permit dogs, no matter what their pedigree is, to be housed with the guests, society women of New York and Philadelphia filed a protest with the Women's Auxiliary of the S. P. C. A., and have demanded that the city or private capital build a hotel where pedigreed dogs may be boarded while their owners are in the resort.

The women denounced the Mayor's proclamation as "barbarous" and are talking of making a "protest parade" down the Boardwalk with their dogs carrying placards.

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Duchess' Ashes In Crypt.

London, March 20.—The ashes of the Duchess of Connaught, whose body was cremated, were interred in the crypt of the Albert Memorial chapel at Windsor in the presence of members of the royal family.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

...ow with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any Lenuiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In continuing last night's article, dealing with the making of various flour mixtures, it is well for the housekeeper to remember that occasionally baking powder is used with sour milk and molasses. Sometimes, sour milk or cream is more readily available than sweet milk. Soda can then be added to this to correct the acidity, and the milk may then be used with baking powder, exactly as if it were sweet milk, provided allowance is made for the carbon dioxide resultant from the combination of the soda and sour milk.

Proportions of Soda and Baking Powder to be Used With Sour Milk and Molasses

Use half a level teaspoonful of soda for each cupful of molasses, or thick sour milk or cream. Cut down the quantity of baking powder to one level teaspoonful for each cup of flour. If eggs are used, the quantity of powder may be cut down still more.

Method of Combining Flour Mixtures

When baking soda or baking powder is stirred into a liquid, especially if it be a hot or acid liquid, bubbles of gas begin to appear at once and are lost before the mixture can be stirred into the dough. Accordingly, then, to secure a mixture of even lightness throughout, it is necessary that the dry leavening agents be sifted with the flour two or three times. Then stir the liquid into the dry ingredients and bake as quickly as possible.

How to Add Shortening

When a small quantity of shortening, say one or two tablespoonfuls, is to be added to a mixture, it may be melted and beaten in at the last. When a larger quantity is to be used, it may be beaten until creamy and the sugar beaten into it, as in cake-making, or it may be rubbed in with the finger tips, as in making biscuits, or partly cut in and partly folded in, as in pastry-making.

How to Add Eggs

If a hollow cake, like popovers, is to be produced, add the egg, without separating the white from the yolk, to the milk and beat the two together into the dry mixture. When a spongy texture is desired, beat the whites and yolks separately. Then add the yolks with the milk and, at the last, beat in the whipped whites.

How to Bake Quick Breads

Quick breads are steamed, baked in the oven in individual portions, also in loaves or sheets, and on a griddle on top of the stove. Breads containing sugar and butter, one or both, burn more easily than those without such ingredients. Eggs are cooked at a low temperature, therefore, mixtures containing many eggs must be cooked more slowly than those with no eggs.

Rye Meal Muffins

Sift together, three times, half a cupful of rye meal (not flour), half a cupful of wheat flour, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, two level teaspoonfuls of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt. Beat one egg until light, add one-third to one-half a cupful of cold, sweet milk, and stir into the dry ingredients. Beat the batter vigorously, add two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, beat again and pour into well buttered muffin cups. Bake twenty-five minutes.

Quick Sally Lunn

Sift together two cupfuls of pastry flour, one-quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of granulated sugar, half a teaspoonful of baking soda and one and a half level teaspoonfuls of cream of tartar. Beat one egg lightly, add half a cupful of milk and beat into the dry ingredients. Then stir in three tablespoonfuls of melted butter and, lastly, one stiffly whipped egg white. Beat the batter hard and bake in a shallow greased pan. Cut in squares and serve hot.

Baking Powder Nut Loaf

Sift together two cupfuls of flour, half a cupful of sugar, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and a tiny pinch of grated nutmeg. Then work in with the finger tips, as finely as possible, three tablespoonfuls of butter and two tablespoonfuls of lard. Beat one whole egg lightly with the yolk of an additional egg, add one cupful of milk and blend in with the dry ingredients. Lastly, add one and a half cupfuls of nut meats, broken in small pieces. Turn into a greased bread pan, cover and let stand for twenty minutes. Then bake in a moderate oven for forty-five minutes.

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OLD WITCH NEDA—Part II

Something must be done and done at once, said one star. "If we let that old witch have the sun and moon, how do we know what will become of us?"

"But what can we do?" asked another star. "Here we are up here in the sky and old Neda's house is on the top of a mountain."

"One of us must go down there and let them out," said the first star. "Now which one of us will go; that is the first thing to settle."

No one answered for a minute, and then a very little star said timidly, "I am willing to go, but I am so small I do not suppose I could do any good."

"You are the very one to go just because you are small," said the first star, "and now I will tell you how it can be done.

"Old Witch Neda will be up here tonight, you may be sure, because she is happy, now that she has the sun and moon and wants to see how unhappy we are.

"When she comes tonight we must make a great fuss and cry, because we are so upset; not knowing when it is night or day and beg her to help us. She will fly around close to us, and when she is very near Little Star we must wail and cry and attract her attention, and then Little Star must jump on the broomstick, right behind old Witch Neda—"

"Oh! oh! oh!" said all the stars. Oh! oh! oh!" for they were afraid of old Neda. But Little Star did not

cry out; she just winked and blinked and listened to what the first star said.

"As I said," continued the first star, "Little Star must jump on the broomstick right behind old Witch Neda and then close her eyes until old Neda comes to her house on the top of the mountain.

"Of course, she can only take just one look then, just to see where the old witch goes, and Little Star, must stay very still until old Neda goes to bed, for she usually sleeps in the day time.

"When all is still and you are sure old Witch Neda sleeps, then you must go about very carefully and quietly until you find the closet where the sun and moon are kept prisoners and unlock the door."

"But what good will that do?" asked one star. "They will be out of the closet, but how will they ever get back to their places in the sky; the old witch will never bring them, of course."

"Wait, my dear sister, and I will tell you even how that can be managed," said the first star.

"After you have released the sun and moon, Little Star, you must hurry to the place where the old witch keeps her magic broomstick and jump on it. Smooth it three times one way and then three times in the opposite direction, and it will obey you.

"You must be careful, however, to smooth it but one way until you have the sun and moon safely on it with you. But hush, hush; here comes old Witch Neda."

Old Witch Neda cackled and chuckled when she heard the wailing and crying the stars were making over the loss of the sun and moon.

"Oh, give them back to us; give them back to us," they cried; "we will never be rude to you again, even when you pull off our veils."

"Ah, ha!" said the old witch, laughing loudly, "I guess you won't be rude to me, my silly little star, for I intend to keep the old moon and sun locked in my closet and make you shine all the time until you are so sleepy you fall out of the sky. Ha, ha, ha!"

"Oh! oh! oh!" cried the stars, all together, and Old Neda flew close to them the better to see how they suffered, and then Little Star did as the first star had told her to do, and the next instant she was flying along with old Witch Neda toward her house on the top of mountain.

Little Star just looked once and saw Old Neda go into the house. Then she closed her eyes and waited until she was sure the witch was asleep.

Very, very carefully she opened the door and slipped in. Then she looked around and from under a door she saw a very bright light and knew that behind that door were the sun and moon.

The key was in the door and it took only a second to turn it. "Hush," said Little Star. "I have come to release you. Do not make a sound, but follow me."

Little Star took from a chair old Witch Neda's big black cape and threw it over the sun and moon, so their bright light might not awaken the old witch, and in another minute they were all sitting on the broomstick while Little Star smoothed it three times one way and three times the other, and then said, "Off to the sky. Take us home, good broomstick."

Away they flew, and in a short time the sun was shining in the sky just as if nothing had happened to him, and the stars went to sleep and slept soundly, they were so tired.

Little Star that night took her place in the sky very quietly, but the other stars wanted to know all about her adventure.

"Oh! I just did as the first star told me," modestly replied the Little Star, "and brought back the sun and moon, that was all."

"You were a brave Little Star," said the first star, "and as a reward the broomstick of the old witch has been made into stars, which are to be made into a big cross, and in this cross forever shall you shine, and you will take on more brightness then any of us, brave brave Little Star."

Of course the old witch having lost her broomstick, could not bother the stars by more, so they shone and twinkled happily on, always feeling grateful to Little Star for helping them out of their great trouble.

Tomorrow's story — "The Two Fishermen."

FARRAR WOULD PROVE HER LOYALTY TO U. S.

Although she is in extremely delicate health, Miss Geraldine Farrar, star of "Joan the Woman," the photoplay which comes to the Proctor Theatre next month under the direction of Frank G. Hall, will prove her Americanism by singing "The Star Spangled Banner" from the stage of a Boston theatre where the production will be shown in the near future.

Miss Farrar has decided to do this against the advice of her physician who has prescribed a complete rest. She was impelled to do so by the reports that have been circulated, especially in this State, to the effect that she had refused to stand while an orchestra played the national anthem and had written a letter to a German newspaper expressing her dislike for America and its people.

TYPEWRITER MAGNATE, 73, WEDS WOMAN OF 38

By United Press:

New York, Mar. 20—Henry Harper Benedict, 73, retired president of the Remington Typewriter company, to whom is credited much of the development of the typewriter as a commercial asset, was married yesterday to Miss Catherine Josephine Magil Geddes, of Hamilton, Ontario, granddaughter of the late Very Rev. J. Gamble Geddes, who was dean of the Niagara diocese, Ontario and of the late Colonel Charles Magil, formerly Mayor of Hamilton.

Since his retirement in 1913 Mr. Benedict has been living with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald A. Forest, here.

COURT RULES HUSBAND MAY SPANK SMOKING WIFE.

Elizabeth, N. J., March 20.—A wife who smokes cigarettes may be lawfully spanked by her husband.

Jersey Justice committed itself to this radical decision yesterday. Its spokesman was Justice Mahon of this city. He was adjudicating the suit of Durka against Durka.

Justice Mahon looked reproachfully at Edmund Durka until he went on the stand and explained that his wife earned the "good old fashioned spanking" he had given her by immoderate smoking of cigarettes.

"In that case you did the right thing," exclaimed Justice Mahon, transferring his severe gaze to young Mrs. Durka. "A spanking is the only way to cure any one of the smoking habit."

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Quaker or Mother's Oats	9c	Mistletoe Kidney Beans, can	15c
Pea Beans, lb.	15c	White Rose L. C. Peaches, can	25c
Marrow Beans, lb.	17c	White Rose Sifted Peas, can	18c
Fancy Rice, 2 lbs.	15c	Crest Maine Corn, can	15c
Sweet Clover Milk	15c	Checker Garden Peas, can	10c
Campbell's Soups	11c	Byron Telephone Peas, can	14c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 for	25c	Byron Early June Peas, can	13c
Best Starch, lb.	5c	Terrapin Green Beans, can	10c
Tetley's Tea	15c and 30c	High Grade Red Beans, can	10c
Puffed Wheat	14c	W. R. Asparagus Tips, can	23c
Puffed Rice	14c	Steuben Lima Beans, can	10c
Evap. Apples, pkg.	12c	Varsity Tomatoes, 2 cans	25c
Peeled Peaches, lb.	18c	Checker Cal. Peaches, can	20c
Sun Maid Raisins	13c	W. K. Tuna Fish, can	15c-20c
Rex Corned Beef	25c	New Orleans Molasses, gal.	75c
Steero Cubed, can	25c	Sunshine Coffee, lb.	30c
Not-a-Seed Raisins	15c		
Cal. Lemons, doz.	18c		
Sweet Cider, gal.	30c		
Mistletoe Green Beans, can	15c		
White Rose Tomatoes, can	15c		

Gold Medal Flour, 24½-lbs	$1.40	Black Eye Peas, 3 lbs.	25c
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TO INCORPORATE SUPPLY ASSOCIATION

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 20.—To reduce the high cost of living for members of this association" is given as the purpose for the forming of the National Producers' and Consumers' Supply Association, with offices at 202 West Second street, Plainfield, papers for the incorporation of which were filed yesterday in the county clerk's office.

The organization is not formed for pecuniary benefit, according to the papers. Eugene C. Miller is named as the agent and is also one of the incorporators. The other incorporators are: Christopher R. Robson, 507 Grove street, Westfield; Thomas S. Wickoff, Madison avenue, Plainfield; Lester I. Rumsey, 610 Liberty street, Plainfield; Frank J. Kessel, 927 West Fourth street, Plainfield; John C. Fox, 30 Fairview avenue, North Plainfield; Marion Leonard, 521 Madison avenue, Plainfield; Robert Scott, 173 North avenue, Plainfield; William Wills, 914 West Third street, Plainfield; Robert McIntosh, 322 West Front street, Plainfield; Anna Moreller, 743 East Fifth street, Plainfield, and Milton Hinchcliffe, 132 North avenue, Plainfield.

NEW YORK HOTEL DOGS MUST PAY FOR BOARD

New York, March 20.—Owners of dogs housed in the Hotel Majestic will have to pay $2 a day for canine cheer after April 1. This notice was served yesterday upon each guest who keeps a dog there. The dogs are not to have the advantage of a weekly or monthly rate.

Among the dogs at the Majestic are a sheep dog owned by Mrs. Lillian Russell Moore, a show owned by Fritzi Scheff, five blooded Boston terriers and two Russian wolf hounds.

GRAND DUCHESS TATIANA

Ex-Czar's Daughter Who May Die From Measles.

Photo by American Press Association.

U. S. WIRE SYSTEM ALL READY FOR WAR

Telegraph and Telephone to Mobilize at Once.

Washington, March 20.—In case of war the nation's telephone and telegraph systems can now be instantly mobilized and a censorship almost automatically established.

This was the result of a conference between Secretary of War Baker, Theodore N. Vail, head of the American Telephone and Telegraph company; W. S. Gifford, director of the Council of National Defense; Brigadier General Kuhn, president of the War college; Brigadier General Squier, chief signal officer of the army, and Commander Todd, director of naval communication service. At the close of the conference Mr. Vail, who represented a committee of wire executives, authorized this statement:

Much has already been done quietly between the wire companies individually and the government, and there is now no question but that the nation and the government are amply equipped with facilities for communications of all sorts for whatever need may arise. The vital things fully realized by both federal officials and the wire companies, has been to perfect a co-ordination to insure complete co-operation not only between the government and the companies, but between the companies themselves with regard to communication and censorship of communications. This has already been arranged for.

Secretary Baker thanked Mr. Vail for the prompt and loyal action of the telephone and telegraph companies. He was especially gratified by the voluntary proposal of the companies to give the government first call on wire service in the event of war.

TOWN FIRE HOUSE ATTACHED FOR DEBT.

New York, March 20.—The fire bell of Street Patchogue, N. Y., may just as well remain silent until a judgment for $84 against the fire department is settled. The fire house is padlocked, and Sheriff Alvah Bates has gone off with the key. Former Treasurer William L. Underwood of the fire department, who holds the judgment, claims he lent the department the money and never got it back. He sued and, when the case was decided in his favor, told Sheriff Biggs to do his duty.

Unless the judgment is satisfied by May 1 the department's equipment will be put up at public auction.

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TRIBUNAL DIVIDES, 5 TO 4.

Majority Ruling, Read by Chief Justice White, Holds Congress Has Power to Fix Wages as Well as Rates—Justices Day, Pitney, McReynolds and Van Devanter Dissent.

Washington, March 20.—With far-reaching consequences as regards future contests between capital and labor in interstate commerce, the supreme court by a vote of 5 to 4 held the Adamson eight hour law constitutional.

It was made quite clear in the majority opinion, and also in the dissenting opinion of Justice McReynolds, that compulsory arbitration of disputes which may threaten the country with paralyzation of commerce lies within the power of congress.

It is believed here that the next step of the railroads will be to ask for a freight rate increase to meet the cost of the extra wages under the new law.

The official opinion, that of the majority—Chief Justice White declared that in the face of public necessity employees of a corporation engaged in such a public business as railroading had no more right to strike than "soldiers in the ranks in the presence of an enemy" had the right to desert.

When Congress Has Power.

Briefly summed up, the line of thought actuating four of the five justices who concurred in the majority opinion is that, while the question of wages and conditions of labor are essentially subject to agreements between employer and employee in view of the fact that the railroads are privately owned, yet when a failure to agree threatens the public with a casualty the public nature of the railroad business justifies congress in stepping in and solving the dispute by statute.

A vigorous dissenting opinion was read by Justice McReynolds.

"Whatever else the act of Sept. 3, 1916, may do," he said, "it certainly commands that during a minimum period of seven months interstate common carriers by railroad shall pay their employees engaged in operating trains for eight hours' work a wage not less than the one established for a standard day—generally ten hours.

"I have not heretofore supposed that such action was a regulation of commerce within the fair intendment of those words as used in the constitution, and the argument advanced in support of the contrary view is unsatisfactory to my mind. I cannot, therefore, concur in the conclusion that it was within the power of congress to enact the statute.

"But, considering the doctrine now affirmed by a majority of the court as established, it follows as of course that congress has power to fix a maximum as well as a minimum wage for trainmen; to require compulsory arbitration of labor disputes which may seriously and directly jeopardize the movement of interstate traffic, and to take measures effectively to protect the free flow of such commerce against any combination, whether of operatives, owners or strangers."

Four Justices Dissent.

Besides Justice McReynolds, the dissenting justices were Pitney, Vandeventer and Day. Justice McKenna, who agreed with the conclusion of the majority that the law was constitutional, did so on a different ground, that the law was a question of the regulation of hours of labor. This entire phase of the dispute was waved aside in the majority opinion as expressed by Justice White and concurred in by Justices Holmes, Brandeis and Clarke.

The official lineup of the justices at 2:20, as given by Clerk Maher of the supreme court, was that McReynolds dissented together with Day, Pitney and Van Devanter. McReynolds concluded that congress had the wage fixing power only, and his name did not at first appear on the court record as dissenting.

Maher's version, which is official, however, made the division 5 to 4, with Justice White and Justices McKenna, Holmes, Brandeis and Clark constituting the majority in favor of the law.

Justice Day's Dissenting View.

In his dissenting opinion Justice Day said that, while he was not prepared to deny to congress the right to fix wages of those engaged in the operation of passenger and freight trains, he would not agree that constitutional rights may be sacrificed because of public necessity nor be taken away because of emergencies which might result in disuse or inconvenience to public or private interests.

He asserted that he was not willing to admit that congress may when deemed necessary for the public interest coerce employees against their will to continue in service in interstate commerce. Nor would he agree, as declared in the majority opinion, that in matters of this kind congress can enact a compulsory arbitration law.

Finally he said that act necessarily deprived the complaining railroad companies of rights secured to them as well as others by one of the most essential protections guaranteed by the federal constitution.

Justice White in the majority opinion concluded:

"We say that the contention that the act was void and could not be made operative because of the uncertainty of its provisions is without merit, since we see no reason to doubt that if the standard fixed by the act were made applicable and a candid effort followed to carry it out the result would be without difficulty accomplished. It is true that it might follow in some cases that because of particular situations of employment or exceptional surroundings some standard would be necessary, but these exceptions afford no ground for holding the act void because its provisions are not susceptible in practice of being carried out.

"Being of opinion that congress had the power to adopt the act in question, whether it be viewed as a direct fixing of wages to meet the absence of a standard on that subject resulting from the dispute between the parties or as the exertion of power by congress, which it undoubtedly possessed, to provide by appropriate legislation for compulsory arbitration—a power which inevitably resulted from its authority to protect interstate commerce in dealing with a situation like that which was before it—we conclude that the court below erred in holding the statute was not within the power of congress to enact and as requiring its enforcement, and its decree therefore must be and it is reversed and the bill dismissed."

5 PER CENT RATE ON FARM BONDS

U. S. Board to Save Farmers $100,000,000 Yearly.

Washington, March 20.—The Federal Farm Loan Board has adopted a resolution fixing a rate of 4½ per cent to be paid on farm loan bonds to be issued as a means of raising money to lend to farmers. The board also fixed a rate of 5 per cent to be paid by farmers on farm mortgages for the use of the funds.

The difference of one-half of 1 per cent is to be used to pay the expenses of operating the system. The board hopes ultimately to bring this margin down to one eighth of 1 per cent. To do this it will have to keep dividends down low, but the board takes the view that the farms would rather get money at low interest rates than receive high dividends.

The mortgage rate is 1 per cent under the maximum which could be charged under the law.

The present farm mortgage indebtedness of the United States aggregates approximately $4,000,000,000 at an average interest rate of 5.4 per cent. The 5 per cent rate fixed by the board will mean a saving of about $100,000,000 a year to the American farmers.

Cotton For Powder Burns.

New York, March 20.—A $25,000 cargo of cotton designed for use by the Du Pont Powder works in New Jersey in the manufacture of munitions was destroyed by fire at Fifty-seventh street and Hudson river. The cotton was on the lighter Edwin. The fire marshal is investigating.

Chinese Take Tientsin.

Peking, March 20.—Chinese troops have occupied without opposition the German concessions at Tientsin and Hankow. The Dutch have taken over the German consulates.

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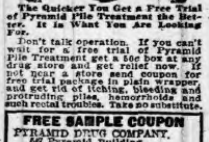

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MILLS PUTS IN NEW TAX BILL

Bitter Fight In Legislature on Measure.

ALL CORPORATIONS ARE HIT

Provides 3 Per Cent Impost on Incomes of All Corporations In State, Remitting Taxes Now In Force—Measure Promises Revenue of From $20,000,000 to $30,000,000, One-Half Going to the State.

Albany, N. Y., March 20.—A bitter fight in the legislature is expected by political leaders by the bill introduced by Senator Ogden L. Mills of New York city to force heavy taxes upon all mercantile and manufacturing corporations. It is estimated that this plan would yield in taxes each year between $20,000,000 and $30,000,000, half of which goes to the state and the remainder to the localities in which the taxes are levied.

The bill represents the principal finding of the special committee named to investigate the subject of taxation. It provides that each corporation must pay a 3 per cent tax on its income.

The corporations are required to file with the state tax commission income tax reports made to the federal government. The taxes will be distributed according to the sworn figures in these reports.

Remits Two Other Taxes.

The Mills bill frees these corporations from all personal property taxes and also from corporation franchise taxes. These bring in about $4,000,000 annually at present. Half of this goes to the state and the remainder to the municipalities in which the taxes are levied.

Another bill was introduced by the committee which provides for an annual tax of 2 mills on all secured debts. This does away with the old system levying but one tax on each secured debt.

These bills, if passed, will result in a big decrease in the estimated amount of the direct tax to be levied this year. Senator Henry M. Sage, chairman of the senate finance committee, has estimated that the direct tax will amount to $12,000,000. This new source of revenue might wipe out the direct tax entirely.

Result of Year's Work.

The bills are the result of a year's work on the part of the committee headed by Senator Mills. The committee found that nowhere were corporations paying their just proportion of taxes.

In practically every section of the state it was found that the personal property taxes on manufacturing and mercantile corporations were merely nominal. The boards of assessors in different cities, being mainly political or other influences had failed to make appraisals that came anywhere near representing true values.

Under the Mills bill the local boards of assessors would have nothing to do with the work of making appraisals. The work would be entirely removed from politics.

NEW FRENCH CABINET.

Alexandre Ribot is New Premier, Succeeding Briand.

Paris, March 20.—Alexandre Ribot, minister of finance in the Briand cabinet, has accepted Premier Poincare's offer as the new premier. His cabinet, combining many men who occupied posts in the old ministry, is:

Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs—Alexandre Ribot.
Minister of Justice—Rene Viviani.
Minister of War—Paul Painleve.
Minister of Marine—Rear Admiral Lacaze.
Minister of Munitions—Albert Thomas.
Minister of Finance—Joseph Thierry.
Minister of the Interior—Louis J. Malvy.
Minister of Public Instruction—Jules Steeg.
Minister of Public Works—Georges Desplas.
Minister of Commerce—Etienne Clementel.
Minister of Agriculture—Fernand David.
Minister of Subsistance—Maurice Violette.
Minister of Labor—Jean Bourgeois.
Minister of the Colonies—Andre Hesnet.
Under Secretary of Aviation—Daniel Vincent.

TANZER CASE TO JURY.

Defendant Faints Again as Woman Testifies Against Her.

New York, March 20.—The defense rested in the trial of Rae Tanzer for perjury, and the case went to the jury late today.

Miss Tanzer was greatly excited during the testimony of Mrs. Rebecca Spielberg, wife of her former attorney, Harold Spielberg. "You vile woman! How can you sit there and say such things?" she shouted at one point.

Miss Tanzer's shouts did not in the least disturb the monologue of Mrs. Spielberg, except that she spoke a little louder so that she could be heard above the cries of the defendant. A moment later Miss Tanzer fainted in the arms of the woman who has attended her since the trial began. Mrs. Spielberg continued in the same tone. Court was then adjourned, and Miss Tanzer was revived.

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H. & S. G. Lindeman	190
H. & S. G. Lindeman	195
Lindeman	200
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Stuyvesant	210
Wessel	215
Chickering	220
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Harrington	235
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Decker Bros. (2)	240
Fischer	245
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Kurtzmann	245
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Emerson	275
Kroeger	280
Yose & Pond	290
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Emerson	315
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SIXTY PATROL BOATS ORDERED

President Confers With Secretaries Baker and Daniels After Details of Sinking of Three More American Merchant Ships Come In—Recruiting For Navy Is Also Speeded Up.

Washington, March 20.—Aggressive steps to put the navy of the United States in readiness to fight submarines under any conditions have been taken as an answer to the German defiance conveyed through the destruction of the American ships Vigilancia, City of Memphis and Illinois.

Under the personal direction of President Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Daniels instituted drastic measures to put the navy in shape to meet war conditions which Washington is convinced are imminent. Naval preparedness was given an extraordinary impetus after President Wilson conferred for half an hour with the secretary of the navy. This conference followed close on the heels of a report to the president by Secretary of State Lansing on the latest acts of destruction in the German submarine zone.

After the president and his naval chief had reviewed the situation the following steps were taken:

An emergency appropriation of $115,000,000 made by congress to enable the president to hasten naval construction in the event of a crisis was made available by the president for immediate use. This is part of an authorized bond issue of $150,000,000, a part of which is to be used for increased submarine construction.

Sixty "Chasers" Ordered.

Secretary Daniels ordered sixty "chasers"—motorboats a hundred feet long and with 35 knots speed—built at once at the New York navy yard and announced that work would be opened from private shipyards today for 200 more of this type of craft. It was stated that the New York yard will begin the delivery of these craft in sixty days. All will be paid for out of the emergency appropriation.

Orders were issued by the navy department suspending the statutory eight hour day on naval construction both in private and government yards. Work will be pushed as fast as the men will labor, with payment of time and a half for overtime to be made out of the emergency fund.

President Wilson authorized the speeding up of Annapolis graduations to provide additional naval officers. The first year class will be graduated on March 29, with 172 cadets, and the second class next September, with 187.

Secretary Daniels said the question of commandeering shipyards would not be considered so long as the private ship building plants kept their facilities engaged on government work in accordance with the plans of the department.

Arrangements were made to obtain from all of the steel mills of the country a fixed allotment of their output for the use of the navy in armoring and fitting out warships. Secretary Daniels will confer with steel makers to work out a definite plan.

Increase Navy Personnel.

Immediate steps to increase the personnel of the navy, however, will be taken at once. Under the law the navy can now be recruited up to 70,000 men. With more than 5,000 men enlisting since the German crisis became acute, there are now more than 60,000 men in the service. Secretary Daniels said that when the statutory limit is reached he will ask that the limit be raised to 80,000. As a matter of course, the naval reserves and the militia of the states will be called into service as soon as they are needed.

Dispatches from consular officers seemed to indicate that all of the crews of the lost Vigilancia, City of Memphis and Illinois had been saved.

Fifteen on Vigilancia Die.

London, March 20.—Fifteen men of the American steamship Vigilancia perished when she was torpedoed by a German submarine, and twenty-eight survivors were at sea in lifeboats from Friday morning until Sunday afternoon before they were picked up.

Of the crew of the American steamship City of Memphis, which also was sunk by a submarine, Captain Horum and eight men are missing. Their boat has been picked up empty. It is possible that they were rescued by some craft without wireless or even that they were taken aboard the submersible.

Among the Vigilancia's dead were several American citizens, including Third Officer Nelis P. North and Third Engineer Carl Adelsolde.

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ALFRED SZE.

China's Envoy to Britain Who Aided German Break.

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RUSSIANS PLEDGE EQUALITY FOR ALL

Freedom to Exiles First Step of Government.

London, March 20.—The following manifesto has been issued by the Russian provisional government to the Russian people:

"Citizens—The great work has been accomplished. By a powerful stroke the Russian people have overthrown the old régime. A new Russia is born after long years of struggle.

"The heroic efforts of the army, crushed under the cruel weight of internal disorganization; the appeals of the national representatives, who were united in view of the national danger, were powerless to lead the emperor and his government into the path of union with the people. Thus when Russia by the illegal and disastrous acts of her governors was faced with the greatest calamities the people had to take the power into their own hands.

"While taking measures indispensable for the defense of the country against a foreign enemy, the government will consider it its first duty to grant to the people every facility to express its will concerning the political administration and will convoke as soon as possible a constituent assembly on the basis of universal suffrage, at the same time assuring the gallant defenders of the country their share in the parliamentary elections.

"Conscious of the burden of the political oppression weighing on the country and hindering the free creative forces of the people during years of painful hardships, the provisional government deems it necessary to call a constituent assembly to announce to the country its principles, assuring political liberty and equality to all citizens, making the use of these principles forces in creative work for the benefit of the country.

"At the moment of national emancipation the whole country recalls with pious gratitude those who in the struggle for their political and religious ideals fell victims of the vengeance of the old power, and the provisional government will joyfully bring back from exile and prison all those who thus suffered for the good of their country."

DEAR COAL STOPS BOATS.

Service Suspended on Baltimore-Boston-Providence Line.

Baltimore, March 20.—For the first time in its history the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company will suspend its boat service on the Baltimore-Boston-Providence line.

Announcement to this effect was made by President Jenks, who stated that the order withdrawing from service the steamers Nantucket, Gloucester and Cretan would become effective tomorrow. The reasons given are the prohibitive price of coal, inability to procure fuel when needed and continued increase in cost of labor at the port terminals.

JERSEY TO STUDY CHARITY.

U. N. Bethell and Four Others on Governor's Special Commission.

Montclair, N. J., March 20.—Union Noble Bethell, president of the New York Telephone company, and Ellis P. Earle, also of Montclair, have been chosen by Governor Edge as members of a commission of five to bring about a reorganization and concentration of New Jersey charitable institutions along more efficient lines. Other members of the commission, with be Frederick J. Fenkle of Elizabeth, Theodore P. Merseles of Jersey City and D. E. Pomeroy of Englewood.

Brigadier General Cyrus Roberts Dead.

Long Beach, Cal., March 20.—Brigadier General Cyrus Sewall Roberts, U. S. A., retired, died here from a cerebral hemorrhage. He was seventy-five years old and was born at Lakeville, Conn., where he lived since his retirement in 1902.

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Gingham and chambray—fancy stripes or in plain colors—tight or low neck, short or long sleeves—2 to 4 yrs. Limit 2.

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Our reg. $1.49 and $1.69 House and Porch Dresses.....1.12
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Our reg. $1.49 Girls' Middy Dresses.....1.00
Becoming styles for 8 to 14 years—all white galatea, with collar-cord collar and cuffs—smart kilted skirts. Limit 2.

Our reg. 39 ct. Babies' Slips.....25
White, with infants' yoke also bishop styles, embroidery or lace on neck, yoke and sleeves. Limit 3.

Our reg. 98 ct. Little Tots' Straw Hats.....76
Cretonnes, rose, tan, white, 2 to 6 yrs., velvet or satin ribbon trimmed. Limit 1.

Our reg. $1.98 Spreads.....1.46
Extra quality Marseilles—fine fancy-cheked spreads. Limit 3.

Our reg. $1.07 Sheets.....71
81x90 inch, standard quality, no dressing. Limit 12.

Our reg. 39ct. Mercerized Sateens.....32
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Our reg. 12½ ct. New Curtain Muslins.....8
Ball fringe edge and colored borders in pink, blue, yellow. Limit 10 yds.

Our reg. $1.50 Taffetas—35-in. 1.17
Chiffon finish, high lustre, contrasting color satin stripes. Limit 12 yds.

Our reg. $1.39 Plaids—48-in. 1.10
All Wool—French serge weave, navy grounds—all new, strong, black color combinations. Limit 16 yds.

Our reg. Women's $1.09 Silk Hose.....78
Lisle sole, heel, toe and garter top. Limit 4 pair.

Our reg. $1.44 Silk Dress Tulle 1.18
All colors, street and evening shades—inch—makes charming scarfs, tunics, etc. Limit 7 yards.

Our reg. 47 ct. Embroidery Flouncings.....38
On voile, organdie and batiste—also dainty designs for babies—18 to 40 inch. Limit 10 yards.

Our reg. 29 ct. ½ doz. Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs.....22
Some with corded border, white or colored rolled hem, plain or wreath initial, sheer lawn, soft finish. Limit one dozen.

12½ and 15 ct. Men's Initial Handkerchiefs.....7
Excellent quality—good size.

Our reg. 29 and 35 ct. Ribbons.....22
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Our reg. 59 ct. Rogers Silver Plated Teaspoons.....45
(half doz.) Latest designs. Limit one dozen.

Our reg. 49 ct. Silver Plated Photograph Frames.....28
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Our reg. 49 ct. Val. Laces.....41
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10 ct. Bath Soaps—Round cake	7½c
5 ct. Sweetheart Soap and Talcum—each	2½c
10 ct. Trans. Glycerine—bar	7½c
5 ct. Life Buoy Soap—8 cakes	.30
25 ct. Woodbury's Facial Soap	.15
25 ct. Rabbitt's Scouring Powder—3 for	.20
5 ct. Emery Boards—dozen	3
5 ct. Orange Wood Sticks—dozen	3
25 ct. Ivory Tint Dressing Comb	.16
45 ct. Ivory Tint Frames	.34
2 ct. Ivory Celluloid Hand mirrors—each	1.54
$2.97 Ivory Tint Hair Brushes	2.47
2 ct. Ivory Bathbrushes—Fine shoe brems and Cuticle Kalsomine—each	.17
5 ct. Steel Pocket Nail Files	.2
5 ct. Lustrette Nail Enamel	.15
5 ct. Powder Box, with Mair Receiver	.54

Hot Water Bottles—Hodgman's make—White Rubber—No. 2 bottle—per	.54
$1.33 No. 2 Fountain Syringe—rapid flow—2 hard rubber tips	.74
$1.17 Rapid Combination Flow Fountain Syringe—all rubber	.89
$1.47 Mink Shetting—1¼ yds. wide—not rubber, but guaranteed waterproof	1.17
$5 ct. Baby Pants—waterproof	.34
39 ct. Rubber Household Gloves	.21
25 ct. Rubber Sheeting—¼ yards wide	.73
2 ct. Rapid Flow Syringe Tubing—white or Red	.18
25 ct. Sanitary Aprons	.19

Imported Tooth Brushes—value 15 to 25c	.12½
25 and 50 ct. Imported Hand Scrubs and Nail Brushes—solid backs—pure bristles—with and without handles	.17
15 ct. Bristle Tooth Brushes	.9

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10 ct. Cedar	.8
$17.75 Expert Manicure Sets—in leather case	8.32

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"Weather or No"

The man who is long on conviviality usually has a wife who is short on house money.—Old Man Sage.

3,000 MORE RABBITS BOUGHT FOR JERSEY

More cottontail rabbits were found and got into the game bags of sportsmen in New Jersey in the season just past than in any previous shooting season in many years, but the cry has gone up all over the State for "more rabbits." Cottontails have shown and are showing that they are the most popular of the small upland game animals of New Jersey, and the New Jersey Fish and Game Commission purposes to rise to the demand that they be increased in all sections of the State.

With that purpose in view the rabbit warrens in the State game farm at Forked River, on Barnegat Bay, have taken on new importance this winter and will continue to be one of the largest features of the propagation work there in the coming spring and summer. Under instructions from Ernest Napier, president of the commission, and supervised by Duncan Dunn, head gamekeeper on the farm, the warrens have been enlarged and provided with additional attractions for their inhabitants.

The stock of breeding rabbits on hand is being increased by consignments from New Mexico, where the New Jersey Commissioners recently purchased 3,000 healthy cottontails. Many of them have already been received at the Forked River farm; others are on their way, and the last of the whole number will soon be here, setting up new homes and raising new families. Every possible cart is being taken of them. They are arriving in good condition and those already turned loose in the State warrens have shown a disposition to be contented with their surroundings.

BARBERS VICTORIOUS IN PINOCHLE CONTEST

The pinochle tournament in the borough closed last night, the barber shop trio winning the contest. At the closing games of the series the firemen defeated the Independents in a double-header 4 out of 6 games. The Domino Club defeated the barbers two out of three games.

The barbers are now in possession of the cup which goes to the team winning the contests two years in succession.

The series closed as follows: Barbers—Won 48, lost 33. Domino Club—won 46, lost 35. Firemen—Won 44, lost 37. Independents—Won 24, lost 54.

The closing games in another series between the Cooperites and the Barbers will take place next week.

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BASEBALL CHATTER IN LOCAL CIRCLES

Company K Boys Talk of Having Team—Other Live Diamond Flashes

Special Correspondence:

Company K Armory (via wireless), March 20.—The trench-digging detachment left off war talk for a short time last evening between drills to talk baseball. A number of the privates are desirous of organizing a baseball aggregation from among the soldier boys for operation during the coming summer's siege. There is a possibility of a heavy blow in this direction being struck against the enemy's offensive tomorrow evening at the company's annual reunion in behalf of this latest of spring drives.

(Signed)
MILITARY BASEBALL.

The Central New Jersey Baseball League meets this evening at the home of Tommy Apgar. Important business on hand ready for definite action. President Martin will preside. Schedule of games may be drawn up at this time.

The Wardlaw School, according to latest information at hand, will have a fast ball nine on the field this year and will use the old Crescent Oval grounds for all home games.

Has it occurred to anyone as yet that the Central N. J. Baseball League and the Plainfield City League have the outside appearance of being a baseball trust? Well, they have interlocking officers with Brit Martin as president of one and vice president of the other. But we have Brit's tip to the effect that he is just holding down a position with the one and a working job with the other, for he is to manage the Hope Chapel aggregation in the latter.

North Plainfield will have baseball all season long this year. The high school team will hold forth at Hyde Oval until the middle of June, after which the St. Joseph's of the City Baseball League will take full possession of the lot until the end of the season.

The other end of the borough will also be well supplied with the national pastime, as the First Baptists and Hope Chapel will go fifty-fifty on West End Oval, at West End and Myrtle avenues.

Young Mills, who made such a hit with the Baptists in the City League race last summer, expects to be with the Bible School boys again this year. Mills did some good work last season and there appears to be no doubt as to his ability to come across again this year.

Manager Coughlan of the Netherwoods has been somewhat silent of late as to his plans for the summer. But leave that the Coughlan for he seldom leaves any grass grow under his feet.

NEW HIGH SCORE

Special Correspondence:

Bound Brook, March 20.—Albert Wagner, of South Bound Brook, yesterday afternoon set up a new high individual score for Elmer's alleys at this place, the new mark standing at 274. The high score for the alleys was formerly held by Peter Koechlein and Sandford Snyder at 265. One or two of the Central New Jersey League stars now threaten to return to practice in order that they may try to pass Wagner once again.

INNER TRIANGLES IN A CLOSE GAME

But Finally Lost Out to St. John's Club at New Brunswick Court

Owing to the inability of several Inner-Triangle basketball players to be on hand last night, Captain Patterson was obliged to round up other players for the scheduled game at New Brunswick last night, where the locals met defeat at the hands of the St. John's team by the score of 46 to 43. The locals were late in arriving and did not have time to get a familiar with the court.

The first half ended 31 to 10 in favor of New Brunswick. The Triangles played a much better game in the second period and regained much lost ground and were on the road to victory when the whistle blew.

The score:

ST. JOHN'S CLUB

	G.	F.	P.
Barbora, f	8	0	16
Fulton, f	4	2	10
Seaman, c	5	0	10
Stryker, g	2	5	9
Rastall, g	1	0	2
	20	6	46

INNER TRIANGLES

	G.	F.	P.
Patterson, f	8	1	17
Barry, f	4	1	9
Compton, c	4	0	8
Kuhdohes, g	4	1	9
Davidson, g	0	0	0
	20	3	43

Referee, Oram; timer, Stuart; scorer, Carson.

CHAPEL GIRLS IN ANOTHER VICTORY

Defeat N. P. H. S. Juniors in Regular Style in a Fast Contest

Some fast game of basketball was staged at the Hope Chapel courts last evening between the girls' team of that institution and the N. P. H. S. Juniors, the West Enders coming out of the smoke of battle with the big end of an 18 to 14 score. Miss Overbaugh, playing forward for the Hopes for one period of the contest, scored 12 of her team's 18 points, while Miss Peterson, who substituted for her in the last half of the game, made the remaining points.

The centres and guards of the two teams put up excellent games during the contest.

The score:

N. P. H. S. JUNIORS

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Barry, f	2	4	8
Miss Cary, f	2	2	6
Miss Weiss, c	0	0	0
Miss Blair, g	0	0	0
Miss Demarest, g	0	0	0
Miss Krewson, g	0	0	0
	4	6	14

HOPE CHAPEL

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Snyder, f	6	0	12
Miss Overbaugh, f	6	0	12
Miss Peterson, f	3	0	6
Miss MacMillan, c	0	0	0
Miss J. Peterson, g	0	0	0
Miss Marsh, g	0	0	0
	9	0	18

Referee, Miss Leighs; timer, Dotz.

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P. H. S. CADETS TO BE FEATURE AGAIN

Eighty Boys at Local Institution Have Revived Organization of Years Ago

READY FOR TRAINING

An organization of eighty supporters of preparedness matured last Friday afternoon in the Plainfield High School, when the students of the school enrolled as members of the Plainfield High School Cadet Corps. Recruiting commenced in Coach Ralph S. Patch's office immediately after 2 o'clock, and it was nearing dusk before the recruiting officers finished their tasks.

Eighty students responded to the call, including the best boy element in the school. Everyone understands what is required of him—strict attention to military training for two and one-half hours on Friday afternoon of each week. A commissioned officer of the United States Army will drill the boys.

In order for the corps to become a success it will require from $600 to $700, and in order to raise the amount the co-operation of Plainfield citizens is solicited.

The corps has been organized as a preparedness move, to teach young men the manual of arms. Discipline and all military tactics will be taught and must be observed with strict attention.

A number of years ago a similar organization existed in the local school and at the present time there are 150 old model rifles stored in the school building which the new corps will use until the new Springfield rifles are secured from the Government. Uniform will be secured as soon as sufficient money is raised to provide them. Members who have Boy Scout uniforms may wear them at drills until the others have been received.

The first regular drill will probably be held Friday afternoon.

STANLEY BURNER ELECTED MANAGER

Will Head N. P. H. S. Basketball Aggregation on Indoor Court Next Season

At a meeting of the Boys' Athletic Association of the North Plainfield High School yesterday noon Stanley Burner of the present Junior Class was chosen to guide the basketball team's destinies for the 1917-18 season. Mr. Burner is well qualified for the position. Permission was granted Manager Kenneth Lowrie of the baseball team to purchase new suits for the coming season.

The election of a captain to lead the 1917-18 team will be made tomorrow afternoon when the squad will have its picture taken. The logical candidates to succeed Bill Seidel are LeRoy Force, '18, and William Barry, '19. Both players were substitutes on this season's team. The following players are eligible to select the candidate: Captain Seidel, William Ahern, Alfred Willett, Andrew McDonough, Vincent LaPorte, Roy Force, William Barry and Douglas Stewart.

KILBANE BEATS SHANNON

Philadelphia, March 20.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, defeated Eddie Shannon of San Francisco, in a six-round bout here last night. In the third round Shannon was dropped for a count of nine. Kilbane was the aggressor throughout.

NETHERWOOD BOYS DEFEAT S. P. P. H.

Visiting Scotch Plains Lads Slack Up Considerably in Last Half

Last night on the Netherwood court the Netherwood Pilots defeated the Scotch Plains Parish House Juniors in a fast and exciting game. In the first half the Pilots had things their own way, running up a total of 20 points to their opponents' ten. In the second half, however, the Plains team started off with a rush and came within an ace of putting themselves on the larger side of the scoring column.

A second game was to have been played with Whittier School, but for some reason the team failed to put in an appearance, last night's game was the fifth straight win for the Pilots.

The score:

PILOTS

	G.	F.	P.
Adam, f	8	1	17
Hansen, f	0	0	0
Cooper, c	4	0	8
Campbell, g	0	0	0
Kennedy, g	1	0	2
	13	1	27

PARISH HOUSE JUNIORS

	G.	F.	P.
H. Roberts, f	3	0	6
Hodge, f, g	1	0	2
Clark, c, f	7	0	14
Roberts, g	0	0	0
W. Cartwright, g	0	0	0
Meyers, c	1	1	3
	11	1	23

Referee, J. Cartwright; timer, E. Hand; scorer, Hankerson.

HIGH BRIDGE HAS COMPLETED DATES

Borough School Team Has Two Games on With Up-Country Nine

Special Correspondence:

High Bridge, March 20.—Manager William Henderson of the baseball aggregation of the High Bridge High School yesterday announced the schedule of nineteen games, with three open dates yet to be filled. The local school is to play at North Plainfield on May 2, while the latter nine is coming to this place June 6.

The season opens Wednesday, April 4, when the locals will entertain the Hampton High School and will close June 16, when the school and alumni nines will cross bats.

The schedule complete is as follows:

April—4, Hampton at High Bridge; 7, open; 11, High Bridge at Hampton; 14, open; 18, Hampton at High Bridge; 21, Phillipsburg at High Bridge; 25, High Bridge at Hackettstown; 28, Washington at High Bridge.

May—2, High Bridge at North Plainfield; 5, open; 9, Roxbury at High Bridge; 12, High Bridge at Washington; 16, Somerville at High Bridge; 19, Flemington at High Bridge; 23, Bernardsville at High Bridge; 26, High Bridge at Flemington; 29, High Bridge at Somerville.

June—2, High Bridge at Bernardsville; 6, North Plainfield at High Bridge; 9, High Bridge at Roxbury; 13, High Bridge at Phillipsburg; 16, Alumni at High Bridge.

Local Team at Brunswick

Saturday night the Junior-Triangle team intact will visit New Brunswick to play the Second Reformed Club of that place. They intend to go by automobile.

B. P. O. E. LEAGUE HAD GREAT YEAR

Local Elks Interested in Final Outcome of Their State Bowling Circuit

Final official B. P. O. Elks' Bowling League record, issued yesterday by Secretary Thomas J. Kitrick, fairly sparkle with creditable marks. Not less than five teams finished the campaign with average scores better than 900, and these five were led by the champion Jersey City bowlers, who returned a whopper of 952.1. The Elizabeth team, which stood second in average until the final series, is placed in third place a few notches behind Paterson.

Besides the Jersey City five, other teams which will receive prizes for places are the Hoboken, Newark and Paterson outfits, which finished latter on the second rung. They will divide the prizes offered for second, third and fourth place. Newark gets the high score prize, which seemed the private property of Elizabeth until Newark closed a season of pin-wrecking with a 1,060 score.

Ira Caldwell, of Jersey City, is the individual champion. His mark for forty-two games is 194.15. George Blythe took second place in a Garrison finish, which brought him under the barrier in 193.6. Arbitrage, of Paterson; Wagner, of Newark, and Wright, of Jersey City, ran third, fourth and fifth, while Maloney and Feihl, both of Elizabeth, stood sixth and seventh. Anderson, of Paterson, wins the individual high score prize with 268.

Following are the team records:

	W	L	Ave	HS
Jersey City	32	10	952.1	1046
Hoboken	25	17	923.11	1019
Newark	23	17	933.12	1060
Paterson	25	17	934.28	1021
Elizabeth	21	21	937.27	1044
Passaic	11	24	886.28	983
Rahway	12	30	866.9	1013
New York	10	32	865.16	995

Plainfield Lodge, No. 885, of this city, which had a team on this circuit for a number of years, was not represented in the league this season, choosing to spend its energy in a house tourney and the local City Bowling League. Many of the local bowlers who have participated in the contests of the order's State league during the past, however, have followed with interest the progress of the battle for first place honors among the other lodge teams of the State.

TURNERS LOST TWO, TO ST. JOSEPH'S BOYS

The Plainfield Turners were brought into local bowling circles last evening for the first time this season, losing two of the three tilts to the St. Joseph's Club team. With the single exception of Gates, no scores were out of the ordinary. Gates secured an average of 193 for his evening's work and a high score of 212 in his first game.

The scores:

TURN VEREIN

			Ave
H. Anderson	138	149	135—146
Muff	134	96	136—128
Luthman	109	130	132—129
C. Anderson	161	150	114—142
Menzenbach	168	149	132—149
	669	644	669—666

Total pins—1,98-

ST. JOSEPH'S

			Ave
Miller	147	177	98—140
Vitlin	141	161	122—141
Connelly	165	143	115—141
Ferraro	161	145	123—143
Gates	212	188	179—193
	826	814	637—792

Total pins—2,277.

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TRAPSHOOTING

Neaf Apgar, Plainfield's most widely known trapshooter, visited the Duane Rod and Gun Club traps of Elizabeth Sunday afternoon and started something when he entered a number of the events which were run off at that time. Neaf was tied for first place honors with William Trowbridge in the second event for fifteen birds, each making fourteen. Apgar came in second in the third event of ten birds, made a perfect score, took first honors in the fourth event of fifteen birds and was second in the sixth event for ten birds. George Ord of the Climax Gun Club of this city was also in attendance at the affair, coming in second in the sixth event of fifteen birds.

Interesting figures compiled by Peter P. Carney, Philadelphia shooter of trap shooting, show that many men well known in this country are ardent devotees of the trap game. Among them he names Vice President Thomas R. Marshall, King George of England, King Alfonso of Spain, King Victor Emanuel of Italy, Governor Waller E. Edge of New Jersey, Governor Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania, Governor Capper of Kansas, former Governor Major of Missouri, former Governor Wert of Oregon, Governor Ferguson, of Texas, John Philip Sousa, the bandmaster, and many, many lesser lights in the public light. Theodore Roosevelt and Amos Pinchot, Carney writes, are two men who long ago realized the value of outdoor exercise as personified in the sport of trap shooting. Both, he admits, have never displayed any great hankering for the tame method of killing birds built of clay. Carney picks out a few Mayors for public approval who are trap enthusiasts. Charles A. Richlin, Mayor of Spokane, Wash., he says, broke 90 per cent. of the targets thrown for him at the Northwest Sportsmen's Association shoot last summer. R. E. Duval, Mayor of Belleville, Ill., a year ago tied for first place in the Southern trapshooting handicap at Memphis, Mayor Thomas B. Smith, of Philadelphia, is a member of a gun club and often takes part in contests.

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Foley Kidney Pills are sold everywhere in 50c and $1.00 sizes. The $1.00 size is the more economical buy, as it contains 2½ times as much as the 50c size. Weiss' Rexo Drug Store.

SENATOR CUMMINS RECOVERING

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 20.—Senator Albert B. Cummins, of Iowa, who collapsed Saturday while making a speech at the Republic Club here was able to leave the Roosevelt Hospital today.

LINER WAS INSURED

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 20.—It was officially announced this morning that the steamer "Vigilancia," which was owned by the Globe Line, controlled by Gaston, Williams & Wigmore, was fully covered by insurance.

WILL HOLD THREE PRAYER MEETINGS

There will be three prayer meetings this evening in connection with the Park Avenue Baptist church as follows: At the homes of Mrs. Schuyler, 808 Third place; Francis Cody, 746 Woodland avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Bush, 834 Carlton avenue.

APPOINTED ON GIRLS' HOME BOARD

Special to Courier-News:

Governor Edge has just sent to the State Senate the appointment of Albert S. L. Doughty, of Mt. Holly, to succeed J. Herbert Cubberly as member of the Board of Trustees of the State Home for Girls.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

How Labor May Be Affected By The Present Crisis

As was foretold in a preceding article, legislation is in contemplation for the purpose of empowering the President to draft into the naval service of the United States technical help which may be necessary or useful in the prosecution of the war, or in the making of preparations to carry on war operations.

A Bill now pending in Congress provides that in case of actual war the President shall be empowered to place under naval control any or all officers, agents or employes of any factory equipped for the building of ships or war material. It further provides that persons so drafted shall be treated as members of the naval establishment of the United States, subject to all of the conditions and restrictions imposed by the articles of regulations of the United States Navy.

For any attempt to evade or resist service so imposed, penalties are provided. On the other hand, for all services rendered payment is to be made according to the rate of compensation previously earned for similar services by the person in question.

The Bill in question is apparently directed also at labor organizations by providing "that no person shall, directly or indirectly, induce any person employed in any factory and engaged on work for the United States, to leave his employment or to cease such work."

The provision quoted is undoubtedly a direct restriction upon fomenting strikes or other labor disturbances. The violation of this provision a penalty of a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than two years or both is provided.

The legislation in question is pending in the House of Representatives, having been referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs of that body. It is covered by House Bill 20779.

Promoted

By WALT MASON, The Poet-Philosopher

"J. Rufus Jinks is stepping high, the light of pride is in his eye, and peace is throned upon his brow, for he's become a granddad now." The local paper printed this, concerning Rufus and his bliss. I said, "Perhaps that old galoot will now set up a good cheroot, since this promotion he has won, and is the grandsire of a son." I found him at the corner store, where he was seated, glum and sore. He didn't prance around with glee, or show new brands of ecstacy. "I am not filled with gaudy pride, but feel like twenty cents," he sighed. "I've always held that I was young, until this new born babe was sprung; now such pretensions are no use; posterity has cooked my goose. When 'Granddad' is your given name, you might as well forsake the game; though you may try, you can't begin to make folks think you're not all in. It is no use glad clothes to wear; it is no use to dye my hair; it is no use for me to say how like a colt I feel today. The town would merely grin and scoff, for all men see where I get off. I bend beneath this worst of strokes, and will not pass around the smokes."

The Sleeping Porch

There still are folks who sleep indoors, in closed up rooms they heave their snores, and breathe the stale and stagnant air which harbors germs and microbes there. And when the shades of night are sped, and they crawl stiffly out of bed, they say they're feeling worse, a heap, than ere they had their little sleep. I used to slumber in a room that was as airtight as a tomb, and I was always out of whack, with rheumatism in my back, and corns and bunions on my knees, and every other pink disease. But now a sleeping porch is mine, and over me the night winds whine. I rise when comes the sunrise glow, and from my whiskers brush the snow, and thaw the ice from nose and ears, and greet the day with hearty cheers. And I'm so hearty and so hale, the undertaker lifts a wail. He used to think he'd get me soon, and plant me out beneath the moon, when I was groaning of my ills, and blowing coin for beeswax pills. But, seeing me on buoyant feet, go scooting up the village street, and prancing like an acrobat, he doesn't know where he is at.

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Walt Mason

PETER RITTER'S MACHINE UPSET ON SOUTH AVE.

An automobile owned and driven by Peter Ritter, of Fanwood, was upset and considerably damaged this morning opposite the "Maples," on South avenue, when he claimed that another machine driven by M. W. Tracy, of 102 Broad street, Westfield, ran into him. No one was injured.

Both cars were coming toward Plainfield and Ritter contended that Tracy's machine hit the rear of his auto, causing it to turn over. Patrolman Martin Welsh was sent to the scene of the accident, but decided that the case was out of the jurisdiction of the city. An examination showed, it is claimed, that there were no marks on either machine to indicate that there had been a collision. Tracy passed Ritter, soon after he learned of the accident and returned to the place of the overturned car.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The Crescent Avenue Church Sunshine Mission Band meets at the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 3:15.

The midweek prayer service at the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening will be addressed by the Dr. William J. Boone, president of the College of Idaho. The address will be illustrated by stereopticon slides.

FRENCH EXPERIENCE BAD WEATHER

Special to Courier-News:

Paris, March 20.—A statement issued by the War Office today says that French troops made slight progress despite bad weather and destruction of all means of communication, in the Avre Aisne district French forces were in contact with the Germans throughout this district. The statement said that the difficulties of the advance are increasing.

POLICEMAN AND FIREMAN INJURED AT FIRE

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 20.—A policeman and a fireman were burned by back draughts and cut by glass at a two-alarm fire at 683 Sixth avenue, one door north of Thirty-ninth street, early today. The injured men are Policeman Harry Bauer, of the West Thirtieth street station, and Fireman Michael Carmody, of Engine Company No. 21.

CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR MOTOR PATROL BOATS

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 20.—Secretary Daniels today announced that sixty of the new motor patrol boats would be constructed at the New York Navy Yard, and four at the New Orleans Navy Yard. It is possible that other contracts will be made in the near future.

COMMENDS FIREMEN FOR THEIR PROMPTNESS

The Borough Fire Department is in receipt of a letter of commendation from William H. Olmsted, of Chatham street, who thanks the department for quickly responding to the alarm of fire at the latter's residence recently. The department made the run to Chatham street in five minutes.

SIR ISAAC NEWTON DIED 190 YEARS AGO

Today is the 190th anniversary of the death of Sir Isaac Newton, the greatest of natural philosophers, who was born on Christmas Day, 1642, in Woolsthorpe, Lincolnshire, England. He died on March 20, 1727, and was buried in Westminster Abbey.

CLOTHES STOLEN FROM TAILOR'S SHOP

It was learned today that City Judge DeMeza and former Mayor James F. Buckle were among those whose clothing was stolen from Renzer's tailoring shop in Watchung avenue which was entered by thieves on Saturday night.

BIRTHDAY OF PRESIDENT ELIOT

Today is the eighty-third anniversary of the birth of Charles William Eliot, who was born in Boston, Mass., March 20, 1834. He was elected president of Harvard University in 1869, and his administration was such that his influence stimulated into new vigor every institution for higher education in the United States.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness or struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of the fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.—Adv.

LOCAL OPTION LETTER STARTS BUZZ IN TRENTON

By United Press:

Trenton, March 20.—As a result of the letter sent yesterday by Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary of President Wilson, to Secretary of State Thomas F. Martin, urging that the Democrats of New Jersey espouse the cause of local option, there is a buzz of speculation around the State-House as to what effect it will have on the Democratic Assemblymen who voted against the Gaunt-Mackay local option bill.

If the Hudson county delegation, which is solidly Democratic, should fall in line and the Democrats and Republicans who supported the Gaunt-Mackay bill should vote for the Kates bill, its passage would be assured. It is also expected that Assemblyman Whitman, of Atlantic county would vote for the measure and that Governor Edge would sign it.

Mr. Dolan, chairman of the Hudson delegation, said last night that his co-members had not yet determined their stand. Secretary of State Martin indicated that he would not use his influence for the bill, when he simply stated that the Tumulty letter was interesting, but that he (Martin) was not now in the Legislature.

BILLS PASSED BY HOUSE AND SENATE

By United Press:

Trenton, March 20.—The international crisis made itself felt in the Assembly last night when the members unanimously adopted a resolution offered by Mr. Pierson of Union county, putting the House on record as favoring universal military and naval training.

The house, which last week defeated the Colgan bill, permitting Sunday "movies" and athletics in first-class cities, reconsidered and passed the measure last night.

The House also passed the Senate bill enabling municipalities to buy and sell food supplies in times of emergency.

The Senate passed bills amending the "Seven Sisters" anti-trust laws so that they will conform with the Federal Clayton act, the Kates bill, creating Barrington borough in Camden county, the Mellrath bill, enabling the State to retain Gen. Geo. W. Goethals to build the new highway system and the Richards bill to regulate use of the May's Landing, proving grounds by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation.

PLAINFIELD RELATIVES REMEMBERED IN WILL

Kate Vanderlip Skillman, who died in Brooklyn on January 17 last, left a net estate of $22,576.21, of which Estelle S. Harper, Margaret Harper and Adelaide Harper, of 921 Watchung avenue, this city, are beneficiaries.

The first named receives $1,500 in cash, and a $3 filigree gold bracelet with an amethyst stone; Margaret Harper receives a $6 gold pin with a diamond, a gold bracelet with five amethysts, and Adelaide Harper receives a $300 solitaire diamond engagement ring; Samuel A. McClure, of Philadelphia, a brother of the testatrix and co-executor of the estate, is left the residue, valued at $17,765.21.

THE FUNERAL OF JOHN J. CURRAN, SR.

The funeral of John J. Curran, Sr., who died Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary A. Higgins, of West Front street, was held this morning from there and later in St. Mary's church, where high mass of requiem was offered by Rev. Father Hennessey. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers, including splendid set pieces from Mr. Curran's brother-in-laws; from the family, inscribed "Father," "Uncle" and "Grandpa." Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The bearers were Thomas Higgins, Maurice Higgins, Michael Geary, John Walsh, Lawrence Burke and Henry Hansen.

R. EVARTS BENEFICIARY OF UNCLE'S ESTATE

Henry Evarts, an uncle of Roy Evarts, of this city, who died in Brooklyn on January 16 last, left a net estate of $5,743.84, out of which $250 goes to the nephew here; $1,205.46 to Caroline E. Woods, sister and executrix, and the rest is left to other relatives and friends. The appraisal of the estate was filed in the surrogate's court in Brooklyn today.

ANNUAL REPORT ABOUT READY

The monthly meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield was held last night, when routine reports were presented. It was announced that the annual report of the league would probably be ready some time this week. This will show what has been accomplished during the past year.

DENY ORDER FOR SHELLS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 20.—Officials of the General Electric Co. today denied a report from Lynn, Mass., to the effect that contracts for $10,000,000 worth of shells for the United States Navy had been awarded to the company.

FEDERATED CLUBS INVITED TO CONFERENCE

The following notice has been sent to the federated clubs in Plainfield by the New Jersey Home-makers' Association:

The New Jersey State Home-makers' Association committee on the conservation of food cordially invites the members of your clubs to attend a meeting to be held in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church, Broad street, Newark, one block south of Market street, on March 28 at 2 p. m. Subjects: "New Jersey Laws Governing the Food Supply," "Safe and Sane Buying," "How the Women Can Co-operate in the Ordering and Delivering of Groceries." Other phases of the food question will also be discussed.

G. NEWELL KARNER TO WED MISS ANNA H. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick I. Smith of 126 Netherwood avenue, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Anna Hand Smith, to G. Newell Karner, son of Mrs. Emma Karner, of 113 Plainfield avenue. The ceremony will be performed at the future home of the couple, 1339 East Seventh street, Tuesday evening, April 10. The Rev. Dr. J. Madison Hare, of the Scotch Plains Baptist church, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring of the First Presbyterian church, this city.

THROUGH THE WICKET

The warrior's degree will be conferred tomorrow night by Manotonomo Tribe, I. O. R. M., on a large class of palefaces.

Company H, of the local Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold its drill tonight, and a full attendance of members is requested, as the organization will also be inspected.

Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., will enjoy a stereopticon lecture on Friday evening of this week by J. C. Evans, of the High School. Mr. Evans' subject will be: "Farming in the Middle West." There will be special music by an orchestra. A social hour will follow the lecture.

COMPANY K NOTES

Company K took up guard duty last evening in the cricket field when sentinels were posted and introduced.

Tomorrow evening the sixteenth anniversary of the company and the fifth reunion of the veterans will be celebrated in the armory, with a banquet following in the banquet hall in the Babcock building.

NOON-DAY MEETING FOR MEN AND WOMEN

The regular noon-day meeting will be held tomorrow, beginning at 12.20 o'clock in the hall on Madison avenue and will be for men and women. It is hoped that at this Lenten season there will be many who will avail themselves of this quiet hour of prayer and meditation.

BOROUGH COUPLE CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hingle, of Duer street, celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary on Friday evening.

The couple were married in Newark on March 16th, 1907. They have spent most of their married life in this city and the borough. Three children have come to brighten their home.

DANCE AT HARRISON SCHOOL

Good music will be furnished tonight at the regular weekly dance of the Clyde Social Club at the Harrison avenue school.

"TIZ" FOR SORE, TIRED FEET--AH!

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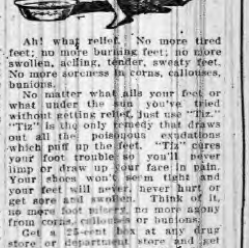

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet; no more swollen, aching, tender, sweaty feet. No more soreness of corns, callouses, bunions.

No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "Tiz." "Tiz" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. "Tiz" cures your foot trouble so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore and swollen. Think of it, no more foot misery, no more agony from corns, callouses or bunions.

Get a 25-cent box at any drug store or department store and get instant relief. Wear smaller shoes. Good worth of money for the United States Navy had been awarded to the company.

"CASCARETS" FOR HEADACHE, COLDS, LIVER BOWELS

Enjoy life! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy and constipated

Get rid of bad breath, sour stomach, coated tongue, indigestion

Get a 10-cent box now.

They're fine! Cascarets liven your liver, clean your thirty feet of bowels and sweeten your stomach. You eat one or two like candy, before going to bed and in the morning your head is clear, tongue is clean, stomach sweet, breath right and cold gone. Get a box from your druggist and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Cascarets stop sick headache, biliousness, indigestion, bad breath and constipation.

Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to cross, bilious, sick, feverish children any time. They are harmless and never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

J. C. EVANS TALKS TO BOROUGH STUDENTS

The student body of North Plainfield High School were given a talk by J. C. Evans of the Commercial Department of Plainfield High School, after the chapel exercises this morning on Farming in the Middle West.

He told of the different stages of production of alfalfa from the preparation to the full grown crop and remarked that it is the cheapest and in the end the most profitable of crops with the exception of corn and wheat in the Middle West, especially in the State of Kansas."

He ventured to say that if the farmers of the Eastern States, especially in the States of New York and New Jersey, grew more alfalfa for cattle the price of milk would necessarily drop.

SWEDISH SOCIETY TO HOLD FESTIVAL

The Young People's Society of the Swedish Evangelical Pilgrim church, corner of West Sixth and New streets, will hold the fourteenth anniversary festival on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. There will be a musical program which promises to be better than any held previously by this society and the Rev. E. Thorne, of New York, will deliver an address. Refreshments will be served.

Those who have not received tickets can get them at the door.

MISS SNODEN THE BRIDE OF ALFRED FARLAND

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Hazel Snoden, of Belvidere avenue, to Alfred Farland, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Farland, of East Second street. The marriage was performed Saturday evening by the Rev. E. C. Conner, of the Temple Baptist church.

The bride-groom has been associated for two years past with the Posch-Magneto plant on South avenue.

RESCUE MISSION NOTES

There will be a service of praise and testimony in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening. Vocal and instrumental music will be features. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

MOVES TO NEW OFFICES

Irving Kunzman has removed his offices to the State Trust building, corner of North and Park avenues, where he will continue the general practice of law.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR MISS CARRIE COON

Miss Carrie Coon, of this city, whose marriage to John McClelland, of Plainfield, will take place in the near future, was given a miscellaneous shower at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Hoffman, 473 West Front street, on Friday evening.

The evening was spent in playing games and dancing, vocal and instrumental music being a feature. Miss Coon received a large number of gifts. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Hoffman and Miss Minnie Peel.

JOHN BENNEY ACCUSED OF TAKING PROVISIONS

John Benney, of 412 South street, who has been employed at the Queen City Market, was arrested at 9:45 o'clock last night, charged with taking provisions from the market. His case will come before City Judge W. G. DeMeza tomorrow morning.

SERVICES AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

On Sunday morning next Archdeacon Sheppard of the Trenton diocese will preach at this church.

The St. Agnes Guild will meet at the Parish House on Friday at 3 p. m. This will be followed by the Lenten service for young people at 4:30 o'clock.

Owing to illness, the Rev. W. S. Baer, of Elizabeth, will be unable to preach tomorrow evening at the Church of the Holy Cross. There will be a short address by the pastor, the Rev. Harold St. G. Burrill.

THIEVES ENTER TAILOR SHOP

Thieves broke into the tailoring shop of John Renzer in Watchung avenue some time Saturday night, and stole five suits of clothes. Entrance to the place was gained by prying the iron bars from a window in the rear.

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Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks" "run-downs," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.—Adv.

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WOMEN'S WORK IN THE WAR DESCRIBED

Miss Elsie McKenzie Addresses Gathering at Home of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho

Coming right from the European countries now engaged in war, and bringing first-hand information of actual conditions, Miss Elsie McKenzie addressed a gathering of women at the home of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, on West Eighth street, yesterday afternoon, on the subject of "What the Women Are Doing in the War."

Miss McKenzie is a charming speaker and she deeply impressed her audience with a remarkable story of the great achievements of the women of the Allied countries, declaring that they have proved themselves worthy of the most severe test. She spoke here under the auspices of the Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield. She was introduced by Mrs. Henry C. White.

Miss McKenzie was in Europe at the beginning of the war and has been in this country only a short time, and has been kept busy speaking at various meetings. While abroad she was a member of the Women's Land Service Corps of Great Britain, and also served in the French Ambulance Corps.

In telling of the work accomplished by women, Miss McKenzie said that at the present time there are 250,000 women engaged in farming pursuits, and are doing the work just as well as men. They are also working in munition plants and even serving in "first aid" work near the trenches at the front. She said that it was found that the women are more gentle and handle wounded soldiers more carefully than the men, and for these reasons are in great demand near the firing line, although their work is attended with unusual risks.

Referring to the part women are taking in the munition plants, as well as other industries, Miss McKenzie said that her influence had brought about a wonderful change in the character and spirit of the surroundings. The women get the same pay as men formerly did, are employed eight hours a day, and have reasonable time for recreation and rest. The women receive the greatest amount of respect from the soldiers and others with whom they are thrown in contact.

In speaking of the hospital work, Miss McKenzie said that the women wanted to establish such an institution in England, but were not permitted to do so at the time. They then established one in France, equipped it and conducted it in such a satisfactory manner that they were later requested to establish such a hospital in England. They finally did so, on their own terms, and it is entirely in charge of women.

For the purpose of showing how every available space is used for growing vegetables and other foodstuffs it is quite a common thing to see window boxes filled with tomato plants, and every bit of ground that is suitable is utilized in a similar way.

The women of England feel certain that after the war is over the men will prove their loyalty by giving their valued co-workers the proper recognization so far as the franchise is concerned.

During her stay in this country she is working chiefly in the interest of the Red Cross, and is meeting with much success wherever she goes. Following her talk yesterday afternoon those present were given an opportunity to meet her personally during a social hour when tea was served by the hostess.

MRS. MAXWELL PERKINS HOSTESS AT ART TEA

Mrs. Maxwell E. Perkins was the hostess at a tea given this afternoon by Miss Edith Van Boskerck and Miss Laura Lee Rogers at The Rookery. The affair was arranged in connection with the exhibition of portraits by Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen, the artists, which will close on Saturday. The Rookery was attractively decorated with apple and cherry blossoms. During the afternoon Mr. Johansen gave an informal talk on the work of "Art."

Mrse. Perkins was assisted by Mrs. Henry Wells, Mrs. Henry C. White, Mrs. John Carlston, Miss Frances Hyatt Miss Katherine Yates, Miss Catherine Ginna and Miss Ruth Waldo.

The Disposal of 35,000 Old Negatives

Parmer Photo Studio, of 107 East Front street, have announced that they will dispose of all their negatives taken by the late Mr. Langhorne for the past 40 years by the first of April. Their reason for doing this is the fact that they have no more room for further storage of negatives and in order to make room for their new places they are forced to do away with the old ones. Any one interested and wishing us to reserve any of these negatives will kindly call, write, or phone. Telephone 1738.—Adv.

MRS. ABIGAIL BRIANT DIES IN 85TH YEAR

Well-Known Resident Passes Away at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Elwin Leland

Mrs. Abigail Briant, aged 85 years, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elwin Leland, 65 Sandford avenue, following an illness of four weeks, during the last ten days of which she was unconscious. Her death was due to infirmities of age and a form of paralysis with which she was stricken recently. She showed remarkable vitality throughout her last illness.

Mrs. Briant was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Terry. She was born at Short Hills, near this city, and always lived here. She was a life-long member of the First Methodist church, and up to the time of failing health was an attendant at the services and interested in all the activities of the church.

Mrs. Briant had been making her home with her daughter for several years, her husband, Joel R. Briant, having died twenty-five years ago. He was connected for a long time with the Bank of the Republic, New York. There survive two daughters, Mrs. Elwin Leland and Mrs. Charles E. Harris; two grandsons, Erwin and Leslie R. Leland, a granddaughter, Mrs. Benjamin W. Evans, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Hannah M. Harris, of Mahanoy, Pa., who will be 82 years old in January next.

The funeral will be held at the late home Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of the First Methodist church, will officiate, and the burial will be in Hillside cemetery.

FASHIONS ARE HERE AND SO IS SPRING

Spring has come! So has Fashion Week. If you doubt it drop into any of the millinery or department stores in this city and see the array of exquisite creations garnitured with flowers that are so natural that one is almost inclined to stoop down to inhale their fragrance. The millinery specialists in this city have captured new laurels for 1917 with their clever designs.

Beginning today many may have been observed visiting the stores, notwithstanding the inclement weather and with good weather predicted Fashion Week will no doubt prove a popular event for the local patrons of the stores.

The hats show an unusual element of smartness, particularly in the shapes and the clever selection of materials. These are the popular colors, of Shadow Lawn green, rose, apple green, gold, Belgian blue, brown, black, etc. The trimmings are unusually artistic.

MISS RICHARDS TO SPEAK ON "VITAL ISSUES"

Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., will give the ninth in the series of "Talks on the Public Questions of the Day" in the Hartridge Auditorium tomorrow afternoon, at 3.15 o'clock. She will speak particularly on the vital issues of the hour, home and foreign.

The announcement has been already made that Miss Richards will give an extra series of two talks in April, on Tuesday afternoons, April 12 and 26. Tickets for these talks can be bought at the auditorium tomorrow at the close of Miss Richards' talk.

K. OF P. ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED ONE WEEK

The anniversary social and entertainment of Unity Lodge, K. of P., which was to be held tomorrow night, has been postponed one week, owing to the death of Charles De Graw, a prominent member and financial secretary of the organization.

"PATRIA" CONTINUES SEVERAL WEEKS AT PROCTOR'S

Tomorrow the last episode of "Pearl of the Army" will be presented at Proctor's. By an error it was stated that it would be the last of "Patria." On the contrary "Patria," featuring Mrs. Vernon Castle, will continue several weeks more.

SESAME CLUB MEETING

The Sesame Club will meet this week on Friday afternoon, March 23, at three o'clock instead of Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Boneyman, 234 East Ninth street. A full attendance of members is requested.

MISS PFLEGER ARRIVES

A daughter arrived Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pfleger, of John street. Mrs. Pfleger was formerly Miss Alice Rimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rimmer, of Essex street.

CHARLES W. DE GRAW DIED THIS MORNING

Was Born in Princeton and Had Been Merchant Here for Many Years

Charles W. DeGraw died this morning, at half past nine o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac E. Giles, of Grove street, with whom he had lived for several years. He was seized with the grip about a week ago and pneumonia developed, causing his death. Announcement of the funeral arrangements will be made later.

Mr. DeGraw was born in Princeton on October 30, 1856, and was therefore in his sixty-first year at the time of his death. He was educated in New Brunswick, and in the business college in Newark. He came to this city about thirty years ago, and took a position with I. H. Boehm, dry-goods merchant, who occupied the premises now occupied by Tepper Bros. Later he took a position with Seely Edsall, also a dry-goods merchant, occupying the premises where the Kresge 5 and 10c store now is.

In 1894 Mr. DeGraw and Frank Putnam, who was a fellow clerk with him in Mr. Edsall's store, formed a partnership in the dry-goods business at 214 West Front street. A few years ago this partnership was discontinued and Mr. DeGraw had since been engaged in the real estate business with Mr. Giles, before mentioned.

He was a member of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F.; Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., of this city and Goodwill Lodge, Jr. O. U. A. M., of New Brunswick.

He leaves one sister, Mrs. Alfred D. Cook, of East Seventh street, this city, and one brother, Edwin S. DeGraw, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting here recently; another brother, James, and a sister, Miss B. R. Force died several years ago.

The arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

J. P. ONDERDONK BURIED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

The funeral of John P. Onderdonk, at one time a resident of this city, who died in Philadelphia Saturday was held this afternoon in the First Baptist church, New Brunswick, of which he was a member. The interment was made in the Onderdonk family plot in Elmwood cemetery.

Mr. Onderdonk was born there in 1837, and for the last twenty years had made Philadelphia his home, where he was the seventeenth after a short illness.

He received his education in the schools of the city, graduating from Rutgers College when reaching twenty-one, with high honors of his class. He was the oldest child of the late Peter C. Onderdonk, of Dutch ancestry, and of a mother of Huguenot blood, Mary Runyon, daughter of the late Peter P. Runyon. His father was at one time, 1859-60, Mayor of the city. He was prominent as an organizer of the rubber industry. For several years he owned the large dwelling situate on the block facing West Seventh street, Plainfield, and including the whole square.

The son John in 1867 went to Philadelphia and engaged in the paper bag manufacturing business, being one of the firm of Howlett, Onderdonk & Co., of 520 Commerce street, that city. He retired in 1880 and for the past twenty-one years had made his home in the Bertram Apartments, Philadelphia.

He was a life member of Lodge No. 51, F. and A. M. of the Quaker City, and was for forty-eight years a member of Union League.

He is survived by two brothers, George and Charles, and by three sisters, Miss Sydora P., Mrs. Mary Vail and Mrs. Cynthia O. Hunt, whose late husband, E. Hamilton Hunt, was a brother of Mrs. George H. Frost.

FIREMEN SWORN IN AS SPECIAL MARSHALS

The twenty call men of the Borough Fire Department were sworn in last night as special marshals, a special meeting being called for this matter. Mayor W. L. Smalley attended to swearing in and each member now holds himself in readiness to act when called upon by the authorities across the brook.

SMALL FIRE

The fire department was called out at 2:30 this afternoon to extinguish a small fire in the cellar of the house situated at 143 East Seventh street, occupied by J. E. Wade. The fire was caused by hot ashes. There was no damage.

HOME FROM LONG TRIP

Miss Minnie Line, of East Front street, has returned home after visiting relatives in Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York State and Massachusetts.

LOCAL LODGE OF ELKS VISITS NEWARK

Two Hundred Members Make Trip in Special Train and Are Royally Entertained

Members of Plainfield Lodge of Elks to the number of two hundred paid a return fraternal visit to Newark lodge last night. The trip was made in a special train, leaving this city at 7:45 o'clock. Upon their arrival in Newark the Plainfielders were met by a large delegation from the lodge of that city and escorted to the club house, where they were royally entertained.

During the evening the officers of Plainfield lodge took charge of the initiation of several candidates and were complimented for the efficient exemplification of the work. After the initiation there was a social session. The Elks' quartet from the local lodge entertained with a popular program and a sumptuous banquet was served by the Newark Elks. It was 12:30 o'clock this morning when the Plainfielders left for home. They were greatly pleased with the cordial reception and entertainment provided by their brother lodge members.

JEWISH RELIEF TO BE CONTINUED

Judge Newcorn States Arrangements Have Been Made Through State Dept.

Judge Newcorn, chairman of the Jewish War Relief Committee, stated this morning that the State department of the United States has already made arrangements with the representatives of neutral nations in the entente countries to look after the proper distribution of relief to the Jewish war sufferers in those countries, in the event of hostilities between this country and Germany.

"The ones for whom we are trying to obtain relief, said Judge Newcorn, "are non-combatants—people who have had no part in the war and can have none because of their old age, youth or sex.

"These people have been deprived of their all by the ravages of war, and must perish unless aid comes to them from this country, as the nations at war have all they can do to feed their armies and care for their own citizens, without attempting more for the refugees that flock in from the war zone."

Judge Newcorn has set out a general letter appealing to all Hebrews to come to the aid of the suffering members of their own race, and all men of charitable inclination are also asked to aid.

COLORED BRANCH OF Y. M. C. A. ORGANIZED

A meeting was called at the residence of Dr. C. G. Hobson, of 535 West Fourth street, last evening, for the purpose of organizing a branch of the Y. M. C. A. for young colored men of this city. Dr. Hobson was elected president, R. H. Tunstall recorder, James A. Saunders, treasurer, Dr. Wormley vice president.

A board of directors was chosen with William Kline as chairman.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers. We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white news print paper. Many newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt strenuous reforms. The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 80 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This has necessitated a policy to cut down the size of the paper from 16 to 12 pages, and put into effect other methods of curtailing the consumption of paper.

The above measures have not been sufficient to reduce the necessary forty per cent, and for this reason we are obliged to announce that all subscribers not paying promptly each week will have to be discontinued. The stopping of a paper because a subscriber owes four or five weeks does not mean that we question the subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only open—disconcerting subscriptions not paid to date.

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WILL INSURE ALL MILK SHIPMENTS

Belgian Relief Society Discussed Transportation of Supplies

A special meeting of the Belgian Relief Society was called yesterday by Mrs. Wallace in order that the members might consider at once some information that has recently been given with regard to the cost of transportation and also that some decision might be reached as to the advisability of insuring shipments.

It seems that the English are compelled to ask for a one-quarter rate on the relief shipments and that the French companies may be forced to follow suit. Even the nominal rate means a dollar on every hundred weight, and as milk weighs when packed 65 pounds a case, the cost of transportation will be a material item. The insurance in English companies for goods carried in English vessels is only 2-1-2 per cent premium, but for goods carried in vessels other than English the premium is 5 1-2 per cent.

Mrs. Wallace reported that she had arranged for the shipping of the 200 cases reserved by three different routes on three different days. Through the kindness of H. G. Phillips, 50 cases go to the Queen at La Panne at the nominal charge for freight. The 75 other cases that the society decided March 5 should go to La Panne are being shipped through the War Relief, through which also the 50 cases promised to the Appui Belge were sent. Five cases of clothing containing about 1,500 garments and 9,000 handkerchiefs were also shipped through the War Relief, three of the cases to the Queen and 2 to the Appui Belge.

The society resolved to insure all shipments of milk, but not to insure the garments. It authorized Mrs. Wallace to use her best judgment at all times with regard to shipments.

Since the meeting of March 6th $338.83 has been received, which includes the proceeds of Mr. Irwin's lecture, $122.83, and four donations of $8, $50, $12 and $48 each, made just before the meeting for the supplementary account, and totaling $113 (given through an error as $133). The balance, $1,750.99, was increased to $1,760.99 at the close of the meeting. Of this $1,000 is due on the 200 cases of milk in transit.

Recent contributors are Miss Frances Miller, of Hagerstown; Mrs. Frank D. Warren, Mrs. Stephen Penrose, of Germantown; Mrs. Henry C. White, Mrs. Augustus V. Heely, Samuel T. Carter, John F. Harman, Mrs. William M. Sandford, Miss Elizabeth Burke, A. A. Friend, Mrs. George P. Mellick, Miss Polly Wallace, Mrs. Frederic Wallace, Alden and Jane and Dr. R. S. Stevens.

Before the close of the meeting Mrs. Wallace read a note, which she had just received from the Hoover Commission, acknowledgment of the society's decision to accede to the request that it take up the matter of the supplementary meal. The note follows:

"My dear Mrs. Wallace:

"The note which you brought me this morning that the Plainfield Belgian Relief Committee has voted to furnish the funds with which to provide the supplementary meal for a year for all the children in some specific town in Belgium where the child population was about 400 was most gratifying. I beg that you will convey to your associates our appreciation of their action.

"With best wishes for the success of your efforts, I remain

"Very truly yours,

"G. W. GIDDINGS,"

"Of the Appeal Committee."

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE TOMORROW

Robert Murray will hold an important auction sale in the large auditorium on West Front street, over the Joseph W. Gaskill china warehouse. Several van loads of furniture will be sold and the goods include all kinds of bed room, dining room and parlor furniture, pianos, pictures, bric-a-brac, kitchen utensils and everything needed in the home. The sale begins at ten o'clock, and will continue until all goods are sold. Luncheon will be served to purchasers from 12.30 to 1.30 o'clock. A partial list of the goods to be offered will be found in the advertisement in another column of this paper.

PROF. MACHEN AT CRESCENT AVE. CHURCH

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the Wednesday evening Lenten Bible study talks being given at 8 o'clock in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church by Prof. J. Gresham Machen, on "The Way of Approach to Jesus," as taught in the synoptic gospels. The particular topic this evening will be taken from the Gospel of Mark.

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BERLIN SAYS GERMANY IS RETREATING TO VICTORY

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Berlin, March 21.—"Germany is retreating to a victory; another master stroke has been achieved by Field Marshal von Hindenburg and the Allies' plans for a great spring offensive have been destroyed."

This in brief is the first official explanation to the United Press of Germany's retirement on the western front.

"Germany is retreating to a victory because her armies are taking their places in new positions long prepared. Her plans would astound tacticians if their full details were revealed," according to German officials. "They may effect a transformation of the entire character of war." (Other details on another page.)

FIVE AMERICANS DIED ON THE VIGILANCIA

By United Press:

Washington, March 21.—Five Americans died in the sinking of the American steamer Vigilancia, Consul Stephens at Plymouth reported the death list to the State Department today.

The first complete report of the arrival of Capt. Borum and eight members of the crew of the City of Memphis, at Glasgow, was from the Consul there today.

The report said: "Capt. Borum with eight members of the crew arrived at Glasgow. Captain reported vessel sunk by German submarine 44 miles off Irish coast; no resistance offered. Captain ordered to abandon ship at once. Warned by two shots across bow."

SHOWS SUBMARINE WARFARE INEFFECTIVE

By United Press:

Paris, March 21.—On authority of Denys Cochin, minister of blockade, the United Press is able today to announce as proof of the ineffectiveness of the German submarine blockade, that the Allies have agreed to continue revictualing Switzerland.

Y. M. H. A. CAMPAIGN IS PROGRESSING

The enthusiasm of the young Jewish men and women for the new quarters contemplated by the Young Men's Hebrew Association was given further impetus last evening when $25 was pledged for the building fund.

The donors requested that their names be withheld from publication. The campaign in general is progressing satisfactory and further contributions were received today. The names of the contributors will be announced later. A committee of representative men will call on some of the Plainfield citizens on Friday between 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. for contributions, and those who desire may send in their contributions before that day to Harvey Rothberg, chairman, or Benjamin J. Kline, treasurer, 926 W. Front street.

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FIRST SURPRISE PARTY FOR CALIFON WOMAN

Califon, March 21.—In honor of her eighty-third birthday a surprise party—the first ever given her in her life—was given Sunday to Mrs. Margaret J. Besty of this place by her sons, grandsons and grand-daughters and their families. All the family were present except a grand-daughter, Miss Elsie L. Beaty, a student at the State Normal School, Montclair.

Mrs. Beaty, who lives alone in Academy street, is a member of the Waters family of Hunterdon and Morris counties. She is the last of a large family. She married George W. Beaty, a merchant at Anthony, who died twelve years ago. They had three children—a daughter and two sons. The daughter, Mrs. Walter R. Ramsay, died about fifteen years ago.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John W. Besty, Miss Naomi Beaty, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Neigh, Miss Helen Neigh, Mr. and Mrs. Elston Beaty, Miss Daisy Beavers of Califon, former Postmaster and Mrs. Elmer B. Ramsay, Miss Ruth Ramsay, Miss Alice Ramsay and George B. Ramsay of High Bridge.

CALL TO ELIZABETH CHURCH IS ACCEPTED

There was much rejoicing Sunday among the members of the First Presbyterian Church of Elizabeth over the letter of acceptance received from the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Campbell, to whom a call had been extended to serve the First Church as pastor. Dr. and Mrs. Campbell will go to Elizabeth about the first of May.

While the letter to the Elizabeth congregation was being read the congregation which Dr. Campbell has served at Dayton, O., for the last eight years, was also being apprised of the clergyman's decision. It has been a difficult matter to settle the question of acceptance or refusal of the Elizabeth call, which has been held in abeyance pending the opportunity for him to see the city and the church. A week ago yesterday Dr. Campbell preached at both services in the First Church.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

The third of a series of missionary lectures on South America will be given at the Y. W. C. A. parlors Friday afternoon at 3:45 by the Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Englewood.

Rev. J. Gresham Machen, of Princeton Seminary, will give another of his Bible study addresses at the mid-week prayer service at Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church this evening.

A mission study class will be organized at Hope chapel under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society tomorrow afternoon. All of the chapel interested in the subject are invited to become members of the class.

The Official Board of the First M. E. Church will hold an important adjourned session next Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at Vincent chapel. The regular monthly meeting of the Sunday School Board meets this evening at 8 o'clock.

A church dinner, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. Church will be served Friday evening at 6 o'clock. The dinner will be followed by an entertainment consisting of tableaux and pantomimes depicting songs of thirty years ago. About sixty children will take part.

This week will be given over to cottage prayer meetings by the Park avenue Baptist Church. This evening, all meet at the church for a weekly prayer and testimony meeting; Thursday evening at Brother R. La Hunt's, 357 Laramie road; Friday evening at Deacon Runyon's, 1048 Arlington avenue and with Mrs. Frank Quass, 1224 West Third street.

ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH OF BACH

Johann-Sebastian Bach, the famous composer, was born 232 years ago today, in Eisenach, Thuringia. Among his compositions were: The Christmas oratorio, The Passion Music to the words of St. John, and music to the gospel of St. Matthew, his mass in B Minor, and The Magnificat in D.

Bach's fame became far greater after his death than during his lifetime, for through the instrumentality of Mendelssohn, he became known, during what is termed the "Bach revival" as a genius almost too great to be grasped by the receptivity of one generation. He died July 28, 1750.

EXPECT RAILROAD RATES TO BE INCREASED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 21.—Rate increases for the railroads of the country are regarded by officials of the administration as foregone conclusions and it is expected that in view of the greatly enlarged expenditure necessary by reason of the decision of the United States Supreme Court in holding constitutional the Adamson eight-hour law, the railroads will ask the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to advance both freight and passenger rates.

KENNEDY FIRST CHOICE FOR TROOP B CAPTAIN

Red Bank, March 21.—At an informal election at the armory here Monday night Second Lieutenant James Kennedy was elected captain of Troop B, First Squadron, defeating First Lieutenant Joseph Swannell, who got only three votes. Sergeant H. J. Boakey was elected second lieutenant. The election was necessary because of the resignation, some time ago, of Captain William A. Patterson.

Major Robert B. Brown, squadron commander, has directed that the formal election be held at Red Bank next Monday night.

TO BUILD 24-STORY HOTEL

Atlantic City, March 21.—Details of the recent $2,250,000 incorporation of the Atlantic City Hotel Corporation shows that the plans call for a twenty-four-story hotel. It will have 800 bed rooms and 800 private baths. It will cost between $600,000 and $700,000 to furnish it. The ground alone has cost the incorporators a half million dollars. The hotel will have a frontage of 130 feet on the boardwalk and a depth of 325 feet on States avenue. Plans have already been perfected for the placing of a first mortgage for $1,750,000 and a second mortgage of $600,000. There will be preferred stock issued to the amount of $1,500,000 and common stock amounting to $750,000.

SENATOR OSBORNE IMPROVED

Improvement in the condition of State Senator Edmund B. Osborne was reported yesterday. Mr. Osborne, who was taken ill with the grip in Trenton last week, spent a comfortable night. It was stated at his residence in Stonebridge road, Montclair.

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DE GRAW—On Wednesday, March 21, Charles W. De Graw.
Notice of service hereafter.

SMITH—On Tuesday, March 20, 1917, Mildred E., daughter of George E. and Anna C. Smith, in her 19th year.
Services at the parents' residence, 29 Mariners place, on Friday, March 23, at 2 p. m. Interment in the Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth, N. J.

BRIANT—On Tuesday, March 20, 1917, Abigail M., wife of the late Joel R. Briant, in her 85th year.
Services at her late residence, 63 Sandford avenue, on Friday, March 23, at 3 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. 3-21-2t

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SYNOPSIS OF THE OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS OF THE COUNTY OF UNION

Regular meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders held on March 1, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

The new members, W. J. Z. Hatfield, of Fanwood, and Charles M. Affleck, of Westfield, took the prescribed oath as members of the board.

Roll call showed all members present with the exception of Freeholder Krouse.

Minutes of meeting of February 1 were approved as printed.

Communications

A communication from the Borough of Kenilworth in regard to culverts was referred to the member from Cranford.

A communication from the Rahway Gas Co. asking permission to put pipes on Hamilton Street Bridge, Rahway, was referred to the County Engineer and Freeholders from Rahway.

A communication from the United States War Department withdrawing request made that work on South Street Bridge, Elizabeth, be postponed.

A communication from the State Highway Department accepting the roads, St. George avenue and Mountain avenue, was received.

A communication from the State Military Board notifying County Collector that they had selected a lot in Plainfield for an Armory and asking the county to raise $20,000 to pay for same, was received.

Committee Reports

Committee on Hillside culverts reported, asking for $600 for new culverts, was granted.

Reports were received from the Committees on Legislation, Summit Bridges, Grounds and Buildings, County Roads, Rahway Bridges, Elizabeth Draw Bridges, Jail, Mosquito Commission, Hospitals, County Engineer, Soldiers' Headstones, Auditing Discharge of Prisoners, and Stationery, were ordered received and placed on file.

The Committee on Summit Culverts were granted $750 for two new culverts and one new bridge on Ashland Place, not to exceed $1,900.

The Committee on South Front Street Bridge, Elizabeth, were allowed $500 for electrical repairs.

Perley Morse & Co. reported having examined the accounts of the Sheriff, Surrogate, Register and County Clerk and found same correct.

New Business

Freeholders Smith, Affleck and Brokaw were appointed a committee on culvert on South avenue, Westfield.

Freeholders Darby, Applegate and Jones on culvert on Mountainside avenue, Mountainside.

Freeholders Gehring, Buckle and Cady on culvert Westfield avenue, Rahway.

Freeholders N. Woodruff, Marsh and McMane three culverts in Kenilworth.

Freeholders N. Woodruff, Hatfield and Randolph, three culverts in Union.

Adjourned to meet Thursday, March 22, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

BENJAMIN KING, Clerk.

(Full and complete copies may be had of the above minutes upon application to the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Court House, Elizabeth, New Jersey.)

OLD TIME SONGS AT ENTERTAINMENT

The ladies of the First M. E. church are arranging what promises to be a thoroughly enjoyable evening for Friday of this week. A supper at six sharp will be followed by a program of song, tableaux and pantomine in which 60 children of the Sunday school will take part. The music will be the old favorites of thirty years ago, and the tableaux will illustrate them. The program in part will include:

"My Old Kentucky Home" Mrs. McDonald; "The Whistling Regiment," Russell Huff; "In Old Madrid," Edward Cole; The Lorelei Miss Irma Good; "The Love of Hiawatha," Mrs. Meredith, and many more, including the chorus of Sunday school children and a quartet.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER TO SPEAK HERE

C. A. Beemer, superintendent of the Organized Adult Bible Class Department of the New Jersey Sunday School Association and president of the Union County Association, will speak to the Sabbath School of the Seventh Day Baptist church, this city, next Saturday noon, March 24.

Mr. Beemer is a very live wire, and all Sunday School workers are cordially invited to be present to hear this gifted man.

LINEN SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

A linen shower was given on Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. I. Moledesky, of Chatham street, for Miss Ida Silverstine, who is engaged to be married to Max Polock, of West Third street, in the near future. The decorations were green and white. The evening was passed with games, singing and dancing. A dainty collation was served.

BAYONNE MAN STEWARD ON STEAMSHIP ILLINOIS

Bayonne, March 21.—Oscar Salmon, thirty-two years old, of Avenue C, was a steward on the steamship Illinois, which was sunk by a German U-boat.

You Can Make Excellent Cake with Fewer Eggs

Just use an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

This applies equally well to nearly all baked foods. Try the following recipe according to the new way:

CREAM LAYER CAKE

Old Way	New Way
1 cup sugar	1 cup sugar
½ cup milk	1 cup milk
2 cups flour	2 cups flour
1 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
3 eggs	1 egg
½ cup shortening	2 tablespoons shortening
1 teaspoon flavoring	1 teaspoon flavoring

Makes 1 Large 2-Layer Cake

DIRECTIONS—Cream the sugar and shortening together, then rub in the egg. After sifting the flour and Royal Baking Powder together two or three times, add it all to the mixture. Gradually add the milk and beat with spoon until you have a smooth pour batter. Add the flavoring. Pour into greased layer cake tins and bake in a moderately hot oven for twenty minutes. This cake is best baked in two layers. Put together with cream filling and spread with white icing

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RIVALRY BETWEEN ARMY AND NAVY

The presence in this city of recruiting officers from the United States Navy has resulted in considerable rivalry between them and the recruiting officers from the army. Within the past few days fifteen young men have enlisted for the navy branch of the service, and several more have promised to give their names to the officers.

Some of the advantages offered by the navy are a free outfit of clothing, transportation and subsistence from point of enlistment to place of assignment. The outfit includes clothing, toilet article and accessories. Trade schools are maintained in the service for the instruction of yeomen and all branches. A man's pay continues while he is undergoing instruction, and there is no tuition to pay.

P. H. S. NOTES

Dr. Guy H. Hillman, dentist, has been examining the teeth of the school children for the past week.

A last opportunity to join the High School Cadet Corps was given to the boy students of the school this afternoon.

Tryouts for the Senior play, "Monsieur Perrechon's Journey," translated from the French by H. R. Hubbard, of the school faculty, were held yesterday afternoon.

L. D. Beers, of the school faculty, will give an illustrated lecture in the auditorium during chapel exercises next Friday morning. His topic will be "Camping in the Maine Woods."

Howard G. Lapsley, of Crescent avenue, who was a member of the Class of 1905 of the Plainfield High school, gave a very interesting and instructive lecture on "Aviation" yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the local high school. Mr. Lapsley spoke from experience as he has often been up in aeroplanes, his flights for the most part being made from Governor's Island near New York City. He cited the utter unpreparedness of the United States Aviation Corps in case of war. Europe, he said, was learning more every day about flying which this country knows nothing about and will continue to know nothing until necessity and actual war forces us to benefit by such modern knowledge of aviation. As a matter of fact the lecturer stated that the United States Government has not a single air plane gun. An enemy could approach our coast and let loose a dozen armed aeroplanes from a single battleship. These could scout over our cities and if an American aviator endeavored to fly up for an air battle, his chief weapon would be his pocket automatic revolver vs. an efficient modern European aeroplane machine gun. Aviation, he said, is changing daily and aviation of only a few months is a thing of the past.

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Union County Agency

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Money to Loan on Bond and Mortgage.

R. W. CAMPBELL WILL MANAGE TRANSIT CO.

R. W. Campbell, who was formerly manager of the Suburban Transit Company, has been appointed in the same capacity in the newly organized company.

The new management of the Transit Company through C. A. Dana has issued the following notice to the public:

"The stock interest of the former owners of the Suburban Transit Company has been sold to a new group who will continue the management of the transit company. The line will be operated for the time being along the same routes as they are now running and upon the same schedule, and no changes will be made except all parties interested are notified well in advance. The company will endeavor to maintain regular service throughout summer which will be a benefit to those in this neighborhood. The company states that it will be glad to receive any recommendations or criticisms.

"The office of the company will be located at 314 Madison avenue.

"The telephone number will be Plainfield 1710."

GERMANS TO WITHDRAW FROM LA BASSEE

Special to the Courier-News:

Amsterdam, March 21.—A Central News correspondent in northern France reports that the Germans are developing great activity north of La Bassee canal up to the Franco-Belgian frontier, which seems to indicate that following up their action on other sections of the western front, the Germans are about to withdraw.

TELEGRAPHERS TO HAVE A WAGE INCREASE

Special to Courier-News:

Philadelphia, March 21.—About 4,000 telegraphers and train dispatchers on twenty-seven divisions of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines east of Pittsburgh, have been given an increase in wages amounting in the aggregate to $200,000. New regulations and better working conditions also are promised.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 21.—Steamers arrived this morning:

Cairnhill, from Havre.
Yuna, from San Domingo.
Elalba, from Galveston.
Lille, from La Pallice.
Strathlorn, from La Pallice.
Amazon, from Halifax.
Mae, from Mobile.
Nueces, from Galveston.
Senator, from Manzanillo.
Panama, from Cristobal.
Fredenes, from Manati.

REP. LEE IMPROVED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 21.—Representative Gordon Lee, of Georgia, ill here of pneumonia, is reported today to be much improved.

NEW RULES FOR FREEHOLDERS

Radical Changes Are Suggested for Union County Board

Special to the Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 21.—Radical changes in the old methods of conducting the affairs of the Board of Freeholders are suggested by the new set of rules which the special rules committee will present to the board for its approval at a special meeting tomorrow. Under the chairmanship of Thomas F. Haviland, the committee visited almost every county in the State, adopting the best features of the rules of other boards, while at the same time improving on more of them so as to make them peculiarly adapted for Union county. The committee members have been reticent as to what the rules are, but it is known that they provided, among other things, the following:

No official under the board's direction can absent himself for more than a week without the board's permission.

All employes under the board must report for duty on time.

The county attorney must attend all meetings.

The county engineer and the county collector to have their offices in a county building.

The director must keep a close watch on board affairs.

Committees or members are not to spend more than $50 without a vote of the board, and in the event of emergency the board must later approve the expenditure.

Day work is to be awarded by a special committee.

Committees must keep a record of all their doings.

Committees and the collector must make monthly reports of expenditures so that the board will have complete knowledge as to the status of its appropriations.

Some of these rules were devised as a result of the disclosures which developed at the recent probe.

CAPT. JACK BONAVITA KILLED BY POLAR BEAR

Captain Jack Bonavita, considered as the greatest animal trainer in the world, who has lectured in the Plainfield High School on more than one occasion, died on Tuesday of wounds sustained from the attack of a polar bear in Los Angeles, Cal. Dispatches say that Captain Jack was knocked down and mortally wounded before keepers could render any assistance. The captain's real name was John F. Genther, an American, born in Philadelphia.

More than a quarter of a century ago Captain Jack Bonavita began his show life. At that time he was performing acrobatic feats with a wagon circus. The feature of the show was a wild animal act, consisting of two hyenas, two pumas and one lion. Financial reverses caused the trainer of the feature act to desert the show, and to the young acrobat came a chance to realize an ambition which he had cherished since boyhood. Capt. Jack became the trainer of the wild animal show.

From that time on one adventure followed another in rapid succession. Several times a wild beast attacked him and on one occasion his right arm was so severely lacerated by an infuriated beast that it had to be amputated. A few years later his left arm was barely saved from a similar fate. It has been said of Captain Jack that there was not on his body unscarred skin as big as a man's hand.

FRENCH NATION CAN FIGHT TO THE END

Special to Courier-News:

Paris, March 21.—Premier Alexandre Ribot, in a statement issued today, declared that the French nation was now in a position where it could fight with equal strength of arms as long as necessary. "Having what our enemies do not, the sentiment that we are defending the cause of right, and of civilization."

BELGIUM RELIEF SHIPS SAFELY ARRIVE

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 21.—The Commission for Relief in Belgium at 120 Broadway today received cable advices that the relief ships, Lacksley and Voss which sailed from New York on February 11 and February 15, respectively have arrived at Rotterdam.

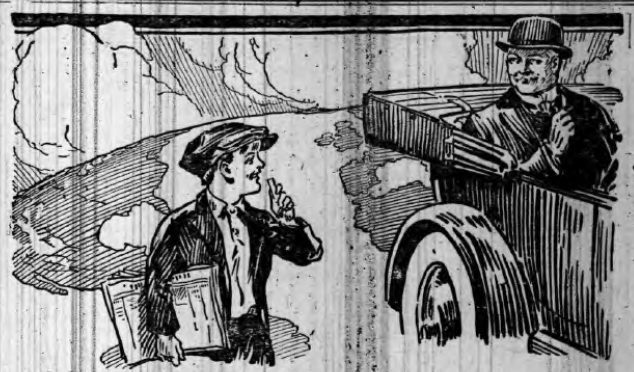
HEAVY SNOW IN WEST

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 21.—The weather bureau snow and ice bulletin says large increase in the depth of snow-cover occurred during the past week in the upper lake region, and then Westward over Wisconsin and Minnesota. The accumulated depth in portions of these districts is now greater than at any other time during the season.

To Address P.-T. Association

Tomorrow afternoon the Parent-Teacher Association of the North Plainfield schools will hold its regular monthly meeting in the high school auditorium. Principal Albert Earley will make an address on "Caverns of Luray." Mr. Earley gave this same lecture to the grammar school yesterday afternoon and will give the same talk to the high school students tomorrow morning after the chapel exercises.



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To all students of "New Thought," "Divine Science," "Higher Thought," and metaphysical subjects generally:

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 21.

Germans made gains in Malancourt woods, Verdun, scene of attack on the 20th, taking 2,500 French prisoners.

Russian armies started three violent offensive movements against Germans and Austrians—in the sector from Riga to Drinsk, in the Narocz lake region east of Vilna and in the neighborhood of Czernowitz, Bukowina.

Two Years Ago Today.

Zeppelins dropped bombs on Paris. Germans expelled Russian forces from Memel.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1917.

STOP CRITICIZING

What we want now is evidence of loyalty from the real American citizens and elimination of criticism of the President. We are in his hands, as a nation, and look to him to steer the Ship of State through the rocky rapids. There is no turning back now and the thing to do is to go through. If we have not been sufficiently prepared for all emergencies this is no time to grumble about it, for that only paralyzes the inclination that people have to address themselves to their task. We are not Republicans, Democrats, Prohibitionists, Socialists or anything else before loyalty and the true spirit of Americanism, which has always stood for the right and for charity for all and malice toward none. We have even leaned backwards in striving to be straight and square as a nation and believed that we were taken at our face value by other nations. It seems, however, that we have not been so taken by some, and it is time to make our stand clear for our national rights. Whatever is deemed best by the men whom we have elected to crystallize our best judgment as to international affairs and to plan what is best for the country is the plan we should follow without criticizing or halting in our loyalty. We must stand as one man, presenting a front of one hundred millions of loyal citizens. This means also the people who have thought enough of America to come here to make their homes, looking for and getting all that the native-born citizen expects and often getting very much more. Those who are at all inspired by the struggles of the Civil War to protect what a race of freemen had handed to us after the struggles of Bunker Hill, Valley Forge and Brandywine will not hesitate to stand up and be counted as sons of the noble sires who participated in those struggles, or as adopted sons of a country which received them with open arms and invited them to participate in all that this great country has to offer of opportunity, rights, privileges and immunities, so long as they are loyal. They who broke away from mother country and fatherland to become the patriots of 1776 and to make a home in the land which offered them freedom, chose to stand up for the land of their adoption; to take up arms and fight for her against the lands of their birth when those lands sought to infringe upon their privileges as freemen. No less today should the spirit of Americanism be shown in the life and act of every one who claims to be an American citizen. If it means war, so be it. If by this united spirit of Americanism, expressed so plainly that all would-be tyrants can read the sign, "Stand back," as John Hancock wrote his name to the Declaration of Independence so large and plainly "that King George could read it across the water," it means peace without war so much the better. But what we want as a nation is for every citizen to be an American in spirit, ready to stand for national rights and for the others to be as little conspicuous by their un-Americanism as possible. Ours is still the land of the free and the home of the brave—a place of refuge for the oppressed of other lands and place of opportunity for the pursuits of peace, but there comes a time, at different periods of history when to enforce peace we must be armed.

THE HOME MERCHANT'S SERVICE

The home store is one of the conveniences and public services of the town. A place may have good streets, schools and lights, yet if its stores are behind the game the whole community suffers. The public is inconvenienced and put to serious expense to supply itself with necessaries. There are some people who always patronize distant stores for all important purchases. But in an emergency they run to the home store with some trifling order. Then they blame the merchant if he does not have as complete a stock as a metropolitan store would carry. Such people are not doing their share to build up their home community. They are pursuing a policy which if adopted by everyone would affect valuation of all real estate and impair the facilities for good community living. The merchant can do his share toward making this an up-to-date town only by the spirit of loyal support from his townspeople.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES

To provide an easier means of amending the Constitution Representative W. M. Chandler, of New York, has worked out a plan whereby a majority of both Houses of Congress, or one-fourth of the States, provided they contain one-fourth of the population of the country can propose amendments. Such amendments, if concurred in by a majority of the electors in a majority of the States and a majority of all the electors voting thereon, shall become a part of the Constitution. Mr. Chandler has provided, furthermore, that a constitutional convention shall be called by Congress, in 1926 and every thirty years thereafter for proposing amendments. While the method of amendment, as provided by the framers of the Constitution, was doubtless adequate in the early days of the Republic, at the present time, in the opinion of Congressman Chandler, it is entirely too cumbersome to meet the needs of 100,000,000 people.

AN EFFICIENT REPUBLICAN

One of the most attractive members of the Committee on Appropriations of the House in the last Congress was Hon. Charles R. Davis, of Minnesota. Because of his capacity for handling perplexing details Mr. Davis was made a member of the sub-committee in charge of the District of Columbia appropriation bill and after that measure was passed he was the only Republican member to be given a place on the conference committee to adjust the differences in the bill between the House and Senate. After repeated attempts to reach an agreement with the Senate conferees an adjustment was finally brought about, largely through the diplomacy of Representative Davis, the compromise plan of the conferees was adopted by both Houses and the measure signed by the President the day before Congress adjourned.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Having decided to reduce the cost of living by raising vegetables, some of the home gardeners proceed to buy gloves so as to keep their hands from getting soiled, and a lawn chair to rest in.

The cold spring weather may hinder agriculture and the clothing trade all right, but if it stops the training in the baseball camps it begins to be serious.

According to the latest revelations it seems to be all fixed up that the United States is to be annexed to Mexico.

Anyway, no overt acts have been committed by the politicians tiptoeing around in their gumshoes.

After reading the market reports the landlady remarks that potatoes never were healthful and nourishing, anyway.

The food speculators have unfortunately forgotten that other years are coming in which friendship is quite a help in selling goods.

JACOB VOEHL WRITES TO ENGLAND AND FRANCE

Jacob Voehl, Sr., of Grove street, has written a letter to King George of England and to President Poincare of France offering suggestions as how to end the war. He claims that France should no longer contend for possession of Alsace and Lorraine, which, he says, belonged to Germany in the eighteenth century. He also blames England for her action in sending the Hessians of Germany to fight against the American colonists in the time of the Revolution, and he speaks of some of his ancestors who were among the Hessians who came over here then.

REP. GORDON LEE HAS PNEUMONIA

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 21.—Rep. Gordon Lee, of Georgia, a Democrat, is suffering with pneumonia.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL NOTES

The grammar school report cards for March will be sent out Wednesday, April 11.

Chapel exercises were resumed yesterday morning, after having been discontinued for two weeks.

Miss Searle, teacher of grade 8-II, is absent from school because of illness. Mrs. Wardner is substituting.

The grammar school pupils will turn out in large numbers and a good game is expected. Game called at 3:30.

Norman Hummer of grade 8-III, has been elected a member of the school court in place of Gilbert Fletcher, resigned.

On Thursday of this week on the local high school court, the grammar school boys will meet the strong high school freshmen team from Westfield.

The grammar school expects to put a baseball team in the field early in April. Teams wishing to schedule games with the grammar school team will please communicate with the principal.

Tomorrow the first and second boys' basketball teams of the grammar school will go to Roselle Park to play two corresponding teams there. A number of boys will accompany the players.

The grammar school banners for "honor roll" and "deportment" were awarded to grade 8-I for the month of February. This class attained a percentage of 80 on the honor roll and a class average of 95.45 in deportment for the month.

The following pupils in the eighth grades of the Plainfield Grammar School have received prizes for the drawing of still-life objects offered by the editorial staff of the School Arts Magazine: Josse Fullerton, 8-3, first prize; Helen Hazeltine, 8-1; Earl Junisbi, 8-2; Axel Oberg, 8-4; second prize; Ruth Vail, 8-5 third prize. This work was done in the regular drawing period of the school routine work under the supervision of Miss Sadler. The contest is open to all graded schools in the United States once a month.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school tomorrow evening.

The Alumni Men's Club meets tonight in the High school gym.

The West End Boys' Club will meet in the High school this evening.

Athletic games are to be conducted in the Franklin and Bryant school yards on Thursday afternoon.

BOROUGH P.-T. ASSOCIATION MEETING

The March meeting of the North Plainfield Parent-Teacher Association will be held tomorrow at 3 p. m. in the Somerset school instead of the Harrison avenue school, as Miss Emma Ryno's singing class has the auditorium Thursday afternoon.

Albert Earley, principal of the schools, will show slides of the caverns of Luray, Va. Plans for the coming year will be discussed. It is desired all members be present. Parents are cordially invited to our meetings whether members or not.

CONSULAR OFFICE AT MATANZAS CLOSED

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 21.—A cable from Havana to the Herald says that following instructions from Washington, Consul General Rodgers has dismissed Alfred Heydrich, United State Consular Agent at Matanzas, and has ordered the office there closed.

LOCOMOTIVES ORDERED

Special to the Courier-News:

Philadelphia, March 21.—The Baldwin Locomotive Works, during the week ending March 17, received orders for five locomotives.

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LOST—A school medal. If found return same to St. Mary's School, or 507 West Fourth street, and receive reward. 3-20-3t

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LOST — Gold watch and fob, Phelps & Perry on face of watch, Illinois movement, fob with black ribbon and gold pendant with initials R. J. P. on. Liberal reward and no questions asked for return to R. J. Fowers, Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield. 3-20-5t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

MAN with capital will purchase or take interest in prosperous business. Write "A," care Courier-News. 3-17-4t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop, Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

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ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-3m

TWO young men can have comfortable room with excellent board at very reasonable rate, near station and trolley, in East End. 'Phone 1661-W. 3-19-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

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WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—$5,000, first mortgage on new Plainfield house; excellent location. Box "T. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

YOUNG MAN wishes excellent room and board; preferably in private family; six days per week. Box 88, care Courier-News. 2-21-2t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-1t

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WANTED—Place to board child 2½ years old in private family. "G. J." care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

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TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug, gift. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres, tillable; seven rooms; garage. 'Phone 1944-M, Fanwood. 3-15-1m

BARN TO LET—Inquire 126 Plainfield avenue. 3-20-3t

TO LET—Garage, cement floor, 247 Dunellen avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 3-21-3t

FOR RENT—Barn, suitable for garage. 243 Somerset street. 3-21-6t

TO LET—Office in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 1-8-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

TWO large furnished rooms for housekeeping; all improvements. 201 West Sixth street. 3-20-2t

FOUR ROOMS to let, city water and gas and garden and fruit. Inquire J. C. Dremmer, 148 Greenbrook road. 3-21-3t

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

ROOMS TO LET—Water and gas. 414 West Third street. Inquire inside or 317 East Second street. 3-20-3t

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 737 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

BEST BUSINESS corner property for sale in East End. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-16-6t

BUILDING LOT Cameron avenue; street improvements; no reasonable offer refused. De Roner, 173 North avenue. 3-19-3t

FOR SALE—Country home of 30 acres on River road, main auto road, two miles Bound Brook; 800 feet frontage; Raritan River near bound-ary; 11 rooms, 2 baths, all improvements; in excellent condition and partly furnished; barns, poultry houses, modern machinery, garage; ideal for country club, boarding house or road house; ideal location; price $18,000; terms; closed for winter. Kossler, 49 Third street, Weehawken, N. J. 2-28-3-2,7,9,14,16,21,23

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112-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook; 35 acres woodland, large brook, 1,000 peach trees; 10-room house, outbuildings, silo; fine condition; $125 per acre; easy terms; exchange for desirable income property considered. Particulars P. O. Box 334, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-19-6t

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FOR SALE—300 building lots on instalments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-r

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR, married, wishes work for Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Inquire 1008 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 746-W. 3-20-5t

CHAUFFEUR wants position, private or commercial; reference. Address "N," care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

CHAUFFEUR, married, experienced, careful driver; do all repairs and make himself useful around house. Address "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

CHAUFFEUR (24) wishes position, private or commercial; 4 years' experience; do own repairs; careful driver; good references. "Careful," care Courier-News. 3-20-5t

CHAUFFEUR, (Scandinavian) wishes position; good; careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N." care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

GARDENER desires position on private estate; none but those looking for a real practical man need apply. Box 14, care Courier-News. State particulars in first letter. 3-19-3t

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EXPERIENCED man desires place as watchman or general helper; good references furnished. Address "A. B. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 23 Somerset street, Plainfield. 6-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

MACHINISTS WANTED—Familiar with heavy engine work. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-4t

FIRST-CLASS pattern makers, American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

HIGH SCHOOL BOY to work in auto supply store after school and Saturdays. Reply stating age and reference, "Opportunity," Box 70, care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

STENOGRAPHER, good English, rapid operator, one familiar with purchasing records and routine preferred; permanent position. Address "A. B. C." care Courier-News. 3-19-5t

WANTED—Mill hands also boys for general stock department. Apply Vetey Organ Co., Garwood. N. J. 3-20-6t

BOY WANTED—Apply 200 Watchung avenue. 3-20-2t

BLACKSMITH—General all round machine blacksmith; must be a hammer work. Apply employment department, Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-21-3t

WANTED—Young man, good penman, for general office work; good opportunity to learn bookkeeping; bright prospects for the right person. Address in own hand writing, giving age and qualifications, to Box 121, care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

BOY, over 16, wanted after school hours. Apply 55 Somerset street. 3-21-4t

MOULDER — Polish preferred; out of town position; good wages to experienced man; state age and experience. Address Box 315, 1540 Broadway, New York City. 3-21-2t

USEFUL and outside man wanted; must know something about automobiles and have good reference. Apply 1000 Central avenue. 3-21-3t

WANTED—Clean bright boys for light factory work; must have working papers. Apply at once, Johnson Pharmacal Co., 119 East Fourth street. 3-21-3t

PAINTERS WANTED. Apply International Motor Co. 3-20-3t

WANTED—By the month, white man, single, for all around work; must be good teamster; will room and board. "A. A," care Courier-News. 3-21-4t

WANTED—Driver for coal wagon. W. H. Sharkey, Richmond and Third streets. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-8-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED — Three unfurnished rooms; convenient for housekeeping, garden, conveniences; preferably east section. "L. B.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

FURNISHED house wanted by exceptionally desirable family, three adults; about $140 month. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-20-5t

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping by responsible party. 'Phone 3079-W. 3-19-tf

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE handsomely furnished, well lighted studio, also sleeping accommodations; private house. 126 East Front street. 'Phone 501-R. 3-19-3t

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-21-3t

FURNISHED ROOM for rent, suitable for two men; private family; improvements; board optional. 230 Grant avenue. 3-21-2t

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping or board. 'Phone 929-M. 3-21-3t

FOUR large rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping, piano, phone and shady porch, Netherwood section; very reasonable. Address "L. A.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

TO LET—A nice room, large enough for two. 80 Chatham street. 3-20-2t

TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 3 minutes to Pond's or International Motor Co. 3-19-3t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 278 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 822-W. 3-17-tf

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V," care Courier-News, or 'phone 288-R. 3-16-6t

PLEASANT furnished rooms to let. 219 East Fifth street. 3-16-6t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 2-14-tf

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in the large auditorium over J. W. Gavett's china store, 318 West Front street, being used as temporary auction rooms by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for displaying goods. The above mentioned sale will comprise several van loads of fine household goods and part storage and must be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 22, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, one 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany sideboard, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three fine brass beds, three cribs, several enameled and white iron beds, one mahogany bed, five bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, almost new oak chiffoniers, two almost new pianolas, attachments, a number of rolls of music, one wicker settee, a marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, sizes 9x12, 8x10 and 1x2; two cabinet organs, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, lot bric-a-brac, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon to all purchasers. Robert Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-tf

FOR SALE — 16-ft. semi-speed boat, with nail water lifters, 12x24 ft., suitable for garage; price reasonable. 'Phone 1668-J. 3-21-3t

PIANO—Upright, mahogany case, almost new, cheap to cash buyer. Address "O. J. G." care Courier-News. 3-21-6t

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Ice box, bed cot and tables, etc. 242 Somerset street. 3-21-2t

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Mason & Hamlin organ, ten stops, in excellent condition; have two, so will take $15.00 and deliver. J. K. Roddy, R. D. 3. 3-21-2t

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South Second street. 3-12-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS. White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2536-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 2-26-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of cultivators, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, and other articles of use on a farm. Also some very fine mahogany furniture; one mahogany roll top desk. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-1-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE

To settle estate of the late Peter Von Twistern beginning on Thursday, March 22d, at 10 a. m., and continue daily until everything is sold, at the Rahway Junction, Westfield, N. J., consisting of 1 merry-go-round, 1 Taylor organ, shooting gallery, 1 baby game, 1 cane rack, Polyphone orchestrion, cost $1,000, almost new; 1 Regina, 100 assorted records; penny slot machine, in good condition; 1 penny cigarette, 1 slot; 1 tractor's pump with gasoline engine attached, also new, with hose; 1 hand pump with hose, lot of waggon harness, leather set of parlor furniture, oak dining set, wardrobe, glassware, bedding of all kinds, and hundreds of other articles too numerous to mention. Take Union car to Rahway Junction, and to the sale. Terms cash. W. Schorb, auctioneer. Emma S. Zachar, administratrix. 3-20-2t

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2546. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-18-1m

FOR SALE—White Angora goat and harness. Call Netherwood store. 3-20-2t

NINE guinea pigs, four-compartment breeding pen, $12.00. Barn, 116 West Fifth street. 3-21-2t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—Some furniture. 'Phone 1819-R. 3-19-tf

TWO HORSES for sale. Joseph Harrigan, 923 South avenue. 2-26-tf

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

NEW Cyphers incubator, 240-egg, for sale, cheap. A. Perry, R. F. D., No. 3. 3-20-2t

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and Scott place. 3-20-tf

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle, 26-in. wheel, coaster brake, first-class condition; price $15. Address care Courier-News. 3-20-2t

FOR SALE—Drop head Wheeler & Wilson machine; price $10. Apply 30 Harrison avenue. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—Two goats, 1 fresh goat and 1 kid. Apply 126 Plainfield avenue. 3-20-3t

LARGE lot of poultry for sale, several breeds, prices low; table eggs 40c dozen. Wanted, "Old Trusty" incubators; mantled Arcola and Silver Campines. Marshall, 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-17-4t

HORSE FOR SALE, reasonable. E. Clarke, Woolworth avenue, South Plainfield, 8 minutes' walk from Lehigh station. 3-20-5t

FOR SALE—20 Rhode Island Red laying pullets. 35 Steiner place. 3-19-3t

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, 1261 East Front street. 3-17-tf

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior bicycles, Morrow-Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

FOR SALE—Gentleman's wheel, cheap. 112 Jackson avenue, North. 3-21-tf

ONE CYLINDER Pope motorcycle, in fine condition; at very low price. Apply 911 West Third street, Plainfield. 3-19-6t

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

HUPMOBILE 20 for sale, in A-1 shape. Address "Hup," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

1915 FORD for sale, first-class condition; can be seen from 9 to 6 evenings. 1001 West Third street. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—1916 Maxwell touring car, 1915 Buick touring, 1916 Metz roadster, 1913 Cadillac touring, 1914 Buick touring, Oldsmobile Dayton roadster. M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street. 3-20-3t

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FOR EXCHANGE

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local. W. M. Way. 3-16-7t

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU *to equal my offer in Plainfield.*

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FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for auto. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-21-3m

FOR SALE—House, 8 rooms, all improvements; large lot, in select location; a few hundred dollars down, balance your own terms. Address "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

NEW PALACE HOUSES, choice location, semi with two and corners with three bath rooms; every thing first-class; low price; easy terms. Send for pictures. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 2-24-tf

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,200. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-16-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 12-30-tf

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-tf

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-tf

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Rumery's. Inquire Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-26-tf

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YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 421 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Middle-aged lady for plain sewing and to care for small apartment. Address "A. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Experienced waitress, accustomed to boarding house. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 726 Berkeley avenue, Netherwood. 3-21-tf

GIRL WANTED to work in women's apparel store; must have some knowledge of bookkeeping; state experience and salary expected. Address "Knowledge," care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

DRESSMAKER wants experienced finisher, also errand girl who would like to learn trade. Call 421 Central avenue, upstairs. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. Derrien, 107 West Seventh street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 293-R. 3-19-tf

STENOGRAPHER, at least four years' experience, good English, rapid operator, for large manufacturing concern. Address "A. B. C." care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1037 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 567-W. 3-21-1m

WANTED—Situation for experienced chambermaid and waitress for summer months; country preferred. June 20th to September 20th. Apply 1 Myrtle avenue. 'Phone 2471. 3-21-3t

A GOOD colored laundress, with reference, would like work Tuesday and Wednesday. "M. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

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Rehearsal for "LAND OF MYSTERY" FRIDAY NIGHT

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-6-tf

WANTED.— Refined intelligent white girl for chamber work and care of child; personal references required; experience not necessary. 'Phone 449-M. 3-19-3t

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

MILLINERS—We require competent milliners; none others need apply; also a milliner's apprentice; wages paid while learning. Rose's, 165 East Front street. 3-14-3t

EXPERIENCED double entry bookkeeper, careful and good writer. Reply, giving reference and salary wanted, "Permanent," Box 335, care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—Girl to do pressing in cleaning and dyeing shop. 258 East Broad street, Westfield. 3-20-2t

GIRL WANTED to work in tailor-shop on ladies' work; good wages for right party. 258 East Broad street, Westfield. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Experienced saleslady for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 411 Watchung avenue. 3-20-4t

WANTED—A good reliable white cook; no laundry; wages $35 to $45 per month. Address "C. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

INTELLIGENT GIRLS for light work; steady positions at good pay. Apply 1 to 3 p. m., Bosch Magneto. 3-21-3t

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 421 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Middle-aged lady for plain sewing and to care for small apartment. Address "A. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Experienced waitress, accustomed to boarding house. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 726 Berkeley avenue, Netherwood. 3-21-tf

GIRL WANTED to work in women's apparel store; must have some knowledge of bookkeeping; state experience and salary expected. Address "Knowledge," care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

DRESSMAKER wants experienced finisher, also errand girl who would like to learn trade. Call 421 Central avenue, upstairs. 3-20-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. Derrien, 107 West Seventh street. 3-19-3t

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 293-R. 3-19-tf

STENOGRAPHER, at least four years' experience, good English, rapid operator, for large manufacturing concern. Address "A. B. C." care Courier-News. 3-19-3t

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1037 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

ELECT SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

Wallace F. Naylor, John D. Case and Stewart Kenney were re-elected members of the Board of Education for a period of three years. Clarence E. Case was elected for two years and George D. Ehnt for one year. Judge Daniel H. Beekman and Frank S. Vander Veer are the retiring members of the board, neither having been a candidate.

Clarence Garretson was a candidate against Clarence Case and L. C. Davis against George Ehnt.

Councilors Have Big Meeting

The March meeting of the Past Councilors' Association was held with Victor Council, No. 179, Jr. O. U. A. M., at Basking Ridge Monday evening, at which nearly sixty past councilors and visiting members were present, representing the following councils:

Pioneer, Round Brook; Ivanhoe, Somerville; Raritan Valley, Raritan; Wide Awake, Neshanic; Victor, Basking Ridge; North Star, Peapack; Round Top, Bernardsville; Bernardsville, Liberty Corner; General Runyon, General Custer and Monroe, of Newark.

The following officers filled the chairs: Councilor, Fred Conklin; vice councilor, Halsey Hoffman; secretary, Harry S. Johnson; conductor, Jacob Schomp; warden, Elwood W. Stryker; inside sentinel, A. M. Cornell; outside sentinel, John V. Brockway; chaplain, John S. Kinkle; junior past councilor, L. H. Nuse.

The subject of the evening was "Our Educational Schools and Institutions." The principal speaker was Henry A. Beckmeyer, president of the American Business Bureau of Newark, a past councilor of Monroe Council of Newark, who gave an interesting address. F. W. Losaw, editor of "The Junior," of Newark, and Clarence Garretson, of Somerville, also made interesting remarks.

Refreshments were served by members of Victor Council.

The next meeting of the association will be held with Pioneer Council at Round Brook, Wednesday evening, April 18. The subject will be "State Officers' Night."

"Birth of a Nation" Coming on Monday

D. W. Griffiths' magnificent spectacle, "The Birth of a Nation," comes to the Regent Theatre, Somerville, for a matinee and night performance on Monday, March 26. Everywhere that this sensational successful attraction has played the matinees have vied with the evening performances in attendance. The arrangement whereby all seats are reserved and sold in advance is a happy one inasmuch as persons who would otherwise find it impossible or difficult to buy in time to see the opening scenes because of the crowds at the box office for an hour or two before each performance are thus enabled to secure reservations far ahead.

The battle of Petersburg, the assassination of President Lincoln and the awe-inspiring rides of the Ku Klux Klan are but a few of the many tremendous incidents brought upon the screen, and the skill of the master hand that intermingled the tragic elements of romance and comedy is sure to command the highest respect and admiration.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local post office: Mr. Adcock, Jr., Mrs. W. M. Brokaw, J. Ferguson, 38 Division St.; Michele La Lalvio, R. F. D. No. 2; Bertha Mandel, 125 West High St.; Mrs. John Moore, 136 Altamont place; J. E. Shear.

Funeral of Miss Leigh

Miss Ellen Virginia Leigh, formerly of this vicinity, died in Washington, D. C., Sunday. The body was brought to the home of her sister, Mrs. Guy Noble, from where the funeral was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. Gardner officiating. Interment was at Liberty Corner.

Death of Mrs. Cullen

The funeral of Mrs. Johanna Cullen, 61 years old, who died at Weston, Friday, was held yesterday morning with a high requiem mass in East Millstone. Mrs. Cullen is survived by three daughters and one son, Attorney J. P. Cullen.

E. S. Tunison Funeral

The funeral of Edward S. Tunison, 46 years old, was held this afternoon at the home of the decedent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tunison. Rev. Fred Blaser officiating. Interment will be in the new cemetery.

WHITEHOUSE

The Hunterdon County Board of Freeholders, County Engineer Grant Davis and Road Supervisor Warren R. Thompson, of Whitehouse Station, State Highway Engineer Robert A. Meeker, of Plainfield and Assistant State Division Engineer E. B. Reed, of Trenton, will make a tour of inspection of the macadam roads of the county on Friday, starting from Flemington. This trip will be made with a view of determining what repairs will be necessary the coming season.

Miss Elizabeth Powell, of Morristown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Lindsley at Dreahook, near Whitehouse Station. Miss Pearl Apgar returned to New Germantown yesterday, after a visit there.

William Bonnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Bonnell, of Whitehouse Station, who is on the Seattle, of the cruiser division of the U. S. N., has just been promoted to the position of gun captain.

Rev. Charles G. Emple, pastor of the Lutheran Church at New Germantown, will start a catechetical class in the church. Meetings will be held Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

The Mission Band of the Whitehouse Station Reformed Church will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Theodosia Reger at her residence at Whitehouse Station.

Rev. Henry T. Jones, formerly of Whitehouse Station, will be installed pastor of the Reformed Church at Cosyman's, N. Y., tomorrow by the Classis of Albany.

A special meeting of the Readington Township Committee will be held this afternoon at the store of David L. Lare at Whitehouse Station.

Repairs are being made to the lines of the New Jersey Telephone Company, which were damaged in a recent snow storm.

Mrs. Catherine Wyckoff, of New Germantown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fremont K. Shafer at Lebanon.

Council, No. 195, Jr. O. U. A. M., will initiate three candidates at its meeting tomorrow night.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Regular weekly Lenten services will be conducted in the Sacred Heart Church tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Kennedy, O. S. A., of the Augustinian Order, will deliver a sermon on "The Sinner's Gravest Danger." Immediately after the sermon Rev. J. F. Baldwin will offer benediction.

The regular weekly meeting of the Junior Sunlorgi of the Baptist Church was held in the Sunday school room at four o'clock this afternoon. This evening regular weekly prayer meeting will be conducted.

Miss Elizabeth Shrope is confined to bed at the home of her parents on Railroad avenue by illness. She is under the care of Dr. Cregar, of Plainfield.

Miss Oscar Farley, of Jersey City, has returned home after spending a few days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Saverd have been entertaining Mrs. Saverd's mother, Mrs. William Richards, of Plainfield, for the last few days.

Clifford Schenck, of New Market, has returned to his home after spending a few days with his cousin, Lester Soper, on Lehigh avenue.

Mrs. A. E. Kelly, of Plainfield, returned to her home yesterday after being the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pomonio are the happy parents of a baby girl, born to them several days ago.

William Riely, Jr., formerly of this place but now of Plainfield, spent yesterday with friends here.

Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey is again confined to bed at her home on Lehigh avenue with rheumatism.

Mrs. William Miller, of Hancock avenue, spent yesterday as the guest of friends in Three Bridges.

Mrs. Nathan Snyder spent yesterday as the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Flester, of Newark.

Miss Mabel Leahy was the guest of friends in New York city several days ago.

ANNANDALE

Mrs. J. Haines Wyckoff and son, Harry H. Wyckoff, have returned from Schooley's Mountain, where they visited Mrs. Wyckoff's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Apgar.

The prayer meeting of the Annandale Reformed Church will be held tonight at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nelson Apgar.

Mrs. Samuel H. Leigh, who has been ill at her home in Annandale, was taken Sunday to a hospital in Easton, Pa.

A baby daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Edmunds of Annandale.

FLEMINGTON

Professor Norman Landis, who has completed twenty-one years as organist for the Presbyterian Church, was presented Saturday with a basket of flowers by the members of the choir.

The choir of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist churches will sing "The Crucifixion" April 6 in the Presbyterian Church.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Bodine.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brodhead have returned from North Carolina.

REGENT SOMERVILLE NEW JERSEY

MON., MARCH 26

Matinee at 3. Night at 8.15.

Last and Only Chance to See D. W. Griffith's Gigantic Spectacle

5,000 Scenes — 3,000 Horses

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DUNELLEN

DISTRICT ELECTS NEW BOARD MEMBERS

In a spirited election at the annual school meeting held last night in Whittier school two new members were elected on the Board of Education. The candidates nominated included Paul Carpenter, Theodore W. Day, Joseph Walton, Frank Wynkoop, Charles Cortell, Jr., and Wilson S. Frederick, for three-year terms, and for one year, Wilson S. Frederick and Oscar Runyon. The election resulted in Messrs. Carpenter, Day and Charles Cortell, Jr., being elected for three-year terms and Oscar Runyon for one year.

All the appropriations for the ensuing year were carried.

There were 62 votes cast for current expenses, $14,125.00; manual training, $700, received 54 votes; borough repairs, $600, received 63 votes.

The question of more school accommodations was introduced by the president of the board, A. F. Todd, who spoke of the congested condition of the present schools. There are now 516 pupils attending school with a seating capacity of 512.

This brought forth some remarks in opposition to the scheme, John Y. Wilson stating that he thought at the present time, due to the high cost of labor and materials the district should abandon the thought of building. He suggested the rental of the borough hall or some other convenient place to hold sessions until the building conditions were more normal.

President Todd replied that he realized the situation but the question had simply been placed before the voters and the board would abide by the ruling of the meeting. He further stated that the borough hall was located in the busy section of the borough and that it was a very noisy location and interfered with the class studies; that Apgar hall was also inadequate. He predicted that some of the classes next year would have to be placed on part time sessions. John Pedderman thought that the borough should be looking ahead and purchase a site for the school at the present time, even if they did not build. The question ended with no action being taken by the voters.

The new board will meet on Monday April 2, to reorganize.

Local "Smithy" 29 Years in Business

Isaac J. Stites is not only the borough collector, but the oldest blacksmith in business in this locality. On April 2, Mr. Stites will celebrate his twenty-nine years as a "smithy." Mr. Stites began business here in the spring of the big blizzard in the building across the street opposite his present location on North avenue. He has seen many changes in his trade, the advent of the automobile having been responsible for some of them. Besides the leading blacksmith, Mr. Stites takes an unusual interest in civic affairs and is prominently connected with the local M. E. church.

At his hospitable home on Dunellen avenue he has for many years entertained prominent visiting clergymen of the Newark Methodist conference. His large acquaintances extends not only in his home town but Groushout Central New Jersey.

May Organize a Home Defense League

Already a movement is on foot to organize a Home Defense League in this borough. Many citizens are anxious to enroll their names in an organization of this sort and be in readiness should their service be needed.

John Marlen, the druggist, who has taken the initiative in this matter, has found many who would be willing to join.

Mayor Latham is to be appealed to and the matter will undoubtedly be brought up for discussion and definite action at a future date. O. M. Webber has been mentioned as a capable drill master who could instruct the league members in military tactics.

Plans Opening of Wayside Park

T. Walter Sisty will again be in charge of Wayside Park, West Dunellen, this year, and he plans to have many new devices for entertaining the public. This year the dancing pavilion will only be rented to individuals for private parties or to be let to those who will conduct invitation affairs. In doing this Manager Sisty will thus eliminate the objectionable crowds that have attended the public dances heretofore held. Picnic parties as well as automobile parties will be invited to visit this resort as in years past.

Worked on the "Vigilancia"

The torpedoing of the American steamship "Vigilancia" off the London coast last Friday was somewhat of local interest, especially to Joseph Tetlow, of North avenue. Mr. Tetlow some years ago, when engaged at his occupation in New York worked on this steamship when she was in dry dock. The boat was then running on the Brazil route, and Mr. Tetlow was very familiar with the interior of this big ship.

Jottings About the Borough

The Rev. D. W. C. Ramsey, of the Methodist Church, is planning to attend the annual Newark conference which opens in the latter city next week Wednesday. Dr. Ramsey has been unanimously called for another year by the official board of the local church, where his labors have merited the splendid approval of the congregation.

Bids are to be opened on April 4 by the Borough of Middlesex for furnishing street lights in that municipality. Lights are to be furnished for the terms of one, three and five years.

Charles Brokaw, who was formerly employed at Isaac Stites' blacksmith shop, is reported slowly convalescing from his illness at his home in Springdale.

C. Wesley Blaine's condition was reported as slightly improved yesterday. Mr. Blaine daily welcomes his acquaintances at his home on Lincoln avenue.

Miss Beulah Ayres entertained Miss Anna Heflin, of Bound Brook, and Frank Slater, of New Brunswick, on Sunday last.

Charles Leighton, of Chatham, was a recent visitor at the home of Marshal Henry.

Mrs. Henry Miller, of Grove street, spent the forepart of the week in Newark.

FANWOOD

Wednesday next, All Saints' Guild and Ladies' Aid society will conduct a luncheon and Easter sale for the benefit of All Saints's P. E. Church. The luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock in Fanwood Hall, after which and continuing all the afternoon the sale will be held in the hall. Tickets for the luncheon may be secured from any members of the two church societies.

A meeting of the old war sufferers First Aid Society, of Fanwood and Scotch Plains, will be held at the residence of Miss Sarah I. Kyte tomorrow afternoon.

A meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of All Saint's P. E. church was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert Riblet, of Russell road.

A meeting of the Fanwood Bowling Club will be held next Friday evening on the Westfield alleys at 8:15 o'clock.

The Bible class will meet in weekly session with Mrs. J. H. Thompson tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

All Saint's Guild will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Richard Tull, of North avenue.

WESTFIELD

ANNUAL MEETING OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

That the citizens and voters of this town are interested in the welfare of the public schools was proven last night when more than five hundred men and women attended the annual meeting of the school district held in the auditorium of the high school. It had been rumored about the town that there was to be a contest and as a result a card was sent to every voter, calling his attention to the school meeting and urging him to come out and support the members of the Board and their candidates. The contest which was expected did not materialize and no other candidates were nominated or elected outside of the ones which had the endorsement of the Board.

The meeting was called to order by District Clerk Webster, and Salter Storrs Clark was made chairman and Mr. Webster secretary.

The ballot boxes were declared open and were kept open for one hour. When the votes had been counted it was found that 289 had been cast and of this number James E. Cutler had received 281, William H. Orr, 280, and Albert A. Platt, 275, for three years, and Frank W. Perkins, 267, for two years. Walter H. Taverner received 12 votes for the two-year term and one for the three-year term and A. E. Church received two votes for the three-year term in place of Mr. Platt.

On the vote for the appropriations quite a number of the ladies cast a ballot and the result was as follows: There were 327 votes cast, 326 for building and repair of school houses; 327 for current expenses and 326 for manual training. There were eight votes rejected on both the appropriations and the trustees.

After the vote had been announced the Board of Education held a short meeting and ratified the election of the trustees and the appropriations.

Clinks Arrange for Entertainment

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Clinks held its monthly meeting in Arcanum hall last night and it was attended by a large number of the members of the organization. Chief Clink A. A. Smith presided.

The main subject of business discussed is the entertainment which the Clinks are to give next month and which will be open to the ladies. This entertainment promises to eclipse previous ones that the Clinks have given. J. B. Wilson, the new chairman of the entertainment committee, announced that he was planning to have some first-class artists here on that night and that all Clinks should make it a point not to have any other engagement for that night. The date of this entertainment was not settled upon but will be announced later.

After the business session Mr. Wilson introduced the entertainers of the evening, which comprised Marvey Rose in ventriloquism and banjo work; Sidney Johnson, colored comedian; William Dilberger, songs and Charles Speidel, pianist. All of these artists were exceptionally good and received hearty applause from the Clinks present.

Westfield School Notes

Dr J. J. Savitz, supervising principal of the schools, will deliver an address on "Co-operation of all community interest in the school and extra school activities" at the meeting of the superintendents of the schools of the middle counties of New Jersey to be held at Rutgers College on Friday afternoon.

Superintendent of Schools Dickett, of the Bernardsville schools was a visitor at the schools this week.

County Superintendent A. L. Johnson, W. H. Files, principal of the East Orange High School, and T. W. Tewkesbery, principal of the High School at Heart Lake, Pa., were visitors at the high school yesterday.

Miss Crist is unable to attend to her duties at the school on account of illness.

Miss Georgiana Desmond, of the fifth grade of the Grant school, was called to her home in Pottstown, Pa., this week on account of the death of her brother.

Miss M. M. Tice, Miss Marie Schiver and Miss Louise Springer, students at the Trenton Normal school, will do practice work in the high school beginning next Monday.

Patronesses for Dentists' Concert

Mrs. R. A. Fairbairn, Mrs. J. B. Harrison, Mrs. R. I. Richardson, Mrs. M. H. Phillips, Mrs. H. W. Evans, Mrs. R. W. Reese, Mrs. A. N. Pierson, Mrs. R. H. Stern, Mrs. C. M. F. Egel, Mrs. S. Ivanowski and Mrs. H. B. Tremaine have consented to be the patronesses from this town for the concert to be given by Evan Williams, American tenor, in the Plainfield High School Auditorium on Easter Monday night, April 9th, under the auspices of the Plainfield Dental Society.

Dr. C. M. F. Egel, of this town, is a member of this society and he is lending every effort to have a large delegation from here attend this concert which is for the purpose of raising funds for the free dental clinic which the society supports in the Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield for the poor children who are unable to pay the having their teeth attended to. Dr. Egel has a large number of tickets which he will be only too glad to dispose of to those who care to hear this great singer and also to help along this good cause.

A special meeting of the Westfield Branch of the S. P. C. A. was held in the town hall last night for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming either a Junior League or a Band of Mercy among the children of the town. Owing to the small attendance of the members and after some discussion it was decided to lay the matter over until the next regular meeting, when it is expected that more information as to both societies will have been obtained.

William Courtney, a driver for the American Express Company in this town, was before Recorder Springstead last night on a complaint of not blanketing his horse when he left it standing along the street. The complaint was made by Mrs. F. L. Washburne, the superintendent of the Westfield Branch of the S. P. C. A. Courtney was given a reprimand by the Recorder and let go.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Sandel, who have been visiting Mrs. Sandel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. App, of Kimball avenue, have returned to their home in Williamsport, Pa.

Westfield Camp, Woodmen of the World, will hold its monthly meeting in Odd Fellows' hall on Friday night. Several candidates are to be initiated.

A. T. Hegeman and family have moved from Mountainside to East Broad street.

SCOTCH PLAINS

THIEVES ENTER FOREST ROAD HOME

The home of Thomas Whitenack of Forest road, was entered last night by thieves. The only thing missing was a gold watch and some change.

The robbery was not discovered until this morning when Mr. Whitenack could not find his trousers. After a search they were found in one of the rooms on the first floor, with the pockets turned inside out and the watch and money gone.

A peculiar thing about this robbery is that early in the evening Mr. Whitenack and his son Richard were showing their watches to visitors at their home, and it is supposed that someone prowling around had seen this and thought that the watches were valuable. Mrs. Whitenack was awakened in the night by a peculiar noise and on getting up and looking around, but not hearing anything more decided that it was a cat. Her walking around probably frightened the man away.

Commencing this week William F. Ward will lead the choir of the Baptist church in preparation for the Easter music. There will be a rehearsal in the chapel Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. H. B. Saunders and Miss Kathleen Saunders have returned home after spending the winter in New Orleans. Captain Saunders is expected home in a few days.

LINCOLN

Celebrates 70th Birthday

Gottlieb J. Miller celebrated his 70th birthday at his home on Lincoln boulevard Sunday.

Many friends were present offering congratulations; songs and recitations were rendered by Mac Sautler and Arthur Miller.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Perrine and family of Plainfield; Mrs. Frank Hepner, of Plainfield; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fischer and family, of Raritan; Miss Elsie Gust, of Lincoln; Mrs. Wallace, Grace Wallace and James Dickinson, of New Brunswick; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grether, of New Brunswick; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller and son Edward, of Lincoln.

HIGH BRIDGE

The new officers of the Christian Endeavor Society of the High Bridge Reformed church are: President, Harry Valentine; treasurer, Frederick Ort; secretary, Mrs. David Apgar; pianist, Miss Dorothy Little.

"Much Ado About Betty" will be reproduced Friday night in Apgar's Hall, Califon, by members of the senior class of the High Bridge High School.

After an illness of three weeks, Watson Reininger, of Asbury, has resumed his duties as operator for the Central Railroad at High Bridge.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Moser, of High Bridge, is receiving treatment at the Mary Drexel Home, Philadelphia.

Miss Mae White, of East High Bridge, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, at Mt. Lebanon.

A wildcat measuring between three and four feet was killed Saturday by A. Peterson, a farmer near Mt. Lebanon.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stone at High Bridge.

Charles Hockenbury, of Woodglen, has recovered from pneumonia.

John T. Apgar, of High Bridge, has recovered from an illness.

Mrs. Frederick Cowell, of Woodglen, is visiting at Millburn.

WILL HASTEN PAVEMENT WORK

A representative of Antonio Colantono, of Trenton, declared that arrangements had been made to take up the vitrified brick pavement on Shunpike road and Talmage avenue in full force, the work to be commenced Monday, weather permitting.

A communication was received from the L. V. R. R. Co., declaring itself willing to co-operate with the borough authorities in reference to some alleged drainage trouble on the railroad property. Mayor Robinson appointed the street committee to meet a representative of the company Saturday morning.

Because of several petitions protesting against the sprinkling of oil in places on Franklin street, Watchung road, Wahneta drive, Union avenue and Church street it was decided not to oil those portions of the thoroughfares specified in the various petitions.

Upon motion of Councilman Peverly it was decided to refer the resignation of J. J. Maier as borough collector to the chairman of the finance committee to report at the next meeting.

The matter of insurance against accident to cover regular borough employes was taken up. Prior to accepting a policy to meet the purpose Clerk Reed was instructed to have certain changes made.

Counsellor Vosseller reported the order procedure to apprehend two men who were alleged to have deserted their families, whose support the borough is now bearing the expense. Councilman DuFour moved that the council take the necessary action in accordance with Mr. Vosseller's suggestions. The motion was carried.

Mayor Robinson asked the street committee and engineer what would be done to relieve Linden avenue of all the water it now has. Engineer Ingham declared that an extension to the sewer on that street would be necessary. Upon motion of Councilman Bolmer it was decided to refer the matter with power to the sewer committee.

Former Members Re-elected

E. H. Casterlin, G. B. Stryker, and Miss M. LaMonte were last night re-elected members of the Board of Education for three years. Eugene Fuer and James Brady, the other candidates, were weaker than had been expected, the vote being: Casterlin, 232; Miss LaMonte, 233; G. B. Stryker, 235, Eugene Fuer, 75, James Brady, 69.

The meeting was opened by R. H. Brokaw, vice president of the board. Rev. William T. Boult was chosen chairman, and E. A. Lloyd, secretary.

There had been much discussion over the opposition ticket so called. The heavy vote showed, however, a strong sentiment in favor of the present members.

Death of Old Soldier

Augustus Honeyman, a Civil War veteran, died Monday at his home, 137 Hamilton street, Bound Brook, after a short illness. He was in his seventy-seventh year and had been a resident of Bound Brook for eighteen years and at the time of death he had been custodian of the public library.

Funeral services will be conducted at the residence tomorrow morning and interment will be in New German town. Rev. D. C. Dorchester, pastor of the Methodist church, will officiate. The deceased was born in New Germantown. He is survived by his wife and sons and one daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Bailey, of New York, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Bailey over the week-end.

The Ivy Hook & Ladder Co. held a meeting last night.

Leicester Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight.

(Suburban News Continued on Page Seven.)

Care of the

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This alone there need be no fear lest any teeth be neglected in later life.

Since Government recognizes the importance of ones having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy, it would be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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WILL RECRUIT TO FULL WAR STRENGTH

Troop D is Authorized to Receive Applications for Membership

The local cavalry troop has been recently authorized to recruit its ranks to war strength and applications for enlistment will be received at the quarters, 1320 Putnam avenue. Under the present law the different units of the National Guard would be first to take the field in case of trouble, as no volunteer force may be recruited until the guard has been mobilized.

Any young man of good character and sound body is eligible. Preference will be given however to those who have no immediate dependents. Enlisted men in the troop have the benefit not only of general military training but of special instruction in riding and horsemanship, the Federal Government maintaining a stable of thirty-two horses here for the benefit of the troop. These horses are available, without charge to the individual, for road rides, on days other than drill days.

The outdoor drill season is just beginning and provides an opportunity to the young man who desires to fit himself to do something for his country, to secure the necessary training and avail himself of many of the incidental privileges of a member of troop D, N. G. N. J. Application should be made in person on Thursday evenings between eight and nine o'clock at 1120 Putnam avenue.

COUNTY APPRAISERS WILL BE OUSTED

Trenton, March 21.—That the recent civil service investigation conducted by a legislative commission was a "family affair" with Gardner Colby acting as secretary for the civil service commission and former Senator Everett Colby, of Essex, serving the probers as counsel without compensation, was the charge made on the floor of the House yesterday by Democratic Leader Geran when the Republicans passed the Morgan bill which legislates out of office the 21 county inheritance tax appraisers appointed by Comptroller Edwards.

John P. Owens, of Plainfield, appraiser for Union county will be affected by the measure.

SUBURBAN NEWS

(Continued from page six)

CALIFON

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Gray, of Newark, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Flomerfelt at Lower Valley.

Mrs. Eva Seabrook has returned to Florida after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fritts, near Califon.

John V. Neighbor will move today to the Stires house in Vernoy avenue, Califon.

Mrs. Roy Hoffman, of Califon, is at a Morristown hospital receiving treatment.

Mrs. Cora Farrow, of Crestmoor returned Saturday from St. Petersburg, Fla.

Eugene Apgar moved last week to the Apgar farm near Oakesbury.

Walter Lake has taken a position in a garage at Califon.

Mrs. Belle Philhower, of Califon is ill.

WATCHUNG

Rev. George Bowers Stricken

Rev. George Bowers, of Warrenville, suffered a paralytic stroke early yesterday morning. Mr. Bowers was just preparing to drive to Plainfield, when he was stricken and Dr. Zeglio was instantly summoned, and at last reports was resting somewhat easily. Mr. Bowers is seventy-four years old and is one of the best known clergymen in this part of the State.

Annual School Election

The annual school election was held last evening in the Watchung Public School No. 1. The following trustees were elected to serve for a period of three years each: Harry B. MacDonald, George A. Schmidt, Mr. Buckelew, of Greenbrook. The appropriations were $3,400.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held yesterday afternoon in the Wilson chapel. Mrs. Henry Rogers led the devotional service. In behalf of the Missionary Committee Mrs. George T. Hughes read an interesting article on "Needs of Missionary Work in South America," and Mrs. Henry B. Kennedy gave an interesting talk on Home Mission in the Southern and Western States. Refreshments were served by Mrs. George T. Hughes and Mrs. Henry B. Kennedy.

The regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor will be held this evening in the Wilson chapel. Mrs. William Demler will be the leader and the topic is "The Curse of Cowardice." Acordial invitation is extended to all.

Charles Brokaw, of Morning Glory road, is seriously ill at his home of complication of diseases.

Percy Vincent, of Valley road, has resigned his position at the Warrenville postoffice.

FOR CATARRH--CATARRHAL DEAFNESS OR HEAD NOISES YOU SHOULD TRY PARMINT

If you have Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness or Head Noises caused by Catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused Catarrh of the stomach or bowels you should secure proper treatment at once. Don't neglect Catarrh! Don't let it make you into a worn-out, run-down Catarrhal wreck.

Remember Catarrh is more than a trifling ailment—more than a disgusting disease. It's a dangerous one. Unchecked it frequently destroys smell, taste and hearing. It clogs the nostrils and slowly but surely undermines the general health.

Sprays, salves and inhalers may bring you a temporary relief, but permanent results can only come from a constitutional treatment that will expel the Catarrhal poisons from your system.

If you are a victim of Catarrh and have not been able to find relief from your trouble, go to your druggist today and get an ounce of Parmint, about 25c worth, take this home and add to it four ounces of sugar and ½ pint of hot water. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. It acts upon the blood and mucous membrane and has brought relief to those who thought there was no help for their trouble. Parmint has been used in the treatment of Catarrh throughout Europe for many years. A recent canvass of the American druggists shows that it is now being extensively used in this country where it is producing satisfactory results even in localities where Catarrh is most prevalent.

To be able to breathe freely, to hear plainly, smell, taste and arise in the morning refreshed and strong and with head and throat free from phlegm are conditions that you should strive to secure.

For your own sake give Parmint a trial. Certainly you cannot enjoy and get the good out of life that you are justly entitled to so long as you are afflicted with Catarrh.

Start with Parmint NOW, today. It may bring you a relief and give you a wider margin of health than you thought it possible to obtain.

Parmint is sold and recommended in this city by all first class druggists. Scheiner Bros can supply you.—Adv.

"MELTING MILLIONS" AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE

In "Jeasousy" at Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

"Melting Millions" is part of the double-feature show at Proctor's today. George Walsh leaps chairs and nimbly flits around on the side of a house with the agility of a Fairbanks. Mr. Walsh is an athlete, and he can do anything in the line of applied gymnastics. In addition today is another feature entitled "The Primitive Call," starring attractive Gladys Coburn in five reels of good photography, picturesque outdoor and perfectly arranged indoor scenes.

Tomorrow the feature attraction is "Jealousy" with Valeska Suratt in the leading role, as a woman who marries a man she does not love, then deserts him for another, and is finally caught at her own game. The role particularly fits her style of acting and she interprets the part in a realistic, emotional manner. Tomorrow the last episode of the serial "Pearl of the Army" will be presented. Hank Mann will appear in a Fox comedy entitled "His Ticklish Job."

On Friday, Douglas Fairbanks will appear in "The Americano," and Maurice and Florence Walton in "The Quest of Life," during the action of which these two famous dancers introduce a series of their creations.

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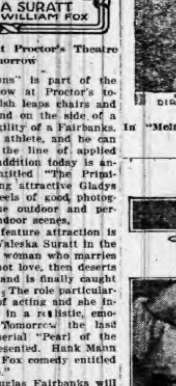

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BEN WELCH'S COMPANY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Ben Welch, with his big show at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

"The New Commander," the second act of the offering which will be given next Monday matinee and night at the Plainfield Theatre by Ben Welch's big show, is a travesty on the recent occurrences at the Mexican border. The act is a laugh all the way through. Peter F. Carr, the author, having availed himself of the unusual opportunities afforded by the subject. "Love Affair" which is the title of the opening act, is really rich in laugh material.

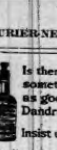
During the first act Mr. Welch makes his quick change from the Hebrew character to the Italian character, and is said to be one of the many novelties of the show. The company is made up of the best that could be had in burlesque and Mr. Welch has gone far out of the way to make his show one of the best on the road today in burlesque.

CONTEST NIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Today will see the completion of a two-days' program by the five vaudeville numbers composing the bill at the Plainfield Theatre, and tomorrow an entire change will be made. Amelia Somerville, the musical comedy star who has played in half a dozen successes, occupies the top-notch berth on the program with an entertaining vehicle of the latest song hits.

The Five Tipperary Dancers transfer a bit of old Irish spirit to the audience that is a bit different from the usual run of dancing acts. The other numbers on the bill include: Mack & Hastings in a comedy, singing and dancing skit; the Gordon Brothers, a team of comedy, singing and dancing acrobats, and Bedsel & Wilmington in a comedy sketch.

Tonight will be "Contest Night," a new feature that has been introduced for the amusement of local theatre goers. Diving for coins and other equally funny antics feature the enterprise. Tomorrow will be "tryout" night with four additional acts.



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ASSEMBLY DEFEATS PIERCE'S BILL

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 21.—Only 16 votes could be mustered in the Assembly yesterday for Senator Pierce's bill to provide tenure of office for assessors, and with 23 members voting in the negative the bill was defeated. Assemblyman LeMaster, of Essex, opposed the measure, stating the practice has been abuse of placing officials under tenure of office.

The bill provided that in taxing districts where assessors are elected, the offices of these officials should terminate on January 1, 1918. New assessors for these districts should then be named in such manner and for such term as may be prescribed in any act providing for the appointment of assessors in cities or towns of the class in which such districts are included and upon such appointment they should go under tenure of office and be removed only for cause.

COUNCIL OF EMPIRE ON.

Conference of Colonies on War Begins at London.

London, March 21.—The British imperial conference has opened its sittings to pave the way for giving the dominions and colonies an active voice in the conduct of the war and prepare for the final discussion of peace terms at the end of the conflict.

It was explained that the war council consists only of David Lloyd George, Lord Curzon, Lord Milner, Arthur Henderson, A. Bonar Law, the premiers of Canada, New Zealand and Newfoundland and representatives of South Africa and India, while the imperial conference is composed of the members of the British cabinet and several representatives of the colonies and all the dominions except Australia.

NEUTRAL HUSBAND LOSES.

Jersey Court Reverses Divorce Decree at Wife's Request.

Trenton, March 21.—Alleging too much mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary E. Fraser has obtained from the court of errors and appeals a decision reversing the decree of divorce upon the ground of desertion granted to her husband, William J. Fraser, by the court of chancery. The court of errors and appeals says in its decision:

This case illustrates the futility of attempting to establish such a home as a husband should provide for his wife when one of the component parts is his mother and where the husband in all disagreements between his mother and wife either supports his mother or remains neutral.

UNIFORMED RANK OFFERS SERVICES TO CITY

Company H, of the Jr. O. U. A. M., Uniformed Rank, has offered its services to the city and will be ready when called upon.

At its meeting last night, all members announced their intentions to be in readiness for a call. Company H has fifty men all available and trained to do military duty. It is one of the largest companies in the State Jr. O. U. A. M. William J. Hartpence is captain of the organization.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD SOCIAL MEETING

An interesting program has been arranged for the social meeting of the W. C. T. U., to be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Charles Force, of Mountain avenue. Mrs. F. M. Ward will sing contralto solos, and there will be instrumental music and a unique guessing contest will be conducted. Refreshments will be served. All members of the W. C. T. U. and friends are cordially invited.

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CONSTABULARY BILL IS LAID OVER

Failure of Committee Substitute for Pierce Bill Shown by Senate Vote

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 21.—Only four votes could be mustered in the Senate yesterday afternoon in favor of the Committee Substitute for Senator Pierce's State Constabulary bill, and after considerable skirmishing the measure was laid over. There was considerable surprise when the substitute was reported, and still more when the move was undertaken to rush it through. As soon as the substitute was released from the Judiciary Committee printed copies were distributed to the Senators, showing that the plan to push it had been carefully made.

The substitute differs radically from the original Pierce measure, one of its unexpected features being that it increases the salary of Adjutant General Charles W. Barber from $2,500 to $4,500. The new bill creates State Rural Guard, the head of which is the Adjutant General, who is authorized to organize, equip and control the Guard. It provides for a Major, salary $2,000; two captains, salary $1,500 each; two lieutenants, salary $1,200, each; several minor officers and two companies of 45 men, each, the salary of each private being $900. All these are to be appointed by the Adjutant General under civil service regulations.

If the bill became a law, the annual salary charge would be $93,700, including the raise for the Adjutant General, besides which the equipment and other expenses must be figured.

ENTERTAINMENT IN THE SEVENTH DAY CHURCH

A musical program, under the direction of Miss Mabel Maxson and Mrs. Noel G. Evans, will be given at the Seventh Day Baptist church, this evening at eight o'clock. An additional attraction is promised in the monologues to be given by Miss Pauline Gates, whose selections are always delightfully rendered.

BOROUGH CHIEF MOVING TO NEW HOME

Chief Marshal George Weiss, of the borough, who recently purchased the Gee residence on Belmont avenue, is moving from Duer street to his new home this week.

WIFE BEATER FINED

Tony Sundac, of 411 Cottage place, charged with beating his wife was arraigned in the City Court this morning and was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 or serve sixty days in the County Jail.

CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

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A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleaning" is oftimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

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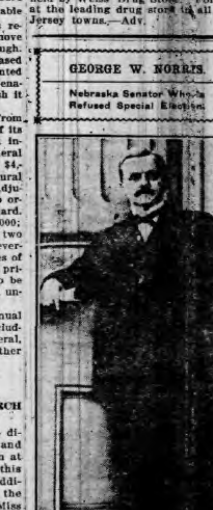

GEORGE W. NORRIS.

Nebraska Senator Who Has Refused Special Election.

Photo by American Press Association

Governor Keith Neville of Nebraska will not call the services of United States Senator Norris that a special election be called, to determine whether the people approve Norris' attitude in the senate during the recent filibuster.

DUTCH ARMS BANQUET THURSDAY EVENING

Prominent speakers will grace the occasion of the eighth annual banquet of the Dutch Arms of Trinity Reformed church to be held tomorrow night. Covers are to be laid for two hundred people.

The speakers will include the Rev. Dr. Horace P. Silver, chaplain of the United States Military Academy at West Point, who will talk on "American Citizenship," which is an all-important topic at this time; Hon. Edward B. Osborne, Jr. Newark, is also listed to speak on the subject, "Poverty as a Disease—Its Cause and Cure," and he will be followed by the Rev. P. Charles Baldwin, D. D., of the Calvary Methodist church, East Orange. Dr. Baldwin will respond to the toast, "The Gospel Message." There will be many guests present, who will partake of the supper served by the Y. M. I. Band class of the Bible school. Edgar F. Sheppard will be the toastmaster.

SHAPIRO SENT TO RAHWAY REFORMATORY

Michael Shapiro, who was arrested yesterday in New York charged with stealing diamonds from the home of Samuel Rosenbaum, in Madison avenue, was arraigned in the City Court this morning, and was turned over to the authorities of the Rahway Reformatory. The diamonds were restored to Mr. Rosenbaum. Shapiro is nineteen years old. It was erroneously stated yesterday that he was in the employ of Rosenbauam Brothers.

Mr. Rosenbaum is grateful to the police for their successful efforts to recover the jewels.

IOBST MAY HAVE TO LEAVE FUNERAL

Says He Will Do So to Vote for Local Option Bill

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 21.—Despite the fact that his mother has been stricken by the hand of death and to be buried tomorrow, Assemblyman Harry J. Iobst, the minister-member from Hunterdon county, is holding himself in readiness to rush to the Capitol here in case his vote should be needed on the Kates bill, which embodies local option. Iobst was in the House for a while yesterday morning, and when he learned that the measure would not come up for consideration, under the Runyon resolution, until today, left for home.

Before going, however, he assured the Anti-Saloon League men that he would leave his mother's funeral, if necessary, to get back to the House, if needed to help pass the bill. The minister stated he believed he would in this way better please his mother than by following her remains to the grave.

PICTURES OF PILGRIM'S PROGRESS WORK OF ART

Pilgrim's Progress, although written 257 years ago, is still the world's best seller, next to the Bible, and the moving picture of Bunyan's deathless allegory made eight years ago in Italy at a cost of $56,000 is said to be the one film that increases its popularity with time. The film will be presented here with a lecture by Rilwyn Eaton, and special music on the pipe organ tonight and tomorrow night at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

The famous Alexander Salvini and a cast of over 100 of Italy's best talent have accomplished a splendid triumph under the supervision of a number of English clergymen, led by Dr. Hargraves. Denied an audience by his persecutors in the seventeenth century, Bunyan is today preaching to his millions through the printed volume and cinematograph.

This picture is never to be seen in theatres. For the most potent effect it requires the religious atmosphere of the church and the sympathetic appreciation of Christian people. It produces, when given with Mr. Eaton's lecture and the special music provided, a marked spiritual effect and a deep reverence.

Cuban Rebels Again Active.

New York, March 21.—Renewal of activity by scattered bands of Cuban rebels is admitted in a statement given out here by the Cuban publicity bureau. Engagements between the government troops and rebels are reported in Camaguey and Oriente provinces. Total rebel killed are placed at thirty.

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For Newark—5.02, 6.47, 7.02 (through train to Newark), (except Holidays), 7.41, 8.38, 9.38, 10.26, 11.27 a. m., 12.39, 1.47, 2.09, 2.15, 3.17, 4.38, 5.36, 6.27, 6.38, 8.37, 9.37, 10.36 p. m. Sundays—7.41, 9.38, 10.37, 11.27 a. m., 12.39, 1.47, 2.09, 2.15, 3.17, 4.38, 5.36, 7.30, 8.38, 9.37, 10.36 p. m.
For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.31 (except Mauch Chunk), 8.30, 9.44, 11.37 a. m., 2.00, 5.44 (6.59 to Easton) p. m. Sunday—5.19, (9.44 to Allentown), 10.37 a. m., 5.44, 8.41, 7.59 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—8.31, 9.44 a. m., 5.44 p. m. Sunday—5.19, 10.37 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
For Asbury Park, Etc.—7.41, 8.15, 11.37 a. m. Saturdays only, 12.39, 6.15, 6.36, 6.38, 8.27 p. m., 11.42. For Red Bank only—8.36 a. m., (12.39, Saturdays only), 5.44 p. m.
For Atlantic City—5.41, 8.36 a. m., (12.39 Saturdays only), 5.15 p. m. Sundays—9.40 a. m.; 2.15 p. m.
For Philadelphia—2.00, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 11.56 a. m., 1.13, 1.54, 2.45, 4.21, 5.47, 6.47, 8.46, 10.48 p. m., 1.20 a. m.
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WAR SPIRIT HOT AT PRINCETON

Faculty Offers Laboratories to the United States.

SCIENTISTS TO AID NATION.

Also Requests War Department to Make Student Battalion a Reserve Officers' Training Corps So That 800 Men Would Be Available In Event of Call For Volunteers.

Princeton, March 21.—The faculty of Princeton has decided to immediately place the laboratories of the university at the disposal of the National Research Council. In event of war the scientists here will drop academic work and conduct experiments along lines military demands shall make. This decision of the faculty was made as the result of a letter sent by George E. Hale, chairman of the National Research Council, a body appointed by the National Association of Sciences upon the request of President Wilson.

An announcement of even greater importance to the undergraduates was made to the effect that the members of the faculty approve of the plan to convert the Princeton provisional battalion into an officers' reserve training corps. Efforts will be made to have this change become effective immediately, and it is expected that within a few days the war department will officially establish a corps here and provide uniforms and rifles for the 800 students who have been undergoing daily training, drill and rifle practice.

The faculty also decided to take a military census of the alumni and facility to ascertain what the alumni are able to do in the event of war. This will include approximately 10,000 men, and the purpose of the plan is to make it possible for Princeton men to serve their country as efficiently as possible by entering the department to which they are best adapted.

GETS RIPARIAN RIGHTS.

Ford Company Pays $31,742 For Passaic River Front.

Trenton, March 21.—In furtherance of its plans for the establishment of a plant along the Passaic river at Kearny the Ford Motor company of Detroit obtained from the state board of commerce and navigation a riparian grant for the river front adjacent to the site of the new plant. The price was $31,742, a figure to which the company at first took exception as being too high.

Other grants made by the board included one to the R. C. Packard company on the Raritan river at South Amboy for $13,325; Eastern Real Estate company, Camden, $22,500; Benjamin Moore & Co., Arthur Kill, Staten Island sound, $4,500; United States Metals Refining company, Staten Island sound, $3,504; Charles T. Leonard & Hardear Co., Raritan, $1,250; borough of Avon, Shark river, $1,836.

DEUTSCHWEHR IS LOYAL.

Atlantic City Germans Offer Services to the President.

Atlantic City, March 21.—Members of the Atlantic City Deutschwehr at a patriotic rally held by President Charles M. Speidel, a hotel owner and banker, pledged their loyalty and their services unreservedly to President Wilson and the nation.

The society includes nearly all the leading Germans at the shore. It raised almost $10,000 for widows and orphans of German soldiers through a big bazaar held on the Steel pier in the winter. Many of the members are giving liberally to the American Red Cross fund.

$50,000,000 FOR "CHASERS."

Stotesbury's Stepson Says Rich Philadelphians Would Aid War.

Philadelphia, March 21. — Wealthy men of this city, according to J. H. R. Cromwell, stepson of E. T. Stotesbury, are ready to spend $50,000,000 to build submarine chasers for the government in the event of hostilities. Their identity he would not disclose. He contented himself with saying that the $50,000,000 would be pledged as soon as war was declared.

"I'm willing to contribute my share," he said. It is believed that his stepfather, Mr. Stotesbury, will be one of the heaviest contributors.

To Dedicate Sunday Tabernacle.

New York, March 21.—The tabernacle where Billy Sunday will conduct his campaign against New York wickedness, starting Easter Sunday, will be dedicated Sunday, April 1. The evangelist will not be present at the services. He will be represented by his son, George.

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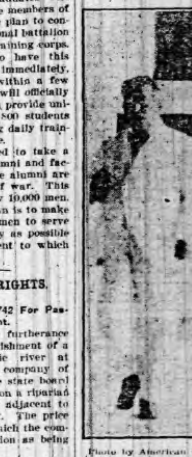

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IRISH THREATEN GENERAL ELECTION

Dillon Says Government Broke Its Pledges.

London, March 21.—Protesting in the house of commons against the pledge, John Dillon, one of the Nationalist leaders, who also referred to the recent statement of Andrew Bonar Law, chancellor of the exchequer, regarding a settlement of the Irish question and a general election, said the government's refusal to publish the proceedings of the court martial of the members of the Sinn Fein in Dublin, thus violating former Premier Asquith's pledge, said the Nationalists would not injure the government in the prosecution of the war.

But there were other ways, Mr. Dillon said, of punishing the government for its action in Ireland. The Nationalists would welcome a general election and would oppose the bill for a prolongation of the present parliament in order to force an election. If Mr. Bonar Law raised anti-Irish feeling in London he would find the Irish could fight as well, and many things would come out of the situation that honorable gentleman and his friends would not like.

Irishmen, continued Mr. Dillon, would ask what were the relations between the Ulster leaders and Baron Kuhlmann, who was in Ulster before the war, and what about the dispatch sent by Kuhlmann to Berlin, on the receipt of which the emperor determined to go on with the war. An anti-Irish election in England, Mr. Dillon added, would cause a disturbance which would spread throughout the empire and to America.

Henry Edward Duke, chief secretary for Ireland, in defending the government, denied that there was any specific pledge to publish the report of the court martial and said that, in view of the grave situation in Ireland, the government had decided that publication of it would be prejudicial to the welfare of the country and might lead to discord and bloodshed in Ireland.

WHAT GOETHALS WILL GET.

Salary Between $15,000 and $20,000, Is Report.

Trenton, March 21.—General George W. Goethals, who is wanted by Governor Edge to construct New Jersey's $15,000,000 highway system, had a conference of more than an hour with the statehouse commission, composed of the governor, Treasurer Read and Comptroller Bugbee.

No announcement was made at the close of the meeting, but it was said on good authority that the general will direct the road work. The subject of compensation was not taken up, but it is thought that it will be about $15,000 or $20,000 yearly.

The senate has passed the bill which will permit the statehouse commission to fix the compensation.

U. S. FRIENDLY TO NEW RUSSIA

Formal Recognition Will Be Made Soon.

NEW TREATY IS PROBABLE.

Change In Government Removes Obstacle to Commercial Pact, Long Hung Up, Between the Two Nations. Ex-Czar's Diplomats Here In Doubtful Position as Result of Revolution.

Washington, March 21.—The status of the Russian ambassador at Washington, George Bakhmeteff, the other officials of the embassy as well as that of Russian consuls and consular agents throughout the United States and its dependencies is as yet unsettled.

While no doubt exists that the American government will soon recognize the newly formed Russian government, it seems clear that from Bakhmeteff down to the last important consular official the new exponents and the redistribution of these Russian officials in office will be necessary before diplomatic intercourse with the Russian government can be regularized.

U. S. Envoy Reports.

The state department has dispatches from Ambassador David R. Francis at Petrograd, in which he stated that the army and navy of Russia were standing firmly behind the new government. He reported that quiet and order prevailed and that the new government seemed to be assuming the reins of control completely, sober mindedly and with every outward appearance of stability and permanency.

In announcing the receipt of the dispatch Secretary of State Lansing said it dealt with other phases of the situation upon which he was not yet prepared to speak.

Recognition of the new government, Secretary Lansing explained, has not yet been taken up with President Wilson. Such recognition can be made by the executive branch of the government without waiting for any action of congress.

At the same time it was suggested that in view of the tremendous import of the changes in the fundamental character of Russia's government recognition might take the form of a joint resolution of congress.

Recognition by Congress.

Such a method of extending recognition would present an opportunity for the congress of the United States to give voice to the sentiments of joy and congratulation with which the victory for free government in Russia is hailed by the American people.

The grand duchy of Finland is quiet, according to state department dispatches from American Minister Morris at Stockholm, who reported that three members of the duma visited Finland and had been assured by the people that the new Russian government will receive loyal support. Senator Idjeki has been appointed governor of Finland, the report says, and the Russian gendarmerie system abolished.

New Treaty Probable.

Petrograd, March 21.—"Nothing now stands in the way of a new commercial treaty between Russia and the United States," said the new foreign minister, Professor Paul Miljukoff, in an interview. "I think I am right in saying that the United States is eager for the resumption of old commercial relations and for the removal of all the disabilities governing Jews here. There now appears to be no obstacles to such an event.

"The details of such an arrangement, however, cannot at present be stated. They will have to be left to the future.

"This," continued the minister, "will only be one manifestation of the closer relations into which the new Russia hopes to enter with the democratic world. The old government in its monarchial form was in close sympathy with Germany and Prussian ideas. The new regime will find an inspiration in the ideas of the western world."

JERSEY BOYS MUST QUIT.

Governor Edge Signs Anti-Smoking Law For Lads Under Eighteen.

Trenton, N. J., March 21.—Governor Walter E. Edge has signed what was House bill 106, fathered by the Democratic floor leader, Assemblyman Geran.

It is designed to cut off all opportunity for boys under eighteen years of age to smoke. Dealers in cigarettes and the "makin's" and all others are forbidden to sell or give them to any person under that age.

All attempts to evade the law are called for by barring substitutes in name. It is just as unlawful to give a minor a cigarette under another name than its own as to give it as tobacco. The first offense is punishable by a fine of $10, and thereafter each conviction will entail a fine of $25.

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Just think! Not one bit of pain before applying freezone or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin.

Hard corns, soft corns, or corns between the toes, also hardened calluses on bottom of feet, shrivel up and fall off without hurting a particle. It is almost magical. Freezone is a scientific compound made from ether, says a well-known druggist here, and the genuine is always sold in these little bottles packed in a round, wood case. Don't accept it unless in a round, wood case.—Adv.

RUTGERS CLUB IN UNION COUNTY

New Brunswick, March 21.—Organization of the Rutgers Club of Union county is under way and plans for a banquet are being made. The banquet will be held in April in Elizabeth. An organization meeting was held Saturday at the home of former Governor Voorhees in Elizabeth.

RAHWAY ELKS MAY BUY HOME

Rahway, March 21.—Rahway Lodge No. 1076, B. P. O. E., is negotiating for the property, owned and occupied by Dr. John T. Bricker, at West Milton and Jacques avenues and Clinton street, for an Elks' home. The house, built about forty years ago, is a two-story building. The purchase price named is $11,000.

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Philadelphia, Pa. Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses, and those who wear glasses, will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored by this remarkable prescription and many who once wore glasses say they have thrown them away. One man says, after using it: "I was almost blind. Could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses and my eyes do not ache, pain or water. At night they would pain dreadfully. Now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for 15 days everything seems clear. I can read even fine print without glasses." Still another who used it says: "I was bothered with eye strain caused by overworked, tired eyes which induced nerve headache. I have worn glasses for several years both for distance and work, and without them I could not read my own name on an envelope or the typewriting on the machine before me. I can do both now and have discarded my long distance glasses altogether. I can count the fluttering leaves on the trees across the street now, which for several years have looked like a mass of green to me. I cannot express my joy at what it has done for me."

It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by the use of this prescription. Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and let it dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation and redness will quickly disappear. If your eyes bother you even a little it is your duty to take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have saved their sight if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Yes, the Bon-Opto prescription is truly a wonderful strengthener. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. I have used it very successfully in my own practice on patients whose eyes were strained through overwork or need of glasses. I can highly recommend it in case of weak, watery, aching, smarting, itching, burning eyes, red lids, blurred vision or for eyes inflamed from exposure to smoke, sun, dust or wind. It is one of the few eye preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every home, as, in addition to the above, is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy. It is an ethical physician's prescription for simple home use." Bon-Opto tablets may be obtained from the Bon-Opto Co., Inc., Binghamton, N. Y., for 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is sold in this city by L. W. Randolph.

NEEDLEWORK

Cross-stitch is effectively applied to many handkerchiefs. A pretty gift can be made in quick time by using Dutch blue cotton or silk to cross-stitch a design in the corner of a handkerchief.

Boudoir pillow covers do not necessarily have to be embroidered to be dainty. Good-looking ones are simply lace trimmed. One seen recently had two three-inch bands of fine cluny insertion set in diagonally across either corner, and the effect, it must be conceded, was excellent.

Bright color is no disgrace to the luncheon table these days. Colored centerpieces and doilies are replacing the all white sheets that have been fashionable of late. In the department where cretonne is sold one may buy a yard or two of striped cretonne on which are medallion figures representing plate and tumbler doilies and a large center piece, all to match, with a scalloped edge and festoon floral design. The cretonne may be spread on the table as it is, or the doilies and centerpieces cut out and used separately.

HERE'S A BRAND NEW MATRIMONIAL PUZZLE.

Rockaway, N. J., March 21.—It has just become known here that Mrs. Laura Friend had been married to her stepson, Ernest Friend, in Newark several days ago. Friends of Friend, when they heard the news, said that Mrs. Friend had become Friend's friend.

They also tried to figure out the relationship of the couple and any children which may come to them. Mrs. Friend, being her husband's stepmother, will be the grandmother of any children he may have. Their father will be their stepbrother and stepfather.

Mrs. Friend is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George R. Hall of this town.

HIDDEN PUZZLE

EMELIE POLINI AS HELEN HASTINGS.

Find an actor.

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Found on the menu.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.

Right side down under umbrella. Potato.

COPPER AT COST TO U. S. FOR WAR

Big Producers Give Almost $10,000,000 to Defense.

Washington, March 21.—The contribution to the national defense of the copper producers of the United States will amount to almost $10,000,000. This was announced by the Council of National Defense, on behalf of Bernard M. Baruch of New York, chairman of the committee on materials, has been working for weeks. The copper producers—and the list includes nearly every producer in the United States—have offered to furnish the army and navy with all the copper it needs for every possible purpose, at cost. The metal is selling in the market at 37 cents a pound, and the offer of the producers is to serve the army and navy with the 4,000,000 pounds needed during the coming year at less than 17 cents a pound.

Director Gifford of the council, with the approval of Secretary Baker and Secretary Daniels, made the following statement:

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STATE POLICE BILL WINS

New York Senate Passes It by Vote of 26 to 24.

Albany, N. Y., March 21.—With a bare majority in its favor the State state consabulary bill was passed by the senate after amendments offered by senators hostile to the measure had been voted down. The final vote stood 26 to 24.

All the Democratic members of the senate voted against the bill. Nine Republican senators joined them. They were Alvah W. Burlingame, Jr., Charles C. Lockwood, Robert R. Lawson and Alfred J. Gilchrist of Kings; Ross and Graves of Erie, J. Henry Walters of Onondaga, George F. Thompson of Niagara, James W. Yelverton of Schenectady and William H. Hill of Broome.

The chief attacks on the bill were made by Senator Graves of Erie and Senator Wagner, the minority leader. Senator Graves denounced the measure as undemocratic.

PURPLE PINK FOR EDGE

Professor Blake Presents New Combination to Governor.

Trenton, March 21.—Governor Edge has just received from the State agricultural college the first purple. The creation originated with Professor M. A. Blake by artificial hybridization, and a cutting is valued at $100. It was brought to the executive offices by Dr. G. H. Lipman, director of the experiment station.

Purple is the color of the Northwestern university of Illinois, and the substitution asked for a cutting, but the experimental station has decided to duplicate enough stock to be distributed free to the florists of the state first.

Peace Candidate Beaten.

London, March 21.—In a by election at Stockton-on-Tees, made necessary through the recent death of Jonathan Samuel, Liberal member of parliament, the Liberal-Coalition candidate, Bertram Watson, won the seat. He received 7,541 votes as against only 961 for the "peace by negotiation" candidate, Edward Backhouse.

29 HARVARD MEN DIE IN EUROPE'S WAR.

Cambridge, Mass., March 21.—Twenty-nine alumni and former students of Harvard university have died as a result of the European war, according to statistics made public here. Sixteen were killed in action, four were lost on the Lusitania, and the others died of sickness or injuries at the front.

A recent statement showed that 474 Harvard men had enlisted for service in the war.

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Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through the crisis.

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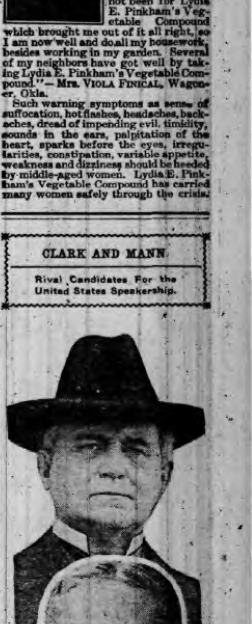
Rival Candidates For the United States Speakership.



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FRENCH PRESS RETIRING GERMANS

Near "Hindenburg Line" as Foe Moves Slower.

London, March 21.—French cavalry north of the Somme, pressing hard on the retiring Germans, has pushed forward to the outskirts of Roupy, within four and a half miles of St. Quentin, at which point, according to the latest dispatches, they gave chase to German cavalry patrols.

Between Amiens and Rheims the French have occupied Tergnier, an important railway junction of 5,000 inhabitants, a scant thirteen miles south of St. Quentin.

The first of these announcements means that the troops of the tricolor are now within striking distance of the so called Hindenburg line, the supposed goal of the retiring foe. To the north meanwhile the British are doggedly pushing forward toward Cambrai, on the Lille-La Fere line. They are advancing more slowly than the French troops, but nothing in the official reports so far in the versions of newspaper correspondents at the front indicates that either army has yet come in contact with the main German forces.

British troops have cleared fourteen more French villages of Teuton invaders on the front south of Arras, passing the general line stretching from Canizy through Estree-en-Chaussee, Nurin and Velu to St. Leger, the most distant of these within twelve miles of Arras.

Telegraphing from British headquarters in France, Reuter's correspondent says:

The pace of the German retreat seems to have slowed down considerably during the last twenty-four hours, a fact for which the very wild weather may well be responsible. A violent snowstorm has been roaring over northern France and is still very heavy, although it shortly veered more to the north, with frequent fleeting glimpses of sunshine.

Many rain squalls have swept over the battle area, but these have not sufficed to render the ground bad; and there is keen drying edge in the wind. Notwithstanding the tempestuous weather, however, our troops have made considerable progress.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

We hear the word "preparedness" pretty frequently these days, but has it occurred to you that it has a personal application to every Home?

By preparedness in her own kitchen, every woman is helping to reduce the high cost of living, and by battling against waste and utilizing to advantage every kitchen by-product, she is not only adding to her own bank account, but she is learning the great lesson of thrift, that is so necessary to many Americans.

Every large manufacturing plant employs scientists to study the problem of waste utilization, so no housewife need scorn small economies, and it is knowing how to utilize the things that most people throw away that makes the difference between the thrifty and the wasteful housekeeper.

You need not worry about the rising cost of meat if you have learned to realize the value of every bit and every drop of meat juice and of the bones and suet. Nine women out of ten throw out the water in which the potatoes were cooked, and the tenth cuts a slice of bacon into bits, fries it, and in the fat cooks a tablespoonful of minced onion, then adds a tablespoonful of flour, salt and paprika to taste, puts in the potato water, adds a little minced parsley and she has a savory and nutritious cream of potato soup.

The water in which cabbage or turnips have been boiled will be found excellent for cooking beans, lentils, or other dried vegetables. Macaroni and spaghetti are also improved by cooking in these waters.

A tempting and nutritious hot dish for supper can be made from several kinds of vegetables, if they are finely chopped, mixed with egg, formed into croquettes, dipped in egg and crumbs and fried in deep, hot fat.

The saucer of baked beans, not enough to serve again, will furnish the basis of a good soup, or they may be converted into a delicious salad with the addition of a few lettuce leaves and a French dressing.

Wilted lettuce, or the outside leaves, will give a tasty, hot vegetable, if prepared in the following manner: Cook a few slices of bacon, remove when done and leave the fat in the pan. Have ready half a cupful of vinegar, to which add one beaten egg, half a teaspoonful of mustard, salt and paprika to taste and pour it slowly into the fat. Stir constantly. When well thickened, add the lettuce, cover and set where it will not boil for eight minutes. Serve very hot.

What do you do with the muffins which you have heated up once and two or three were not eaten? Don't throw them away, but separate and use as the foundation for poached or fried eggs. Dry your stale corn bread and make it into a pudding. Brown bread, if put through the chopper and served with cream and sugar, will be welcomed as a "brand new" cereal.

The cupful of cooked cereal that is left may be used for a cream soup, with either half stock and half milk, or all stock. It may also be beaten up with an egg, milk and sugar, and baked in custard cups as a dessert.

If you will learn how to candy lemon, orange and grapefruit rinds, you will find them better for eating, and for all culinary purposes, than what you buy, and your apple skins can be made into a delicious jelly.

You can substitute beef dripping for butter in boiled salad dressing and it will be unnoticed. Unfortunately, many women who have tried using the various fats as substitutes for butter have been unsuccessful, because they have used as much of it as the recipe called for butter. Reduce the amount about one-sixth and you will find that it can be done. In using chicken fat for cake, instead of the half cupful of butter called for, use one-third of a cupful, with a good pinch of salt.

Remember that each variety of dripping and fat must be kept in a separate jar, or it is practically valueless.

In the article tomorrow evening, further suggestions will be given for keeping down the weekly budget, and at the same time the caterer will be able to provide a good table.

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THE TWO FISHERMEN

Once upon a time there lived by the sea two brothers, Peter and Beno; they earned their living by catching fish and selling them in the city.

That is, Peter earned his living in this way, but Beno, although he caught a great many fish and much larger ones than Peter, could never bring himself to keep the poor fish after he had them on his hook, and one day were the berries he gathered in the woods.

So he went to his rich brother Peter and asked him for a little milk to eat with his berries.

"Begone from my door, you silly fellow," said Peter. "I saw you put the fish into the water after you had caught them, and if you wish to remain poor that is no affair of mine, but do not ask me to feed you."

Beno knew that what his brother said was true, and he went to the sea again to fish. It was no use, however, for when he saw a poor, struggling fish on the hook he carefully removed it and threw it into the sea.

Beno steered his boat for the shore, thinking he would have to starve when the winter came and there were no berries to be had, and he would have no money to buy food. Just as he was thinking this Beno saw something that looked like gold threads floating on the water, but when he looked again he saw it was the golden hair of a beautiful creature who was swimming toward him.

"Good Beno," said the mermaid, for it was a mermaid, and she smiled very sweetly at Beno, "you have a good and kind heart and are poor because of your goodness; come tomorrow to this spot and cast a net into the sea and you will want for nothing after that."

The mermaid disappeared as soon as she had finished speaking to Beno, and he was too astonished for a minute to move from the spot where his boat had stopped; he finally reached shore and went to his brother's house for a net, for Beno did not own one.

"Take it," said his brother, "and see if you can catch fish enough to keep you from starving, for I tell you I will not help you."

Beno took the net, and the next day he went to the place where he had seen the mermaid and cast his net, and suddenly it grew heavy and dragged at Beno's hands.

He pulled it in and to his astonishment it held gold pieces instead of fish, as he had thought it would.

It was so heavy Beno could hardly drag it into the boat, and, of course, many of the gold pieces fell through the net into the water, but even then there was more gold than Beno had thought the net contained.

"Take what you need for today and come for more tomorrow," said the mermaid, appearing beside the boat.

Beno took three pieces of gold and cast the rest into the sea, and the mermaid said: "Beno, you are not greedy if you are poor; you shall never want; come each day and cast your net here."

Peter wondered what Beno would do with the net, for he thought his brother did not like to see the fish on the hook and so wanted to catch them in the net, but the boat and Beno came to shore and Peter saw there were no fish. He watched the next day to see what happened.

When Beno stopped his boat Peter watched him through a spyglass and saw him bring up the net filled with something shining like gold, so the next day, before Beno was up, Peter took the net and started his boat for the spot where he had seen his brother cast it into the sea.

Peter could hardly believe his eyes when he drew in the net and saw the gold, and so greedy was he that when he saw some of the gold slipping into the water he leaned over the side of the boat to save it.

The gold and Peter's weight tipped the boat over and he went into the sea. Down, down he went, for he would not let go of the net, and the gold dragged him to the bottom of the ocean.

Peter saw all the fish swimming around him, and he thought of all the struggling fish he had seen on his hook; he thought of his brother, Beno, who was so kind.

The net slipped from his grasp and Peter went to the top of the sea, and there was his brother Beno, just casting his net, but when he saw Peter struggling in the water he dropped the net and pulled Peter into the boat.

Peter was so ashamed of the way he had treated Beno, when he found he had saved his life, that he did not know what to say at first, but when he was safe on land he told Beno he was sorry he had refused to help him and that he would never again turn him from his door.

Beno told his brother he would forgive him if he would not catch any more fish and that he would bring gold enough each day to buy them food, for the mermaid had promised to give him enough to keep him from want.

So Peter and Beno lived by the sea, mending boats and nets, and each day Beno went to the mermaid, who never failed to fill his net with gold, but Beno never tried to take all the net held, as Peter had done, and as long as he lived the mermaid kept her promise to him.

Tomorrow's story — "Mr. Fox's Lesson."

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Sparerib is a very considerate meat. It grows its own handles. It comes to the table grouped around convenient bones. And it sits up on the plate and behaves itself while it's being eaten. Would to heaven we could say as much for chicken wings! We have always suspected that the chicken heard about the arrangement the hog had made with his ribs, started out to grow its bones accordingly and made a botch of it. But the chicken did better with its bones than some food at that. Look at fish. And even the hog fell down on some points. As instance pig knuckles.

"Weather or No"

The tie that binds some men's noses to the grindstone is red tape. —Old Man Sage.

SECOND NIGHTERS PUT THREE ACROSS TABS

The pinners hailing from the Second Night Club of the K. of C. dugout slipped something across on the Shamrocks of the T. A. B. S. last evening, when they took the entire set of three tilts. The intense rivalry between the two squadrons added considerable interest to the games and a large gallery of fans witnessed the affair.

John Coffey of the Second Nighters came out in the end with the high average for the evening with a marking of 171 and a high score of 191.

The scores:

SECOND NIGHT CLUB

				Ave
Wilson	146	110	170—145	
McGarry	182	152	153—155	
Coffey	191	164	159—171	
Kyle	113	127	160—133	
Howe	134	184	137—151	
	766	737	759—754	

Total pins—2,262.

SHAMROCKS

				Ave
Cullen	145	154	147—148	
Bilimm	130	140	128—135	
G. Wilson	167	143	139—149	
L. Wilson	112	115	112—113	
W. Wilson	160	143	173—158	
	752	695	689—702	

Total pins—2,106.

PITTSBURG CLAIMS DODGER

Oakland, Cal., March 21.—Warren Adams, the first baseman, must retrace his steps to the East. The Pittsburg Nationals sent him orders Monday to report, which means that Oakland of the Pacific Coast League has lost in its fight for the youngster. The lad played with the Winnipeg club last season and was drafted by Brooklyn. The Dodgers in turn turned him over to the Oaks.

It was thought that the way was paved for him, but Pittsburg refused to waive. Through a misunderstanding, transportation was furnished Adams and he showed up one day last week at Boyes Springs. Now Oakland and Brooklyn will have to foot his little ride to and from the coast.

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LOCAL BOWLERS IN A REGULAR RACE

City League First Place Fight Has Become Too Close for Comfort

Everything is now set for the last spurt in the City Bowling League for the present season. According to the latest official figures given out this morning by Secretary George Howe, the Elks are holding on to first place, but they hold it by just a half game, for the Imperials are right on their trail in second place.

And then, the Knights of Columbus are just a single game back of the Imperials in the third trench—in other words, there is a margin of two and a half games between first and third places, with barely a month of activities still ahead in the schedule of the circuit.

The individual average race is growing exciting at the same time, especially for second place. Just give the figures of Vail and Gates the once over, with Voorhees not far behind in fourth place. And also take note that Skinner of the Abstainers has been doing some good work, jumping from ninth to fifth place in the list during the course of the past week. We surmise that something will be doing in the league before the final games are rolled off.

The official figures announced this morning are as follows, the figure at the left of each individual's name indicating his position last week:

Team Standing

	W	L	Ave	HS
B. P. O. E.	29	16	874.41	975
Imperials	28	17	868.28	984
K. of C.	24	21	856.11	992
T. A. B. S.	10	32	836.1	958

Individual Records

		G	Ave	HS
1	Taylor, K. of C.	45	183.20	247
4	Vail, Elks	42	180.39	236
2	Gates, Imps	43	180.29	244
3	Voorhees, Imps	42	179.22	214
9	Skinner, Tabs	44	177.8	221
6	Waldorf, Elks	36	177.2	215
5	J. O'Keefe, Tabs	45	177.1	245
7	Kiely, Elks	45	176.8	220
8	Causbrook, Elks	42	175.33	215
10	Connolly, Imps	37	174.28	212
11	Nemetz, Imps	41	173.8	192
10	Howe, K. of C.	45	172.44	222
12	Duffy, K. of C.	45	172.32	221
14	Conover, Imps	28	172.11	209
16	Nash, Elks	39	169.17	214
15	McKenzie, Imps	28	168.22	216
19	Lawton, Tabs	33	168	236
17	Sullivan, K. of C.	27	166.22	200
20	Force, Tabs	31	165	215
18	Wilson, K. of C.	45	165	210
22	Jonap, Imp	22	158.12	203
23	Meinersey, K. C.	17	156.5	200
21	Kyle, Tabs	18	156.16	195
24	Mahoney, Tabs	22	155.7	198

CENTRAL LEAGUE WILL ADOPT DATES FRIDAY

A short meeting of the Central New Jersey Baseball League was held last evening at the home of Thomas Aspar, during which many of the details of the coming season were acted upon. The circuit is still without a sixth team, but it is expected that the vacancy will be filled at another meeting of the league to be held Friday evening of this week.

The constitution and by-laws of the organization will also be adopted at the next meeting and a schedule of playing dates will be worked out at that time. Considerable other business of importance will be taken up at that time.

An effort is being made to secure a team from Manville to fill the sixth club gap, and it is probable that a representative of that place will be on deck Friday evening.

RAMBLERS WIND UP SEASON NEXT WEEK

Three more games on the Rambler schedule remain to be played—two this week and one next week. All will be rolled on the Eagles' alleys.

Tonight the Ramblers and Eagle seconds will come together for the second series, the latter having won out in the first meeting. Following is the manner in which the Rams will roll: Dunn, Davenport, Betzenberger, Worrall and Hyslip.

Friday night the St. Joseph's Club will be the Rambler opponents, and Friday night of next week the Ramblers will conclude the season by rolling the Spicer No. 1 team.

MILITARY DRILL NOT WANTED BY TIGERS

Detroit, March 21.—Despatches received here yesterday from the training camp of the Detroit Americans at Waxahachie, Tex., state that the Detroit ball players are in sympathy with a movement started by fellow athletes to abandon the military drills they now are receiving. It is understood that the Cleveland club already has taken such action.

Several Detroit players have claimed that the drills have caused severe strain upon muscles not brought into play on the baseball diamond and that the work has hindered more than it has helped their playing.

The local players have been drilling with bats instead of guns, and it is understood this has been unpopular with them.

THE NETHERWOODS PLANNING SEASON

Manager Coughlan Issues Call and States Team Will Play Sunday Games

Manager Coughlan of the Netherwood Baseball Club has come out of his winter hole and is now prepared to discuss any phase of the national pastime before the house. Coughlin this morning stated that he expected few slight changes in the make-up of his 1917 team over the line-up which won the City League race last year.

The East Ender has issued a call for the first practice of the season to be held on the afternoon of Saturday, March 31. All players who would like to try for the team are asked to put in an appearance at that time at the field, South and Leland avenues. The team will play all of its home games at that place, which, it is expected, will be put in shape for the season prior to the opening of the City League schedule.

The Netherwoods will do more or less Sunday playing this season, and Manager Coughlan will entertain all requests for dates from now on. Plainfield, Brunswick, Elizabeth and Newark teams, as well as those hailing from intermediate points. No independent Saturday games will be arranged until after the City League schedule has been announced.

From more recent talk in regard to the City League it now appears that the circuit will stand pat on the original plans of a four-club circuit.

WAR PROSPECT WILL HELP BASEBALL GAME

The prospect of the entry by the United States into the war is doing good for baseball even if it is knocking the lid off everything else. The military aspect of training camps and the patriotic utterances of many men connected with the national game is giving it a stimulus not shown since the days before the battle with the Federal League.

Baseball seemingly is reaching the most national level it has touched since the Athletics used to clock off a pennant a season. Federal Leagues are dead and forgotten and Dave Fultz has long since ceased to clutter up the atmosphere and the magnates' dreams with threats of what the Baseball Players' Fraternity will do.

Players' drilling training camps and learning how to help if the country ever becomes involved in conflict is turning more than one man's head toward the sports page, where in years past he would have passed it up. Ban Johnson probably never did more to stimulate interest than when he decided favorably upon the military training plan suggested by Captain Tillman of the Yankees. Huston's military appearance and the fact that he served in the army during the war with Spain lends a color of credence to stories that could not have arisen in any other way.

BASEBALL OPENING DATES

By United Press:

There will be only slight changes in playing schedules of leagues all over the country this year, according to available schedules. Unofficial and official opening and closing dates give the following information:

National—Opens April 11, closes October 4; 154 games.

American—Opens April 11, closes October 4; 154 games.

International—Opens April 17, closes August 5; 112 games.

American Association—Opens April 11, closes August 5; 112 games.

Pacific Coast—Opens April 3, closes October 28; 208 games.

Western—Opens April 18, closes September 3; 140 games.

South Atlantic—Opens April 19, closes August 11; 100 games.

Texas League—Opens April 5, closes September 3; 154 games.

Southern—Opens April 12, closes September 15; 154 games.

Blue Ridge—Opens May 1, closes September 15; 98 games.

Eastern—Opens May 11, closes September 3.

Western Association—Opens April 12, closes September 3.

Georgia-Alabama—Opens May 7, closes August 4.

COLLINS WINS OVER FULTON

Milwaukee, Wis., March 21.—By a decision of the court yesterday the managerial contract held by Mike Collins and involving Fred Fulton, the heavyweight boxer, was upheld. This makes it imperative that Fulton cancel all engagements arranged by Frank Force, who has been acting as Fulton's manager. It further holds that for the next five years Fulton must act under guidance of Collins.

Following upon this decision came an announcement from the State Boxing Commission that Les Darcy the Australian middleweight, would not be allowed to box in Wisconsin until he could show that W. T. O'Sullivan legally had been discharged as his manager.

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Target Tips and Hunting Helps by Alfred P. Lane

Send questions to Mr. Lane care of this paper.

A. D. R.

1. There seems to be quite a difference of opinion as to the comparative power of the .45 Colt cartridge loaded with the full charge of black powder and the same cartridge loaded with the full factory charge of smokeless powder. Is there any difference, and how much is it?

Ans. The .45 Colt cartridge loaded with the maximum load of black powder, which is 40 grains, has a muzzle velocity of 922 feet per second and a muzzle energy of 472 foot pounds. The full charge of smokeless powder gives a muzzle velocity of 776 feet per second and a muzzle energy of 534 foot pounds. You can see therefore that the old original black poyder load has more power than the modern smokeless. That 40-grain charge has a very heavy recoil, however, and most users of this cartridge prefer the lighter load of black powder.

2. Is there much difference in the killing power of the black and the smokeless?

Ans. A great many hunters maintain that the black powder load is a great deal more powerful than the smokeless one, and this is undoubtedly true if the 40-grain charge is used, but the smokeless load is better than any of the lighter black powder loads.

3. Where do you hold when you shoot the gun—upside down? A friend of mine can beat me shooting this way because I don't seem to be able to get my shots anywhere near the target.

Ans. It depends to some extent on how you hold in the normal position. Ordinarily you should hold about six to eight inches above the bullseye at twenty yards and correspondingly higher at the longer distances.

Would you please tell me the whereabouts of the William Moore & Co. and the Wilmot Club Co.?

Ans. I do not seem to find any trace of the addresses of the firms you mention.

1. Which is the most accurate at 75 feet—the .22 long or the .22 short rifle?

Ans. The .22 long rifle is the most accurate.

2. How can I tell whether my rifle is shooting accurately? It is a .22 repeater chambered for the three sizes of .22s.

Ans. The best way I know of is to test the rifle by shooting it from a rest. You should get a comfortable position so arranged that both elbows are supported and the barrel of the rifle should rest on something which will hold it steady, but not be rigid. A folded blanket is good. Remember that unless you are an expert shot you will not be able to get the best possible accuracy from your rifle with open sights.

3. Can I become a member of the National Rifle Association? I have been in this country for twenty years, but have not taken out any papers as yet.

Ans. Only citizens of the United States are eligible for membership.

O. W.

1. What is the date of the United States Revolver Association indoor championship matches this year?

Ans. The first week in April.

2. Is there any match in which a man can shoot a regular pocket revolver with any chance of winning?

Ans. Yes. There is a regular match known as the pocket revolver championship. The conditions permit any revolver with a barrel not over 4 1-2 inches long, open sights, four-pound trigger pull, .32-calibre or larger. It is a 25-shot match, each string of five shots being shot in a time limit of thirty seconds.

4. Where can I get information about the matches?

Ans. Write to J. B. Crabtree, Secretary, Valleville, Conn., who will be glad to give you all the information you want.

Alf. P. Lane

SOCIAL CLUB TEAM DROPS ODD GAME

Holy Trinity Aggregation Does Some Tall Pinning at Local Tab Alleys

The St. Mary's Social Club pinners dropped two games to the Holy Trinity quintet of Westfield last evening at the T. A. B. S. drives. A large number of rooters accompanied the Westfield women folks to this city, and some exciting moments were staged while the Saints were losing.

Mrs. M. Ortleb of the Westfield aggregation cornered the honors of the evening, rolling a high score of 173, while Mrs. M. Brady secured the high average of 142.

The scores:

HOLY TRINITY

				Ave
Mrs. Callahan	111	101	118	110
Mrs. O'Connell	71	112	137	107
Miss Ditlis	76	74	100	83
Mrs. M. Ortleb	111	179	106	132
Mrs. N. Ortleb	141	127	111	126
	510	594	572	558

Total pins—1,676.

ST. MARY'S S. C.

				Ave
Miss McCauley	92	78	98	89
Miss Cashin	91	115	128	111
Miss M. Brady	127	157	142	142
Miss R. Brady	103	95	84	94
Miss Schuck	114	137	112	121
	527	582	564	557

Total pins—1,673.

CHAMPION WOUNDED ON THE FIRING LINE

By United Press:

London, March 21.—Young Dando, of Newcastle, flyweight champion of Northern England, has been wounded on the firing line in northern France. Dando is a shifty little boxer. His best fights were against Jimmy Wilde, who shaded him three times over the 20, 15 and 10-round routes.

RICKEY TO HEAD CARDS

St. Louis, March 21.—Branch Rickey, business manager of the St. Louis Americans, announced yesterday afternoon that he had signed a three-year contract as president and business manager of the St. Louis Nationals. It is understood his salary will be $15,000 a year.

President Ball of the St. Louis Americans was in conference yesterday afternoon with his attorneys. He had previously announced that he would hold Rickey to his contract with the Americans.

FULL HOUSE EXPECTED FOR PADEREWSKI

A full house seems now to be indicated for Paderewski at the Plainfield high school in his piano recital next Monday, March 26, under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club. This is a rare opportunity to hear him—once in a lifetime.

His concerts this winter have been given for Polish relief and no one who has heard him play under this inspiration can forget it. We are glad to have our share in this as well as helping our own war relief organizations.

SENATE PASSES BILL TO NAME STATE ENGINEER

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 21.—The bill authorizing the Governor to appoint a State Engineer, and which is destined for the appointment of General George W. Goethals, was passed by the Senate Monday night. The measure creates the office of State Engineer, and provides that he shall act as advisor to and supervisor of the new State Highway Department just created by this Legislature; as advisor to and supervisor of the work of the Commission to bridge or tunnel the Hudson river and the Delaware river; also the same with respect to harbor development at New York or any other harbor of the State. He may also be called upon by the Governor as advisor for any other engineering work of the State.

The appointment is to be for what ever term the Governor may think proper; the salary is to be fixed by the State House Commission, composed of the Governor, State Treasurer and State Comptroller, all Republicans and the office is to cease automatically under the bill upon the retirement of the incumbent first appointed by the Governor.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Julius Barrpte, of 221 Grey street, has returned from Muhlenberg Hospital, where she underwent an operation.

SPRING BEGINS TODAY

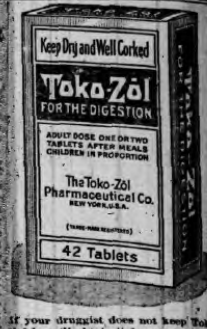
Today is the vernal equinox and the day and night are everywhere of equal length. This is the first day of spring.

IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Take Salts to flush Kidneys and neutralize irritating acids

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder. Then it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless, and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is used by thousands of folks who are subject to urinary disorders caused by uric acid irritation. Jad Salts is splendid for kidneys and causes no bad effects whatever.

Here you have a pleasant effervescent lithia-water drink, which quickly relieves bladder trouble.—Adv.



If your druggist does not keep Toko Zol he will obtain it for you at once.

PIERSON BILL GOES TO GOVERNOR

Trenton, March 21.—Compulsory physical training in all the public schools of the State, excepting kindergartens, with an optional course of military training for high schools, as embodied in the amended Assembly bill No. 281, by Mr. Pierson of Union county, is now ready for the consideration of Governor Edge, the Senate yesterday afternoon having passed the bill. The vote was 11 to 6, as follows:

For the bill—Ackerman, of Monmouth; Conrad, of Ocean; Fithian, of Cumberland; Florence, of Middlesex; Hammond, of Mercer; Kates of Camden; Mackey, of Bergen; McGran, of Passaic; Munson, of Sussex; Stricchler, of Morris, and Pierce, of Union.

Against—Allen, of Salem; Gaunt, of Gloucester; Martens, of Hunterdon; Richards, of Atlantic, and Wells, of Burlington.

The measure is one of the series of preparedness bills introduced as the result of the critical international situation, and was drafted by the Commission appointed last year to study the question of military training in the high schools.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY REALTY TRANSFERS

Among the recent realty transfers recorded at New Brunswick, the following are from Middlesex localities:

P. Sanford Snyder and wife to Belle LaRue, lot 1403, block 39, also lots 601, block 19, map Edgerton Park, Township Piscataway, $1.00.

Max H. Mattes and wife, to Mattes Realty Co., lots 15 to 20, block 5, map McDonough Bros., Township Piscataway, $1.00.

Merchants' and Traders' Realty Co., to Richard J. Cotter et als, lots 24 to 28, block P, map Plainfield Terrace, Township Plainfield Heights, $1.00.

Franjo Norsic to Paul Brocco, lots 538-539, block 4, map Plainfield Park, (South), Township Piscataway, $1.00.

United Land Development Co., to Franciszek Rosiecki, lot 15, block 2, map South Plainfield Heights, Township Piscataway, $1.00.

ATTENDED DINNER AT TRENTON

Judge William Newcorn of this city, attended the dinner given to State Comptroller Bugbee and State Prison Keeper Mulhearn at Trenton last night.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

The Business Man's Interest In The Anomalous Conditions Of Modern Warfare.

Since the promulgation of the Declaration of Paris in 1856, governing some of the important landmarks of naval warfare it has been an accepted dogma of international law that a blockade, to become legally effective, must consist of an actual patrol and blockade of the ports of the country blockaded. That is to say, the Declaration of Paris abolished the so-called "paper blockade," under which it had been the practice for a country at war to declare the ports of another blockaded, without actually patrolling the coasts of the latter.

Where the blockade is legal uniform, it is an accepted proposition that no merchant vessel, neutral or otherwise, may attempt to enter the blockaded area, under penalty of confiscation or destruction. Where the blockade was a paper blockade, the penalty of confiscation was impossible, whenever the vessel might be found, although it had not yet reached the area declared to be under blockade. It was to prevent this consequence of confiscation, in cases of paper blockade, that the Declaration of Paris was adopted.

Under this situation it clearly results, of course, that the action of England in excluding commerce, neutral and otherwise, from German ports, is no less a violation of the spirit of the Declaration of Paris than the action of Germany in similarly restricting commerce with England; both of these restrictions upon international commerce having been given the effects of a blockade, by subjecting to confiscation or destruction vessels which seek to enter or leave the respective countries in violation of the terms of the proclamations prescribing the so-called "barred areas;" but neither of them constitutes an actual blockade of the coasts of the other belligerent within the spirit of the Declaration of Paris.

This is one of the many situations arising out of the modern scheme of warfare, which is justified by both sides as a necessary measure of self-protection, by way of offense or defense. Because of the new instruments of warfare employed, and the new conditions in the international situation, it is doubtless true that at the time of the adoption of the Declaration of Paris the situations now confronting the belligerents were not considered. Nevertheless, the technical violation of the fundamental principle of international law we established by this document is violated, and will doubtless give rise to a substantial claim for damages upon the part of this country at the close of the war, both for vessels destroyed and for the resulting interference with American commerce.

Unless belligerents are to be permitted to cripple neutral commerce, the rules of naval warfare must be completely revised. American business is largely concerned in this revision, and should undoubtedly lay plans for securing a proper voice in the convention which sooner or later must settle the questions at issue.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.
FOR PURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet in the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agent choose to be then and there present, and will make a record of the bids, prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.
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PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation:

Estimated area of surface pavement required is 31528 square yards.

Of foundation 37529 square yards.

Bids will be received at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:00 a. m., on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Providence Draw Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with Track Girders thereon, and other work complete accordance.

Bids will be received on the following:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge in accordance with the plans, specifications and supplementary specifications and the safety rates as specified on sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following:

(3) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(4) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(5) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and Smelting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $3,000 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid to the Hon. Hebert Smith, to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work only on working days in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications the entire work must be completed within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

ELIZABETH DARLING,
LIZZIE D. LOWRY,
MABEL D. FITCH,
Administratrices.

ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
3—14—ouw—9w Fees, $11.10

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY

To Samuel M. Reasoner:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a certain cause wherein Julia M. Reasoner is petitioner, and you, Samuel M. Reasoner, are defendant, you are required to appear, and plead, answer or demur to said petition on or before the 28th day of April next, or, in default thereof, such decree will be taken against you as the Chancellor shall think equitable and just.

The object of said suit is to obtain a decree of divorce, dissolving the marriage between you and the said petitioner.

Dated, February 26, 1917.

ROBERT NEWTON CRANE,
Solicitor of Petitioner.
P. O. Address, 203 Park Ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.
2—28 3—7—14—21—28

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Maria F. Gardner, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

PETER FLYNN,
Administrator.
DeMEZA & CRANE, Proctors,
153 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J.
2—28 0 a w—2w Fees $11.10

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Sarah Bird, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.,
Administrator.
WILLIAM A. CODDINGTON, Proctor.
3—14—ouw—9w Fees, $11.10

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Albert C. Stebbins, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ASA F. RANDOLPH,
Executor
3—14—ouw—9w Fees, $11.10

—It may interest our advertisers to know that the circulation of the Courier-News is larger than the combined circulation of all the New York evening papers sold in Plainfield, by street sales.

The High Cost of Indigestible Food

falls heavily upon the household where there is no intelligent direction of the food supply. Expensive high proteid foods, such as beef and pork, impose a heavy burden upon the liver and kidneys. They are not as nutritious as cereals and fruits. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk supply all the nutriment needed for a half day's work at a cost of only four or five cents. Cut out meat and eggs, eat Shredded Wheat Biscuit with green vegetables and fruits, and see how much better you feel. For breakfast with hot milk or cream. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

MISSIONARY WORK FOR YEAR REVIEWED

Women's Society of First Baptist Church Elects Officers at Annual Meeting

Officers were elected and reports for the past year were presented at the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church held yesterday afternoon at the church. There was a stirring patriotic missionary talk by Mrs. Martin I. Cooley in which she urged the women of the church to lend their best efforts to the work of the society. She declared that in this Christian country the women had every reason to be encouraged in promoting the Gospel, while the opportunities in foreign lands are constantly increasing.

Under the constitution every woman of the First Baptist church is a member of the Women's Missionary Circle and it was reported yesterday that there had been an increase in contributing members. The prospects for the coming year are promising.

These officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. Hervey Buchanan; first vice-president, Miss Agnes Cheever; second vice-president, Mrs. Francis K. Anderson; third vice-president, Mrs. Clarence L. Murphy; recording secretary, Mrs. J. Herbert Case; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John G. MacLaughlin; treasurer, Miss Sarah E. Conover. The following heads of committee were also announced.

Finance, Mrs. Samuel P. Case; work, Mrs. Frank B. Ostrom; social, Mrs. Charles S. Hayes; literature, Miss Alida White; membership, Mrs. J. L. Manning; calling, Mrs. Frank E. Bach; music, Miss Alice Drake; primary, Mrs. J. A. Powilson; baby band, Mrs. Clifford D. Manning; Judson Junior Templars, Mrs. John R. Heft.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Basch, of 163 East Second street, celebrated the third anniversary of their wedding at the home Monday night. Music and dancing were features of the evening. The couple received a number of gifts as reminders of the happy event. Mr. and Mrs. Basch were married in New York and have lived here about two years. Mr. Basch is connected with the United Dress Co. in this city.

The guests at the celebration included Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. James McDonough, Mr. and Mrs. John Alster, Mr. and Mrs. David Cohen, the Misses Dorothy McDonough, Lillie Burke, Priscilla Basch, May Burke, Helen Clark, Margaret Ryan, and Martin Miltner, Joseph Garredo, George Bowers, Jr., Charles Wendel, Joseph Sutton, Richard Burke and Joseph Clark, Jr., of this city, and Miss Clara Lillie, of New York, and Russell Stites, of Westfield.

RECRUITING OFFICER INSPECTS STATIONS

Edward M. Lutz, of the main recruiting station, Newark, is in this city on a tour of inspection of the recruiting stations in the New Jersey District. He will be at the armory recruiting station, the Post-office of this city, until Saturday.

Mr. Lutz is a Spanish war veteran as well as a veteran of two other wars, the Philippine insurrection and the Cuban pacification. He will be glad to give any information concerning the army, while in the city. Call and have a talk with Mr. Lutz. Enlist now as your country needs you.

REV. HENRY BROWN DIES AT MINISTER'S HOME

Rev. Henry Brown, aged 83 years, father of William T. Brown, of Stelton, died yesterday at the Aged Ministers' Home, Lakemont, N. Y. He was born at Rensselaerville, N. Y., and was in the ministry for sixty years.

He leaves four other sons, two of whom are Rev. Irving Brown, of Sac City, Iowa, and Dr. W. C. Brown, of Detroit; also a brother and sister.

RUNAWAY IN THE BOROUGH

A horse, owned by a Greek peddler, created some excitement this forenoon by running away on Somerset street. Turning into Chatham street it was stopped by Morris Eatrin. The driver who was thrown from the wagon, was slightly injured and his injuries were dressed at Weiss' borough drug store. The wagon was damaged and fruit and vegetables were scattered along the highway.

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Grape-Nuts FOOD

BY A SKILFUL BLENDING PROCESS

THERE'S HEALTH IN GRAPE-NUTS

WHY WOMEN SUFFER

Many Plainfield Women Are Learning the Cause.

Women often suffer, not knowing the cause.

Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness.

Irregular urinary passages, weakness, languor.

Each a torture of itself.

Together hint at weakened kidneys.

Strike at the root—get to the cause.

No other remedy more highly endorsed than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Recommended by thousands—

Endorsed at home.

Here's a convincing testimony from a Plainfield woman.

Mrs. Chas. Smith, 204 Spooner Ave., Plainfield, says: "I had been troubled for quite some time by a dull ache through my kidneys. Often when I stooped, sharp pains pierced my loins and made me scream. I tried many medicines which gave relief until I read of Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. I was more than pleased after taking them, because the pains disappeared."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Smith had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

TIRED OF LIVING IN PLAINFIELD

So State Boys Arrested by Railroad Police at Newark This Morning

Declaring that they were tired of living around Plainfield, Oscar Johansen, thirteen years old, of 1291 Marion avenue, and Thomas Walsh, thirteen, of 1245 Arlington avenue, were arrested at the Brills Junction Crossing of the Jersey Central Railroad, Newark, this morning, by Railroad Policemen Pellinger and Vrc. Houten.

The boys were taken to the Third Precinct, Newark, where they were searched and a revolver, 100 rounds of bullets, and considerable money were found on the person of Johansen. Walsh had several rings and keys in his pockets.

The youths admitted to the police that they had recently robbed a "big red house" in Netherwood. The house referred to is thought to be the home of C. O. Holmes, Berkeley avenue.

The local police were notified, and Lieutenant Higgins went to Newark to bring the lads here.

Arrangements are now being made to send Johansen to the Berkshire Industrial Farm.

These boys were recently put on probation after they had broken into a house belonging to G. Stuart Patterson, in Park avenue, where they broke out fixtures and electric lights. The attention of the railroad police was attracted to the boys by the presence of a revolver which Johansen was looking at as he rode past the detectives on the rear of a freight train. The boys said they slept at home last night and had left early this morning intending to go to Arizona.

TWO NEW MEMBERS ELECTED IN BORO'

No Opposition to Candidates at Annual School Meeting —Budget of $39,512.90

The district school meeting in the borough of North Plainfield last night was a very quiet affair, and the three candidates nominated for three-year terms, H. C. White, Edgar F. Sheppard and T. J. Currin, Jr., were elected without any opposition. The polls were opened just one hour, and fifty-one ballots were cast. Messrs. Sheppard and Currin each received forty-eight, and Mr. White forty-five votes. There was a ballot cast for R. C. Campbell and Judd Stewart, but neither name was previously placed in nomination.

Five women, Mrs. W. C. Taylor, Mrs. Warren Tremley, Mrs. G. S. Monck, Mrs. J. M. Hull and Mrs. D. R. Douglas, voted at the meeting. The tellers were G. S. Monck, L. N. Shepherd, Daniel Hulick and J. W. A. Banersachs. The latter two have not attended a school meeting in the borough for the past quarter of a century.

The appropriations, totalling $39,512.90, were all carried. The budget included: For current expenses, $33,675.00; for repairs, $4,150; and for manual training, $1,687.50.

The proposition, "Resolved, That the Board of Education be authorized to transfer the sum of $924.41 from the Current Expense Account to the Repair Account," was carried. Fifty-seven votes were polled for the above.

The president of the board, Dr. Cooley, presided at the meeting, and in a few opening remarks explained the items on the budget, also the proposition regarding the transfer of $924.41 to the repair account.

The two new members, H. C. White, Edgar F. Sheppard, and T. J. Currin, Jr., will meet with the Board at the reorganization meeting on Monday, April 2. Mr. Currin has just completed his three-year term on the board.

STORY OF DODGING THE SUBMARINES

Richard Boardman Tells Berean Bible Class Personal Experience on Atlantic

"Sidestepping Submarine," which proved to be a gathering together of a number of personal experiences in taking a recent trip to Europe, was discussed last evening by Richard Boardman, of this city, before the Berean Bible Class of Hope Chapel last evening. The occasion of Mr. Boardman's informal talk was the annual banquet of the organization.

Mr. Boardman has but recently returned from a business trip to Sheffield, England, having left New York on the Steamer Philadelphia, on January 27, just a few days prior to the opening of the ruthless submarine warfare on the part of Germany. The vessel was approaching the barred zone where the sea policy of the Central Powers was put into effect. The speaker's discourse dwelt chiefly on getting into Liverpool, and the departure from Liverpool on the Steamer Baltic some weeks later. He also told of his experiences in endeavoring to secure up-to-the-minute information, and especially by the experiences of a number of "Tommies" who had returned from the first line trenches in France.

The Baltic, on which Mr. Boardman returned to this country, was scheduled in starting from Liverpool about five days after the original date of sailing, and after all passengers had been aboard. The boat then made its way through the Irish Sea and around the north of Ireland instead of making the regular course in order to avoid a nest of German submarines. In making its way into Liverpool, the Philadelphia passed within ten or fifteen miles of submarine activities which resulted in the sinking of one steamer and the setting afire of one or two others.

John Siorah, president of the class, acted as toastmaster of the occasion. Other short addresses were made by Councilman G. Herbert Condict, teacher of the class; John H. Manning, associate teacher; Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor of the chapel; George T. Leighs, and James Penny. George H. Beiser sang a number of selections during the course of the evening.

Prior to the banquet the organization held its annual meeting, during which the following officers were elected: President, John B. Siorah; vice president, Claude Roseberry; secretary, Robert Goldsack; treasurer, Melville Roseberry.

MARRIED AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Rosalie Moore, of 333 West Third street, and Charles William Barnes, of 548 West Fourth street, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the parsonage of the Mt. Olive Baptist church by the Rev. A. B. Jones, pastor. Miss Belle C. Taylor and Theodore Lane, of this city, were the attendants. The couple will reside at 333 West Third street.

PROGRESSIVE "500" PARTY

Plainfield Council, No. 402, United Commercial Travelers, will give a progressive "500" party Saturday night in the council's rooms, Babcock building. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of play.

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Use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to Help Your Stomach and Do Not Worry.

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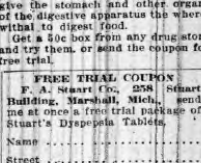

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F. A. Stuart Co., 258 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich., send me at once a free trial package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

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NEED FUNDS FOR DEFENSE LEAGUE

Contributions May be Sent to the Plainfield Trust Company

The announcement by Major Calkins to the Common Council on Monday evening of the formation of the Home Defense League is attracting wide attention throughout the city and will undoubtedly receive the support of all thoughtful citizens.

The Finance Committee of the League will be: George F. Block, chairman; A. M. Harris, F. J. Blatz (President Common Council); W. T. Kaufman, Henry E. Butler.

This committee will undertake the collection of funds sufficient to meet all the expenses of the Home Defense League. There should be no difficulty in receiving a sufficient amount to meet all demands for the equipment of members of this league.

Citizens are invited to send their contributions direct to the Plainfield Trust Company which has offered its services as depository for such funds. It is hoped that the contributors will include every type of citizen, small contributions, even if only 25 or 50 cents, will be welcome from those who cannot give more. Contributions to this fund should be prompted by patriotism and should cover a large list of contributors. The names will consist of a roll of honor, and it is the intention to publish the names, without mention of amounts, of all persons who contribute.

In order to aid completion of details in regard to the necessary equipment of those who are to give their time and personal service to this important work it is hoped that contributions will be sent in promptly to the Plainfield Trust Company.

The Mayor of the city, or any member of the committee or of the finance committee will gladly reply to any inquiries from those who desire to obtain additional information on the purposes of the league.

The Courier-News of yesterday tells the story complete and the report as outlined by Mayor Calkins to the Common Council should be read by everyone.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody can Tell when you Darken Gray, Faded Hair with Sage Tea

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

POLICEMEN LETTER CARRIERS DRIVERS

and other workers who must have enduring strength, take

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to build up and keep up their health. Surely it will do as much for you, but insist on SCOTT'S.

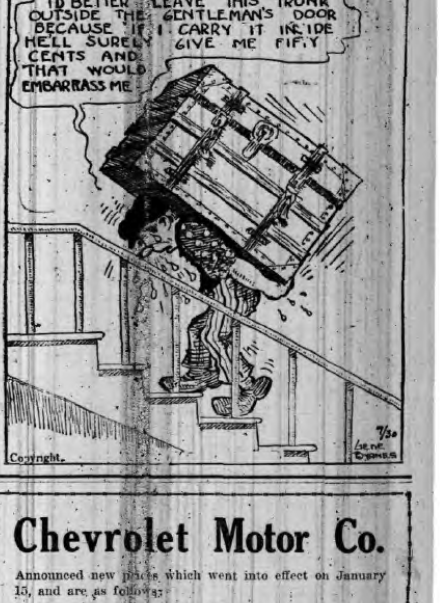
Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 12-15

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION MET

The Special Class Teachers' Association of Plainfield and vicinity held a most interesting meeting in the Stillman school yesterday afternoon. Miss Meta L. Anderson, Supervisor of Special Classes in Newark, gave a most interesting address on the "Needs and Aims of Special Classes."

The guests of the association were: Miss Flora Griffin, principal of Lincoln and Bryant schools; Miss M. L. Holly, attendance officer, and D. Fred Annest, supervising principal of North Plainfield schools.

THINGS THAT NEVER HAPPEN



Chevrolet Motor Co.

Announced new prices which went into effect on January 15, and are as follows:

"MODEL FOUR-NINETY"

Touring Car	$550.00
Roadster	$535.00
Enclosed Touring Car	$625.00

"MODEL F," BABY GRAND

F-2 Roadster	$800.00
F-5 Touring Car	$800.00

"MODEL D," 8-CYLINDER

D-2, Four-passenger Cloverleaf Roadster	$1,385.00
D-5 Touring Car	$1,385.00

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Steero Bouillon Cubes 30c box **25c**	Pure Peanut Butter 8-oz. tumbler **10c**	Fancy Evaporated Peaches or Santa Clara Prunes 2 lbs. **25c**	Red Kidney Beans or Cal. Lima Beans, lb. **15c**	Fancy California Peaches; No. 2 cans; 2 cans **25c**

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ANNIVERSARY OF COMPANY K

Members and Veterans Join in Celebration of Sixteenth Birthday

PRESENTATIONS MADE

Services of Captain Peterson, Sergeant Van Arsdale and Quartermaster Sergeant Tranchand Recognized

The sixteenth anniversary of Company K and the fifth re-union of the Veterans of that Company took place last evening in the banquet hall in the Babcock building, where members spent an enjoyable evening in the joint celebration.

The banquet started at 9:30, the veterans having previously met in the armory, where the company had a drill for an hour and a half, and where acquaintances between the veterans and the new members were renewed. The banquet was provided by R. H. Barnard, and served in the Masonic banquet rooms in the Babcock building.

Addresses were made by the following:

Colonel William B. Martin, former captain of Company K for six years, reviewed this period of office, stating that he never had been associated with a cleaner body of men, and knew that *Company K would not be found wanting* if called for service. He praised the non-commissioned officers for their special merits, and concluded with a presentation of a handsome gold watch, on behalf of the Company, to Captain *Charles Peterson, whom he complimented* in no unmeasured terms as his first sergeant, while the Colonel was captain of the Company.

Lieutenant Albert I. Littell battalion adjutant, spoke on rifle practice, urging the members to keep up their interest, and to increase their interest and efficiency.

Howard Woolston, a member of the Company under Captain Browning, spoke of his readiness to do anything he could for the Company, and who has done much with others from North Plainfield to secure favorable action in the Legislature to secure the armory.

Sergeant Nathaniel Hort, one of the first members of the Company, spoke of the great world tragedy, and the world struggle between autocracy and democracy, in which mighty engines of destruction are at work between the two great factions. He said after this war our national life will never be the same again as now, and that this fact should be a study for us as a nation. He added "We are only marking time now; the time will come when we may all meet again in a reunion, or some of us may not. He complimented Sergeant Apgar for his efficiency in promoting these social affairs for the Company.

Sergeant Harry Manning, one of the charter members, spoke of his twelve years' experience in the Company, and urged a stronger and closer veterans' organization.

Quartermaster Sergeant A. R. Tranchand read a letter from Colonel Edwin J. Murfin, Judge Advocate-General of the Nebraska National Guard, who was a guest of the Company at the reunion last year, and endeared himself to the Company at that time. The letter was long, and was humorous, sentimental and pathetic.

First Sergeant George L. Apgar read letters of regret from former members and veterans, among which were letters from First Sergeant Per-

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L. V. R. R. SIGNALMAN BADLY INJURED

Alexander Hockenbury, of South Plainfield, an employe of the signal department of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, was seriously injured near Metuchen this morning when a motor car on which he was riding with Milton Boss bumped the track. both men were thrown some distance and Hockenbury was cut and bruised about the head and face. Boss put the car back on the rails and brought Hockenbury to the South Plainfield station. He was removed from there to Muhlenberg Hospital.

He is said to be resting comfortably this afternoon.

ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS WILL MEET TO DISCUSS PLANS

Members of the Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Women Suffrage will be held at the home of Mrs. Edgar S. Hyatt, 243 East Ninth street, Monday morning next, at 11 o'clock, Mrs. John Constable Moore, who has served the State organization as treasurer and who was elected president of the local branch at the last meeting, requests a large attendance at the meeting on Monday as matters of importance will be discussed.

GREATEST COW BRED AT SOMERVILLE

Produced More Than Fifty Pounds of Butter in Seven Days

The new world's record for all breeds for butter-fat production in the seven-day division was established by the pure-bred Holstein-Friesian cow, Segis Fayne Johanna 114656, in a test ending January 8, 1917. This remarkable cow produced 50.68 pounds of butter in seven consecutive days, and the official test was conducted by supervisors from the New York State Agricultural College, Ithaca, N. Y.

Segis Fayne Johanna, by her wonderful achievement, is now the most talked-of cow in the world, and her sensational record marks a signal triumph in the forward march of the Holstein-Friesian breed.

She was bred by A. A. Cortelyou, of Somerville, N. J., and her present owner is Oliver Cabana, Jr., proprietor of Pine Grove Farms, Elma Center, N. Y., at which noted establishment four other world's record holders have been developed during the past six months.

The new world's record holder freshened at the age of 5 years, 2 months and 17 days. She is four-fifths white, weighs about 1,450 pounds, and is sired by King Fayne Segis 46767. Her dam is Vikina Johanna 64385, a daughter of Johanna Rue 3d's Lad and Vikina Clothilde.

The test was made under perfect conditions, absolutely quiet, systematic feeding and milking, and a roomy stall constructed of clean white enameled walls.

Segis Fayne Johanna's seven-day production of over 50 pounds of butter surpasses that of Hester Aaltje Korndyke, the previous world's record holder, by 3.91 pounds. In their present warranted state of elation, enthusiastic Holstein-Friesian breeders over the dairy world at large now marvel at the accomplishment of what was almost impossible and ask, "Where will it end?"

PADEREWSKI FOOLS THE MOZART ADMIRER

Paderewski, the famous pianist, who will appear for a recital in the Plainfield High School next Monday night, March 26, under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club, will afford the opportunity of a lifetime to hundreds of Plainfield people who would like to hear the world's famous pianist without going to the expense of time and money to hear him in the Metropolitan musical centres. The opportunity to hear this great genius in a city the size of Plainfield when only the biggest cities in the State have this opportunity only at rare intervals, is one that will be appreciated.

A humorous incident is related of Paderewski as follows:

When Paderewski was at the Warsaw Conservatory, in the early eighties, his close friend was Swietschewski, the poet, who was a talented musical amateur and an ardent lover of Mozart. They were talking one night about Mozart, and the poet said that no modern musician could approach his idol even in the merest trifle. Paderewski shrugged his shoulders for reply.

He visited the poet one day, sat down at the piano and said:

"I should like to play a little piece by your friend Mozart. *I don't believe you know it.*"

He played the Minuet. The hearer was enraptured and cried out:

"Now tell me, honestly, who today can compose anything like that?"

"Well, *I don't know*," said Paderewski, "I wrote this Minuet."

IAN HAY'S LECTURE TOMORROW NIGHT

Captain Ian Hay Beith will deliver his lecture tomorrow night in the Plainfield High school under the auspices of the Plainfield Branch of the National Special Aid. His subject will be "The Human Side of Trench Warfare."

The proceeds of this lecture will be spent for surgical dressings to be used in the base hospital in or near Plainfield that the Government may designate.

GUILD WILL HOLD A MISSIONARY TEA

The Missionary Guild of Trinity Reformed church will hold a tea at there o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the residence of Mrs. George Mantz, 951 Union stret. Mrs. J. Y. Brock will be the speaker. A silver collection will be taken.

A special invitation is extended to all to attend, especially the members of the Ladies' Christian Work Society.

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. George Flatley, of 36 Pearl street, North Plainfield, are the parents of a boy, born Tuesday morning. Mother and child are doing well.

HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE SWORN IN

Mayor Clothes Members With Authority of Police Officers—Drill Saturday

The fifty members of the Home Defense League who were appointed special policemen by Mayor Leighton Calkins, and confirmed by the Common Council on Monday night, were sworn in by the Mayor, at his office last night.

These men will meet in the Evergreen avenue school on Saturday night, for the purpose of drilling and thereafter they will meet twice a week for the purpose of drill and rifle practice.

It is understood that the entire company will be equipped with proper weapons for the efficient discharge of their duty, in the event of an emergency, necessitating their service.

All the members are enthusiastic in their desire to render such aid to the community as may be required.

Mayor William L. Smalley, of North Plainfield, has also sworn in a number of special policemen who will be fully equipped, and it is said that a movement is now on foot to establish some means of defense by the ten Wards of Somerset and Union Counties.

Some years ago William Delaroche Anderson organized the citizens of North Plainfield Township into a police force, and he states that this force is now ready to defend that community.

Mayor Calkins addressed the men briefly, last night, thanking them for volunteering as a nucleus for the Defense League and for their agreement to give all of their leisure time for drill and training as required by the Commission and their agreement to serve actively in an emergency, without compensation, holding themselves ready for immediate call regardless of business or professional engagements.

The Watchung avenue that the present intention is to recruit the League up to 200 men at the present time. Application blanks will be ready in a day or two and may be had by applying to anyone of the Commissioners. Messrs. M. S. Sutphen, H. S. Fullerton, R. F. R. Huntsman and Dr. C. B. Lufburgrow; and may also be had from Commander Ransome.

Commander Ransome reported that the Board of Education had offered the use of the auditorium in the Evergreen avenue school for drill purposes. He asked all members of the unit to appear there on Saturday evening of this week.

It is planned to provide a distinctive uniform for all members of the special reserve.

Mayor Calkins called attention to the appointment of the Finance Committee consisting of George P. Mellick, chairman; A. M. Harris, F. J. Blatz, W. T. Kaufman and H. E. Butler, which will undertake the collection of funds to meet the expense of the League. Contributions should be sent to the Plainfield Trust Company. Any amount will be acceptable.

ROBERT FAIRBAIRN BUYS KIRK PROPERTY FOR $5,479

Robert Fairbairn, of Westfield, yesterday purchased at sheriff's sale the property on East Fourth street, which was formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. William T. Kirk, of this city. The price paid was $5,479. Margaret Depew, wife of R. Henry Depew, was the complainant in the action against Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, she holding the mortgage on the property.

CHARLES DE GRAW'S FUNERAL SATURDAY

The funeral of Charles W. De Graw, *who died yesterday*, will be held on Saturday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. A. D. Cook, of East Seventh street. The Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, *will officiate*, and the interment will be made in Hillside cemetery.

"LAND OF MYSTERY" REHEARSAL TONIGHT

The regular rehearsal for the "Land of Mystery" will be held tonight in the Elks' lodge room. An error was made in yesterday's advertisement stating the rehearsal would be held Friday night.

OLD NEGATIVES TO BE SOLD

The old negatives taken by the late Frank C. Langhorne, photographer, of East Front street, are to be sold before April 1 by the Parisen Photo Studio, which acquired the business of Mr. Langhorne.

MEN'S CLUB TO MEET

The Men's Club of the Church of the Heavenly Rest will hold its weekly *session this evening* at the parish house. A social time has been planned to follow the formal business session.

BOROUGH BARN DAMAGED BY FIRE

Local Guardsmen Discover the Blaze and Notify the Fire Department

Fire badly damaged the barn and contents owned by Gustav Lavere, of Duer street, last night. The place was discovered on fire about 12:30 o'clock by Herbert Reynolds, Robert Dentz and Albert Trotter, members of Company K, who were coming home from the banquet held by this organization. They gave the alarm and awoke Mr. Levere and then assisted in saving some of the contents of the building. Mr. Laverde's horse was saved through the heroic efforts of the guardsmen.

Chief McCullough and his men quickly answered the telephone alarm. The chief also sent in an alarm from Box 16. They put a stream of water on the blazing embers and soon had the fire under control. It is a one-story structure, some of Mr. Lavere's grocery stock was stored in a portion of the building. This was also damaged by smoke and water. The origin of the fire is unknown.

INTERESTING MEETING OF THE D. A. R.

The regular meeting of Camp Middlebrook Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Yeandle, of No. 4 East High street, Bound Brook. Mrs. A. I. Codrington assisted the hostess.

The regular business was transacted. It was voted to send a contribution to Washington toward paying the last indebtedness on Continental Memorial Hall; also to A. R. school at Georgetown. Mrs. D. H. Beckman gave an interesting account of a recent Southern trip. Mrs. Howard read an account of the eighteen months' captivity on the prison ship Jersey of William Morris, who was the great-great-grandfather of the hostess. Mrs. Olendorf read a letter written by her grandfather, General Obadiah Herbert, to his son, describing the first trial of an engine and coach near Bordentown, N. J., on October 12, 1831. The coach held 30 passengers and made a 1-4 miles in two minutes and twenty seconds. Robert Stevenson managed the engine himself.

The hostess, who is a direct descendant of the Morris and Dey families, has many interesting relics, such as bullet-riddled battle flags, a sampler worked over two hundred years ago, and an English sixpence, given to her grandfather for his "little lassie at home" by the Prince of Wales on his American trip in 1860.

Dainty refreshments were served, closing a most interesting session.

NEGLECTED FAMILY

Winfield Smalley, of 1633 West Front street, was arraigned before Judge DeMeza in the city court this morning charged with failing to properly support his family. A six months old baby, so weak that it could hardly hold up its head, was exhibited as an evidence of his neglect. The child is now being nursed by an Italian woman. Judge DeMeza remanded him until tomorrow morning.

TO OUR READERS

The Courier-News, as previously announced, is compelled to advance its price to subscribers.

We regret that we are compelled to make this increase, but everything that enters into making a newspaper has doubled in cost, while some things have trebled. The most serious difficulty is the scarcity of white print paper. Many newspapers have had to suspend publication entirely, while others have had to adopt strenuous reforms. The Courier-News has been unable to purchase more than 60 per cent. of the quantity of paper normally required since the first of the present year. This is why each week will have to be disconthued. The stopping of a paper because a subscriber owes four or five weeks does not mean that any question that subscriber's credit. Forced to reduce the number of copies we are printing, we have adopted the only way open—discontinuing subscriptions not paid to date.

No paid in advance subscriptions have been accepted at the old rate since the announcement of the change in price.

The subscription rates of the Courier-News are now:

Single copy	.02
One week	.12
Three months (in advance)	1.50
Six months (in advance)	2.50
One year (in advance)	4.00

As in the past, to take advantage of the discount rate offered for three months, six months or a year, a subscriber must pay in advance.

PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR RECRUITING

Plainfielders to Assist in Enlisting Members for 1917 Plattsburg Camps

Some Plainfield members of the Plattsburg Training Camp met at the Courier-News office last night to discuss plans for recruiting members for the 1917 camps. Evarts Tracy was appointed chairman of the meeting. The plans as outlined are to enlist all Plattsburg men for the purpose of recruiting the 1917 camps to the number of 30,000 in the Eastern Department.

It was decided to hold in the near future a meeting of all Plattsburg men when each one will be urged to enroll as many recruits as possible. *Recruiting committees will be* formed, as well as committees on publicity and public meetings.

The public high schools, the private schools, lodges, men's clubs, labor organizations, factories, etc., *will be requested to permit* lecturers and army officers to speak on the Plattsburg movement. The following men attended last night's meeting: Evarts Tracy, D. Fred August, Alan Stevenson, Paul Westergard, Police Lieutenant Maurice Higgins, D. W. Littell, Jr., and Charles H. Brown. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday night, March 28, the place to be announced later.

Any information regarding enlistment *for this service* can be obtained from the Plainfield members of the Plattsburg Camp or at the Courier-News office.

COUNTY CLERK READY FOR NEW CITIZENS

Residents of Plainfield who desire to take out naturalization papers may now secure them by applying at the office of County Clerk William B. Martin, at Elizabeth, any week day. The night force for this work has been discontinued for the time being, but the office is now in a position to take care of such work during the course of the regular business day.

The rush in this line of work a few weeks ago, following the diplomatic break with Germany, created a shortage of the necessary blank forms, but this shortage has now been overcome, and the clerk's office is now ready to resume its work in this direction.

CHRISTIAN WORK SOCIETY MUSICAL

The annual spring musical of the Ladies' Society for Christian Work, of the Seventh Baptist church, was held last evening in the church and notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the audience was large and appreciative. The decorations consisted of flags and potted plants.

The program was arranged by Mrs. Noel Evans and Miss Mabel A. Maxson, who were ably assisted by Miss Pauline Gates and Miss Erma Wood and was as follows: Piano solos, A and B, Miss Maxson; songs, Miss Wood; monologue, Miss Gates; violin selections, Mrs. Evans. The audience sang "America" at the conclusion. Refreshments followed the program and were served by a committee of which *Mrs. Champlin* was chairman.

TEXAS OIL COMPANY TO LOCATE HERE

It was learned today that the Texas Oil Company will in the near future establish a distributing plant here similar to that which was established by the Standard Oil Company some years ago. The exact location of the Texas Company's plant could not be learned.

ATTENDED PRESENTATION TO TELEPHONE INVENTOR

Paul H. Burns, of this city, who is a member of the legal force of the New York Telephone Company, was a guest last evening at the thirty-eighth meeting of the Civic Forum, which presented a medal of honor to Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone.

ANNIVERSARY OF D. OF L.

Representatives from Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, this city, attended the twentieth anniversary celebration of Loyalty to American Council, at Elizabeth, Tuesday night. The traveling gavel, which was brought to the council for the evening, was used during the business session. State officers were among the guests.

Renewed Friendships Here

Charlie Taylor, the bor preacher and his father, who conducted evangelistic services at Park Avenue Baptist church a year ago, visited friends in town last night. A number of folks called and an enjoyable evening was spent in renewing friendships made during their last visit.

THINKS GERMANY MAY DECLARE WAR ON U. S. IN 48 HOURS

By United Press:

London, March 22.—A declaration of war by Germany against the United States within the next few days would not surprise British officials. From various news filtering out of Germany today such a step was indicated.

One report via Amsterdam said German officials had warned American newspaper men in Berlin that Germany would act within forty-eight hours.

SMALL POX AND FAMINE IN GERMANY

By United Press:

Washington, March 22.—There are 30,000 cases of small-pox in Germany, and the disease is spreading, according to a speech of Socialist Reichstag Member Hoffman, received by the State Department today.

Hoffman charged that the rich were getting the "fats," while the poor had none; that the government is actually hoarding sausages with which the poor ought to be fed; that, small-pox is spreading rapidly, and that vaccination is proving futile.

The speech showed a far more distressing condition in Germany than any report thus far reaching the Department. It strengthened the belief caused by recent rumors that conditions are ripe for a real revolution in Germany.

PRESSURE FOR PEACE IS BEING FELT IN EUROPE

By United Press:

Washington, March 22.—While the President was considering his war address the attention of officials and diplomats today was directed sharply to internal developments in Germany. With reports of increasingly serious food riots and growing restiveness among the German people, came rumors of possible peace moves emanating from Teuton quarters.

PRESIDENT WORKING ON MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

By United Press:

Washington, March 22.—President Wilson today began tentative work on his message to the War Congress, which will convene in extra session April 2. At the same time Senators and representatives of all faiths were wiring him pledges of support.

Owing to the nature of the present situation it is believed the fight for organization of the House will be *short-lived. It is believed that* the course of action will be agreed on by leaders before April 2.

PRUSSIANS HALT AT THE HINDENBERG LINE

By United Press:

London, March 22.—The German retrograde movement on the western front was coming to a standstill today, as French and British troops reached points near the Hindenberg line. Fighting between the masses may now be expected soon to occur, according to military experts. Such a move was reported in Holland dispatches today, as having been decided on by the German general staff for April 5.

RUSSIAN CHURCH URGES LOYALTY TO NATION

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 22.—The Holy Synod of the Russian church today decided to send a message to "all children of the church," declaring the revolution was "brought about by God's hand." The message said: "Inasmuch as the Lord holds the fate of the kingdom and its people, we exhort our members to obey the new government, and to fulfill their duty as Christian citizens."

The message will be read Sunday in all churches of the Empire.

P. H. S. DEBATERS TO MATCH PASSAIC TEAM

On Saturday evening the Plainfield High School Debating team goes to Passaic to debate the Passaic High School team. The question will be: "Resolved, That a compulsory arbitration law should be enacted to settle all labor disputes on railroads and other common carriers." The local team, composed of Horace E. Bunker, Jr., leader, Charles T. Todd, Carol O. Durnyea and Miss Fannie Mann, alternate, will argue on the affirmative side.

Both teams have won their first debate, Passaic over Bayonne High, and Plainfield over the Rahway freshmen team. This debate is, therefore, the finals for this group. The winner of this debate is also entitled to challenge, or be challenged by any other victorious team in the State. *It is through this system* that the State championship will be decided for 1917.

DISCOVER INTRIGUE IN RUSSIAN COURT

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 22.—Correspondence between the Czarina and former Minister Protopopoff has been discovered, the Bourse Gazette asserted today, proving that *Protopoff and others in the former* Royalist government tried to conclude a separate peace with Germany some time ago.

BRITAIN SENDS GOOD WILL TO RUSSIA

By United Press:

London, March 22.—The House of Commons was to extend congratulations and good will to new Russia today. Such action will not carry with it a formal recognition of the new provisional regime, but will be merely a parliamentary expression, according to the views of officials here.

GERMAN SPIES SENT TO PENITENTIARY

By United Press:

New York, March 22.—Albert O. Sander and Carl N. Wunnenberg were sentenced today to serve two years in the Federal Penitentiary and to pay fines of $2,500 each, on their pleas of guilty to charges of sending spies to England from America.

NEUTRALS MAY HELP BRING ABOUT PEACE

By United Press:

Washington, March 22.—That neutral nations may renew their previous offer to assist in straightening out the difficulties between the United States and Germany, was suggested at the State Department today.

ART EXHIBITION WILL CONTINUE OVER SUNDAY

Mrs. J. Hartley Mellick was the hostess at the tea given this afternoon at The Rookery on Sycamore avenue, where there is a free exhibition of portraits by Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen. Those assisting are: Mrs. W. L. Richter, Mrs. Lewis E. Waring, Mrs. W. R. Tyler, Mrs. Frank C. Ard, Mrs. L. H. Van Buren, Mrs. George L. Babcock and Mrs. R. Story Rowland.

Miss Edith Van Boskerck and Miss Laura Zoe Rogers, who arranged the exhibit, have decided to continue it over Sunday so as to give as many people as possible an opportunity to see the portraits.

TO RECEIVE THIRD BLOOD TRANSFUSION

Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, who is under treatment in Muhlenberg Hospital, and who has *received two transfusions* of blood, will receive a third transfusion this evening.

A story is told concerning a visit of Paderewski to an English country house, where one afternoon a countess remarked to the famous pianist: "Oh, Mr. Paderewski, you play, don't you?" "Yes, madame," the master replied. "Then," said the countess, "would you mind turning my daughter's music?"

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PORTRAYAL OF PILGRIM'S PROGRESS ENJOYED

The presentation of John Bunyan's immortal allegory in motion pictures was enjoyed by a good size audience at the First Baptist church last night. This remarkable story was faithfully portrayed; every important detail in the difficult but triumphant journey of "Christian" was enacted by a large company of trained actors, headed by Alexander Salvini, who impersonated the part of "Christian." The picture itself is considered a work of art. It was taken in Italy and the natural settings are ideal in every particular.

As the picture is exhibited on the screen, the interesting story is told by Riwyn Eaton. There is also organ accompaniment and vocal singing throughout the portrayal which adds to the impressiveness of the dream story of "Christian" as written by Bunyan in Bedford jail. The picture opens in the City of Destruction and ends at the Celestial City, which is the goal of "Christian."

This entertainment is given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church, and will be repeated tonight at 8:15 o'clock.

COLORED KNIGHTS GAVE EXHIBITION DRILLS

A feature last evening of the military reception of Douglas Co. No. 11, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, of this city, held at Saengerbund Hall, was the drilling of Excelsior Company of Newark. The local Knights also gave an exhibition drill. There was a grand march at 12 and the affair, which was well attended, closed at 2 a. m. Music was furnished by the colored Performers' Social League of New York.

The committee of arrangements were: Major S. H. Smith, First Lieutenant Jackson Ingram and Second Lieutenant Fred L. Chapman.

U. S. GOVERNMENT NEEDS MECHANICS

Owing to the increased construction being carried out by the U. S. Government, there will be a large increase in the number of employes at navy yards and ordnance establishments. The Government needs mechanics and helpers at Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia; Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, N. Y.; Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Mass.; Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, N. Y., and the navy yards at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Norfolk and Washington.

No educational examination is required, but applicants will be rated upon the evidence of their experience and physical ability. Further information may be had at the local postoffice.

REALTY AGENT SCORED BY CITY JUDGE

Judge De Mera scored William H. Way, a real estate operator in the City Court this morning, where he was arraigned on a charge of having insulted the tenants of a house in East Fifth street for which he is the agent.

The Court told Way that several complaints have been made against him, and that he must conduct himself differently. Sentence was suspended.

GAVE ADDRESS ON COLLEGE OF IDAHO

At the mid-week meeting held last night at the First Presbyterian church the members enjoyed an interesting address by Dr. William J. Boone. Dr. Boone, who is the president of the College of Idaho, illustrated his lecture with highly colored stereopticon views, giving in detail the work of the college.

WILL GIVE A "STRANDFEST"

Under the auspices of the Gesang and Turn Verein a "Strandfest" will be held at Saengerbund Hall, the borough, tonight. A pleasing program has been arranged and a feature will be that those attending will appear in summer attire.

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SMITH—On Tuesday, March 20, 1917, Mildred E., beloved daughter of George E. and Anna C. Smith, nee Gutbrod, aged 19 years.

Services at the parents' residence, 29 Mariners place, on Friday, March 23, at 2 p. m. Interment in the Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth, N. J.

DE GRAW—On Wednesday, March 21, 1917, Charles W. De Graw.

Services at the residence of his sister, Mrs. A. D. Cook, 119 East Seventh street, on Saturday, March 24 at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

BRIANT—On Tuesday, March 20, 1917, Abigail M., wife of the late Joel R. Briant, in her 85th year.

Services at her late residence, 65 Sandford avenue, on Friday, March 23, at 3 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. 3-21-3t

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DENTISTS TO CO-OPERATE IN TREATING RECRUITS

Dental preparedness plans are being made by the Central Dental Association of Northern New Jersey, according to the announcement yesterday of its president, Dr. George W. Wakeley, of Orange. All members of the New Jersey State Dental Association have been asked to pledge themselves to care for at least one army recruit in need of dental treatment. The suggestion met with instant approval of local members, who have hastened to advise the State officials that they will treat free of charge any army or navy applicant.

Dr. Wakeley has been authorized to appoint a special committee of dentists to confer with the National Dental Society, with offices in New York. Some of the leading dentists of the country have spoken in favor of making all dental societies units in the medical corps of the United States army. Dr. Wakeley said the local committeemen will be named within a day or two. He added that dentists throughout the State are eminently patriotic over the plans to help the Government in every manner possible. There will be no lack of free treatment for men rejected by army examiners because of defective teeth.

Through the preparedness league of American dentists, applicants for enlistment in the navy who have been rejected because of defective teeth, are to be treated without charge and placed in condition to pass the examinations.

During the last year the league has cared for about 1,000 such cases, and now, in co-operation with the Navy League, it is expected that about 1,500 cases a month will be treated hereafter. The Navy Department is co-operating in the movement by furnishing records of physical examination and lists of men rejected. The dentists will receive no compensation for themselves.

ANNUAL FAIR FOR THE CHILDREN'S WARD

While time and thought and work and money are being spent on all sides for the children of Europe, we must not forget the children of Plainfield. With this idea in view the pupils of the Hartridge School who have recently completed their sewing for the little Belgians at La Panne have turned their attention to the annual fair which they give the Saturday before Holy Week for the Children's Ward of Muhlenberg Hospital.

Each year the pupils and teachers have worked to raise $400 to support two beds, and with the surplus they have been able to help in other ways. They furnished the $500 for the initial equipment of the ward, and later screened the children's piazza. At a cost of $175. This year they have spent $100 for spreads and bassinets and wrappers and slippers for little convalescents.

Please remember, then, all you who love Plainfield and its hospital, and especially its children, that Saturday afternoon, the last day of March, you can do something to help them all.

The givers of the fair are working very hard in order that they may be able to offer you something pretty or useful or both. You will find among other things candy and flowers and Easter gifts and dolls and toys and balloons, and grab-bags and silk stockings and embroidery and games, and sweaters and handkerchiefs and pennants, and fancy bags and smocks and gardening tools, and flower pots and baskets and candle shades and painted boxes and refreshments.

PROGRAM FOR STATE PRESS ASSN. COMPLETE

Summit, March 22.—The committee appointed by the New Jersey Press Association, of which John W. Clift of this city is secretary, to prepare for an all-day business meeting at the State House, Trenton, April 30, has prepared the following program:

"The Newsprint Situation" by A. G. McIntyre, Walter N. Dear of the Jersey Journal presiding; "How to Write a News Story," William H. Fisher of the Toms River Courier presiding; "Free Advertising—Where Should the Line be Drawn?" Charles H. Frost of the Plainfield Courier-News and Press presiding.

"What Are You Doing to Meet the High Cost of Production?" J. Lyle Kinmonth of the Asbury Park Press presiding; "How to Solicit and Hold Advertising," J. W. Naylor of the Allentown Messenger presiding; "How to Obtain and Keep Country Correspondents," Charles L. Stryker of the Washington Star presiding.

"A Review of the Meeting of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association," August S. Crane of the Elizabeth Journal-presiding; "Constructive Policy for a Country Newspaper," E. A. Brinton of Passaic Herald presiding; "Would It be Advisable for New Jersey Dailies to Adopt Uniform Column Width of Twelve and One-half Ems?" W. B. Bryant of the Paterson Press-Guardian presiding.

"Foreign Advertising—Should Every Newspaper Have a Representative?". Fred W. Clift of the Summit Herald presiding.

Other topics for consideration are "The Field of the Rural Newspapers," "How Should the Rates for Advertising be Determined?", "Do Premiums, as Circulation Boosters, Pay?"

HOME FROM PHILADELPHIA

Miss Alice Corey, of Hillside avenue, is home from Philadelphia, where she spent several weeks.

ANNIVERSARY OF COMPANY K

(Continued from page 1)

rine, of Company Third Tennessee Infantry, writing from San Benito, Tex. One from George F. Binderwald, of Westfield; Edward Mosher, of Cranford; John B. M. Judson, of this city; Gunnar W. Hansen, Bridgeport, Conn.; John Randlov, of Skanderdord, Denmark; Lendrum Jennings, of Warren, Ohio; and from Sergeant Oliver R. Pearson, of Caldwell, N. J., who says he is gaining in health.

Captain Petersen acted as toastmaster, and during the evening, presented gold watch fobs for appreciation of services to Sergeant Augustus Van Arsdale and to Quartermaster Sergeant A. R. Tranchand. Another will be presented to Sergeant O. R. Pearson on his return to Plainfield.

At the close Colonel W. B. Martin read a patriotic poem "My Flag," which is a copy of the poem he presents to all applicants for naturalization at the County Clerk's office in Elizabeth.

The reception committee was composed of Captain Charles A. Peterson, First Lieutenant Arthur R. Phillips and Second Lieutenant James H. Conkling. The members of the entertainment committee were: First Sergeant George L. Apgar, chairman; Sergeants LeRoy De Camp and George H. Howell; Corporals Myrton E. Glover and Ellis Carman.

This company was organized February 27, 1901, after several attempts had been made to form a battery in Plainfield, and Hugh Knox, a former member of the Regular Army, was especially active in endeavoring to bring this about, but it was found that it would prove an expensive matter to obtain horses and other equipments and the idea was finally given up. The movement, however, was the forerunner of a national guard company. And this matter came to a head when the military company at Montclair was disbanded. Company K was organized and filled the gap in the Second Regiment made vacant by the disbanding of the Montclair company.

Company K was organized in the building at the corner of North and Park avenues. The organizing officer was Captain Wehsley, of Company M, Second Regiment, N. J. V., then living in Somerville. About sixty men were enrolled, and then Major D. F. Collins, of Elizabeth, and Colonel Quincy O'Malley Gilmore, later general, were present on the occasion. The Company afterwards took up its headquarters in the present armory, on West Front street.

The first Captain was Dr. W. Kempton Browning. He was followed by Captain W. B. Martin, now Lieutenant Colonel, of Elizabeth, the late Captain Harry B. Kitchell and Charles A. Petersen, the present captain.

The following was "The Call to Arms."

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Corporal Ellis Carman
Cook Philip Millwater
Cook Edward J. Horton
Musician Frank L. Sharp
Mechanic Fred'k H. Bowe, Jr.

Privates

Baumann, Charles H.
Bird, Ernest S.
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Bowden, Elmer A.
Campbell, Alex. C.
Clark, Percy H.
Dentz, Robert
Ellis, Walter H.
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Glass, Ray
Gordon, James D.
Gulberg, Carl A.
Hamm, John W.
Hanson, Max
Harrison, Thomas
Heidine, Eugene
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Hort, Nathaniel H.
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Millwater, John C.
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Pearson, Oliver R., Jr.
Pearsall, Ferris N.
Parrish, Joel
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Harry Elliott, Corporal
Myrton E. Glover, Corporal
Robert E. Goldsack, Corporal
Leadrum Jennings, Corporal
John F. Keppler, Corporal
Augustus Knosko, Corporal
Robert Goldrick, Corporal
John Millwater, Corporal
Stephen D. Millwater, Corporal
James C. Niles, Corporal
Archibald G. Niles, Corporal
Ferris E. Pearsall, Corporal
James F. Pearsall, Corporal
Samuel Rothberg, Corporal
Walter M. Sampson, Corporal
Thomas A. Weaver, Corporal
Philip E. Winter, Corporal
Fred'k H. Bowe, Jr., Mechanic
Gunner W. Hansen, Artificer
Frank S. Osmun, Musician

Privates

Herbert E. Adams
Oscar E. Anderson
Elmer A. Archibald
Ernest S. Bird
Howard Breese
George F. Bindewald
Joseph F. E. Bombrick
Raymond J. Bell
Samuel E. Beckham
William E. Bond
Percy H. Clark
LeRoy F. Clawson
Clinton Conover
George Herbert Cole
Edson C. Gardner
John Calder, Jr.
W. Edward Dunham
Robert Denis
Jesse A. Dayton, Jr.
Frederick Douglas
John Dorgan
Eugene F. Dorman
John Dorgan
James H. Frazee
Albert J. Ford
Alfred S. Gibbeon
William R. Hixon
Harvey M. Houston
Frank Hall
Rudolph Reinold
Edward W. Horn
Lefley C. Hahn
William J. Hartpence
John B. M. Judson
Charles Kenford
Robert Laing
Frank R. Latty
Norman H. Loughlin
Raymond Lungrer
Newton W. Lambert
Richard LaTourette
William Matthie
Thomas A. McGurk
William H. Mundy
Edward Mosher
Albert Millhiff
Philip E. Millwater
Samuel G. Millwater
Charles J. Overhaugh
Nelson R. Peterson
Rolfe Pozel
Horace Palmer
John J. Perry
Arthur F. Randolph
William F. Richards
Benjamin P. Scribner
Edward Slingland
Frank L. Sharp
Edward Teeple
Nathaniel Tilsworth
Percy W. Vail
Nelson L. Wiley
Harry J. Wolff
Walter M. Winter
Stanley F. Welch
Raymond Winn
Frank Wolff
Chas. S. Wilson
Chas. H. F. Weigmann
F. Bedell Wells
Harold G. Wahlig

The Last Roll Call

Captain: 2nd Lieut.
Harry B. Kitchell Edgar R. Pearsall
Sergeant: Corporal:
August M. Seiders Elias Giles

Privates

J. D. Conover
R. E. Galloway
Robert Harrison
J. D. McNabb
Everett Rathbun
Frank Stiglas

HEBREW ASSOCIATION CAMPAIGN PROGRESSES

The Young Men's Hebrew Association campaign for funds for their new building is progressing rapidly. Last evening in the rooms of the association the sum of $1000 was turned over to the treasurer by a half a dozen men, and so great was the enthusiasm after the treasurer and chairman had rendered their reports that the committee assured of an additional $500 in the treasury by Monday night.

Samuel H. Schwartz announced his gift of a lot, 25x100 feet, in Dunellen to that man or woman holding the lucky number at the bazaar which is to be given by the association immediately after entering their new quarters. The committee is meeting every evening in the headquarters, 204 West Front street, and will be pleased to receive any further contributions there or through the mails, addressed to Benjamin J. Kilsa, treasurer, 1036 West Front street.

The next meeting of the association will be held on Monday night, at which time all of the campaigners will make their reports. A small group of busy men, consisting of Benjamin J. Kilsa, Samuel Schwartz and Harry Dreier, will call on a number of the business men and other institutions tomorrow for their donations.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., at its meeting last night received several applications for membership.

PERSONAL

Henry Hoffman, of West Front street, who has been ill since the first of the year, has recovered and is able to be about again.

This Grand Occupies the Space of an Upright

"A Grand"—how long has this suggested spacious rooms and lots of money. The Opera Grand now enables you to realize your ambition for a grand. It can be used in any room that will hold an upright. And the price—$550—is no more than the cost of a good upright. The Opera Grand is a perfect instrument, with full, sweet tone and a handsome case of the latest design. Call and hear it.

$550

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(1961)

Report of the Condition of

THE STATE TRUST CO.

OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.

at the close of business March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES.

Bonds and mortgages	$ 38,975.00
Stocks and bonds	41,157.22
Title loans on collaterals	1,245,645.00
Demand loans on collaterals	44,242.96
Loans in cities and towns	43,500.00
Notes and bills purchased	238,805.62
Overdrafts	1,750.70
Due from banks, etc.	42,150.23
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	27,500.54
Other real estate	21,500.00
Cash on hand	144,658.83
Checks and cash items	1,995.08
Interest accrued	9,606.79
Other assets	4,390.00
	$1,149,582.72

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund	42,000.00
Undivided profits (net)	43,121.67
Time deposits	253,856.25
Demand deposits	687,841.80
Demand certificates of deposit	2,100.00
Certified checks	2,151.58
Treasurer's checks outstanding	1,457.35
Due to banks, etc.	16,593.20
Notes and bills re-discounted	None
Bills payable	20,000.00
Interest accrued	2,427.34
	$1,149,582.72

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss.

Edward F. Feickert, Vice-President, and Frederick T. Acton, Acting Treasurer of the above-named company, being duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

(Signed)
EDWARD F. FEICKERT,
Vice-President.
FREDERICK T. ACTON,
Acting Treasurer.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1917.

LULU M. STRYKER,
Commissioner of Deeds.

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J. V. E. VANDERHOOF,
ALEX MILNE,
Directors.

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SO PROUD HE'S MARRIED, GROWS NEARLY A FOOT

"Well, Mr. Scully, I feel better and a bigger man since you've married me. I'm going to try to rise to meet my new responsibilities and become a big figure in the world."

As he spoke the bridegroom, who was about five feet ten inches tall, began to grow, until he looked down on the astonished city clerk from a height of six feet five inches. Then, he extended an arm at least a foot longer than it had been at moment before, and grasping Mr. Scully's hand, thanked him warmly for having performed the ceremony.

This ceremony took place in the city hall in New York, yesterday and the bridegroom was Terence Ed. Willard, son of A. E. Willard, of this city, befter known as "the Rubber Man," who for years has astounded audiences in Europe and America by his power to increase his height at will.

The bride was Miss Ila M. Barnard, of 896 Asylum avenue, Hartford, Conn., who is said to be very wealthy. Mr. Willard will not give up his profession, but will now be accompanied by his wife on his future trips.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Netherwood Reformed church will have charge of the service at Rescue Mission this evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested to attend this service.

LEGAL NOTICES.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FURTHER ADDITION TO THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE ALREADY CONSTRUCTED IN THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, No. 18.

WHEREAS, There has been constructed in said city a system of sewerage and such addition is contained in maps from time to time been taken as is set forth in the preamble to the ordinance of said city entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of an addition to the system of sewerage already constructed in the City of Plainfield," approved November 7, 1892, to which preamble reference is hereby made for greater certainty; and

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Common Council the public good requires that a further addition, as hereinafter described to the system of sewerage already constructed, should be now constructed in and for the said city under the provisions of the Act in said preamble referred to, and the Common Council has so determined and does hereby so determine; therefore,

The Mayor and Common Council of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Common Council doth hereby direct and order that a further addition to the system of sewerage already constructed under said Act and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, be constructed in and for said city under the provisions of the Act of the Legislature above referred to, with all the appurtenances necessary to complete the same, and of such dimensions and material and according to such plans as the said Common Council may hereafter direct, in and through the following described streets, avenues, property, lands and rights of way described, mentioned and referred to in this ordinance, to wit:

Front Street, North, from Jefferson Avenue 434 feet eastwardly;

Madison Avenue, from West Front Street to Central Avenue;

West Second Street, from Park Avenue to Central Avenue.

Adopted by the Common Council March 19, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor, March 21, 1917.

LEIGHTON CALKINS,
Mayor.

Attest:
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to Establish the Curb Lines on Watchung Avenue from East Fifth Street to East Fourth Street," a copy of which is subjoined to this notice, was introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it be the duties of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m. on Monday, the ninth day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, at which time and place prior to the adoption of said ordinance said ordinance will be considered by the Common Council, and all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council.
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE CURB LINES ON WATCHUNG AVENUE FROM EAST FIFTH STREET TO EAST FOURTH STREET.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the curb lines of Watchung Avenue from East Fifth Street northerly curb line of East Fifth Street to the northerly curb line of East Fourth Street (west of Watchung Avenue) be and they are hereby established as follows: Said curb lines shall be distant twenty (20) feet at right angles from a line parallel with and westerly of center line of said Watchung Avenue, beginning at the point of intersection of said curb line of said Watchung Avenue, as herein ordered to be widened, shall be connected with the present curb line by a converging line of curb not less than five (5) feet long.

1-22-25

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.
FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m., at which time and place said bids will be opened, for receiving sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of cotton rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right is reserved any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.
JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 14, 1917.
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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 22.

Russia continued her offensive in the Dvinsk region, making heavy captures.

The transatlantic liner Minneapolis, used as a British transport, torpedoed by a submarine in the Mediterranean, but remained afloat.

Two Years Ago Today.

Fortress of Przemysl, Galicia, surrendered to Russian army under Dmitriev after a siege of seven months. Italian parliament passed national defense law.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1917.

RUSSIA AND AMERICA

When the news of the upheaval in Russia was received in Washington the first thought of those watching developments among the Entente Allies was "What effect will it have in England, France and Italy?" The first flashes from London to Washington indicated that the trouble had been discounted. It was said that the condition of affairs in Russia had been thoroughly understood both in England and France, and prominent Englishmen professed to be pleased that the outbreak had come at this time. Prominent men in Washington have known of the existence of a clique of pro-German agitators in Russia whose work is so stupendous and far-reaching as to make the Teutonic operations exposed in the United States look like a mere nothing. It is known that Teutonic pressure brought to bear on the Czar and his immediate circle was so intense that Russians alive to the seriousness of a break with the Entente Allies were fearful. The Grand Duke Michael, younger brother of the Czar, who was banished from Russia by his brother on account of his marriage with a divorced woman who was not considered of high enough social standing to be consort to a member of the royal house of Russia, is described by an American who met him in Switzerland, as a fine type of gentleman, democratic beyond anything known of Grand Dukes. In the disturbed state of affairs it would be a rash person who would predict the happenings of the near future in Russia. The concensus of opinion, however, is that the pro-German element has failed and that the clumsy Teutonic diplomacy has once more worked against itself. It is believed that the trend of emigration from Russia to Canada and the United States will be materially affected by the new order of things at home. Russian resources are so great and there is so much undeveloped farming land, especially in southeastern Siberia, that Russia needs all the men she can get. Hitherto the emigration has been caused by hardships undergone by the peasants at the hands of the Government. The reason for the emigration of the Jews is perfectly well known.

The Boice-Runyon Company, notwithstanding an unprecedented call upon their stock for domestic sizes of coal, still have an ample supply on hand.

Mud, snow, slush, conditions due to the season of the year, cause unavoidable delays in delivery. We would therefore suggest that you set your mind at ease by ordering now.

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Whatever the immediate outcome of the present break may be it is altogether likely that Russia, with its vast domain of undeveloped land, will offer more inducements to her own people to stay at home. Present signs point to a decrease of emigration of all kinds to the United States.

A DAY OF WRATH

American manufacturers are now making as much dyestuff as we used to import from Germany—that is to say 30,000 tons a year, in place of 3,000. They are making them because the manufacture is protected by the British blockade of German ports. Remove the blockade by the termination of the war, and adhere to the policy of giving this manufacture no adequate tariff protection, and where would this new industry be? "Away die Ewigkeit," probably, for after the war the enormous mass of dyestuffs, a by-product of war munitions, which Germany has been accumulating, would promptly be dumped on the American market. Germany would give the dyestuffs away to get the business back. The position of several other newly built-up industries is virtually the same. The proclamation of peace will be a day of wrath for many an American manufacturer, under prevalent economic legislation at Washington.—Boston Transcript.

APRIL THE WAR MONTH

Superstitious people, and some who are not superstitious but merely observing, are pointing to the fact that with the exception of the war with England in 1812, every foreign war in which the United States has been involved started during the month of April. The war of the Revolution began April 19, 1775, at Concord and Lexington. The War with Mexico began April 24, 1846. War was declared against Spain, April 21, 1898. Now, in order to add force to this statement, let it be considered that the Civil War began with the Fort Sumter attack April 12, 1861, and the Black Hawk War, the greatest conflict with Indian forces, began April 21, 1831. The first of April is two weeks off.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The Women's Police Service in London has been tried and found to be a success. Now, will not one of our pacifist dove-fanciers break forth into a song: "I did not raise my daughter to be a policewoman."

Forty years ago Michael Idvorsky Pupin, coming from the Balkans, walked up Broadway wearing a red fez, was bidded by some American hoodlums, whereupon he waded in and cleaned up the bunch. Recently he invented a device to overcome the atmospheric condition known as static interference in wireless telegraphy, and he has donated it to our army and navy. We will trade William J. Bryan and his entire rag carpet sewing circle of pacifists for another such Balkan as Michael Idvorsky Pupin.

The next chairman of the Ways and Means Committee will be Hon. Joseph Warren Fordney, of Michigan and nobody has any doubts as to where Fordney stands on the protective question. He is for "America First," last, and all the time.

Why does Mr. Bryan keep on talking about "waiting a year" before breaking off with Germany? It was in 1915 that the Lusitania was sunk!

Barney Baruch insists that he did not profit by that "leak" from the State department, but made $468,000 on the stock market by deductions. The teaching of deductions apparently has been neglected in the schools.

Henry Ford offers, in case of war, to lend the Government money without interest. Congress doubtless would like to have him strike out the war clause. Congress needs the money.

Had T. R. been President, the United States would either have been ordering the whole world around, or picking itself up ruefully out of the ditch.

You may see that tighter waist-line in the clothes of the college boys and the bank clerks, but not in those of the manufacturers, merchants and bank presidents.

If an American shipowner doesn't sail his ship regardless of submarines, he is cowardly and lacking enterprise, and if he does sail he is taking reckless chances and is not entitled to protection.

Spring Hat Day was observed by a large number of our citizens by very extensive and exhaustive brushing of last fall's headgear.

Perhaps protection could be secured for American citizens by appealing to relatively powerful nations like little Switzerland.

STRUCK BY AUTO

Martin Miltner, of Church street, driving his automobile through Richmond street yesterday afternoon, struck and slightly injured James Brennan, of Webster place, who is alleged to have stepped out in front of the car.

Brennan was taken to the office of Dr. Pittis where his injuries were dressed, after which he went to his home.

Mr. Miltner reported the accident to the police.

Return Visit of

Rt. Rev. Chas. E. Woodcock

Bishop of Kentucky

Grace Church

7th and Sycamore Streets

SUNDAY, MARCH 25th

10.30 A. M.—8 P. M.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to hear Bishop Woodcock on this occasion.

SAYS HOT WATER EACH DAY KEEPS THE DOCTOR AWAY

Drink glass of hot water before breakfast to wash out poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, spitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Before dressing, whether afiing, sick or well, should each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.—Adv.

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Canned Goods

We cannot too strongly urge at this time the advisability of buying Canned Vegetables. Stocks of this description are nearly exhausted in the hands of jobbers, and in some cases it would be impossible for us to duplicate even at the prices we quote for the following:

Vegetables 1916 Packing

Sugar Corn—Full pack; extra fancy Maine Corn; No. 2 tins. White Label, tin, 18c; dozen $2.00
Paris Brand, tins, 16c; dozen $1.75
Solid Pack Tomatoes—The finest full red ripe fruit; No. 3 cans.
White Label Brand, tins, 18c dozen $2.00
White Diamond Brand, tins, 15c; dozen $1.75
Succotash—Maine Corn and Tiny Green Limas; White Label, No. 2 cans; tin, 18c; dozen $2.00
Beets—Extra Fancy Small Red Beets; Royal Scarlet; No. 2 cans; tins, 20c; dozen $2.25
Peas—No. 2 tins; the finest Tiny Green Peas packed—
White Label, tin, 20c; dozen $2.25
Premier, tin, 16c; doz. ..$1.75
Lima Beans—Smallest tender Green Limas; No. 2 cans—
White Label, tin, 20c; dozen $2.25
Nabob Brand, tin, 16c; dozen $1.75
Asparagus Tips—No. 2 cans—Hudson Brand, Fancy Green tips; tin, 30c; doz. $3.45
Asparagus (whole) — Monmouth Green; fancy tender stalks—
Pratt-Low Brand; tin, 30c; dozen $3.45

—FLOUR—

Rapid advances in the market make us believe that the purchase of a barrel of Flour would be a most wise one. We offer for Friday and Saturday, Heckers or Gold Medal Flour—

Bag $1.40 **Bbl. $11.15**

Olive Oil (French)—Packed from the first pressing of the finest rich Olives. We offer it as a first class article in every respect.
Quart tins 85c
½-gallons $1.65

Coffee—White Label Brand, consisting of the finest selections of Coffees blended in such a way as to give a most delicious and fragrant cup of coffee to the user.
35c lb.; 3 lbs., $1.00

—Seed Potatoes—

A very fine lot of first class free from blight Maine Seed Potatoes. Each year we have sold enormous quantities of these, using great care to secure the best to be found on the market. The varieties consist of Early Rose, Bovise Early, Irish Cobbler, Green Mountain.

Fruits and Vegetables

Despite the fact that it is almost impossible to secure a good many fresh vegetables, a glance will show you that our efforts have been well put forth. We offer for Friday and Saturday—Fresh Green Asparagus, Green Peas, Green Beans, Fresh Lima Beans, Wax Beans, Fancy Celery, Cauliflower, New Beets, Egg Plant, Spinach, Beet Greens, Kale, Oyster Plant, Fresh Tomatoes, Lettuce, Romaine, Radishes, Peppers, Cucumbers, Endive, Mushrooms, Artichokes.

Fresh Strawberries, Pineapples, Cal. Oranges, Fancy Grape Fruit, Bananas, Florida Oranges, Delicious Apples, Spitzenberg Apples, Malaga Grapes, Table Peaches, Winter Banana Apples, Fancy Baldwins.

Teco Pancake Flour—Regular 12c seller. Friday and Saturday, package 9c
Honey—Pure Clover or Buckwheat (Comb) 22c

Paris Fancy Sugar Cured Bacon—Strips weighing from 2½ to 4 lbs.; one of the most delicious breakfast Bacons we know of; lb. 25c

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Hecker's Flap Jack, pkg. 10c
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Large Jar Queen Olives, worth 50c, at 39c
Republic Jams, all flavors, jar 19c
California Sliced Peaches, 2 cans 25c
Fancy Strawberry Beets, No. 2 cans 15c
1-lb can Fancy Sauer Kraut 10c
Armour's Lunch Tongue, can 30-35c
Fancy Herring Roe, No. 2 cans 15c
Fancy Smoked Bloaters, 5c, or 3 for 10c
Fancy Boneless Herring, worth 25c lb., at 19c
Steers Bouillon Cubes, 3oz box 25c

Burnham & Morrell's Pork and Beans, No. 2 cans 12c
High Grade Brand Baked Beans, No. 2 can 15c; No. 1 can 9c
Mother Cook's Tomato Soup, can 9c; 3 cans 25c
Fancy Clover Honey, 1-lb box, reg. 25c, at 20c
Karo Corn Syrup, reg. 12c can at 10c
Fancy Sweet Potatoes, No. 2 cans, 12 for 25c
Lenox Laundry Soap, 8 cakes 25c
Kirkman's Washing Powder, No. 1 pkg. 10c
20 Mule Team Borax, reg. 15c pkg. 12c
Large Rolls Crepe Toilet Paper, 5 for 25c
California Dried Peaches, 2 lbs 25c
Japanese Toilet Paper, large rolls, 3 for 25c
N. Y. State Fancy Evaporated Apples, 3 pkgs. 25c

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An excellent variety all colorings at ..... $5 and $6.50
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Three hundred pairs; one or two buttons; black, white and tan; three row, plain or contrast embroidered backs.

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Uneeda Biscuits, per pkg. 4c
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Fancy Grape Fruit; guaranteed good flavor; 4, 5 and 6 for 25c; by box 3.00
Fancy Winesap Apples by the box 2.75
Fancy Roman Beauty Apples; 96 to a box; 2.75
Fancy Hothouse Lettuce; nice and tender; 2 heads for 25c
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Saturday, March 24

This desirable plot of building lots is situated part on Jackson avenue and Belmont avenue, and situated in a very promising residential section of the borough. A number of new residences have been built here and to any one anticipating building a home or buying for investment this will give them an opportunity to do so. The hour and a more detailed description of the property will appear in a later date of this paper. The property will be sold free and clear from all incumbrances. For further information apply to the Auctioneer—

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ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT FLORIDA

M. F. Gano Enjoyed Every Minute of His Sojourn in Lakeland

M. F. Gano has just returned from Lakeland, Florida. He reported it as being one of the show places of the State with its orange and grape fruit groves loaded with luscious fruit, and the air filled with the fragrance of orange blossoms, blooming roses, and sweet peas.

He says that to a northern man who is now facing the chilling winds of March it may seem impossible, but on Thursday was the thermometer at the Lakeland Highlands Country Club House where he was stopping registered 78 in the shade.

Lakeland Highlands is situated near the center of the State, and said to be the highest point in Florida, 200 feet higher than either Jacksonville or Tampa, and thus has the benefit of the breezes from both the Atlantic Ocean and the Gulf of Mexico.

The city of Lakeland has about six thousand inhabitants and is in Polk county, which has about five hundred fresh water lakes well stocked with fish. There also is good hunting.

There is an association at the Lakeland Highlands that owns over eleven thousand acres, much of it already set out with grape fruit trees, and the planting is going on as rapidly as the land can be cleared and put in condition for setting the trees. It will be about a year before the work is completed as the setting of trees is discontinued from April first until December.

While talking with W. T. Hallam, president of the association Mr. Gano was told that their aim is to make this section the grape fruit centre of the world, as Kalamazoo is for celery, and Grand Rapids the furniture centre.

Mr. Gano found the southland so very comfortable and attractive that it was with great reluctance he started on his return to the chilly northland, which he did somewhat earlier than he intended, because of the possibility of the much talked of railroad strike.

He found that the reports of the damage by loss of fruit from the frost did not apply to the Lakeland Highland vicinity, as the estimated loss there was but one per cent., mostly on trees of one and two years growth, but none at all on trees beyond that age. As a matter of fact seventy-five per cent. of the fruit had been gathered in that section before the freeze came. The loss on the young trees was not a serious matter as when cut down to the ground new growth shoots out and the new tree is stronger than before.

Mr. Gano, being a real estate broker, is naturally a keen observer of property values and he considers the section referred to, one of the most satisfactory, either for an investment or for winter homes. The famous Dixie Highway passes through this section.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Plainfield Trust Co.

OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.,
at the close of business
MARCH 5, 1917

RESOURCES

Bonds and mortgages	$1,163,074.20
Stocks and bonds	1,048.56
Time loans on collaterals	621,436.89
Demand loans on collaterals	769,254.57
Short term bonds of cities towns and other municipalities	592,442.91
Notes and bills purchased	2,845,917.61
Overdrafts	881.48
Due from banks, etc.	1,089,662.23
Banking-house	35,000.00
Other real estate	23,177.60
Cash on hand	138,841.20
Checks and cash items	8,962.85
Interest accrued	22,356.88
	$8,539,062.23

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$200,000.00
Surplus fund	200,000.00
Undivided profits	144,458.22
Time deposits, $2,999,187.23	
Time certificates of deposit	721,271.79
Demand deposits	3,821,333.77
Deposits certificates of deposits	47,072.46
Certified checks	6,378.27
Treasurer's checks outstanding	537.72
Due to banks, etc.	364,424.89
Taxes accrued	7,800,705.98
Interest accrued	24,039.25
	3,900.00
	$8,539,062.23

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss.
O. Waring, president, and De-Witt Hubbell, treasurer of the above-named company, being severally duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says that the foregoing statement is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

O. T. WARING, President.
DE WITT HUBBELL, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of March, A. D. 1917.

A. H. KIRBY,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
SAMUEL TOWNSEND,
C. W. LADD, JR.,
V. HEELY,
Directors.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. O. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey E. Lamberger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 956, Plainfield, N. J. T-1-4-6-8-tf

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LOST—A school medal. If found return same to St. Mary's School, or 507 West Fourth street, and receive reward. 3-20-3t

LOST—Small black hand bag containing bank book and small amount of money. Return to 1032 Evergreen avenue. Reward. 3-22-3t

LOST—Gold watch and fob, Phelps & Perry on face of watch, Illinois movement, fob with black ribbon and gold pendant with initials R. J. P. on. Liberal reward and no questions asked for return to R. J. Powers, Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield. 3-20-5t

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Deweller, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 1256 North avenue. 3-12-1m

ROOMS TO LET with board; desirable location. 21 Sandford avenue. 3-22-1m.

BOARD AND ROOMS for five men. "X. Y. L.," care Courier-News. 3-22-3t

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

TWO furnished rooms to let for light housekeeping. 17 Grove street. 3-21-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. Apply 409 East Fifth street. 3-22-3t

FURNISHED ROOM for rent, suitable for two men; private family; improvements; board optional. 330 Grant avenue. 3-21-2t

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping or board. 'Phone 929-M. 3-21-3t

FOUR large rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping, piano, 'phone and shady porch. Netherwood section; very reasonable. Address "L. A.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family; 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 3-17-1t

THREE furnished rooms, light housekeeping privileges, near Crescent avenue. Address "V." care Courier-News, or 'phone 235-R. 3-16-6t

PLEASANT furnished rooms to let. 219 East Fifth street. 3-16-6t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 2-14-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, part improvements. West End. Address "M. W." care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

TO LET—Second flat next to M. E. church; rent $20; no children. N. J. Piano Co., 311 West Front street. 3-22-3t

FIVE ROOMS, all improvements, including steam heat. 527 West Fifth street. 3-21-3t

FLAT FOR RENT—Six rooms, all improvements, $12.00. Bakery, Park avenue, Scotch Plains, N. J.

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger. Call 1043-W. 3-22-1m

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 2-22-tf

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PORTABLE GARAGES built to order from $90 to $300. Phone 1062-W. 3-22-1m

NEW GOWN dressmaker desires engagements, experienced in all branches of the trade. Address "Individuality," care Courier-News. 3-21-4t

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 328 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 666. 3-6-1m

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1228 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 220 Park avenue. 'Phone 940. 3-14-tf

FOR EXCHANGE

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local. W. R. Way. 3-16-7t

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-gist. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres, tillable; seven rooms; garage; to rent. "Farm," care Courier-News. 3-15-1m

BARN TO LET—Inquire 126 Plainfield avenue. 3-20-3t

TO LET—Garage, cement floor, 247 Dunellen avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 3-21-3t

FOR RENT—Barn, suitable for garage. 243 Somerset street. 3-21-6t

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

FOUR ROOMS to let, city water and gas and garden and fruit. Inquire J. W. Bremmer, 148 Greenbrook road. 3-21-3t

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

FOUR ROOMS and bath, all improvements, at 21 Grove street. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 417-J. 3-22-3t

ROOMS TO LET—Water and gas, 414 West Third street. Inquire inside or 317 East Second street. 3-20-3t

MOULDER — Polish preferred; out of town position; good wages to experienced man; state age and experience. Address Box 316, 1040 Broadway, New York City. 3-21-2t

WANTED—An experienced man to repair and polish some dining room and bed room furniture. Address "Household," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

LABORERS WANTED; steady work, highest wages. Apply F. W. Rushmore, Ravine road, Netherwood. 3-22-3t

BOY for inspection department. Apply T. J. Healy, Standard Aero Corporation, 768 North avenue. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Man on small country place to drive, take care of horse and garden and to make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely reliable references. Telephone 1847-J, evenings. 3-22-2t

FOUNDRY laborers wanted. Hall Printing Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-22-3t

WANTED — Experienced man (white) on gentleman's place; must understand farming. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-22-2t

INSURANCE MEN to solicit for industrial fire insurance in Plainfield; first-class contract to producers. Address "Insurance," care Courier-News. 3-22-3t

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothberg's. 3-21-3t

USEFUL and outside man wanted; must know something about automobiles and have good reference. Apply 1000 Central avenue. 3-21-3t

WANTED—Steady, reliable man for responsible position in factory at night. Apply Hemingway & Co., Inc., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Man to beat carpet and general house cleaning work for one or two days. Inquire evenings, 754 West Front, corner West End avenue. 3-22-2t

WANTED—Clean bright boys for light factory work; must have working papers. Apply at once, Allen Pharmacal Co., 119 East Fourth street. 3-21-3t

PAINTERS WANTED. Apply International Motor Co. 3-20-3t

WANTED—By the month, white man, single, for all around work; must be good teamster; will room and board. "A. A.," care Courier-News. 3-21-4t

WANTED—Driver for coal wagon. W. H. Sharkey, Richmond and Third streets. 3-21-tf

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TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; gas with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

TO LET—Apartment, part improvements, to small family; reference required. "J. P.," care Courier-News.

SIX-ROOM apartment to rent. Inquire at Neuhaus Bros. 3-22-3t

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-3t

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, first floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-15,16,17,22,23,24

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey B. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-29-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

BEST BUSINESS corner property for sale. East End. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-16-6t

FOR SALE—Six-acre farm, 7-room house; fruit trees. Munrin Robustelli, South Plainfield. 3-21-4t

11-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook; five acres woodland, large lawn, 100 peach trees, 30-room house, outbuildings, nice; fine condition; $125 per acre; easy terms; exchange for desirable income property considered. Particulars, P. O. Box 234, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-19-6t

FOR SALE, Salem county, N. J., potato farm, 21 acres, clear, in good condition; plenty fruit, good building; close to school, church, railroad station; price $2,600, $1,000 cash. Apply owner, 923 West Third street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on instalments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Dano, 216 Watchung avenue. 12-8-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR, married, wishes work for Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Inquire 2008 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 746-W. 3-20-3t

CHAUFFEUR wants position, private or commercial; reference. Address "N," care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

CHAUFFEUR, married, experienced, careful driver, do all repairs and make himself useful around house. Address "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

CHAUFFEUR (24) wishes position, private or commercial; 4 years' experience; do own repairs; careful driver; good references. "Careful," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good, careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car. New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N." care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 128 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED — Three unfurnished rooms; convenient for housekeeping, garden, conveniences; preferably east section. "L. B." care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

WANTED—Lease small farm not over 25 miles from New York. Full particulars first letter. Box 259, Dunellen. 3-22-3t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 3-23-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WILL PAY CASH for nearly all kinds of timber delivered. Apply James Freeman, Westfield. 3-22-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

LARGE AUCTION SALE of household goods in the large auditorium over J. W. Gavett's china store, 318 West Front street, being used as temporary auction rooms by Robert Murray, the auctioneer, for several months past, and now he will vacate them by April 1st to his permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street where he is making large improvements and will have ample room both for auction rooms and show rooms for displaying goods. The above mentioned sale will comprise several van loads of fine household goods and part storage and must be disposed of, commencing on Thursday, March 22, at 10 a. m., and will continue until all is sold. The following is a partial list: One fine toned upright piano, one mahogany parlor suite, 10 4-piece library suite, one flat-top oak desk, three book cases, one mahogany hall rack, one walnut mahogany davenport, 2 box couches, two mahogany bureaus, one bird's-eye maple bureau, one bird's-eye maple chiffonier, three fine brass beds, three couches, several enameled white iron beds, one mahogany bed, five bed room suites, two sideboards, several large easy chairs, one side table, two extension tables, library table, lady's writing desk, two cabinet folding beds, almost new; oak chiffoniers, two almost new pianolos, stuffed couches, a number of rolls of music, one onyx top marble mantel clock, one mantel mahogany clock, a number of wall pictures, two sewing machines, several rugs, also 9x12, 8x10 and 1x2½ tan cabinet organs, two music boxes, two piano lamps, lot kitchen utensils, lot bric-a-brac, etc. Refreshments will be served at noon to all purchasers. Robert Murray, auctioneer. Permanent auction rooms at 326 and 328 West Front street, Plainfield. 'Phone 666. 3-16-1t

FOR SALE—Small building, 12x20 ft., suitable for garage; price reasonable. 'Phone 1668-J. 3-21-3t

PIANO—Upright, mahogany case, almost new; cheap to cash buyer. Address "G. J. O." care Courier-News. 3-21-6t

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Ice box, bed cot and tables, etc. 243 Somerset street. 3-21-3t

FOR SALE—Huff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1246 George street. 3-27-1m

FOR SALE—Mason & Hamlin organ, ten stops, in excellent condition; have two, so will take $15.00 and deliver. J. K. Roddy, R. D. 2. 3-21-2t

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

KINDLING, block and crate wood. P. Fugmann, 625 South; second street. 1-22-tf

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M 3-12-2m

FOR SALE—R. I. Red hatching eggs. John H. Sebring, Bound Brook, N. J. R. F. D. No. 1. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-1-1m

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage, good condition, cheap. 320 East Fifth street. 3-22-2t

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of cultivators, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools and other articles of use on a farm. Also some very fine mahogany furniture; one mahogany roll top desk. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Railway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Vellusky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfeld's Bakery. 11-7-tf, 863

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; price reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 849 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-16-3m

NINE guinea pigs, four-compartment breeding pen. $12.00. Barn, 110 West Fifth street. 3-21-3t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching, 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and Scott place. 3-20-tf

FOR SALE—Drop head Wheeler & Wilson machine; price $10. Apply 30 Harrison avenue. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—Two goats, 1 fresh goat and 1 kid. Apply 126 Plainfield avenue. 3-20-3t

POULTRY SALE—FIVE WHITE LEGHORN COCKERELS, $1.00; BARRED ANCONA COCKERELS, $1.25; 1 BUFF ORPINGTON COCK, $2.50; 1 COCKEREL, $2.00; 8 BEAUTIFUL WHITE WYANDOTTE PULLETS AND SPLENDID COCKEREL FOR $15.00; 4 RHODE ISLAND RED HENS, LARGE, $1.50 EACH; 2 BLACK JAVAS, $1.25 EACH; 1 EXOTIC BLACK SILKY CAMPINE COCK BIRD, $5.00; 2 WHITE LEGHORNS, $1.25 EACH. MARSHALL, 31 COMPTON AVENUE. 3-20-3t

HORSE FOR SALE, reasonable. E. Clarke, Woolworth avenue, South Plainfield, 5 minutes' walk from high station. 3-20-3t

R. C. R. I. Red eggs, 75c per 15; setting hens, $2.00 each; cockerels and pullets. 322 Walnut street, Dunellen, N. J. 1-12,16,19,22,26,29; 4-2,5,9,12,16,19

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, 1261 East Front street. 3-17-tf

FOR SALE—Two extra fine Toulouse ganders, also 1 setting goose eggs. 1326 Park avenue. 3-20-22-24

FOR SALE—A thoroughbred Rose Comb Wyandotte one-year-old rooster by F. Kirch, Clinton avenue. 3-22-2t

FOR SALE—Lot of old lumber, good for firewood. Call mornings, Mrs. D. Blackford, between New Market and South Plainfield. 3-22-2t

FOR SALE—$90 buys a good horse for driving or suitable for business. Call 58 Chatham street. 3-22-2t

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash. In large or small quantities, all or 'phone 1762. Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior motorcycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

YALE motorcycle for sale, in good running order. Call 145 West Second street. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE—Gentleman's wheel, cheap. 112 Jackson avenue, Boro. 3-21-3t

ONE-CYLINDER Pope motorcycle, first-class condition, at very low price. Apply 911 West Third street, Plainfield. 3-19-6t

BOARD WANTED

SMALL FAMILY of adults want table board in vicinity of Seventh street between Grant and Monroe avenues; breakfast and dinner, or dinner only; liberal payment for satisfactory accommodations. "Table Board," care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

WANTED—Place to board child 2½ years old in private family. "J. J.," care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 3-23-tf

HUPMOBILE 20 for sale, in A-1 shape. Address "Hup," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

SECOND-HAND Stoddard-Dayton, in good condition, cheap; easy terms. 300 Park avenue. 3-22-1t

1916 FORD for sale, first-class condition; can be seen from 6 to 8 evenings. 1001 West Third street. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—1916 Maxwell touring car, 1915 Buick touring, 1916 Metz roadster, 1912 Cadillac touring, 1914 Buick touring, Stoddard-Dayton roadster. M. & S. Auto Co., 222 West Front street. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—Reo touring car, equipped with winter top and removable plate glass windows; recently overhauled; new batteries, excellent opportunity to obtain all year round car at moderate cost. Address "Reo," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

HIGH GRADE auto top and seat covers, Packard or Cadillac style made to order by New York mechanic, at very reasonable prices. J. H. De Ley, formerly with Brewster & Co., New York, and The Packard Motor Co., Detroit. 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 7-24-1y

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU *to equal my offer in Plainfield.*

$200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house, improvements, on large plot, restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Owner 105," Courier-News. 3-20-3t

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for flats. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acres, orchard, barn, fruit and shade trees. Four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE on easy terms, 1-story house, all improvements, $5,800; 1 new house, all improvements, $5,200; several choice lots, $450 up. Apply J. P. Fenner, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-17-1m-22

FOR SALE—House, 8 rooms, all improvements; large lot; in fine location; must sell now. Reasonable down, balance your own terms. Address "Good Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-2-3t

FOR SALE—Six-room house, in the West End, near trolley, part improvements; rent $16.00 a month; price $2,000. Address "P," care Courier-News. 3-22-3t

NEW PALACE HOUSES, choice location, some with two and others with three bath rooms; everything first-class; low price; easy terms. Send for pictures. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-21-3t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey B. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Place. 4-28-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail.

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-5-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, for only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Tyng Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-s-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-5-tf

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WANTED—Quick mortgage loan of $2,500; good security. Address "Loan," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

WANTED—$5,000, first mortgage on new Plainfield house; excellent location. Box "T. A." care Courier-News. 2-10-6t

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-tf

AT NORFOLK, Conn., house and stable, will rent for summer. E. W. Cox, 150 East Seventh street. 3-17-2t

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, improvements lower floor 5 large rooms, upper 6; $21.00 each; 1077 Arlington avenue. Inquire A. B. Silleo, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-20-6t

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 634 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply F. Lanke, 227 West Front street. 3-21-3t

TO LET—Six-room house, with bath; rent reasonable. Inquire 61 Rock avenue. 2-22-4t

TO LET—Seven rooms and bath, all improvements, Netherwood. W. H. Way, 308 Watchung avenue. 3-20-3t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, water; over an acre of land, 150 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 6 minutes' walk from Bound Brook depot; will sell reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-6t

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 8 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large verands, large grounds, residential section, near trolley; immediate possession; rent $45.00. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, all latest improvements, hot water heat, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street. Jacob Sachar, 634 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2t

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings, Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Experienced saleslady for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 411 Watchung avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—A good reliable white cook; no laundry; wages $35 to $45 per month. Address "C. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

INTELLIGENT GIRLS for light work; steady positions at good pay. Apply 1 to 3 p. m.; Bosch Magneto. 3-22-2t

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Middle-aged lady for plain sewing and to care for small apartment. Address "A. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Experienced waitress, accustomed to boarding house. Apply 312 East Seventh street. 3-21-2t

WANTED—Mother's helper who understands care of infant. Address 404 Willow street, Cranford, N. J. 3-20-22

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 725 Berkeley avenue, Netherwood. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Young girl as chambermaid or waitress, white or colored. 'Phone 299-R. 3-22-2t

GIRL WANTED to work in women's apparel store; must have some knowledge of bookkeeping; state experience and salary expected. Address "Knowledge," care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

WANTED — Experienced cooks, general housekeepers, waitresses, chambermaids, white and colored. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-22-3t

WANTED—White waitress and chambermaid, with references. Mrs. Atterbury, 316 West Seventh street.

WANTED—White girl for general housework; three in family. 114 East Sixth street. 3-22-3t

WANTED — First-class girl as chambermaid and waitress; good reference required. Apply 306 Watchung avenue. 3-22-4t

WANTED — Experienced milliner and saleslady at Rosenthal's, 210 West Front street. 3-22-2t

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-15-tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

DRESSMAKING by the day or work home. Call 408 East Fifth street. Tel. 967-W. 3-21-1m

WANTED—Situation for experienced chambermaid and waitress for summer months; country preferred; June 20th to September 20th. Apply 1 Myrtle avenue. 'Phone 2471. 3-21-3t

WHITE WOMAN wishes to do washing Tuesdays. Mrs. Yurkus, 836 West Third street.

GIRL wants place as laundress. 116 Park avenue. 3-21-2t

A GOOD colored laundress, with reference, would like work Tuesday and Wednesday. "M. C." care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

GIRL WANTS position general housework. Apply 310 New street. 3-21-2t

RESPONSIBLE woman desires work by day, general housecleaning or laundry work. Address "X. X." care Courier-News. 3-20-3t

EXPERIENCED chambermaid-waitress wants position; good reference. Address 1314 Somerset street. 3-20-4t

COLORED WOMAN, 319 Plainfield avenue, wishes day's work or work to take home. 3-21-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male and Female

MARRIED COUPLE, Scandinavian, want place, wife as cook, husband as chauffeur and useful man. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724.

COUPLE (English) as gardener and general man, wife as cook or laundress. "S. E. G." care Courier-News. 3-21-2t

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YOUNG MAN wishes excellent room and board; preferably in private family; six days per week only. Box 88, care Courier-News. 2-21-3t

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Rehearsal for "LAND OF MYSTERY" TONIGHT

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

COMMITTEE FOR HOME DEFENSE

Mayor William V. Steele is expected to appoint a committee of citizens for home defense, in accordance with the request from Adjutant General Barber. Many municipalities have already organized citizens committees as a first measure of home defense in case of war. The idea, of course, is that this organization will be used only in case of extreme necessity.

It is merely another step of preparedness with the idea of looking after each town's interests, homes, and business establishments. The movement is intended to augment the police force of the various municipalities for local work which may arise. There is no connection directly, however, between a citizens' committee and the police or the National Guard.

Report of School Board

Following is the annual report, in part, of the Board of Education:

The closing school year has been marked with no large increase in school attendance, nor with any radical additions to the curricula, but the work accomplished by the teachers has never shown better results, and there have been few breaches in discipline to disturb the work. It has been a year of steady progress in all departments.

Finances: The present school year will close with a small balance, from present indications. Teachers' salaries have been increased for the coming year about $1,800. This was found necessary in order to meet the demands upon the teachers because of the increased cost of living. The amount of the budget for several years past has been $20,000. The Board is asking this year for $22,500, to be divided as follows: Curren expenses, $19,600; repairs, $2,500; manual training, $700; total, $22,500.

During the last 10 years salaries have increased from a minimum of $500 to $600 and from a maximum of $650 to $800.

The cost of educating each pupil in this school, based on the total enrollment, is $35.50. In the Plainfield schools the cost per pupil is $52.30.

"Birth of a Nation"

That most impressive production "The Birth of a Nation," comes to the Regent Theatre, Somerville, Monday, March 26, for a matinee and night performance. The Griffith spectacle is an epic presented with intense realism by talented players who seem to be living again in the soul stirring times when a great nation was moving onward to a glorious destiny. For all of its "two dimensions" this widely heralded motion-picture drama has the power to hold its audiences. The rapid succession of stirring scenes, the filling of spectacle upon spectacle, never fails to grip the most blase spectator *and hold his fixed attention to the* very end.

Man and Woman Arrested

Charles E. Barnes, of Bridgewater Township, is lodged in the county jail upon complaint of his wife, Martha, that he deserted her *and their three minor children.* The order of arrest was issued by Recorder W. R. Sutphen. In connection with this case, Bertha M. Voorhees, formerly of this county, has been arrested and is being held as a material witness, upon complaint of Constable George Totten.

Wants Damages for Being Put Off Trolley

District Court Judge William F. Vossellor yesterday reserved decision in the suit of Joseph Falcinello, of Raritan, against the Public Service Railway Co., for $500. The suit is based on the charge that Falcinel*lo was evicted from a trolley car* because he carried a large automobile tire. Thomas F. Hickey represented the plaintiff and Clarence E. Case, the defendant company.

To Draw Juries

Judge Daniel Beekman has requested the drawing of the grand and petit juries for the April term to take place March 29th. The term begins April 10th.

Miss Minnie Lawrence, of Dover, is spending a few days with Miss Gertrude Lane, of High street.

Miss Helen Sheppard has returned from Newark, where she was the guest of relatives for several days.

Albert Laughton entertained several friends at his home on High street yesterday afternoon.

Miss Gertrude Lane entertained a number of friends at a dinner party Monday night.

Miss Lillian Kiehler has returned from Newark, after a visit with friends there.

Miss Laura Couse, of Division street, gave a sewing party on Tuesday evening.

NORTH BRANCH

Rev. C. W. F. Attlee, of Plainfield, will preach in the Reformed church here next Sunday. The pastor, Rev. Louis F. Sauerbrunn, is spending a two-weeks' vacation in Brooklyn.

Miss Mary G. Vreeland, of Readington, has left for a visit of a week to Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lane, in Brooklyn.

Miss Almeda Wyckoff, of Millstone, is spending two weeks in Jersey City, New Brunswick and Raritan.

Frank McCullough, of Belle Mead, has gone to Annapolis, where he will prepare to enter the Naval Academy.

Miss Mabel Sebring, of Neshanic, is spending a few days with Miss Martha Sebring, in Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duffield are visiting in Trenton Mr. and Mrs. John Servis.

Mrs. Anna Kopf is spending two weeks in Newark with Mrs. Mary Wagner.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

BUILDING AND LOAN SOCIETY REPORT

The fifth series of the South Plainfield Building and Loan Association will open this evening in the Middlesex Volunteer Fire Company's hall at eight o'clock. It is expected that a large number of shares will be taken in this series as the loan has had four very successful years of business.

The fourth annual report is as follows: Assets, mortgages, $16,400; loans on stock, $200; installments due, $149; interest due, $5; fines due, $6.20; cash on hand and in bank, $33.62; total, $16,493.82. Liabilities, due installments shareholders' dues, $13,770; due installments shareholders' advance dues, $60; due installments shareholders' advance interest, $60; due bank on borrowed money, $1,070; profits, $1,533.82; total, $16,493.82. Receipts, cash on hand and in bank Feb. 23, 1916, $237.77; dues received, $4,815; interest received, $744.50; fines received, $10.80; membership fees, $15.25; stock loans repaid, $15; money borrowed, $2,455; premiums received, $92; total, $8,383.82. Disbursements, loaned on bond and mortgage, $4,600; dues repaid on withdrawal, $218; profits repaid on withdrawal, $11.28; borrowed money repaid, $3,255; paid interest on borrowed money, $51.87; paid salary secretary and treasurer, $50; paid State examination and filing report, $21; paid premiums on officers' bond, $16; paid sundries, $26.50; balance on hand and in bank, $33.62; total, $8,383.32. Undivided profits, $1.06; rate of interest 6% per cent.

Annual Meeting of School Board

The annual meeting of the Piscataway Township Board of Education was held in the school house in New Market on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. The following members of the Board were re-elected: Abraham Nelson, Frank Kelly and H. Piddington. The voters also passed the following appropriations: Building and repairing school houses, $1,500; current expenses, $16,500; manual training, $850, which made a total of $19,850. The Board was also given the power to transfer $500 from the current expense fund to the repair fund.

Baptist Church Notes

Under the direction of the Barnes class a "Father and Son Banquet" will be held in the Sunday school room, tomorrow evening, March 23, at eight o'clock. This is a community affair and all boys and men of the neighborhood are cordially invited to be present. An interesting program will be offered and a social hour, with refreshments served, will follow. Come, men and bring a male friend with you. No admission fee will be asked or money will be solicited.

Mrs. Joseph Miller and son Francis, formerly of this place, but now of Newark, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Miller's father, Harry Sofield.

Miss Laura Teeple, of Lakeside avenue, returned home yesterday after spending a day with her aunt, Mrs. J. Foster, of Perth Amboy.

Miss Rose Weldgen, of Somerville, has returned to her home after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Weldgen.

Mrs. Michael Severd, of Lakeview avenue, is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Howard McDonough and son, of Plainfield, for a few days.

Eugene Riely has resumed his duties at the Spicer plant after being detained to bed several days with illness.

Mrs. William Lodden was the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. Lodden, of Roselle Park, yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Mary, have returned from a visit with friends in Perth Amboy.

Mrs. J. Hull and family are residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Leach on Plainfield avenue.

Miss M. Rose, of Plainfield, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Pickering on Brookside avenue.

Phillip Smith, of Brookside avenue, has purchased a new five-passenger touring car.

Mrs. William Miller spent yesterday visiting friends in Perth Amboy.

William Ball, Jr., spent yesterday visiting friends in New York City.

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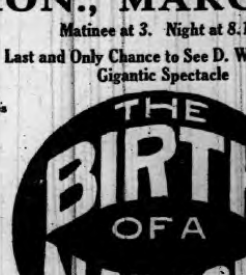

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DUNELLEN

Narrow Escape from Death

August Snoble, a section hand, employed by W. H. Opdycke on the Central Railroad, this place, had a miraculous escape from being killed on the railroad here early Tuesday evening. Snoble was crossing the tracks with Lawrence Sanders, a fellow workman, in the vicinity of the freight house. Both were carrying heavy mauls and did not observe an approaching freight train until it was nearly upon them.

In trying to avoid being struck by the locomotive of the freight, Sanders, who was in the lead, fell into a six-foot ditch between the tracks; Snoble was not so fortu*nate. The cylinder head of the lo*comotive hit one of the mauls that he was carrying and spun him around like a top, his coat being ripped from his back.

Although badly bruised and shaken up, Snoble was able to go to his home on Fairview avenue, where he has been confined ever since.

Training School Children

The fourth grade of the Lincoln School, which is in charge of Miss Pyle, is being taught in a novel manner the rudiments of arithmetic, as well as every-day business principles. The children are assisted in their arithmetic by toy money furnished by the Milton Bradley Co., and the National Biscuit Company has loaned the class a lot of empty cartons, which gives the school the aspect of a grocery store.

Wedded Last Night

Miss Annie Massen, of this borough, and Lidy Hrisko, of Round Brook, were married last night by Recorder David Campbell. The couple will reside in Round Brook.

Jottings About the Borough

Guy H. Rentschler of the local schools, is to attend the two days' convention of the school principals that opened today in New Brunswick. Principal Rentschler will address the meeting on a special teaching subject.

The work of making alterations to Frank Margentino's building on North avenue is proceeding nicely. The old store front has been removed, and changes are also being made in the interior of the building.

Mrs. Ernest B. Latham entertained a party of friends at her home, "The Lindens," on Grove street, this week. The Lathams have recently returned to the borough from their sojourn in New York.

Post cards received here from Dr. T. H. Platt and family give evidence that they are enjoying themselves at the Florida coast resorts.

The Young People's Society of Holy Innocents' church will hold Lenten services every Friday afternoon in the Guild room.

Terrence J. Ronayne continues to improve from a severe attack of rheumatism. He is able to be about the house.

Miss Alice Sisty, of Wayside Park, has returned home after a visit with relatives in South Plainfield.

News items of local interest for this column can be left at Campbell's confectionery store.

The new store fronts of Smalley Bros.' place of business have been painted white.

Mrs. Edward Ayres has recovered from her recent siege of pneumonia.

NEW MARKET

Tickets are selling rapidly for the "demonstration supper" to be given April 2 under the auspices of Lakeside Council. No tickets will be sold the night of the supper, so all should secure them at once. A pleasant time is assured, enlivened by music, and Lakeside Council will undoubtedly maintain its reputation of making all welcome.

The G. E. Club was entertained Tuesday night at the home of Miss Aline S. Pierce. Refreshments were served at the close of the social session.

Edward Boice, who has purchased the Hamilton House on New Market road, expects to take possession of the property soon.

Large shipments of freight are noticeable nowadays on the Lehigh Valley Railroad through this place.

The local Building and Loan Company will offer a new series of shares on the first of next month.

H. Schwoerer has been assistant at the New Market Supply Company's place.

Contractor Wrage has completed alterations at the Independent Club rooms.

LINCOLN

Youth Committed to County Jail

Daniel B. Van Nostrand, colored, has been lodged in the county jail at New Brunswick charged with a serious offense against Margaret Van Pelt, of this borough. Constable Lucas made the arrest on a warrant issued by Judge Sedam in New Brunswick.

The Board of Trade held its regular meeting last night at the Hose House. Several important matters were transacted by the organization. Each member present received a souvenir map of the Borough of Middlesex.

The American Asphalt Paint Company has leased the old rubber roofing plant and will soon commence operations.

O. A. LaPointe has just completed a four-family house.

CALIFON

Charged with larceny, William Beam, of Hoffmans, was committed yesterday to the Hunterdon county jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Willis Gray, of Newark, is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Flomerfelt, of Lower Valley.

Daniel Seals, of Teetertown, this year will operate the Andrew Cregar farm at Lower Valley.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Applegate, of Califon, is seriously ill.

Care of the Teeth

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done, there need be no fear lest the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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WESTFIELD

SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR BOYS' DAY

This town will celebrate in response to Governor Edge's proclamation in setting aside Sunday, March 25th, to be observed as "Boys' Day" with a union mass meeting for the older boys at the First Methodist church in the afternoon at two o'clock. The big attraction will be an address by Ivan P. Flood, State Secretary for Young People's Work for the New Jersey Baptist Convention. C. H. Robinson, president of the District Sunday School Association and Scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts, will preside.

The meeting will be for men and boys only and boys under fifteen *years of age will not be admitted.* The Boys' Brigade, Boy Scouts and the older members of the Boys' League will attend the mass meeting. In the regular services of the church special recognition will be made of the fact of Boys' Day.

To Form Branch of Red Cross Society

The members of the Special Work Committee of the Woman's Club of this town are now busily engaged in the canvass for members for a local chapter of the Red Cross Society. Application has already been made for a chapter and a general campaign has been started with the view of making the Westfield branch one of the largest in this section. Mrs. E. H. Oswald, chairman of the committee, is personally working out the details for the membership and campaign.

It is planned to make the week of April 9th the big week of the campaign. Each day will be devoted to some special group of people. For instance, one day will be Church Day, another Women's Club Day, School Day, Commuters' Day, Fraternal Day, Home Day and Merchants' Day.

Sunday School Board to Hold Banquet

The Sunday School Board of the First Methodist church will hold its annual meeting and banquet in the chapel of the church next Tuesday night. Dr. Milton S. Littlefield, one of the best known Sunday school workers, will be present and make *an address on "The Aim of Religious* Instruction in the Sunday School." The committee in charge consists of Harry S. Parker, Miss Edith Jones and Miss Florence Taylor. Special music for the occasion is being arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Welch.

Honor Roll of Sunday School

The following members of the Junior Department of the Congregational Sunday school are on the roll of honor for the month of February: Virginia Carr, Hilda Mills, Doris Boardman, Gwendolyn Smith, Elizabeth Sparrell, Louise Denison, Frances Westerberg, Elizabeth Carr, Louise Weston, Charles Turnbull, Mrs. Harold Beaumont, William Morgan, William Price, Frederick Turner, Judson Mosher, John Alexander and Chester Kellogg.

To Hold Speech Making Contest

A "Speech Making Contest" will be the feature of the entertainment after the meeting of Fireside Council, Royal Arcanum, to be held tonight. Orator Spencer promises that several of the speeches will be well worth hearing. There will be an initiation and side degrees and an official visit from Chairman Carr, of the committee on state of the order.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the McKinley school will hold a poverty dance in the assembly room tomorrow night. The music for the dancing will be furnished by the McKinley school orchestra. The committee in charge of the dance is composed of Mrs. James S. Purdy and Mrs. William Steuernagel.

The Broad Street Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. Albert Tompkins yesterday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in sewing after which the *hostess served refreshments. Those* who were present were: Mrs. Carl Sell, Mrs. John Klinkowski, Mrs. A. R. Sanders, Mrs. J. Sell, Mrs. E. Brunner and Mrs. O. Cramer.

The Women's Guild of St. Paul's church has arranged for a recital to be given by Miss Enid LaMont, of New York, in the parish house on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 11. Mrs. LaMont has prepared a program of American Folk Songs and the women of this town are promised a rare treat.

The Wednesday Night Pinochle Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Moffett, on Broad street, last night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. O. Nelsen, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, and Mrs. Rogers.

The March meeting of the Men's Club of St. Paul's church was held in the parish house last night. After *the business session the members* present enjoyed hand ball tennis and a checker tournament, after which refreshments were served.

Robert Cross, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cross, Jr., Railway avenue, who was recently operated on for appendicitis in the Muhlenberg Hospital at Plainfield and who is still a patient there, is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Beatrice Candee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Candee, will entertain forty-five of her little friends at a Mother Goose masquerade at her home, 559 Parkview avenue, tomorrow night.

At a meeting of the Phi Club held recently, the following officers were elected: President, Frank Traynor; vice president, Robert Keyes; secretary and treasurer, D. Wayne Seaman.

Miss MacKenzie, the district nurse, is enjoying a week's vacation which was granted her by the District Nursing Association at a recent meeting of the association.

E. E. Thompson, vice president of the Board of Education, who has been ill at his home on Hillcrest avenue, for the past few days, is able to be out again.

Police Officer George Steuernagel has purchased the house owned by Charles Clark, at 708 South avenue, and will take possession of it May 1.

Miss Anna Bush, of West Broad street, who has been confined to her home for several weeks with a broken shoulder, is able to be out again.

The Misses Otero and Katherine Nicholas will entertain a number of friends at their home on Kimball avenue tomorrow night.

Miss Helen MacMonnies, who has been ill at her home on Westfield avenue, has recovered and is able to be out again.

Miss Jennie Kenney, of West Broad street, has returned from a visit with friends in Hackensack.

Louis Howarth, of Rome, N. Y., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Albert, of Downer street.

The Willow Grove Sewing Circle held an all-day meeting in the chapel at that place yesterday.

R. G. Page and family will move from Hillcrest avenue to Lenox Avenue early next month.

Mrs. E. H. Oswald, of the Boule*vard, is spending a few days with* relatives in Flatbush.

Arthur Albert and family will move from Downer street to Central avenue next month.

Herbert H. Ross and family will move from Everson place to New York on May 1st.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Moffett, of Euclid avenue, on Monday.

John J. Schmitt and family have moved back to this town from South Amboy.

Mrs. E. H. Wright is quite ill at her home on Westfield avenue.

SCOTCH PLAINS

Young People's Union Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union was held *in the Baptist church Tuesday even*ing. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Edward Johnson; vice president, Horace Daniels; secretary, Miss Ruth Dunn; treasurer, Miss Edith Jahn; chairman devotional committee, Chester Palmer; missionary committee, Miss Griffin; social, Robert Anson; membership, Miss Mary Bauermilch; flower, Miss Eleanor Schenck; superintendent Junior B. Y. P. U., Mrs. George Dunn.

Another House Entered by Burglars

The home of Samuel McCauley, of Westfield avenue, was entered by burglars Tuesday night. Fifteen dollars in money and several small articles are missing. This robbery is supposed to have been committed by the same party that entered the home of Thomas Whitenack, while the police have been working on the case no clue has been found as to who is the guilty party.

FANWOOD

A meeting of the War Sufferers and War Relief Society of Fanwood and Scotch Plains was held *this afternoon at the home of Miss* Sarah I. Kyte. Preparations for shipping another large box of useful articles consumed the business session.

James Devine, of Tillotson road, has gone to Lake Hopatcong on business.

A meeting of the Fanwood Bowling Club will be held tomorrow evening.

MANURE FOR SALE—Apply at Frowery's Hotel. 3-22-2t

FLEMINGTON

The following members of the Flemington Board of Education were elected Tuesday: Philip Insley Craig, William E. Corcoran and Judiah Higgins.

Professor Edward H. Dutcher, of East Orange will make the principal address tonight at the March meeting of the Presbyterian Brotherhood.

The Hunterdon County Teachers' Institute will be held here for three days beginning Monday. The sessions will be in the high school.

The Flemington Woman's Club will present a play entitled "The Pipe's Pay" in the high school, March 31.

Isaac Lee returned to his home here Monday after spending several months at Nassau, Bahama Islands.

Rev. Henry T. Horne will occupy the pulpit of the Croton Baptist Church Sunday morning.

The Croton Christian Endeavor Society will hold a social at the parsonage Saturday evening.

The Ringoes Presbyterian Sunday School will elect officers Sunday morning.

WHITEHOUSE

The Ladies' Home Circle of the reformed Church at Lebanon, had organized by the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. Lizzie Voorhees; vice-president, Mrs. George N. Clark; secretary, Mrs. Jessie Ramsey; treasurer, Mrs. Wesley *Conover; board of managers,* Mrs. Alford Hoffman, Mrs. Sanford Hance, Mrs. Agnes Ramsey, Miss Ella Fenton, Mrs. G. G. Conover and Mrs. Wesley Bird.

At the services in the Lebanon reformed Church Sunday night the Y. M. C. A. will attend in a body and a special sermon will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Finger, who will have for his topic "A King's Son."

Davis Reed, H. M. Mosier and Charles P. Oliver, a committee appointed by Whitehouse Grange, No. 159, P. of H., has drafted resolutions anent the recent death of a member, David S. Runyon.

Game Warden John J. Park, of Whitehouse Station, is busy stocking the streams of Hunterdon County with rainbow and brook trout from the hatchery at Hackettstown.

William Mattis will move to the Vincent A. Conklin farm near Whitehouse Station and manage the property the coming year. Mr. Conklin has moved to Newark.

W. Raymond Van Syckle, of Round Whitehouse, has gone on a trip via New Orleans to San Francisco, where he will spend several months.

Mrs. Leon N. Clark and Mrs. W. L. Hoffman returned yesterday to Lebanon, after a visit to Mrs. Kate Clark in Somerville.

Miss Harriet Stiger, of Round Valley, has been visiting Mrs. Harriet D. LaTeurette at Whitehouse Station.

Harry Bush has taken a position as chauffeur for Prof. Vladimir G. Simkovitch, of Whitehouse Station.

George M. Tine, of Easton, Pa., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Samuel Rossell, near Stanton.

Miss Sarah Lewis, of Pleasant Run left yesterday for a visit to Newark and New York.

J. Runkle Alpaugh is ill of grip at his home at Whitehouse Station.

Elmer Van Derbeck, of Whitehouse Station, has been ill at his home.

ANNANDALE

George C. Meyer and family will move next week from Annandale *to Phillipsburg, where Mr. Meyer has* obtained employment in a steel plant.

John P. Smith returned to his home in Annandale yesterday after a visit to his daughter, Mrs. George H. Mellon of New York.

The Misses Hazel B. and Ethel M. Alpaugh, of West street, Annandale, *entertained Tuesday night at a card* party.

Mrs. Edward J. Smith has returned from a hospital in Easton where she underwent an operation.

Rodney Sheets is visiting his cousin, Miss Estella Sheets of Plainfield.

WATCHUNG

Miss Pimm, of Rutgers Experimental Station, will give a lecture tomorrow in the Watchung School Auditorium, on "Food and Its Relation to Human Diet." The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock and a cordial invitation is extended to all to come.

Rev. James W. Teener, of Princeton, will preach at both services tomorrow in the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Reformed Church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis, of Hillcrest Road, are the proud parents of a little son.

DR. CHARLES W. ELIOT.

Ex-Harvard President Is Still Active at Eighty-three.

Photo by American Press Association.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university, observed his eighty-third birthday anniversary Tuesday. He is still actively at work and keenly interested in affairs. In honor of the occasion Dr. Eliot has changed his habit of years. He has given up his morning horseback ride, which for a long time he was accustomed to take with Mrs. Eliot.

Car Conditions Better.

Washington, March 22.—The American Railway Car Service Commission has announced that operating conditions on railroads are rapidly restored to normal, a reduction of 41 per cent—from 171,005 to 99,774 cars—having been made in the last three weeks in the number of freight cars, loaded and empty, held at various points because of congestion.

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WAR RISK INSURANCE RATES ARE FIXED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 22.—The War Risk Bureau of the Treasury Department, it was announced will insure American cargoes to Europe at a flat rate of 3 per cent. A full list of rates soon will be announced. Denial was emphatically made today at the Treasury Department that private underwriters would be forced out of business by the comparatively low government rates.

CZAR WILL BE ALLOWED TO JOIN HIS FAMILY

Special to Courier-News:

Petrograd, March 22.—It is reported here that the ex-Czar Nicholas will soon be allowed to join his family at Tsarkoe Selo where his children are ill with measles and are being cared for by their mother. In Petrograd order has been generally restored and the new government is being organized rapidly.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school tonight.

The night school men's gym class will meet in the high school gym Friday night.

The Recreation Five Club is to use one of the high school gyms tomorrow evening.

The ladies' public swimming class is to use the high school pool tomorrow evening.

The Saurar band is to have a rehearsal in the Washington School Friday evening.

The Dunbars will hold their usual dance Friday evening in the Washington school auditorium.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Irving school and a guild of play in the Stillman school on Friday afternoon.

TRAVELLERS TO HAVE "500" PARTY

The committee in charge of the "500" party to be given by the United Commercial Travellers in the Babcock building on Saturday night are: A. S. Olmstead, U. G. Tingley, J. M. Lewin and Henry Feley. The Travellers will also hold an election of officers.

LEHIGH VALLEY DECLARES REGULAR DIVIDENDS

Philadelphia, Mar. 22—The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1-2 per cent. on both the common and preferred stocks, payable April 14 to holders of record March 31.

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ALEXANDRE RIBOT,

Latest Picture of New Premier of France.

Photo by American Press Association.

COUNTER REVOLT FEARED IN RUSSIA

Garrisons In South Oppose New Government.

Stockholm, March 22.—First hand news reaching here from Russia is disquieting to friends of the new government.

Comparative calm prevails in Petrograd and Moscow, due to the fact that the food stores found and distributed by the new government are for the moment quieting the hunger of the masses. New political wrangles, however, are already in full swing in both cities between the Liberals and radicals. Wide sections of the latter are urging peace.

Meanwhile, southern Russia is just beginning to be shaken by the reaction of the revolt in the capital. In the big cities, such as Kiev, Odessa, Sevastopol and Rostoff, strong garrisons are stationed, and violent clashes are reported under way between the troops and the populace. Some of the fortress commanders have refused to join the Petrograd revolutionary movement. At the head of their troops they are resisting attempts by adherents of the new regime to swing the tide in its favor.

Unless a powerful military leader puts himself at the head of the army and holds it firmly in its hands, backing the new government in Petrograd, civil war is considered inevitable. The "man of the hour" is Grand Duke Nicholas. His whereabouts is, however, a mystery. He is variously reported in the Caucasus and on the eastern front.

MUSIC ENDS REVOLT OF CUBAN ARMY BAND.

Havana, March 22.—The Cuban revolution has ended sentimentally. The regimental band, which mutinied at Santiago and joined the General rebel forces, has returned to the federal fold. "Where the music goes there will the army go" long has been a Latin-American maxim.

Thirty ragged and forlorn musicians accepted the amnesty offered by the Morocco government by giving themselves up. They said they had been misled by the rebels. Adding insult to injury, the band had not been allowed to play for fear that the music would draw attention and bullets from the federal troops.

JOINT CONTROL OF HOUSE, PLAN

Both Parties Expected to Agree Not to Fight.

EMERGENCY TRUCE IS URGED.

Republicans and Democrats Equally Divided For Extra Session, and Suggestion Is Made That Clark Be Continued as Speaker, With Committees Divided Equally Between the Parties.

Washington, March 22.—War's imminence has forced an abandonment of the plans for a free-for-all fight for the control of the house of representatives in the Sixty-fifth congress.

The virtual certainty of international conflict has had a sobering effect upon the leaders of both political parties in the house. They are convinced that with the United States on the very brink of open hostilities with Germany the time for partisan politics is past—or at least postponed.

Administration leaders are virtually committed to such a policy, and the Republicans are expected to realize the gravity of the situation and put shoulder to the wheel and, forsaking party preference, stand as one as Americans in the coming struggle.

Bipartisan Plan Urged.

The suggestion advanced now is for the house to be organized on a bipartisan basis, with Champ Clark returned to the speaker's chair, the house officers and the patronage which they carry with them equitably divided between Democrats and Republicans and a similar nonpartisan arrangement of committee assignments with some of the chairmanship plums handed to the Republicans and others to Democrats.

The general proposition of a bipartisan organization had its inception among the democratstrations. The house is virtually divided in halves between the two parties. Should the organization be attempted on a partisan basis there must ensue a bitter fight for control lasting perhaps for days. It is a matter of history that a house not possessed of a majority in either party may consume weeks and indeed months in fruitless balloting and jockeying for position, which holds back legislation needed for the whole nation.

Thus far no opinion has been expressed by the Republican leaders as to the general plan of bipartisan control. It is well known, however, that there is a considerable element in the great white minority party which can be relied upon to favor a postponement of the partisan clash until the great pending international problems are out of the way.

Only Temporary Arrangement.

Therefore the administration suggestion for bipartisan organization is restricted to the organization of the house for the extraordinary session only. This will mean that the struggle for control is only postponed.

The suggestion of a special dispensation for the extraordinary session, with the promise of a knock down and drag out fight with a fair field and no favors after the grave duties of the present emergency have been performed is expected to appeal to many Republicans who would promptly refuse consent to such an arrangement were it to be permanent and for the entire period of the Sixty-fifth congress.

Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Kitchin have sent personal telegrams to all Democratic members of the house calling a caucus for March 30, but urging their earlier presence in Washington whenever possible. The Republican caucus, previously called for April 14, will probably be assembled March 31 with a similar injunction.

The unequivocal support of congress for the president in the event of war, and indeed while the present state of affairs maintains, is promised. Chairman Flood of the house committee on foreign affairs said:

"There will not be any material opposition to any war plans. Congress will immediately declare that a state of war exists and immediately jump into the work of preparing everything for the president to act."

Assessors Select Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, March 22.—This city won out over Asbury Park and Cape May in competition for the summer meeting of the New Jersey Association of Local Assessors. The taxing officials will discuss reforms in state methods here on July 19, 20 and 21.

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Louis Marshall, chairman of the American Jewish Relief Committee, Henry Morgenthau, chairman of the Campaign Fund; Cyrus' Sulzberger, secretary; Herbert H. Lehman, treasurer, and Jacob Billikopf, executive director, join me in this request. Details follow.

Jacob H. Schiff.

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TO PRESENT "THE HOODOO" APRIL 11

With every rehearsal members of the cast in the three-act farce, "The Hoodoo" which is to be presented in St. Joseph's Hall, on Wednesday evening, April 11, by the members of the Chi Gamma Chi, improve their histrionic ability. Under the able direction of Miss Mary O'Connor, who has coached numerous plays, the young thespians give promise of creditable characterizations of the various roles. Tickets are selling rapidly for the performance and everything points to success.

The committee in charge of the arrangements announce that during the two intermissions instrumental music will be rendered by home and out-of-town talent and following the play a social hour will be held.

JUNIOR CLASS WILL PRESENT PLAY MAY 4

A play, "The Elopement of Ellen," will be given on the evening of May 4 by the Junior Class of North Plainfield High School under the direction of Miss Elsie Campbell, the coach.

The following cast of characters has been selected: Richard Ford, a devoted husband, Douglas Stewart; Molly, his wife, Elsie Kurrahs; Robert, Molly's brother, Seymour Day; Max Ten Eyck, chum of Robert's, Stanley Burner; Dorothy Marck, engaged to Max, Adele Demarest; June Haverhill, a college girl, Florence Corswall; John Hume, rector of St. Agnes, Nelson Kenworthy.

Rehearsals will start immediately. The proceeds of the play will be devoted to defray the expense of the Junior-Senior banquet to be given in June.

CONSTABULARY BILL AGAIN LAID OVER

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 22.—Senator Pierce of Union county made another attempt yesterday afternoon to get through the Senate his substitute for his State constabulary bill, which creates a State rural guard at an expense of $100,000 a year. He could not muster enough and it will again be laid over.

Assemblyman Gerun's bill giving policemen an eight-hour day also failed to get eleven votes in the Senate and was laid over.

MEDIATION REPORT IS CURRENT

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 22.—Reports are current in Washington today that some neutral power, possibly Switzerland, is about to offer mediation between the United States and Germany. The State Department declined to discuss the subject.

THIS STOPS HAIR FROM FALLING OUT

Ever count the dead hairs in your comb and brush? They are nature's warning of future baldness and proof that the dangerous dandruff germ is busy on your scalp.

Dr. Sangerbund, the famous Paris specialist, first discovered that dandruff and falling hair are caused by a microbe. Then came the discovery of the value of the real Parisian Sage (liquid form) in destroying the dandruff germ and, promptly preventing the further loss of hair. The effect of only three days' use of Parisian Sage is simply marvelous, and the American people have now awakened to the fact that they can be quickly rid of dandruff and save their hair by using Parisian Sage.

Parisian Sage is sold by L. W. Randolph and good druggists everywhere. It's inexpensive, daintily perfumed, free from stickiness, and will surely cause hair to grow soft, lustrous and really seem twice as abundant.—Adv.

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Draw a moist cloth through hair and double its beauty at once.

Save your hair! Dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

Immediate?—Yes! Certain?—that's the joy of it. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after an application of Danderine. Also try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp.

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You can surely have pretty, charming, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.—Adv.

ALLIES PRESS RETIRING GERMANS

Occupy 51 More Villages as Foe Retreats.

London, March 22.—Another twenty-four hours should tell whether the Germans will make their expected stand on the "Hindenburg line" or will fall back practically to the border, fleeing all France from their presence. French and British troops have pushed close to St. Quentin and La Fere, south of the bastions of the line where the Germans are expected to stand.

An intimation that the Germans intend to give up St. Quentin is contained in the French official report, which says, "Most of the villages before our lines in the neighborhood of St. Quentin are in flames."

A possibility that the German retirement will spread north of Arras into Belgian territory is forecast in an Amsterdam dispatch quoting a correspondent at the front as saying that heavy explosions are continually heard toward Lens and Douai. "The same general activity which preceded the retreat on the southern front," he adds, "has been observed north of Arras." Arras has marked the northern limit of the German retirement.

On Wednesday's advance the allied armies occupied fifty-one villages and small towns. British troops marched into forty of these, French into eleven. Every one of them was in flames or in ruins. The same ruthless destruction previously reported had been carried out by the Germans.

Near St. Quentin the allied lines are steadily drawing toward the city. The British made very rapid progress in that direction, the southern end of their front, advancing as much as ten miles east, of the Somme where its course runs north below Peronne. They are now some five miles from St. Quentin.

The French encountered more resistance and engaged in some brisk and energetic fighting.

A huge German offensive on the Russian front is thought by military men to be indicated by a brief Berlin war office bulletin that fighting has been resumed on the Beresina.

JOHANSEN AND WALSH TO BE REFORMED

Oscar Johansen and Thomas Walsh, thirteen years old, who were arrested in Newark yesterday, and who confessed to the police of that city that they had broken into the home of C. O. Hedges, 712 Berkeley avenue, this city, where they had stolen some articles including a revolver which was found on the person of Johansen, were arraigned in the City Court before Judge DeSoya this morning.

Arrangements had already been made to place Johansen on the Berkshire Industrial Farm at Canaan, Connecticut, and he will be sent there.

Walsh was placed in the custody of Major Charles Irwin, County Probation officer.

The articles stolen by the boys were returned to the owner. When the boys were arrested yesterday they said they were tired of living in Plainfield and wanted to go to Arizona, but they were inclined to remain with their parents this morning.

TESTIMONIAL DINNER TO JUDGE HETFIELD

The Plainfield Bar Association will tender a testimonial dinner to former Judge of the Plainfield District Court Walter L. Hetfield, Sr., at Korn's restaurant, North avenue, tonight. William A. Codington will be the toastmaster.

BEAUTIES OF LURAY CAVERNS DESCRIBED

Albert Earley Gives Interesting Lecture at Meeting of Queen City Lodge

The beauties of the caverns of Luray, Virginia, were described in an interesting manner by Albert Earley, principal of the North Plainfield High School, at a meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., held last night in the lodge rooms in the Babcock building. In connection with the talk, Mr. Earley exhibited about thirty-five views taken in various parts of the caverns, which he visited in July, 1912, and he spoke from a personal knowledge of the peculiar and remarkable formations to be found there. He explained that exploration parties from different parts of this country, as well as abroad, had visited the caverns, and they were unanimous in declaring them to be the finest in the world.

Mr. Earley gave a history of the caverns, told of their composition, the rate of formation, explained the fantastic figures, representing various animals, and added a humor to his talk which pleased the audience.

The speaker says that it was about two miles from Luray that the first limestone formation was discovered by Andrew Campbell, who at the risk of his life made a partial exploration on August 13, 1878. Explorations were made and up to the present time they extend over an area of three miles.

The lowest point is 260 feet below the surface, and the formations extend from narrow passages to what is known as the hall room, which is 400 feet long and 125 feet wide. Here several dances have been held, and fourteen marriages had been performed up to the time Mr. Earley had visited the place.

The caverns are well lighted with electricity and there are attractive cement walks throughout. Mr. Earley said that there is no dripping of water, and the entire formation seems to be well protected. Small traces of iron and magnesia have been discovered, but for the most part limestone is the chief composition. One place he described as being translucent, it being possible to see the formation of angel's wings, and in another place there is a formation resembling pipes of an organ, upon which a tune can be played with considerable harmony.

Mr. Earley also described the "Natural Bridge," and stated that the bones of an Indian boy laid there five hundred years ago were one of the interesting sights. He said that those who had made a close study of the formations had decided that a cubic inch was added during a period of 120 years.

In describing the stalactites he referred to formations representing poultry, leather, a camel, elephant, riding whip and another which is called "St. Peter Blessing the Children," the picture of which is perfect.

At the conclusion of his lecture, Mr. Earley distributed souvenir booklets of the caverns among those present. He gave the same lecture this morning at the borough school, and will repeat it this afternoon before the North Plainfield Parent-Teacher Association, and tonight at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M.

ANNUAL MEETING OF MISSIONARY FEDERATION

The Plainfield Federation of Women's Missionary Societies will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers in the lecture room of the Trinity Reformed church next Monday afternoon, March 26, at 3 o'clock. At this meeting, there is to be an informal conference on the subject, "Best Methods for Local Societies." Members of all of the church missionary societies are invited to attend the conference.

INSIST HOLLAND PROTECT ENTENTE ARMED SHIPS

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Amsterdam, March 22.—The Telegraaf this morning publishes the statement that the British and French ministers, on behalf of their respective governments, insist that the Holland government permit armed merchantmen to enter and depart from Dutch ports without molestation from German soldiers.

There have already been complaints that Holland had shown partiality to Entente vessels, having interned German submarines that entered a Dutch port, while, as in the case of the Mellta, a British armed ship has not been interned.

PERSONAL

Miss Ruth Newton, of Perth Amboy, is spending a few days with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. McGee, of Rockview avenue, the borough, are sojourning in Florida.

Mrs. James Shores Pray, of East Sixth street, has returned from a visit to her daughter in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Clifford W. McGee, of 60 Willow avenue, the borough, who has been quite ill for a number of weeks, is much improved.

WINS SUIT OVER DEATH OF HUSBAND

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New York, March 22.—A verdict for $28,500 was obtained today in the Supreme Court by Annie S. Duffy as administratrix of William J. Duffy, her husband, and former fire chief, against John Beaver, as receiver of the Second Avenue R. R. Co. Testimony showed that on January 5, 1915, Duffy was crossing Second avenue at Forty-ninth street in a one-horse buggy in response to an alarm of fire, when he was struck by a car of the Second avenue line and so badly injured that he died. The case has been on trial before Justice Philbin and a jury for two days.

EX-PRESIDENT TAFT SPEAKS IN RICHMOND

(By United Press)

Richmond, Va., March 22.—Former President William Howard Taft arrived here yesterday for the first speech in his tour of the South and West to arouse the spirit of patriotism and preparedness in those sections. Dr. Taft will go from here to Greensboro, N. C. He will work his way South and West to Oklahoma City, where he closes his tour the last of this month, returning East April 1.

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GOVERNOR HOLCOMB WORRIED

Connecticut Executive Warns of "Secret Foes at Home."

Hartford, Conn., March 22.—Governor Marcus H. Holcomb told the interchurch men at a gathering that emergency military forbidden in Connecticut was being hurried because of information he had received which indicated there were in Connecticut men whose hostility to the state would be evident in time of war.

"Connecticut is in a most dangerous position," said the governor. "If you knew half of what I know you would be scared to death, as I am sometimes. I am informed there is a great deal of drilling going on within the state every night nearly, and it is not in the interest of the United States; also we know of activities of men in munitions plants that will be a problem in time of war."

CASHIER IS CREMATED.

Relatives Carry Out Gloucester Man's Request.

Gloucester, March 22.—The written instructions left by Augustus Auble, cashier of the Gloucester branch of the Security Trust company for the last twenty years, who was found dead in bed Sunday morning, were carried out and his body taken to Chelten Hills crematory for incineration.

Mr. Auble had expressed fear that he would die suddenly and several months ago arranged with a local undertaker to take care of his funeral and see that his body was cremated.

U. S. BEING MOBILIZED FOR BIG WAR

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WILL MEET APRIL 2

Formal Declaration of Hostilities to Be Made.

GERMANY MAY ACT FIRST.

War and Navy Departments and National Defense Council Rush Work of Mobilizing Full Resources of Nation for Struggle—May Aid Entente Allies by Money and Munitions and Opening American Ports to Their Warships—United States Navy May Guard Atlantic Sea Lanes, Leaving Allied Fleets Free For Battle Purposes.

WHAT U. S. IS DOING TO PREPARE FOR WAR.

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Navy department speeds plans for fleet of "submarine chasers."

Defense council organizes board to take charge of munitions output of nation to provide immediate and continuous supply.

War risk insurance bureau puts rates on war boats and plans to handle all real war risks.

Congress leaders plan nonpartisan compromise organization of the house to handle defense measures on "American" basis.

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Prominent Americans resident in Berlin and particularly the American newspaper men still in the German capital have been informed by the foreign office, it is reported, that such a declaration is forthcoming.

Secretary of War Baker, chairman of the Council of National Defense, organized a special munitions board, with the members representing the nation's leading experts on arms and ammunition, to standardize such supplies and to place the output upon a war basis. Its members are:

Frank A. Scott of Cleveland, manufacturer of machine machinery; W. H. Vandervoort of Moline, Ill., president Moline Automobile company; E. A. Deeds, president Dayton Engineering Laboratories company; Frank Trott of Schenectady General Electric company; Samuel Vauclain, representing the Baldwin Locomotive works and the Remington and Westinghouse companies; John E. Otterson, vice president Winchester Arms company.

GERMANS IN MEXICO.

Concentration From United States Worries American Government.

Washington, March 22.—The concentration of Germans south of the Rio Grande in various parts of Mexico and the presence of subjects and former subjects of the kaiser from the United States toward Mexico is being critically scrutinized by the United States government.

There is apprehension in administration circles that the purpose of this exodus is by no means alone the seeking of asylum and the avoidance of internment in the United States by Germans of military age, but a concrete military movement, with a possible attack from the south on the border states in the event of hostilities with Germany.

The bureau of census has reported to the department of justice that there are 1,200,000 German subjects in the United States and that the naturalized Germans here number 8,000,000.

Photo by American Press Association.

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called upon to prosecute hostilities to a successful conclusion.

President Wilson has called on congress in a hurry to Washington and left him in protection of the nation's honor.

By a proclamation advancing to April 2 the date for the extra session of congress originally called for April 16, the president brought to an end the period of suspense and anxiety. The proclamation ordered congress to hasten to Washington to "receive a communication concerning grave matters of a national policy which should be taken immediately under consideration."

With the formulation the war spirit took possession of Washington, and every step that the executive branch of the government could take without legislative authorization to prepare for war was ordered to be taken at once. Every branch of the government and every civilian organization under the control of the government started the mobilization of the men, money and resources of the nation to back up the president in his determination to vindicate the country's honor on the high seas.

The war department and the navy department, behind a screen of censorship, issued the orders that place all of the war making machinery of the government in a position to move at once.

Through the recently organized Council of National Defense the industries and commerce of the country were called upon to perfect their organization for the defense of the nation.

Watchful Waiting Over.

With his advisers united behind him, the president abandoned his plan of "watchful waiting" and determined upon aggressive action. Cabinet officials began the consideration of steps to be taken in the execution of war, which they declared has already been forced upon the United States against its will.

In addition to the complete mobilization of the whole force of the nation for war purposes, the president's advisers were called upon to consider the place the United States will occupy in combating the German submarine campaign.

They took up the question of co-operation with the nations of the entente allies in so far as the continued transportation of munitions and other supplies is considered.

They may decide upon an alliance which will place at the disposal of Germany's enemies in Europe the vast

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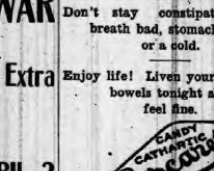

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Secretary of War Baker, chairman of the Council of National Defense, organized a special munitions board, with the members representing the nation's leading experts on arms and ammunition, to standardize such supplies and to place the output upon a war basis. Its members are:

Frank A. Scott of Cleveland, manufacturer of machine machinery; W. H. Vandervoort of Moline, Ill., president Moline Automobile company; E. A. Deeds, president Dayton Engineering Laboratories company; Frank Trott of Schenectady General Electric company; Samuel Vauclain, representing the Baldwin Locomotive works and the Remington and Westinghouse companies; John E. Otterson, vice president Winchester Arms company.

GERMANS IN MEXICO.

Concentration From United States Worries American Government.

Washington, March 22.—The concentration of Germans south of the Rio Grande in various parts of Mexico and the presence of subjects and former subjects of the kaiser from the United States toward Mexico is being critically scrutinized by the United States government.

There is apprehension in administration circles that the purpose of this exodus is by no means alone the seeking of asylum and the avoidance of internment in the United States by Germans of military age, but a concrete military movement, with a possible attack from the south on the border states in the event of hostilities with Germany.

The bureau of census has reported to the department of justice that there are 1,200,000 German subjects in the United States and that the naturalized Germans here number 8,000,000.

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DOVER GAS FIGHT ON FRANCHISE

Wharton Also Interested In Move by Company.

OPPOSES RATE REDUCTION.

New Corporation Also Asks Franchise Tax Reduction, Claiming It Is Too Heavy, and Objects to Cutting Rate, Although Patronage Shows Big Increase in Short Time.

Newark, March 22.—Another legal battle between the municipalities of Dover and Wharton and the New Jersey Gas and Electric company was started here before the Public Utility Commission when the company asked for a reduction in the existent franchise tax and for relief from the provisions of the franchise which will soon make operative a provision reducing the gas rate from $1.35 to $1 a thousand feet.

The Dover-Wharton cohorts were headed by Attorney Elmer King of Dover and Major R. W. Whitman, who oppose any modification of the franchise provisions.

The utilities company, successor to the old Dover, Rockaway and Port Oram Gas company, claims that 5 per cent gross receipts franchise tax which exists under the franchise rights of the old company is prohibitive and should not be binding on the new company at that figure. It also is contended that the provisions of the franchise agreement with Dover providing that when the gas supplied to customers reaches the annual total of 25,000,000 cubic feet the present rate of $1.35 shall be reduced to $1 will the company and its enforcement would practically be confiscation of the company's property.

The yearly sale of gas by the company has now passed the 24,000,000 feet mark, and Dover and Wharton are expecting in the near future to declare the reduced rate in effect.

George C. Sprague and George W. Betts, Jr., of the law firm of Hunt, Hill & Betts of New York city, who represent the company, state they are prepared to show that the reorganization plans following the foreclosure on the old concern, which was headed and practically owned by Addison Hoy of Rutherford, has resulted in much improvements and that the enforcement of the two franchise provisions objected to will ruin the company.

FURLOUGH FOR CONVICT.

Governor Lets Him Visit Dying Wife in New York.

New York, March 22.—Governor Whitman, through efforts of W. A. Orr, his private secretary, has given permission for William Quinn, serving a seven year sentence for burglary in Sing Sing, to be taken in charge of a keeper to Bellevue hospital, where his wife is dying.

Since Tuesday the physicians have been doing everything in their power to prolong her life in the hope that her last wish, to see her husband, might be granted. Quinn will be taken upon them by her six-year-old daughter, Lillian, would be realized.

U. S. WAR RISKS UP.

Federal Bureau Advances Rates on Ships and Cargoes.

Washington, March 22.—The government war risk bureau has established a blanket rate of 3 per cent for insurance on American hulls and cargoes from American ports to ports of belligerent European nations. This is an increase, the old rates ranging around 2 per cent.

The increase followed on the declaration of a new and broader policy by the government looking to insuring of American owners of practically all contraband of war excepting arms and ammunition.

$20,000 TO CHARITIES.

Colonel William Barbour Remembered Paterson Hospitals.

Paterson, March 22.—Bequests of $20,000 were made to local charities by Colonel William Barbour, whose will was filed for probate in New York.

To the Paterson General hospital, St. Joseph's hospital, Paterson Orphan asylum and Florence Crittenden home gifts of $5,000 each were made. The estate of the latter, which was estimated to be worth $25,000,000, was left to the widow and four sons—Thomas, Robert, William and Fritz Krupp Barbour.

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Whipcord serge, poplin and navy, black, taupe, Copenhagen blue. Spring models, sizes 34 to 44. Alterations free.

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Gray, navy, black and checks, in many new styles.

$24.98 and $25.98 Women's Coats at 18.50
Serge or poplin—variety of colors—navy, green, gold, tan or black. Alterations free.

$13.98 Misses' & Junior Coats at 9.50
Belted styles—some with convertible collars—box pleated and tailored backs—small buttons. Alterations free.

$19.98 Women's Crepe de Chine or Taffeta Dresses at 13.50
Navy, black, brown, blue, green, taupe—plaited with yoke effect or button trimmed—set hemstitched collars—sizes 16 to 44. Alterations free.

$24.98 Women's Crepe de Chine Dresses at 18.75
New models—with variety of distinctive side-drapes—plaited yokes—straight or Van Dyck points—delicate tints and the navy & street shades—sizes 36 to 44. Alterations free.

$16.98 Misses' Taffeta Frocks at 11.75
Navy, gray, green—button trimmed, semi-fancy—embroidered reverse—white Georgette vestes and collar—self color Georgette sleeves—pockets of taffeta—sizes 14 to 18 years. Alterations free.

Our Specialized "Verismart" Dress at 12.85
Serge—Satin Taffetas—Novelty and Better Values in This Great Each Day Alterations free.

$1.49 and $1.69
House and Porch Dresses at 1.12
Gingham in pretty stripes and checks in gray and blue, with solid color trimmings—sizes 38 to 44.

98 ct. Crepe Kimonos at ..... .77
Plain colors, Copenhagen, pink, light blue, rose and lavender—some with floral designs—36 to 44.

$1.94 Ready-to-Wear Hats at 1.25
Black and colors in combinations of satin and straw.

$1.69 Untrimmed Hats at ..... .92
Black and colors—newest styles in milan, hemp and high luster straws—Trimmed free if materials are purchased here.

39 and 49 ct. Trimmings at ..... .28
Clusters of roses, asters, daisies, and other flowers.

79 and 98 ct. Flower and Fruit Clusters and Wreaths at ..... .50
Pansies, violets, La France roses; all of the spring colorings.

6 ct. Shelf Oilcloth, per yard at 3½
Slightly imperfect—12 inches wide—sold in 2 yd. pieces.

$3.50 Electric Irons at 2.24
Fully guaranteed.

O-Cedar Oil or Dust Mops, 75 ct. size at ..... .74
With the bottle O-Cedar Oil.

49 ct. Opaque Window Shades at .33
2x7 ft.—complete with rollers and fixtures.

$21.00 Alex. Smith & Sons' Seamless Velvet Rugs at 14.74
9x12 ft.—medallions and floral patterns.

$1.98 Roller Skates at 1.69
Ball-bearing—extension—two good makes.

29 ct. Garden Sets at ..... .22
Three pieces.

17 ct. Paper Napkins at 12½
White, some with colored edge—100 in package.

5 ct. Wax Paper—3 for at ..... .10
White, with sheets cut.

29 ct. Initial Paper for Cards at .20
24 sheets—white with blue or black and cards, envelopes.

5 ct. each Muslin Neckband at ..... 4 for .10
13 to 15 inches.

24 ct. Garment Dress Shields at .17
Sizes 3 and 4—white.

27 ct. Ironing Board Covers at .20
4 to 6 ft.—with hooks and hooks.

87 ct. Ironing Board Pads at .41
White—to 5½ ft.—with lacing and hooks.

39 ct. Sewing Silk; dozen at .26
Black, white and best colors—50 yd.

12 ct. Pearl Buttons—card of 8
Ocean and fresh water, large and small sizes—also colored pearl trimmings.

24 ct. Silver Plated Tablewares at .17
Salt and pepper shakers—flower vases and variety of other things.

29 ct. Plated Individual Teaspoons (½ doz.) at ..... .45
Latest designs.

$3.96 Table Knives and Forks at 2.84
Fine American steel, celluloid handles—set of 40 each.

$1.98 Steel Knives and Forks at 1.45
Good make—bone and ebonite handles—set of six each.

4 ct. Chiffon—40-inch at ..... .33
Full line of colors, black and white.

49 ct. Vel. Laces—12 yd. pc. at ..... .41
Desirable widths—round and diamond mesh.

12½ ct. Cluny Laces at 8
All best widths.

11 ct. White Embroideries at 8
Edging, insertion and beading on cambric or Swiss.

47 ct. Shadowlace Flouncings at .38
Fancy designs for bandeaux—18 inch.

$1.69 Cotton Fleece Blankets at 1.26
Tan, fancy borders—full size with contrast borders.

$4 ct. Crib Blankets—each at ..... .66
Jacquard design—also white with pink or blue borders.

TOILET ARTICLES
Sale Continued.

Munyon's White Hazel Soap, 15 cts. size, 2 cakes for ..... .25
8 ct. Life Buoy Soap, 3 cakes for .20
50 ct. Hagar Hand Health ..... .39
$1.00 size Danderine ..... .69
50 ct. size Danderine ..... .39
25 ct. size Danderine ..... .15
25 ct. Ralph's Scouring Powder, 4 for ..... .20
50 ct. Rubber Sheeting—1 yd. wide at ..... .73

$1.00 White Voile Blouses ..... .78
Dainttily tucked, trimmed with pretty lace and embroidery—sizes 34 to 44.

$1.98 White Voile Blouses 1.36
In various styles—tucked or lace trimmed.

$5.98 Washable Satin Blouses 3.98
Also crepe de chine—white, flesh and navy.

$2.98 Crepe de Chine Blouses 2.17
Peach, white, flesh—various models.

$1.24 Women's Sateen Petticoats .72
Black and colored—pleated or tailored flounces fitted top.

$3.69 Women's Taffeta Petticoats 1.98
Black and many Spring shades in various styles—full lengths.

$5.00 Corsets 2.35
Fancy materials—sizes 19 to 28—medium, long and extra long.

$3.00 Women's Corsets 1.86
Light weight coutil—medium low bust—long hip—elastic inserts.

$6.98 Women's Sweater Coats 4.35
Fibre Silk and Shetland—Jacquard, sailor collars—kilts or sash models—deep collars, buttons to match—turn back cuffs.

98 ct. Women's Camisoles ..... .72
Elaborately trimmed with lace and fine embroidery.

39 ct. Women's Drawers ..... .30
Soft finish muslin—lace or embroidery trimmed.

$1.29 Girls' Lingerie Princess Slips ..... .76
Lace yoke, ribbon run, lace on skirt—6 to 14 years.

69 ct. Little Tots' Dresses ..... .44
Gingham and chambray—plain and fancy—sizes to 6 years.

79 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses .50
Lawn or nainsook—variety of styles—sizes to 5 yrs.

39 ct. Babies' Slips ..... .25
White—yoke or shoulder styles.

60 ct. Little Tots' Middies ..... .44
Fine drill—all white, or white with blue or red trimmings on collar—to 5 years.

$4.98 Little Tots' Colored Coats 3.87
Silk or serge—in navy, Copenhagen or checks overlay collars, little belts.

$2.98 Little Tots' Serge Coats 2.26
White—sizes to 3 yrs.

98 ct. Little Tots' Straw Hats ..... .76
Copenhagen, cross tan, white—to 3 yrs.—velvet or satin ribbon trimmed.

98 ct. Babies' Lawn Caps ..... .70
White—lace and insertion trimmed—sizes 3 months to 2 years.

$1.49 Pique Carriage Robes ..... .85
Eyelet and blind embroidery—scalloped edge.

$1.49 Babies' Sweater Sacques .94
White, with baby-blue or pink edge, rolling collars—kimono sleeves.

49 ct. Men's Silk Hose ..... .27
Black, white and colors—double heel and toe.

Women's $1.00 Silk Hose ..... .73
Black, white, heel, toe and garter top.

59 ct. Women's Two-Clasp Silk Gloves ..... .46
Double finger tips—black or white.

$1.28 Women's One-Clasp Washable Cape Gloves 1.07
Tan and ivory shades—also white chamois.

$1.25 Men's and Women's Umbrellas ..... .90
Black Amazon taffeta and black serges—plain handles.

$1.49 Men's and Women's Umbrellas 1.12
American Taffeta, extra fine—plain or trimmed handles.

29 ct. Women's Fine Cotton Vests ..... .20
Low neck and sleeveless—regular and extra size.

39 and 49 ct. Women's Cotton Union Suits ..... .31
Low neck—sleeveless—knee length or light knee—reg. and extra sizes.

35 ct. Boys' Cotton Union Suits .21
High neck—short sleeves—athletic style—knee length—all sizes.

$3.49 Men's Silk Shirts 2.66
Satin stripes in various new Spring colors—all sizes.

$1.15 Men's Negligee Shirts ..... .82
Large variety of new Spring fabrics—stripes and neat figures—neat effects—plain or white grounds—soft cuffs 13½ to 18.

49 ct. Silver Plated Photograph Frames ..... .28
Oval, velvet covered backs—easel support.

98 ct. Gorham Silver Mesh Purses .76
Silver plated gate top—satin lined.

$1.98 Patent Leather Envelope Handbags 1.26
Moire or chanelle lined.

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Morocco, vachetta and other leathers—various styles and treatments.

$1.98 Matting Suit Cases 1.27
With 24-in. straps—reinforced ends.

$5.00 Cowhide Travel Bag at 3.74
Brown and black—reinforced ends—rivet frames—16, 17, 18 inch.

24c and 29 ct. Women's Collars .18
Embroidered on voile, organdie, Swiss—also lace—large or small styles.

49 ct. Crepe Georgette Collars .31
Embroidered or lace trimmed.

12½ ct. Men's Handkerchiefs, each at ..... .10
Corded border—good size.

29 ct. Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs at ..... .22
Some with corded border, white or colored rolled hem, plain or sheer with initial—sheer hem—soft finish.

12½ and 15 ct. Men's Initial Handkerchiefs . 7
Excellent quality—good size.

11 ct. Women's Handkerchiefs . 9
Some all linen—many designs.

25 ct. Ribbons ..... .17
White, black, colored—taffetas, taffetas, Dresdens, checks, in sash or millinery widths.

$1.47 Silk Dress Tulle 1.18
All colors, street and evening shades 27-inch—makes charming sashes, etc.

17 ct. Silk Soutache Braids ..... .12
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24 ct. Silver Plated Tablewares .17
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"Weather or No"

A man can't keep his heart in his work and on the altar of love at the same time.—Old Man Sage.

HOUSE TOURNEY IS CHANGING LINE-UP

Tie for Second Place in Tabs Tourney Was Broken Last Night

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bulls	18	9	959	.667
Leopards	15	12	931	.556
Tigers	11	16	884	.524
Bears	14	13	897	.519
Lions	12	12	918	.500
Foxes	6	18	926	.250

Another shift in the standing of the house tourney of the T. A. B. S. occurred when play was resumed last evening, the Leopards taking two of the three tilts with the Bears. These two teams had been tied for second place, the winners holding the position, while the Bears dropped down below the Tigers to the fourth rung of the race ladder.

Mahoney of the Bears copped the honors of the evening with the high score of 231 and high average of the evening at 191.2. Guinee of the same team was second in the average line with a marking of 190.1.

The scores:

BEARS

				Ave
Guinee	213	162	196	190
Winzegreid	133	127	124	128
Blimm	144	153	135	145
*Donnelly	160	160	160	160
Mahoney	162	231	182	191
	812	832	797	813

Total pins—2,441.

LEOPARDS

				Ave
*Smith	155	155	155	155
Gleason	164	190	198	184
Hines	131	130	139	126
Lyons	145	185	166	165
Lawton	221	176	164	187
	796	836	822	818

Total pins—2,454.
*Average.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL DOES BRUSH WORK

Local Basketball Team Applies Whitewash to Roselle Park Aggregation

For the second time this season the Plainfield Grammar School yesterday administered the whitewash brush to its opponents, this time to the Roselle Park Grammar School by a score of 48 to 0. The locals put up a great game throughout, outclassing the Roselle Parkers in every department of the game, the opponents never having so much as a lookin. Thirty-eight of the locals' points were almost evenly divided between Lambert and Brancati.

The score:

PLAINFIELD G. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	9	0	18
Brancati, f	10	0	20
Adelman, f	0	0	0
Randolph, c	4	0	8
McCusker, g	0	0	0
Mowen, g	1	0	2
	24	0	48

ROSELLE PARK G. S.

	G.	F.	P.
Degliuano, f	0	0	0
Cadort, f	0	0	0
Chattin, c	0	0	0
Riccitelli, g	0	0	0
Williams, g	0	0	0
	0	0	0

Referee, Starry.

In the preliminary game the local second team defeated the Roselle Park seconds by a score of 15 to 11. The game was well played and closely contested throughout and had considerably more excitement to the minute than the other had to the period.

The score:

PLAINFIELD SECONDS

	G.	F.	P.
Kennedy, f	4	0	8
Hubbard, f	1	0	2
Davies, c	1	1	3
Fuller, g	1	0	2
Hadez, g	0	0	0
	7	1	15

ROSELLE PARK SECONDS

	G.	F.	P.
Klein, f	0	1	1
Kay, f	1	0	2
Kelly, f	0	0	0
Capron, c	4	0	8
Bayley, g	0	0	0
Sullivan, g	0	0	0
Greenawalths, g	0	0	0
	5	1	11

Borough Captaincy Undecided

A deadlock resulted in the vote for captain of the 1917-18 team to represent North Plainfield High School on the basketball court yesterday afternoon after the team had been "mugged" at the Stone & Luckey studio. William Barry and Roy Force secured votes, but as a necessary majority was not forthcoming and one player was absent another ballot will be taken.

YE GODS! RAMBLERS WON BOWLING MATCH

Eagle Seconds Yanked Off Their Lofty Perch Last Night

Another one of those animated bowling matches was fought out on the Eagles' alleys last night between the Ramblers and Eagle seconds, the result this time, however, being in favor of the Rams, who won the first two by substantial margins and passed up the third with only a 4-pin difference.

Five individual scores reached the double century class, three of them being credited to the Ramblers. Dunn fell shy one pin of making it four. Eddie Hyslip, who has been a long time getting started, broke out in a rash last night and hit 217 to begin with, which he followed up with another of the 200 variety, his average of 196 was the best individual effort, although he was closely pressed by Donnelly. Jim Mahoney of the Eagle seconds, who, by the way, bowls anchor for Eagles No. 1, had the best average of his teammates. He and Jaeger each hit 202, but Jaeger got his first, which was sort of an incentive for Jim.

Last night's win was the first for the Ramblers in many moons, and for that reason the Eagles were as much pleased (?) over the result as the victors.

The scores:

RAMBLERS

				Ave
Dunn	199	139	184	174
Betzenberger	149	155	131	145
Worrall	129	141	155	151
Hyslip	217	200	162	196
Donnelly	185	208	178	190
	879	873	810	854

Total pins—2,562.

EAGLE SECONDS

				Ave
Reinle	148	170	136	151
DeCamp	130	142	171	147
Hock	173	179	149	167
Jaeger	203	179	155	179
Mahoney	184	158	202	182
	838	828	814	826

Total pins—2,480.

CLIMAX CLUB TO BE IN FLEMINGTON SHOOT

The Climax Gun Club of this city will participate in a team race shoot at the Flemington Gun Club traps Saturday afternoon, at which the Duane Rod and Gun Club of Elizabeth will also be represented. Five events of 25 birds each will be run off, the last two of which will be for the club teams. The shoot will start promptly at 1 o'clock.

The Flemington shooters won the race held in this city at the Climax traps Washington's Birthday by a single bird, and the local shooters are anxious to come back at the upcountry lads. The local men will make the trip by automobile, and those desiring to make the trip should meet at Martin's garage between 12 and 12.30 o'clock.

For the benefit of those who do not care to accompany the team the Climax traps will open at 2.30, as usual.

WESTFIELD LEAGUE FINAL AVERAGE

The final official figures of the Westfield Sunday School Bowling League given out this week show that the Holy Trinity aggregation was the winner of the 1916-17 circuit race, with the Baptists a fair second. Keppler of the Trinity team came out the winner in the individual averages, as well as high mark for thirty frames.

Meyer of the Episcopal aggregation took the high score for ten frames, while the Presbyterian five took the high team score for a single tilt.

The final official figures follow:

Team Standing

	W	L	PC	HS
Trinity	45	15	.750	939
Baptist	36	24	.600	943
Presbyterian	35	25	.583	977
Methodist	28	26	.518	909
Episcopal	22	34	.403	900
Congregational	7	50	.123	843

Individual Records

	G	Pins	Ave
Keppler	51	9009	176.13
Gilmore	30	5268	175.18
G. Ortlieb	25	4391	175.16
L. Clark	3	527	175.3
Worth	58	10078	173.44
J. Tobin	51	8734	171.13
Montross	44	7516	170.36
Egan	56	9540	170.20
Baker	48	8143	169.31
Hyslip	60	10067	168
Venn	59	9906	166.6
Harby	3	498	166
Young	38	6286	165.16
Kennedy	48	7920	165
Ludwig	4	660	165
Donnelly	60	9885	165
Allen	54	8892	164.36
Lambert	54	8821	163.19
M. McMahon	42	6855	163.19
Meyer	46	7512	163.14
Terry	50	8906	162
C. Tobin	10	1617	161.7
C. Ortlieb	48	7694	160.14
Hunt	34	5537	158.25
Davenport	55	8681	158
Cowperthwaite	17	2536	158
Douglas	11	1721	156.5
Johnson	11	1720	156.4
Jacobi	56	8730	156
Taylor	9	1404	156
French	24	3767	154.11
Lambertson	6	927	154.5
C. Clark	54	8271	152.9
Keyes	45	6864	152.24
Hegeman	11	1669	151.7
Wilson	49	7371	150.21
Kymes	38	5714	150.14
Wahl	34	5110	150.10
Moody	18	2684	149.1
Dempsey	18	2670	148.2
Cutler	3	445	148.1
Winter	31	1620	147.3
Brady	19	2729	143.12
Callahan	12	1861	143.2
Bartlett	7	1003	143.2
Dougherty	7	1002	143.1
Green	3	428	142.2
Townley	6	848	141.3
Stoddard	46	6472	140.32
Marenghi	10	1408	140.8
Butland	3	422	140.2
Weston	14	1956	139.2
Elliott	12	1661	138.5
Kimball	43	5921	137.30
Squires	41	5560	135.25
Stiles	2	269	134.5
McAllister	5	661	132.2
Carr	3	386	128.2
Fiske	14	1711	122.2

High Scores

Trinity wins the cup donated by the league.

High team score—Presbyterian, 977.

High average—Keppler, Trinity, 176.33.

High ten frames—Meyer, Episcopal, 258.

High thirty frames—Keppler, Trinity, 661.

COLLEGE LEAGUE FIVE WINS RETURN GAME

The Grace church indoor court was the scene of a one-sided basketball match Tuesday evening when the College League five of the Plainfield H. S. took the return game title by a score of 32 to 19. The visitors started off with a rush, scoring within the first thirty seconds of the tilt. For the church lads Sheppard put up a great game, while Captain Fawcett of the winners, playing centre, was the star of his team.

The College League five expects to line up against the Grammar School quintet next week and close its season at that time.

The score:

COLLEGE LEAGUE

	G.	F.	P.
Enander, f	5	0	10
Carver, f	0	0	0
Faucet, c	10	0	20
Hannigan, g	1	0	2
Loizeaux, g	0	0	0
	16	0	32

GRACE CHURCH

	G.	F.	P.
Wright, f	2	2	6
McKay, f	1	0	2
Horn, c	2	0	4
Angleman, f	3	1	7
Sheppard, g	0	0	0
Coad, g	0	0	0
	8	3	19

Score by periods:

College League	14	18—32
Grace Church	9	10—19

SOMERVILLE ARROWS WIN OVER B. B. SCOUTS

Special Correspondence:

Bound Brook, March 22.—The Arrow A. C., hailing from the confines of the neighboring community of Somerville, came to this borough last evening and tasted of victory at the expense of the local Boy Scouts of the Parish House courts by a score of 36 to 22.

Wolden, playing forward, for the winners, was kept busy throughout the contest and piled up 20 points for his team.

ARROW A. C.

	G.	F.	P.
Jungman, f	4	0	8
Wolden, f	8	2	18
Fritz, c	3	0	6
Kugler, g	1	0	2
Sporeusky, g	0	0	0
Hardgrove, g	0	0	0
	17	2	36

SCOUTS

	G.	F.	P.
Cook, f	1	0	2
Mesiti, f, g	2	0	4
Beardsley, f, c	4	1	9
Hawke, c	0	0	0
Haelig, g	0	0	0
Wertel, g, f	2	1	7
	10	2	22

BOROUGH TEAM IN A SPEEDY INDOOR GAME

A team of North Plainfield High School players administered a terrible beating to the St. Paul Parish House five of Westfield on its own court yesterday afternoon, the final score being 63 to 41.

As the score shows, both teams did a lot of shooting and very little guarding—in fact, neither team showed any lack of optical weakness, both Plainfield forwards caging nine each, while Dunning dropped in ten twin-counters. Bauerman was high score man for the home quintet.

The score:

ALL-STARS

	G.	F.	P.
Scarborough, f	9	0	18
Force, f	9	3	21
Dunning, c	10	0	20
Barry, g	1	0	2
Clay, g	1	0	2
LaRue, g	0	0	0
	30	3	63

ST. PAUL

	G.	F.	P.
Hank, f	2	0	4
Coen, f	3	0	6
Bauman, c	3	0	8
Davies, g	3	2	9
Wright, g	2	0	4
	13	2	41

Referee, Riley; scorer, Michelson.

Y. W. C. A. IN ANOTHER DECISIVE VICTORY

The Y. W. C. A. won another victory last evening on the Grace P. E. parish house court over the Girls' Friendly Society team by a score of 51 to 3. The Misses McAuliffe and Wolfe accomplished the entire scoring on the part of the Y. W. C. A. team, while Miss Barry did all the scoring for her team single handed.

Following the game the girls enjoyed a social time, with the Friendly Girl members acting as hostesses.

The score:

Y. W. C. A.

	G.	F.	P.
Miss McAuliffe, f	7	0	14
Miss Wolfe, f	7	3	17
Miss Mair, c	0	0	0
Miss Johnson, g	0	0	0
Miss Doughty, g	0	0	0
Miss Steiner, sc	0	0	0
	14	3	31

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Burke, f	0	0	0
Miss M. Barry, f	4	0	8
Miss B. Walmer, g	0	0	0
Miss Benjamin, g	0	0	0
Miss May Barry, g	0	0	0
Miss R. Walmer, sc	0	0	0
	4	0	8

Referee, Miss Clara Smith; timer,

VALESKA SURATT IN "JEALOUSY" AT PROCTOR'S

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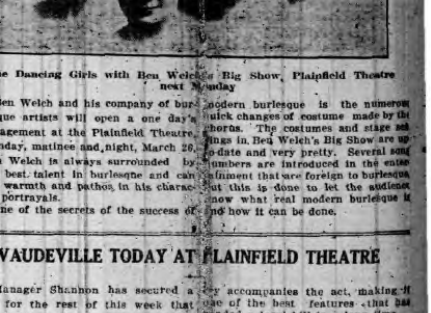
At Proctor's today

Valeska Suratt appears in the big headline attraction at Proctor's today, "Jealousy" in which she assumes the type of role which has made her famous. She introduces a huge array of gorgeous and expensive wardrobe, a feature which will prove particularly attractive to the feminine element. In addition today the last chapter of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown, and Hank Mann will appear in a popular Fox comedy creation "His Tie-ish Job."

Tomorrow by special arrangement Douglas Fairbanks will appear in his latest Triangle success "The American." The play is fairly saturated with action. Fairbanks goes to Patagonia, a South American country, and gives just while the country is in the throes of a revolution, starts out to discover the former president, who has been shoved out of the office by a usurper, rescues his daughter, makes the usurper take to the bushes, reinstates the legitimate president and incidentally wins the hand of the latter's daughter. In addition tomorrow the famous dancers Maurice and Florence Walton appear in a Paramount production entitled "The Quest of Life."

On Saturday morning a special matinee will be given for the benefit of the local boys. The admission will be two potatoes and a special program of films will be offered. The special show will commence at 10:30 o'clock and will doubtless prove exceedingly attractive and entertaining for the children.

BEN WELCH HERE MONDAY IN BURLESQUE



The Dancing Girls with Ben Welch's Big Show, Plainfield Theatre next Monday

Ben Welch and his company of burlesque artists will open a one day's engagement at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night, March 26. Ben Welch is always surrounded by the best talent in burlesque and can put warmth and pathos in his character portrayals.

One of the secrets of the success of modern burlesque is the numerous quick changes of costume made by the chorus. The costumes and stage settings in Ben Welch's Big Show are up to date and very pretty. Several song numbers are introduced in the entertainment that are foreign to burlesque but this is done to let the audience know what real modern burlesque is and how it can be done.

VAUDEVILLE TODAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Manager Shannon has secured a bill for the rest of this week that will keep vaudeville popular in the minds of local amusement seekers. "Billy" Elliott and his "Seven Dusky Maids" in "On the Levee" lead the program with an excellent combination of singing and dancing that portrays the "old South." Special scenery accompanies the act, making it one of the best features that has headed a local bill in a long time.

The other four numbers are equally as good and include Rogers & Rogers, comedians; Mercedes Clark and Company, in a comedy sketch; Dean & Hazzard, talking and dancing comedians, and the Two Kelsos in a novelty comedy.

Miss Mann; scorers, the Misses Titus and Van Hise.

Fishing for Frost Fish

Frost fish are reported as running quite heavy—at least, this news has induced Al Fritz, Frank Dentz and Harry Barber to try their luck in the briny deep. The fishermen will no doubt bring home some good reports of their day's angling.

RAMBLERS vs. ST. JOSEPH'S

The Ramblers and St. Joseph's club of the borough will meet in their second series tomorrow night at the Eagles' alleys. Taylor, who has been unable to bowl of late on account of a sore thumb, will be back in the Rambler line-up. The other star will be Dunn, Betzenberger, Worrall and Hyslip.

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MUST APOLOGIZE FOR POLICE GRAFT CHARGE

Red Bank, March 22.—Because he could not prove the graft charges which he made against the Police Department, Charles Smith, colored, has been given until April 2 to apologize. Smith charged that he and others, who had given dances or entertainments, were compelled to have an officer at the halls and pay them $3.

Chief of Police Clayton did not deny that policemen had been paid, but asserted that no one had been compelled to have an officer at a dance or entertainment; that all officers had been sent at the request of the persons holding the dances or entertainments. The policemen sent were men off duty.

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Woman Loses by One Vote.

Hammonton, March 22.—Surprise developed here at the school election when Mrs. H. McD. Little, the only woman member of the board, lost re-election by one vote, Justice of the Peace Harry L. Murphy winning third place by the vote of 73 to 74. Dr. Fred C. Burt and W. R. Tilton were first and second high candidates. The meeting voted appropriations totaling $15,644.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

... with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In continuing the article last evening, on utilizing little odds and ends of "left overs," it may be well to remember what Napoleon Bonaparte once said: "An army advances on its stomach," to which perfectly obvious fact another may be added—the industrial force of a nation advances on its stomach, and so does every home, therefore, every thinking woman should awaken to the importance of kitchen waste.

Perhaps a short object lesson, of how a tempting luncheon for two can be evolved from the following unsightly left-overs may prove helpful, in showing what can be accomplished with very little.

A few spoonfuls of creamed chicken, a tiny saucer of mashed potatoes, a cold poached egg, a saucer of apple sauce and a few outside lettuce leaves were the materials on hand, and this is how one thrifty cook combined them and made a dainty meal:

She divided the chicken and arranged it in the bottom of two small buttered baking dishes, covered it with the mashed potato and a layer of dried bread crumbs and, after dotting with bits of butter, baked it to a rich, crisp brown.

She then mashed the yolk of the egg—which she first cooked hard—added half a teaspoonful of salt, a few grains of cayenne, a quarter of a teaspoonful of mustard and enough vinegar to moisten. She then beat in six times as much oil as vinegar and blended this with the cut-up lettuce leaves, just at meal time. The chopped egg white garnished the two portions of salad.

The apple sauce was chilled, the stiffly whipped egg white folded in and the "apple whip" was served in two slender glasses.

The actual additional cost for the meal was the raw egg white used in the whip.

We must learn that even the fried and scrambled egg which are left have their uses, for they can be chopped and added to a hash or salad. Even a spoonful of sour cream is valuable, for it will add greatly to the cold-slaw dressing, and if added to a batch of griddle cakes, scones or biscuits, the amount of shortening can be decreased.

Sour milk has hundreds of uses. Of course, in using it, baking soda must be substituted for the baking powder and any flour mixture into which it enters should be baked as soon as possible after it is mixed.

Cold baked potatoes may be converted into stuffed potatoes, mashed into croquettes or combined with fish to fish balls, while cold boiled potatoes can be remodelled au gratin, creamed, hashed brown or used for salad. A spoonful of any vegetable which is left from a previous meal may be added to the breakfast or luncheon omelet, giving it a different and appetizing flavor.

Melted ice cream should never be thrown away, but incorporated into cakes, cookies or a cold dessert. For the last, a little powdered gelatine can be added, varying in quantity, of course, according to the result desired. When using it in cake, leave out part of the milk called for and lessen the quantity of butter and sugar.

Some of the Little Wastes

The careful housewife must remember that when trying to save the little things one usually discards, there must be system. Have a definite corner of the ice box for remnants of food, store them on separate plates and look over what you have on hand every morning.

Also beware, these little wastes, for they amount to many dollars:

A plate of flour used to roll fish or potato cakes, when a tablespoonful would suffice.

Dried fruits left unprotected to grow wormy.

Good sheets used for the dining table.

Mattress wiped on the ironing sheet instead of on cloth or paper.

Napkins used for dish towels and dish towels for holders.

Soap left to waste in dish water.

Soup set away, covered while hot, to sour.

Mops and brooms not hung up and carpet brooms used to scrub with.

Tin dishes or wash boilers set away wet to rust.

Wooden pails and wash tubs left dry to fall apart.

Cans of coal oil left open to evaporate.

Furnace and range coal not properly sifted, thereby materially increasing the coal bill.

Remember that real kitchen preparedness means looking after every little leak.

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MR. FOX'S LESSON

Mr. Fox was sly, and he was lazy, too. He made poor Mrs. Fox do all the hunting, and then he would eat what she brought home and go to sleep.

"I am afraid, my dear," he would say to Mrs. Fox, "that my rheumatism is going to hang on all winter. I am so sorry I shall not be able to help you, but I am suffering terribly, I can assure you."

And then Mr. Fox would groan and take on in a terrible way, so that his wife would pity him and bring him nice chickens and other tender things from the farmyard over the hill.

But though he was sly, he was careless one day when he thought his wife was out and would not be back for a while.

Mr. Fox had been in bed all the morning pretending he just could not stir, because he was in such pain, and he wanted some chicken broth very much; in fact, he was sure it was the only thing that could cure the pain in his leg. So kind-hearted Mrs. Fox put on her bonnet and took her basket and trudged off over the hill, although she was tired from the trip she made there the night before, and Mr. Fox had eaten all the best part of the duck she brought home.

But she did not have to go over the hill, for she found some young chickens that had run away not far from her home. When she came back near the house who should she see sitting on the steps but Mr. Fox smoking his pipe and not acting a bit sick.

"I will find out about this," she said, hiding behind a tree where she could watch, and pretty soon she saw Mr. Fox jump right up from the steps as spry as anything and go into the house.

When Mrs. Fox came in the door Mr. Fox began to groan and cry with the terrible pain in his leg again.

"It has been just awful all the time you were gone, my dear," said Mr. Fox. "Do hurry and make the broth."

Mrs. Fox looked very angry, but she said in her sweetest tone: "I will make it right off, my dear, and we must see that you have more to eat than you have been getting, for I am sure if you have plenty to eat and stay in bed you will get well."

Mr. Fox put his head under the bed clothes and laughed, and then he said he was sure that was the very thing he needed—plenty of ducks and geese and chickens.

Now Mrs. Fox had a scheme, but her husband did not know it, and the next day she sent for Mrs. Reddy Fox to sit by Mr. Fox while she went out.

Mr. Fox insisted he did not need anyone, but Mrs. Fox winked at Mrs. Reddy, who was a friend of hers, and said she knew he was far too sick to be left alone. When she came back she had geese and chickens and ducks and hens. These she put in the pantry, and out she went again, and when she came back she had as many more.

All day she worked, and all night, and her pantry was filled when the sun came up the next morning.

Then Mrs. Fox began her work. She cooked and fed Mr. Fox every minute, and when he said he had enough she said he did not know—that he must eat more.

Mr. Fox could not get out of bed, because he had been so sick his wife wouldn't let him. He must just eat and stay in bed, she told him, if he wanted to get well.

Of course, he grew very fat, indeed, and at the end of two days Mrs. Fox stopped feeding him, and Mr. Fox said he did not feel any pain, and he guessed he would get up and go out for a little walk.

"Of course, my rheumatism may come back," he said, for he did not want to work, "but I think I should get a little fresh air."

But when Mr. Fox tried to get on his clothes he found they were too small. He had grown so fat he could not wear a thing, and that was just what Mrs. Fox intended should happen.

"My dear, do you think I might wrap a blanket about me and sit out on the steps?" he asked. "I don't seem to be able to wear my clothes. They must have shrunken."

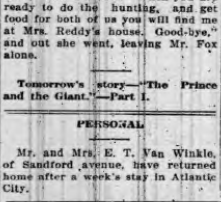
So Mrs. Fox gave him a blanket, but when Mr. Fox tried to come through the doorway he was so fat he could not get through and there he stuck.

"You lazy, fat fellow!" said Mrs. Fox, pushing him with all her strength. "If I served you right I would let you stay in the doorway until you grew thin, playing you were sick and making me do all the hunting." Bang went Mr. Fox on the floor, when Mrs. Fox at last dislodged him, and he fell back into the bedroom.

"Now stay there until you grow thin and can get your clothes on," she told him. "By that time you will be hungry enough, I think, to hunt for yourself."

Mrs. Fox put on her bonnet and started out.

"Where are you going?" called



Mr. Fox from his seat on the floor. "You would not let me starve, would you?"

"You will not starve; you have eaten enough to last you for some time," said his wife. "When you are ready to do the hunting, and get food for both of us you will find me at Mrs. Reddy's house. Good-bye," and out she went, leaving Mr. Fox alone.

Tomorrow's story—"The Prince and the Giant."—Part I.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Van Winkle, of Sandford avenue, have returned home after a week's stay in Atlantic City.

DEMAND SCHOOL VOTE.

Pitman Women Send Resolutions to Governor and Legislature.

Pitman, March 22.—The right to vote on all school questions is asked for women of New Jersey in resolutions drawn up to be sent to Governor Edge and the legislature by the Mothers' club and the Parent-Teacher Association.

Many of the members of the two organizations turned out to participate in the school election by voting upon appropriations, which they are allowed to do, but they cannot vote for candidates.

Many of the women cast ballots for an appropriation of $2,000 for an ornamental iron fence to inclose the school yard.

HEALTH NOTES

It rests you, in sewing, to change your position.

A little soda water will relieve sick headache caused by indigestion.

One with a sluggish liver should have more outdoor exercise and a hot salt bath daily. She should use either a loofa or bath brush and dry with a Turkish towel. It is well to drink the juice of one lemon in a cup of hot water before breakfast every morning and walk at least a mile every morning and walk briskly, not saunter.

If a child's first teeth decay before it is time to shed them they should certainly be filled. In the first place they are needed for mastication and they assist the formation of the jawbone, they steer the second teeth into their proper place and the second teeth derive quite a little nourishment from the first. Therefore, children should be taught to clean their teeth at a very early age, as cleanliness prevents decay.

Callouses on the feet will be made less painful if they are cared for every night. The soles should be soaked for at least ten minutes in warm water. A piece of fine pumice stone is then rubbed on the hard spots until the soft flesh is reached. Then they are anointed with vaseline, and a little pad of absorbent cotton bound on to prevent the grease from rubbing. In the morning more vaseline is put in, and, if possible, a corn plaster, the hole enlarged not to press on the callous, is put around. If the latter is not practicable, wearing soft felt soles in the shoes will give relief.

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That Awkward Age

Marian and Nettie were chums. One was hardly ever seen without the other. But wherever they went it was usually remarked by those who saw them, "How awkward Marian is! I wonder if the child will ever grow up?" And, "How graceful, sweet and pretty Nettie is!" They were both, however, at "that awkward age," the eighteenth year, the time between childhood and womanhood when the young girl realizes that she must play her own role in the world's drama. Young Nettie had solved the question of overcoming the awkward age—she had realized, or rather her wise mother had realized, that wearing the proper clothes will have a greater effect on the proper development, can do more in forming their feeling of self-respect and will give them more "poise" than anything else they can do. Nettie bought her clothes from B. Altman & Co., Fifth and Madison Avenues and Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Streets; in that department which makes a special study of misses of "the awkward age."

This Spring when Nettie's mother bought her clothes from Altman's she saw a greater and more pleasing variety than ever before. Those coat suits were all so stunning that she found it very hard to choose between them. And a suit is usually such a hard problem for the young girl. A new material for suits is tricotine, a cross between a serge and a gabardine. There was one good looking model in blue, the coat of which had flat revers, a straight back and a belt in front, but that looked very plain by the side of the burella de soir, one model in a two-toned affair and one of the skirts having a "cut" hem. Very striking was a tan suit specially at Altman's of which the jacket was also in the bolero effect, with a fancy vest embroidered in beads. The pockets of this skirt were formed in box plaits made in the garment and were finished off by a wide, sash belt, which looped over in front.

For every-day wear, nothing could excel a plain English tweed in a straight tailored suit, giving a Norfolk style. Then one could not ignore the fact that young girls can get the most tailored "real" skirts as well as their elders. Altman's showed a very pretty model for spring in a blue trevotine, plain cut at the top and therefore so narrow at the bottom that two small plaits at the hem gave room for a graceful movement of the limbs. The coat was a simple, loose fitting model with a belt in front. The collar and cuffs were of khaki kool.

The barrel effect in a coat was shown by a blue serge model with barrel pockets of embroidered Japanese silk. White embroidered wool Jerseys gave evidence of the latest fad in styledom for Milady Young and Milady Old. An unusual model was a blue serge with a fringe effect, while the demand for "double belts" was carried out in a tricotine coat. In fact, there was a splendid variety in every color, every style and all length coats.

For sport suits, of course khaki kool was a great favorite, one especially attractive model having a figured skirt and a plain coat trimmed in the figured material. The skirt had a yoke effect with the skirt falling full from there. Another pretty combination was a plain white khaki kool skirt and a colored coat. Solid khaki kool suits, with cartridge pleating on the pockets, particularly in gray, would surely appeal to the girl of the "awkward age."

As for coats, she would revel in the styles shown by Altman's. Most of the street coats were made of burella cloth in various small checks. The stunning of all was a "gendarme" blue with deep pockets made right in the coat and a high, red collar with cuffs to match. Another unusual offering was a mulberry coat of burella with sash belt, shawl collar and large pockets. For evening wear, "Miss Awkward" must have a cape and the one which Nettie saw at Altman's, of embroidered blue gros de londres was adorable. An amethyst burella cape lined with white could also be worn on the street.

For extra sport coats, the smartest thing is wool jersey combinations, and a very pretty one was Altman's reversible satin and jersey combinations, or all wool jerseys.

Of all the street dresses, the most unique shown was a combination of serge and taffeta, with a three-quarter front of striped taffeta, giving long lines, and the back effect in the skirt, being finished off with a loose serge belt and a blue georgette crepe collar. For evening wear, a dainty creation was made of flesh color tulle with a silver lace bodice. The skirt had a foundation of scalloped pink china silk, covered with pink chiffon and draped over that, gray-blue tulle with panels of flesh colored tulle. It was finished off with a flounce of silver lace and a French blue velvet bow and streamer.

Another novelty was a new rubberized plaid cape for rainy weather.

Milady Carryl

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

There will be a regular rehearsal of the orchestra tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock.

The "Gym" Club will have a "bean party" at 8:30 o'clock tonight for members of the gymnasium classes.

The Vesper Club will meet for supper on Saturday, at which time arrangements for the vesper service on April 1 will be made.

A "fashion show" under the auspices of the dressmaking department will be held at the association on Thursday, March 29, at 4 o'clock. There will be a display of gowns, suits, millinery and neckwear from local merchants, moving pictures of fashions for spring and music. The general public is cordially invited.

BATTERY C MEN ARE OUT OF FEDERAL SERVICE

With the exception of Captain Edward C. James, Lieutenant Wilbur Fritz, and ten artillery men who are doing clerical work, all members of Battery C, Field Artillery, of East Orange, have been mustered out of the federal service.

Captain James said yesterday that he expects to have the work completed within a week, so that the entire organization can be mustered out.

$350,000 GOLD WAS EXPORTED YESTERDAY

Special to the Courier News.

New York, March 22.—Gold to the amount of $200,000 was withdrawn from the Sub Treasury yesterday for export to South America, and $50,000 was taken for Spain.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

Roundsman Charles Keller has been acting chief in the Borough during the two days' absence of Chief Marshal Weiss.

The Sunday school social of the Congregational Church tomorrow evening will be in the form of a progressive party.

The members of the Plainfield Gesang and Turnverein will hold a shore festival tonight. The members are supposed to wear palm beach suits.

At the third anniversary meeting of the Plainfield Plant, Fruit and Flower Guild to be held April 3, the speaker will be the Rev. Dr. R. F. Y. Pierce, who will give his chalk talk.

During the past fortnight the North Avenue Central Railroad depot has been undergoing extensive repairs. Painters have also been at work on the interior and exterior, giving the building the annual coating of paint. When completed this will greatly improve the appearance of this structure.

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Boston, March 22.—The American Woolen Company has received from the United States Government a contract for 445,000 yards of cloth for overcoats to cost $1,500,000. Deliveries are to extend over a period of between four and five months. This is part of a larger order which the company bid on recently.

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Fancy Head Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
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DUTCH ARMS BIG BANQUET

Prominent Speakers Give Stirring Addresses at Trinity Reformed Church

Patriotism fairly tingled both in speech and decorations at the eighth annual banquet held by the Dutch Arms Club of Trinity Reformed Church, last evening. Even the members of the Loyal Band of Workers, who served the collation to the 285 people present, wore the National colors and everywhere the Stars and Stripes were in evidence. Sixteen tables filled the lecture room of the church and the occasion added another triumph to those already scored by this well-known organization. The Dutch Arms orchestra of twelve pieces played during the banquet.

After ample justice had been done to the turkey menu set before them, President A. B. Cole started the oratorical ball moving by introducing Edgar F. Sheppard, the toastmaster of the evening.

Toastmaster Sheppard appeared at his best, first leading President Cole for his untiring efforts in the interest of the Dutch Arms and its musical organization. He then introduced the various speakers with witticisms and pleasantries.

Owing to illness, Hon. Edwin B. Osborne, of Newark, was unable to be present.

The Rev. F. Clare Baldwin, of the East Orange M. E. Church, and first speaker, had for his topic, "The Gospel of Service." He said that he could hardly refrain from speaking on a patriotic subject where there was so much evidence of patriotism. Dr. Baldwin gave some very valuable suggestions of service, dividing his theme in three parts:

"We must work to serve," said the speaker, "and how criminal an attitude is that of a person who says that he will not serve. There is really two classes of people in this world, the workers and the shirkers. The day is coming when the workers will get weary of this autocracy and nobility and there will be a big change. God serves. Not a minute has he been away from his job."

"We of this country have a great deal to learn," said Rev. Dr. H. P. Silver chaplain of West Point Military Academy, who was the next speaker. Dr. Silver's topic was "American Citizenship" and his talk was interspersed throughout with humor that greatly assisted him in illustrating his theme. He kept the audience in continual laughter.

"Anyone who knows an American knows that he has plenty of nerve, but nevertheless as a nation we are asleep," continued Dr. Silver. "The average American has a very small vision. History says where one has no vision we are liable to fall. Rome after achieving fame lost its vision and fell. We have got to wake up. We are still little known in South America and foreign parts. I have traveled the world over and never seen the American colors in any port but our own. Our country looks very big when here but when elsewhere very small. We have a right to challenge the men of this country. Have you ever inspected your local institutions or even visited your schools? What we need is the spirit of our forefathers who came here and blazed away in the early centuries. They had the spirit of life which is not now demonstrated."

Dr. Silver was followed by the pastor, the Rev. J. Y. Broek, who was high in his praise for the Dutch Arms and its officers. He predicted that at a future day, owing to the rapid growth, it would be necessary to erect a social hall for Dutch Arms and its auxiliaries to meet in. Dr. J. Madison Hare of Scotch Plains, chaplain of the Fourth N. J. Regiment, spoke in the interest of the soldier boy, and Judge Clarence Case of Somerville, closed the occasion with a few words of an inspiring character. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. Dr. E. G. Read.

The affair closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," by Miss Etta S. Daybert, the audience joining in the singing. The officers of the Dutch Arms formed the committee of arrangements. It was conceded the largest attended and most successful banquet ever held by this popular church organization.

Mrs. Wm. Trembath headed the Loyal Band of Workers that arranged and served the collation.

BABY BOY ARRIVES AT BOROUGH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cooley, of Somerset street, are entertaining a baby boy who has come to brighten their home. Dr. Buchanan is attending the case.

ANNUAL MEETING CALLED

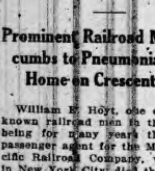
The call for the annual meeting of the church and congregation of Hope Chapel has been issued for Wednesday evening, April 4. A number of items of special business relative to the future work of the chapel will be taken up at that time, as well as the election of officers and the receiving of reports of the various organizations and clubs of the institution.

DEATH SUMMONS WILLIAM A. HOYT

Prominent Railroad Man Succumbs to Pneumonia at His Home on Crescent Ave.

William E. Hoyt, one of the best known railroad men in the country, being for many years the Eastern passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company, with offices in New York City, died this morning at his home, 120 Crescent avenue, following an illness of one week of pneumonia and complications. The announcement of his death was a shock to his many friends who did not know of his critical illness.

Mr. Hoyt was born in Buffalo, N. Y., April 24, 1856, and spent his early life in that city. He began his



W. E. HOYT

business career as a tonnage clerk for the Canadian Pacific fast freight line at Buffalo in 1872, where he remained until 1879, when he took a position as traveling passenger agent for the Wabash Railroad Company. Soon afterward he was promoted to the position of Eastern passenger agent for that company, his office being in New York City.

It was in 1884 that he went with the Gould lines, becoming the Eastern passenger agent, which position he held up to the time of his death. He was considered one of the best informed men in the railroad business, having acquired expert knowledge through his long association with some of the largest companies in the country.

Mr. Hoyt had a host of friends whom he made through his genial personality. On the occasion of his birthday anniversary a year ago he was the guest of honor at a banquet given at the Hotel Astor, New York, by prominent railroad officials. It was always with considerable pleasure that he recalled this happy event in his life.

Mr. Hoyt had lived in Plainfield eighteen years and took as much interest in local affairs as his time would permit. He was a member of Plainfield Lodge of Elks and other fraternities, and attended the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. He is survived by his wife and two sisters who live in Rochester, N. Y.

Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

SURPRISE LINEN SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

A surprise linen shower was tendered last evening for Miss Grace R. Graves, daughter of Councilman and Mrs. Charles C. Graves, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mortimer Givens, of Clinton avenue.

There were twenty-five guests and a delightful evening was passed with progressive games. The awards for which went to the Misses Margaret Harris, Margaret Mortimer and Grace Kinney. Miss Graves is to be married to John Leslie Allen, of this city, next month.

ELECTED OFFICERS

The Men's Club of Hope Chapel held its annual meeting last evening, at which time the reports of the various officers were received and considerably routine business transacted. The following officers were elected: President, Claude Rosebery; first vice-president, George Leighty; second vice-president, William Dodge; secretary, Allen Alberts; secretary, Robert Golsack; treasurer, Walter I. Firebrook.

REAL ESTATE SALE TOMORROW

A plot of building lots, situated on Richmond and Jackson avenues, will be sold at auction tomorrow by Robert Murray. These lots are in one of the most promising residential sections of the borough and will be sold free and clear of all incumbrances. All particulars can be obtained at the auctioneer's office, 326 West Front street.

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SPEAKS ON VITAL ISSUES

Tenth Address by Miss Janet Richards to be Followed by Two Extra Talks

Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., gave the tenth in her series of "Talks On Current Events" at the Hartridge Auditorium yesterday afternoon. This was scheduled to be the last talk for this season, but the interest has been so great that Miss Richards has consented to speak in Plainfield twice more this season—April 12 and 26.

In her address yesterday afternoon Miss Richards declared that the revolution in Russia is the most vital issue of the day. For the past fifteen years she had been speaking of the great unrest that prevailed throughout the entire world—an unrest brought about largely by the education of the people by which they had been able to realize that they had been denied the rights by ruling autocrats or by self-seeking bodies. This awakening had now suddenly been demonstrated in Russia in a surprising degree, and there were signs that the spirit of new Russia would spread to Germany. Indeed, there were points of similarity between the conditions in the two countries, so much so that the question had been upon the minds of all people here as to why Russia had joined herself in the war with England and France instead of with Germany. There were, however, two principal reasons for that. One was because Russia had borrowed such tremendous sums from England and France that it was easily within the power of those countries to bankrupt Russia. The other reason was because the Entente allies had promised that in the event of her uniting with them and the war ending favorably for the Entente, the prize of ever since the days of Peter the Great—Constantinople, the coveted key of the Bosphorus.

The revolution is the most picturesque, inspiring, drastic and bloodless that the world has ever seen.

The extra session of Congress was discussed by Miss Richards. She concluded that most people supposed that it meant a declaration of war with Germany, but possibly such a declaration was unnecessary, for the recent sinking of three American ships might be read as a declaration of war by Germany. At any rate, an extra session was badly needed, for the sixty-fourth Congress had left

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MRS. BARBARA WOLF DIED YESTERDAY

Mrs. Barbara Wolf, wife of John Wolf, of this city, died yesterday in Bonnie Burn Sanatorium, after a long illness, in the eighty-sixth year of her age. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon in the funeral chapel of Cole & High, West Second street, at 1 o'clock, the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. The interment will be made in the family plot in the Scotch Plains cemetery.

Mrs. Wolf came to this country from Germany forty years ago and after remaining in New York for two years came to this vicinity where Mr. Wolf began farming and for many years occupied a farm in New Market. He and Mrs. Wolf had been married for nearly fifty years. Mrs. Wolf was the first patient to be admitted into Bonnie Burn and her patience through suffering and her kindly disposition made her greatly beloved by all the patients.

IAN HAY LECTURES IN HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

Tonight is the night of Ian Hay's lecture in the Plainfield High School on "The Human Side of Trench Warfare" under the auspices of the National Special Aid Society.

This is the lecture that many local people have been waiting for, in anticipation of a graphic story about the war, from one who has participated in it, and they will not be disappointed.

Captain Hay is a graphic writer, and an equally live speaker, and his story from the trenches, with its sad, and humorous features, will hold the close interest of his hearers.

Other particulars appear in the advertisement on another page.

MRS. FRAZEE UNDERGOES SUCCESSFUL OPERATION

A successful operation was performed on Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, in Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday by Dr. Erwin, of New York. After the operation had been performed Mrs. Frazee received a third transfusion of blood, which was given by her brother, Levi Skillman, of Bayonne.

—See J. A. Fass's adv. on first page, second section.—Adv.

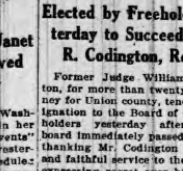
BLATZ CHOSEN COUNTY ATTORNEY

Elected by Freeholders Yesterday to Succeed William R. Codington, Resigned

Former Judge William R. Codington, for more than twenty years attorney for Union county, tendered his resignation to the Board of Chosen Freeholders yesterday afternoon. The board immediately passed a resolution thanking Mr. Codington for his long and faithful service to the county, and expressing regret over his retirement at this time.

Francis J. Blatz, of this city, Mr. Codington's law partner, was then appointed County Attorney, by unanimous vote for the unexpired term.

Judge Codington has not been in good health for the past year and because of that he has not been able to



FRANCIS J. BLATZ
New County Attorney

attend to his duties as county attorney. Mr. Blatz looked after these matters so ably that as soon as it was rumored that Judge Codington would resign Mr. Blatz was urged to succeed him as his successor.

Mr. Blatz is thoroughly posted in all legal matters relating to the county for the past twenty years and has been successful in his profession. He formed a partnership with Mr. Codington four years ago. He was elected to the Common Council from the fourth ward four years ago, and is now serving the last year of his second term. He was elected president of the council last year and reelected this year. Mr. Blatz has a host of friends here and elsewhere throughout the county. His appointment as County Attorney, will be entirely satisfactory to all who desire to see the legal affairs of the county conducted in proper way.

Judge Codington conducted them that way during the many years he held the office, and since the county attorneyship is a part of the patronage that Republican leaders have always conceded to Plainfield, that no natural that the job should go to a local man and that Mr. Blatz should have been selected, since he is so well qualified for the place.

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

This is the twenty-fifth article on the early settlers in Plainfield, written by Oliver B. Leonard, of this city. The earlier chapters were published on the twenty-four preceding Fridays.

THE LAING FAMILY of East Jersey settled in this vicinity near Rahway and Woodbridge about 1675, as stated. The founder of the line, it will be remembered, was a Quaker, born in Scotland about 1650. This John Laing, dying 1698, was the original in America. His two sons, John, Jr., and William, perpetuated the name. The genealogy of John, Jr., has been narrated. The remaining lines descend through William Laing, born 1680, died 1735; married 1703. His wife's name was Mary Blackford, born 1688, daughter of Samuel and Mary Blackford. This is a Piscataway family, identified largely with the Baptist and other Protestants.

William and Mary Blackford Laing had five sons and two daughters. He bought a large plantation of 780 acres in connection with his brother, John, Jr., on which they both lived for awhile. This was in 1699. It was in the description of this patent that the name of "Plainfield" is first mentioned. The land lay near present South Plainfield.

William Laing, to increase his landed possessions, bought a large

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Home From Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams have returned to their home at 47 Cedar avenue, after a three weeks' pleasure trip spent at St. Petersburg, Florida.

—See J. A. Fass's adv. on first page, second section.—Adv.

TESTIMONIAL TO JUDGE HETFIELD

Plainfield Bar Association Honored Him at Ahern's Restaurant Last Night

The members of the Plainfield Bar Association tendered a dinner to former Judge of the Plainfield District Court Walter L. Hetfield, Sr., at Ahern's restaurant, North avenue, last night. Judge William Newcorn acted as toastmaster in the absence of William A. Coddington who was unable to be present. Speeches were made by Judge James Henry Crane, Judge William G. DeMeza, County Attorney Francis J. Blatz, Mayor C. Runyon and Walter L. Hetfield, Jr.

At the close of the speechmaking Judge Hetfield was presented with a handsome gold fountain pen, the gift of the Bar Association. The dinner served by Mrs. Ahern was declared to be one of the finest that has ever been given in this city, and Judge Newcorn took especial pains to congratulate the hostess and to express the appreciation of himself and others of the excellence of her cuisine.

Before introducing any of the speakers, Judge Newcorn spoke of the number of years he has known Judge Hetfield and of the friendship that has existed between them. He regretted, he said, that it was necessary to take a man like Judge Hetfield from the bench, because he had always been fair and impartial in his decisions.

"It is the way of politics, however," continued the speaker, "and governed by the dictum once issued by that greatest of all Democrats, save Jefferson, Andrew Jackson: 'To the Victor Belongs the Spoils.' We Republicans have been obliged to give the office to one of our partisans, in the hope that he may emulate the fine judicial example of his distinguished predecessor, and hold on until further political changes, which are bound to come, will compel him to give place to one of opposite political faith, just as it was obliged to give place to Judge Hetfield five years ago, and as he has now stepped down for Judge Crane."

Judge Crane said that his one ambi-

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FAREWELL SURPRISE FOR MRS. CARRIE LARRABEE

Members of Old Glory Council, No. 62, Daughters of Liberty, gave a farewell surprise party to Mrs. Carrie Larrabee at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse A. Dayton, of Division street, last night. Mrs. Larrabee will leave the latter part of next week for Los Angeles, California.

There were fifty guests present from New Brunswick, Garwood, New Market and Plainfield. Mrs. Larrabee has been visiting her parents since last June.

During a social hour when refreshments were served, Mrs. Larrabee was presented with a cut-glass flower vase. A feature of the evening's entertainment was the playing of all kinds of games.

THE FUNERAL OF MISS MILDRED SMITH

The funeral of Miss Mildred E. Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith, who died on Tuesday, was held this afternoon at the residence of her parents, in Marshners place, the Rev. Dr. D. F. Randolph, pastor of the Monroe Avenue Methodist church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The interment was made in Evergreen cemetery, Elizabeth.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AND ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church will hold a birthday party in the borough church tonight and it will also be the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the society. A musical program will be given, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Miniature banks have been distributed and all persons attending are supposed to bring a penny for each year of their age.

ARCHDEACON SHEPPARD AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

Archdeacon Bowden Sheppard of the Trenton diocese will be the ten preacher next Sunday morning at the Church of the Holy Cross. The service will open at 11 o'clock.

Wednesday evening, March 28, the Rev. H. B. H. Darlington, of Newark, son of Bishop Darlington, of Harrisburg, will speak at this church. On Palm Sunday the Rev. F. N. Clarke, of New York, will conduct the morning service.

TO DEVELOP PALISADES PARK

Both Houses of the New Jersey Legislature have passed without a dissenting vote the Glover bill, which was yesterday signed by Governor Edge, pledging the State to appropriate an additional sum of $500,000 for the development of the Palisades Interstate Park.

ALL RUSSIA ANNOUNCES ITS ADHERENCE TO NEW REGIME

By United Press:

Copenhagen, March 23.—A provisional government declaration, received here today from Petrograd, says all Russia, including Finland, Turkestan, the Caucasus and Siberia, have announced adherence to the revolution.

FIX SCHEDULE FOR OPERA REHEARSALS

Excellent progress is being made with the rehearsals for the coming opera, "The Land of Mystery," which is to be given at The Plainfield Theatre, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks. Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Sharpe, the authors and producers of the opera and who are personally directing the rehearsals, are much pleased with the way the participants are learning the score.

The Nautchee dancers will rehearse at 7 o'clock tonight and at 8:15 there will be a rehearsal for the principals. Beginning at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the children in the ballet groups will rehearse in the following order: Violets, wood-nymphs, forget-me-nots, doves, fireflies and dandelions. The "Nautchee girls" and "The Charms" will be photographed at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Stone & Luckey's studio. Other photographs will be taken later.

Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the "Butterflies" will rehearse and at 4 o'clock the "Fairies" will go through their dance. "Shakespeare," a set of eight men and eight women, doing one of the hits of the opera, called "Everybody Loves a Girl Love You," will also be rehearsed. The principals will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening. On Tuesday "The Charms," a company of sixteen young women, will meet at 7 o'clock for rehearsals, and at 8 o'clock a general rehearsal will be held for adults, and at that time Mr. Sharpe will begin on the stage work of the opera. The ensemble music is now perfected.

IMPROVEMENTS AT ADELBERG'S STORE

The Adelberg store, 610 Front street, has been remodelled and thoroughly renovated. New fixtures have been installed, a new fitting room provided, and an improved lighting system.

The store will be open from 7 to 9 o'clock tonight, and handsome souvenirs will be given to those who visit the store.

Mr. Adelberg will have his spring opening tomorrow, and a general invitation to attend is extended to the people of this city and nearby towns.

BOROUGH P-T ASSOCIATION HELD A SESSION

The Borough P-T Association at its meeting yesterday afternoon enjoyed a lecture on the beautiful caverns of Virginia by Principal Earley of the High school. There were thirty members present at the session held in the high school.

At the business meeting it was decided to hold the annual rummage sale in May. The sale will be held in a vacant store on Front street.

A committee consisting of Mrs. C. M. Dolliver, Mrs. A. E. Kinney and Mrs. M. H. Swarthout were appointed to communicate with the Board of Education regarding the extension of the annual Easter vacation in the borough schools to one week, this was the expression of opinion of the members at yesterday's meeting.

GUEST OF REV. AND MRS. J. Y. BROEK

Rev. Dr. H. P. Silver, chaplain of the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., who was one of the speakers at the Dutch Arms banquet last night, was the guest over night of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Y. Broek, at the Central avenue parsonage. Dr. Silver is greatly in demand as a public speaker. On Wednesday night he addressed a meeting in Baltimore, Md., and tonight will speak in Trenton.

MRS. CALKINS IS A GOOD SHOT

Mrs. Leighton Calkins, wife of the Mayor, yesterday afternoon went to police headquarters where several policemen were engaged in pistol practice. She was given a revolver to try her prowess, and hit the bull's eye twice out of three times.

Mrs. Calkins is interested in the preparedness movement, that is just now engaging her husband and is anxious to do whatever she can to increase the efficiency of all citizens to protect their interests in case of emergency.

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PADEREWSKI RECITAL VERY NEAR AT HAND

Ignace Paderewski, the famous Polish pianist, will give a recital in the Plainfield High School next Monday evening under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club.

It is expected that Madame Paderewski will accompany her husband and have on sale for Polish relief Paderewski's autographed photographs and Polish dolls.

Madame Paderewski, like her husband, is thoroughly cosmopolitan. She is the mistress of six languages and can make herself understood in practically all the slave languages and dialects.

It is once in a lifetime that Plainfield people will have a chance to hear the world-renowned pianist.

W. C. T. U. HELD PARLOR MEETING

A parlor meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Force, of Mountain avenue, and was much enjoyed by those present.

Mrs. T. C. Bodine gave personal recollections of Neil Dow, the "Father of Prohibition," and Mrs. Mary D. Toulinson spoke of the life of Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, former president of the National W. C. T. U. and known as the "Mother of Prohibition." Contralto solos were sung by Mrs. F. M. Ward and these were followed by a musical guessing contest.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Edmund Teal, assisted by Miss Stryker and the hostess.

LADIES ENTERTAIN THEIR HUSBANDS

The ladies of the Nethergood Avenue 500 Club entertained their husbands last evening at the home of Mrs. William Marchant. Cards, music, dancing and refreshments helped to make the evening passes joyably.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Marchant and daughter, Miss Ruth Marchant, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Scholle, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chrisfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. W. Causebrook, Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Eps, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lippincott, Mr. and Mrs. Dougherty, Miss S. Bass and L. Hummer.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. JOEL BRIANT

The funeral of Mrs. Abiga. M. Briant, the wife of the late Joel R. Briant, who died on Tuesday, was held this afternoon at her late residence on Sandford avenue, the Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were: Erwin B. Leslie, Jr., and Benjamin M. Leland, Addison Laing, Benjamin Evans and Joseph Dunham. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

CONTRIBUTORS TO HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following is the list of the contributors to the Home Defense League up to date:

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WHO WANTS THESE PRIZES?

Prizes of five dollar gold pieces are offered to High school pupils for essays on "Alcohol and Its Effects." The general conditions of the contest will be announced later.

The prizes will be for local, county and State contests and there will be prizes also for seventh and eighth grade pupils. The maximum marks for High school pupils will be 2,000, minimum, 500, and for grade pupils, maximum, 1,000 and minimum, 500. Seventy-five per cent. will be for subject matter and twenty-five for construction, spelling and general appearance of the paper.

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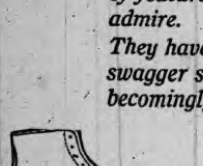

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MUSICAL CLUB CLOSING ITS SEASON

Two Meetings of Special Interest to be Held at the Homes of Members

The Musical Club is closing its season of 1916-17 with two meetings that are expected to be particularly good. The first is to be at the home of Mrs. Henry Lockwood de Forest, 955 Hillside avenue, on Easter Monday afternoon, April 9th. Mrs. De Forest herself will be heard in piano solos, also in piano and cello duets, and trios of piano, violin, and cello. Both violinist and cellist are well-known. The former is Mrs. John Miles, of Philadelphia, the latter Miss Laura Tappan, of New York.

The next meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. John Peters Stevens, 985 Hillside avenue, on Tuesday afternoon, April 17th. On this occasion, Mrs. Harry Mosee, pianist, will be assisted by Huber Linscott, baritone.

It is not the custom of the club to have meetings only a week apart, but the first of these meetings was postponed from March 26th to April 9th, on account of the illness of Mrs. de Forest's daughter.

The Musical Club has had a particularly good season, and its greatest achievement, perhaps, is the introduction of Paderewski to a Plainfield audience. It is unnecessary to say more on this subject, for all music lovers are looking forward to the concert to be given next Monday, March 26th, by the great pianist.

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TALK ON "MISSIONS"

The Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church is meeting at the home of Mrs. George Mantz on Union street this afternoon, at which time Mrs. J. Y. Brock will give a talk on "Missions."

SENATE PASSED TRAINING BILL

Trenton, March 23.—As another step in New Jersey's preparedness program, the Senate has just passed House bill No. 351, by Mr. Pierson, of Union, providing for the appointment of a supervisor of physical training in the public schools, and sent it to Governor Edge. The measure provides for the appointment of an additional Assistant Commissioner of Education, at an annual salary of $4,500, who shall be the supervisor of physical training. He will be appointed, if Governor Edge approves the bill, by State Commissioner of Education Kendall, subject to the approval of the State Board of Education.

This bill is a companion measure to House 281, by Mr. Pierson, establishing a course on physical training for the public schools, which has already passed both Houses and is in the hands of Governor Edge.

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Editorial

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Alterations in Hospital Necessary to Provide Space for the Apparatus

If any one were asked what the chief purpose of the hospital in the community was he would probably reply at once, to take care of the sick, to alleviate pain, and to make more easy the speedy recovery from illness, and these are no doubt the correct answers.

But there is still another usefulness of the hospital in the community, not touched upon in these answers. The hospital focusses attention on a great charitable object, develops the habit of giving, and encourages generous impulses which bring forth acts of benevolence and charity.

This side of the hospital's influence on the character of the community is often not appreciated and more often very much underestimated.

The point of all this is that while in the past the demands of the hospital on the generosity of the community have been large, much has been given back beside the taking care of the sick, in character development that is of lasting and enduring benefit.

The establishment of a fund recently for manufacturing an orthopedic clinic in the hospital is an instance of the fruition of these sentiments and is particularly appropriate at this time.

The various circles of the King's Daughters of Plainfield and North Plainfield have contributed to the major portion of this amount for purposes of maintaining the orthopedic clinic. The following are the circles that have contributed to this fund: Benevolent Circle, Charity Circle, Cheerful Workers Circle, Brightside Circle, Silver Cross Circle, The Loyal Daughters' Circle and The Cup Bearers' Circle.

Alterations are being made in the hospital to provide space for the necessary apparatus for this clinic and before very long it will be in active and useful operation.

As every one knows, our section of the country was swept last summer with the perilous epidemic of infantile paralysis, and where the victim's life was spared there were left marks of the disease that will probably last as long as the victim lives. This clinic will do much towards restoring by modern treatment the victims of this disease to more nearly their normal conditions, and thus remove the effect later in their lives of the fearful blight of the dread disease. This is certainly a most worthy effort, as it endeavors to restore from absolute helplessness those who have had this disease to normal usefulness in the life of the community and should receive a hearty support and co-operation *at every one who is interested* in the civic welfare and health of the community.

Freckle-Face

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle-face?

Simply get an ounce of othine, double strength, from your druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds of March have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more othine is sold in this month. Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.—Adv.

Health Chats

The best health comes from sticking to a simple life. The best aid for poor digestion comes from sticking to a simple remedy—**Take-Tablets** for the digestion. The formula is on the bottle.

In Tablet form only, at all Druggists 50 Cents

GEORGE POLKINGHORN DIES AT BELLEVILLE

George Polkinghorne, of Belleville, who had a number of friends in this city, died at his home Tuesday of pneumonia after a few days' illness. Mr. Polkinghorne leaves, besides his wife, his mother, one sister and two brothers, all of Belleville. The funeral was held this afternoon from Christ church, that place.

Mr. Polkinghorne was a nephew of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons, of this city, and an uncle of Harold McKay, of East Second street, this city.

SEND IN CITY BILLS

The City Auditor will close his books on Monday, March 26. All bills against the city must be in the hands of the City Clerk by this date.

Laugh When People Step On Your Feet

Try this yourself then pass it along to others. It works!

Ouch ! ? ! ? ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn stops soreness at once, and soon the corn dries up and lifts right out without pain.

He says freezone is an ether compound which dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding tissue or skin. A quarter of an ounce of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels.—Adv.

Getting Johnnie Off to School and husband off to business are problems that tax the nerves and strength of the housewife who runs her own home. So easy and delightful if you know **Shredded Wheat Biscuit**, the ready-cooked, ready-to-eat whole wheat food. Children like its delicious, crisp aroma when served with hot milk.

Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

INTEREST GROWING IN MEAL-A-DAY CAMPAIGN

Interest in the meal-a-day campaign for Belgian children is increasing rapidly in Plainfield. While the state is still unorganized and few cities or towns have begun the great work of keeping these little war sufferers alive, Plainfield has formed an active committee and already has many plans started.

The results, too, have been gratifying, C. Boardman Tyler, treasurer, reporting over $600 in bank and other members of the committee have money aggregating $400 exclusive of pledges in addition to funds deposited.

A meeting at the home of Mrs. Richard Boardman, chairman, took place yesterday to consider immediate plans for the future. A great mass meeting in the high school is proposed at which a very celebrated American will be asked to speak. Another plan on foot to engage the help of the young people, who always make the Red Cross seal campaign such a success. The Boy Scouts, too, if the Mayor and local authorities do not need all their time, may be asked to assist. An advertising campaign has been begun under the leadership of a newspaper man connected with one of the newspapers in a large city and it is expected that every person in Plainfield will be enlisted in this work to prevent the starving of an heroic nation's children. Attention is called to the advertisement in another part of today's issue of the Courier-News.

MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY for STOMACH trouble
ONE DOSE WILL CONVINCE

Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Acute Indigestion, Appendicitis, Gastritis, and other fatal ailments result from Stomach Trouble. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments. For sale by United Cigar Stores Co., and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

210 W. Front St. *Two Doors from Proctor's* **Rosenthal's** 210 W. Front St. *Two Doors from Proctor's*

Spring Opening Specials

Easter will soon be here. Time to be purchasing new wearing apparel. Millinery and other furnishings. Our stocks are complete with the season's newest merchandise. You have probably shopped at Rosenthal's before and know that our prices are lower than many others, and that the selections to be had here give you a wide choice. This Spring we offer larger varieties of goods than ever before and we are holding prices down. Shop here for economy.

SKIRTS
As large a selection as you will find in town in Worsteds, Serges, Mixtures, Poplins and Silks. All the newest styles and materials. Specially priced for Saturday—
1.98, 2.98, 3.98, 4.98 to 12.98

SUITS
Ladies' and Misses' Suits in Serges, Poplins, Shepherd Plaid Checks. All the newest models and fabrics. Special for Saturday—
8.98, 12.98, 14.98 to 22.50

COATS
Ladies' and Misses' Coats. Many styles in Poplins, Serges and Black and White Checks. Specially priced for tomorrow at—
4.98, 5.98, 6.98 to 18.98

MILLINERY
Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats, made by our own Milliner. Newest type fancily trimmed. Special at
1.98 TO 4.98

Untrimmed Shapes
Many new styles in Women's, Misses' and Children's Untrimmed Hats. A large variety for your choosing—
98c TO 2.98

WAISTS
Many charming Blouses in all the latest colorings. All the popular materials. A large selection—
49c TO 6.98

ALTERATIONS FREE *HATS TRIMMED FREE*

We Do Not Claim

to give three dollars for two dollars, nor do we pretend that there is anything essentially remarkable about our garments—that they possess style and quality which cannot be equalled elsewhere.

What we do assert, however, is this: **We can save you at least one-third of the price which garments no higher in grade would cost you in the stores.**

That, in a nutshell, is what it means to you to **buy direct from the factory.**

SUITS
Strictly tailored, braid-bound suits are becoming more and more in demand as Easter draws nearer. Not that the vogue of sport styles is on the wane; on the contrary, their popularity is unimpaired.

Truly, this may be termed a season which provides fashions suitable for all women, whatever their build.

Suits in every correct Spring fabric and shade, ranging in price from
$9.50 to $35

SEPARATE SKIRTS
There is a steady demand for the separate skirt; it has become a recognizedly important part of the feminine wardrobe. For the girl who goes to business and her stay-at-home sister, we have provided a very good assortment of styles, comprising skirts suitable for wear on every occasion. Box-pleated and side-pleated models; some have yokes—shirred backs—panel fronts—
$2 to $7.50

COATS
The belt, which for years has been looked upon as simply marking the waistline, has of late become a conspicuously important feature of the feminine robe.

Sashes—girdles—double belts—fringed, embroidered, tasseled; the master designers of Paris have wrought wondrous effects.

Coats of materials which are both stylish and serviceable, in high and staple colors—
$5 to $30

DRESSES
A wonderfully attractive assortment of modish frocks awaits your inspection.

Many of them are braid-trimmed and embroidered—every single one represents a saving, possible only through the elimination of the retailer's profit.

Serges, Crepe de Chine, Georgette Crepe, Chiffon Taffeta—
$6.50 to $20

OUR GUARANTEE: Make your selection. Pay for it and take it away. One week later, if your purchase has not proven entirely satisfactory, bring it back. We will cheerfully refund the full price, and your carfare as well!

KRAUTHAMER'S
Watchung Avenue and Fourth Street
OPPOSITE TROLLEY STATION

If you failed to receive one of our Spring Style Books a post card will bring one by return mail.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH

The annual statement of St. Mary's Church issued last week by the Rev. Father B. M. Bogan, shows that the parish is in a fine financial condition. The statement is as follows:

Receipts: Balance from 1915, $228.44; collections and sittings, $15,050.75; cemetery, $4,349.2; Christmas collections, $1,808.96; Easter collections, $1,542.71; school collections, $763.11; church societies, $198.95; for charity, $1,117.76; Diocesan collections, $563.58; Polish Mission, $54.10; donation, $250.00; interest on bank deposits, $39.25; insurance indemnity, $80.00; school stationery, $107.98; revenue from St. Bernard's, $2,255.92; total, $28,496.68.

Expenditures: Salaries, Priests (3), $2,250.00; salaries, teachers (15), $3,300.0; Diocesan assessments and foreign collections, $1,643.88; Sexton, church cleaning and cemetery labor, $3,368.29; choir, sanctuary and church improvement and furniture, $437.31; school fuel and light, $1,410.26; insurance and taxes, $430.18; orphans and charities, $2,262.02; interest on debt, $500.00; debt paid, $2,000.00; house maintenance, $986.22; school supplies, $694.29; freight, express and printing, $240.29; St. Bernard's, $171.90; balance on hand, $3,745.87; total, $28,496.68.

MONTCLAIR MAN IS NEW PRISON INSPECTOR

Trenton, March 23.—William B. Dickson, of Montclair, president of the prison inquiry commission, has been induced by Governor Edge to accept an appointment as a member of the board of Inspectors of the State prison. He will succeed Walter M. Dear, of Jersey City, whose term expires April 24.

It is understood that Governor Edge tendered a re-appointment to Mr. Dear, who suggested that he retire from the board at the end of his term to enable the Governor to name in his place a man thoroughly in sympathy with the reforms which have been suggested for the institution.

E. & W. SCHLOSS

Swift's Sunbright Cleanser 3 5c cans **10c**	Lively Sally Naphtha Powder large pkg. **4c**	Leggett's Premier Pastry Flour 5-lb. bag **38c**	Toilet Paper 6 rolls for **25c**	Export Borax Soap 6 cakes **25c**

SILVER LAKE RHUBARB, GOLDEN PUMPKIN or N. Y. STATE APPLES—No. 3 cans; 2 cans for **25c**

Fancy N. Y. State Corn 2 cans **25c**	Middlesex Brand Lima Beans a can **10c**	Premier Brand No. 2 Baked Beans; 2 cans **28c**	Magic Hand Soap large can **5c**	Tiger Buckwheat large pkg. **17c**

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS

LEGGETT'S PREMIER SARSAPARILLA or GINGER ALE—Pint bottles, dozen **$1.15**

Fancy Herring Roe can **18c**	Large Rolls Crepe Toilet Paper 4 rolls **25c**	Fresh Beef Fat better than Lard lb. **12c**	Swift's Premium Bacon large jars **28c**	Franco-American Ready-Maid Soups: Ox Tail, Consomme and Tomato; can **10c**

Just Received—A shipment of TRUPART OYSTERS; Fresh Daily; small package of 16 Oysters, 15c; large package **30c**

Steero Bouillon Cubes 30c box **25c**	Pure Peanut Butter 8-oz. tumbler **10c**	Fancy Evaporated Peaches or Santa Clara Prunes 2 lbs. **25c**	Red Kidney Beans or Cal. Lima Beans; lb. **15c**	Fancy California Peaches; No. 2 cans; 2 cans **25c**

LEGGETT'S PREMIER PURE FRUIT JAMS, Assorted Fruits—large jars, 20c; per dozen **$2.25**

Strained Tomatoes; fine for soups a can **6c**	Dark Buckwheat Strained Honey small bottle **10c**	Wright's Silver Cream 25c size, a jar **18c**	Finest Imported French Peas extra fine; can **23c** Dozen ... $2.50	Hershey's Breakfast Cocoa ½-lb. box **15c**

WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS

Large Sour or Dill Pickles, dozen ..... **20c** | Extra Fancy Peeled Peaches, a lb. **22c**

Nippy Cheese very snappy each **10c**	Molasses Kisses 2 lbs. for **25c**	Finest Macaroni or Spaghetti 20-lb. box **$2.25**	California Tuna Fish Small can ... 15c Large can ... 23c	Fresh Baked Raisin Bread daily; loaf **10c**

Loose Chow-Chow Pickles, lb. ..... **15c** | Shredded Cocoanut, bulk, a lb. **20c**

Announcing the Opening
----OF----
THE SAMPLE SHOP
214 Watchung Ave. *At the Trolley Station*

SATURDAY, MARCH 24th
OFFERING HIGH-GRADE
Sample Skirts and Dresses

We invite the women of Plainfield and vicinity who are interested in the newest styles in SKIRTS and DRESSES to attend our opening. By specializing on these garments it makes it possible for us to offer a most attractive line for your approval and at

Prices Astonishingly Low

A charming line of Spring Dresses in materials and colorings truly beautiful.
An array of Skirts that give you a wide choice from which to choose.

Instead of Giving Souvenirs at the Opening We Offer

SPECIAL PRICES
Extraordinary Bargains for Saturday Only. Don't Miss Them.

The Sample Shop 214 Watchung Ave.

WOMAN SICK TWO YEARS

Could Do No Work. Now Strong as a Man.

Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. ANNA O'BRYAN, 1755 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

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DIED

HOYT—Suddenly, at his residence, 120 Crescent Avenue, on Friday, March 23, 1917, William E. Hoyt. Notice of service hereafter.

A Basket of Spring Flowers
Makes an ideal gift. We have a large variety to select from. Quantities of all kinds of Cut Flowers, Flowering Plants, Palms and Ferns. Wedding Bouquets, Floral Designs by experts. Visit our store and conservatory at
159 East Front St. 'Phone 928

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Store 159 East Front St. Tel. 928.
Greenhouses and Nurseries, 2190 South Ave. Tel. 321.

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All sorts of Seasonable Plants. Palms and Ferns. A large assortment of Cut Flowers fresh every day. Floral Work a Specialty.

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Cut Flowers and Floral Work
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Tels. 1451 and 1218-W Fanwood

RESIDENTS WANT WEST END CORNER IMPROVED

The fact that the Public Service Corporation has petitioned the city council for permission to install a "Y" at Front and Somerset streets, which, it is said, is not likely to be granted, recalls to the minds of a number of people that two or three years ago the company was given the right to place a "Y" at West Front street and Grant avenue, but has never taken advantage of it. Just why the company has failed to make this improvement is not known.

The condition of the intersecting corners at Front street and Grant avenue has been the cause for much unfavorable criticism for a long time, and it is in a measure due to the trolley tracks, both on Front street and those extending into Grant avenue. When the company was given permission to put a "Y" there it was understood that it would pave the corner as it did at East Fifth and Richmond streets. Residents in the West End think that the company should be compelled to improve the Front street and Grant avenue corner, before securing any further privileges.

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

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additional plantation nearby. In 1713 (Dec. 14) the "Proprietors' Records" state that Robert Burnet disposed of 400 acres to said Laing. A few years afterwards he added about 200 acres more to his real estate. This extensive tract adjoined John Forbes' east line and touched the Fullerton and Alexander property, previously referred to as pioneer Scotch settlers. The farm reached up to the rectangular survey of Peter Sonman's vast estate, which covered the whole of present Plainfield, and more besides.

This early settler spent the remainder of a short life on his plantation. He died in the summer of 1735 at the age of 55 years, as stated by the Probate Court. At his death the five sons and two daughters surviving him were William, Jr., John, Samuel, George, Benjamin, Jane and Ann. They and their descendants perpetuated the name in this vicinity.

The two large plots joined each other and were adjacent to their good mother's homestead. This last extensive acreage William Laing divided mostly by will into farms among his children or distributed them before his death. A good portion was given to his favorite son, Benjamin Laing, by deed dated March 15, 1734-35, a year before the death of the testator, whose will was probated July 23, 1735.

There was another person in East Jersey by the name of William Laing, who was a Scottsman. He lived in Monmouth county and was prominent in early Colonial government. His death is recorded in 1709-10, at which time, or shortly thereafter, his brother, Alex Laing, doctor of a grammar school in the Canongate of Edinburgh, gave power of attorney to Dr. John Johnston to prosecute the executors of "his brother's" estate for his interest therein.

Others of the family living in the vicinity of Freehold were loyal citizens and held important places of trust in the county. It is not known that there was any relationship between this line and the Middlesex line of Laings.

There was still another family whose name was pronounced the same, but always spelled "Lane," a brief sketch of which was given when narrating the history of John Laing, Jr., 1675-1728.

An outline of the first generation of the Plainfield lineage as known to the writer is the following:

WILLIAM LANG (or John and Margaret), born 1685, married 1722-3, Mary Blackford (of Samuel and Ann); had the seven children, as above stated, and herewith respected.

William Laing, Jr., born 1704.
John Laing, born 1705; married Hannah Webster.
Samuel Laing, born 1706; married 1728 Elizabeth Smith; had John.
George Laing, born 1709; married 1730 Hannah Drake.
Benjamin Laing, born 1710; married 1745, Mary Blackford.
Jane Laing, born 1712.
Ann Laing, born 1714.

RECREATION NOTES

The night school men's gym class meets in the high school tonight.

The Recreation Five will use one of the high school gyms this evening.

Athletic games are to be conducted in the Bryant school yard tomorrow morning.

The ladies' public swimming class will use the high school pool this evening.

A municipal dance is to be held in the Washington school Saturday evening.

The Washington school game room will be open both Friday and Saturday evenings.

The regular Junior Dance is to be held this evening in the auditorium of the Washington school.

The Saurer band will rehearse this evening in the Washington school gymnasium.

A Boy Scout troop is to be organized this evening in the Bryant school. All boys in that neighborhood who wish to join the new Boy Scout troop will be welcomed at the meeting tonight.

DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTERS!

Musterole Works Easier, Quicker and Without the Blister

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and vinegar when you can easily relieve pains soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole. Musterole is made of pure oil of mustard and other healing ingredients, combined in the form of a pleasant white ointment. It takes the place of out-of-date mustard plasters, and will not blister. Musterole instantly gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

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Yellowstone Park Exhibit
Saturday—Last Day
Admission Free

A Stirring Sale of Suits and Dresses at $14.75

In response to many encores!

TRIMMED HATS

$4.50

Values $6.00 to $7.50

Despite the inclement weather the sale last Saturday was a tremendous success. Women told their friends, and they in turn have been wanting to share. They may—tomorrow.

Scores of hats in dozens of styles—the two sketched are merely suggestive—many others just as charming. Judge of the variety by these details:

Straws	Shapes	Trimmings	Colors
Lisere	Turbans	Fruits	Black
Milan	Mushrooms	Flowers	Navy
Milan Hemp	Roll Sailors	Ribbons	Gold
Horsehair	Picture Hats	Quills	Shadow Lawn
Split Milan	High Crowns	Ornaments	Sand
Georgette Crepe	Sailors	Fancies	Cherry, Gray
		Wreaths	Old Blue

Hahne's—Second Floor

Let your expectations high, for these suits and dresses are quite out of the ordinary at $14.75.

Their price is $14.75, but judged by the four-fold test of styles, material, fit and workmanship, each suit and dress is worth more.

You be the judge—note that each suit is peau de cygne or Dresden silk lined; note that sleeves are finished with silk shields; note the custom-tailored look from her to buttonhole.

Styles are too many and varied to treat of in detail.

Of the Suits Sketched

$14.75 Navy blue serge, button and soutache braid trimmed; self-pointed collar with overlay of tan faille silk in striped design. Tailored skirt trimmed with many buttons and side pockets.

$14.75 Gabardine, in navy only; large sailor collar and belted; stitched in silk and coat lined with Persian silk; skirt belted.

Of the Dresses Sketched

$14.75 Soft chiffon taffeta, in dark green, gray, champagne, sand and brown, crepe de chine collar and vestee, hand-embroidered front and end of girdle in colors.

$14.75 Navy blue taffeta, richly trimmed in rows of silk stitching and soutache braid; Georgette crepe; double-pointed collar; gauntlet cuff, button trimmed.

Another Value From Hahne's

Crepe de Chine Blouses

Please don't confuse these with the thin, sleazy crepe de chines that you can almost see through—these silks are firm substantial quality.

$2.25

Ten styles—variously in tailored and semi-tailored; hemstitched and embroidered.

Rose, maize, peach, white, flesh, pink, canary. None sent C. O. D. No 'phone or mail orders.

Hahne's—Blouses—Second Floor

The World Has Gone Fashion-Mad Over

GIRDLES

—Here they are at Hahne's in the desired metal, Chinese and Oriental effects. Rich and barbaric, but wonderfully good looking. Green, blue, red, black, yellow and metal drops.

79c

Usually $1.00

Hahne's Jewelry First Floor

A Toothsome Morsel, 29c lb

—Figs and walnut centers, lost in a sea of luscious milk chocolate. E'mm, how good! Usually 39c a pound. Saturday 29c.

Hahne's—First Floor

A Saturday Event for Girls

New Middy Blouses

69c

Usually $1.00

—Crisp, fresh Middies; delightfully new styles so different from the regulation Middy of former days. ONE STYLE SKETCHED.

—All white, or combined with color.
—Colors with white collars and cuffs.

—Sailor Collars
—Round Collars
—Eton Collars
—Coat Styles
—Belted Effects
—Novel Pockets
—Colored Pipings
—Cross-stitchery
—Laced Fronts
—Button Fronts

—Made of fine English Lawn; sizes 6 to 20 years.

The Silk Petticoat Beneath Your Easter Frock Should be an "Eppo"

—Partly because the Eppo Petticoat is made of highest grade silks, more because of the clever new styles, but chiefly because Eppo Petticoat fits without a wrinkle.

—Eppo Petticoats hug the hips like another skin, yet their patented buttons and elastic arrangement at side enables one to slip in or out of them as easy as a coat.

—Eppo Petticoats are a nationally known skirt; their prices were established before the present higher prices of silks and cottons. In Eppo Petticoats, therefore, you get the same good materials and workmanship at the old-law prices.

—Eppo Petticoats, in cotton; black only; $1.00, $1.50 and $2.

—In Taffetas, Jersey Silk with Taffeta or Messaline flounce, $5; extra sizes in silks, $5.98.

Hahne's—Second Floor

Last Day of Aluminum Ware Sale

Last day to secure the famous Wear-Ever Grades Greatly below manufacturers' fixed prices

Saturday night at 9.30 our greatest Aluminum Ware Sale ends. The factory representative leaves us, and all goods go back to the factory-fixed prices. Considering the present cost of material, we doubt if Aluminum Ware prices throughout the entire line will ever again be as low. Buy tomorrow, then, and buy heavily.

The demonstrator will be glad to show you why Wear-Ever is the best aluminum cooking utensil made.

Berlin Sauce Pans	**Double Rice Boilers**	**Double Roasters**	**Steamers**
$1.30, now $1.15	$1.75, now $1.60	$5.05, now $4.65	$1.45, now $1.25
$1.75, now $1.45	$2.30, now $2.00	$5.80, now $5.20	$1.90, now $1.65
$2.15, now $1.85	**Shallow Stew Pans**	**Tea Kettles**	$2.30, now $1.95
	$1.10, now 95c.	$3.50, now $3.25	$2.90, now $2.50
Windsor Kettles	$1.30, now $1.10	$3.80, now $3.40	$3.65, now $3.20
$2.00, now $1.50	$1.50, now $1.25	$4.50, now $4.20	$4.35, now $3.85
$2.20, now $1.90	**Preserve Kettles**	$4.95, now $4.45	$5.00, now $4.35
	$1.00, now 85c.	**Cuspidors**	**Pie Plates**
Coffee Pots	$1.30, now $1.15	$3.15, now $2.75	25c., now 20c.
$2.00, now $1.85	$1.60, now $1.40	$3.25, now $2.95	30c., now 25c.
$2.35, now $2.10	$1.95, now $1.75	$3.35, now $2.95	35c., now 28c.
$2.75, now $2.35	$2.30, now $2.00	$2.50, now $2.25	40c., now 33c.
	Berlin Kettles	$2.90, now $2.60	38c., now 30c.
Lipped Sauce Pans	80c., now 65c.	$3.60, now $3.20	50c., now 42c.
70c., now 60c.	$1.15, now 95c.	**Berlin Stew Pots**	**Seamless Roasting Pans**
80c., now 70c.	$1.30, now $1.15	80c., now 65c.	$1.65, now $1.45
$1.15, now $1.00	$1.75, now $1.50	$1.30, now $1.15	$1.80, now $1.60
$1.30, now $1.15	$2.15, now $1.90	$1.75, now $1.50	$2.05, now $1.85
$1.50, now $1.35	$2.60, now $2.35	$2.15, now $1.90	$2.45, now $2.10
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FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1917.

BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR EDGE

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, N. J., March 23.—Real adjournment of the Legislature will be reached some time tonight when both houses will recess for a week, returning next Friday only to pass the appropriation bills and consider measures that may have been vetoed by Governor Edge during that period.

Repeal of the full crew act was effected last night, when the Governor signed the Roberts bill, amended so that the railroads cannot reduce the number of men required for trains under the repealed law until permitted by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners. The Governor also signed the bill authorizing the State to acquire a strip of land from Bordentown, Burlington County, to Morgan, Middlesex County, for construction of the proposed ship canal that will link the Delaware River with Raritan Bay and give the federal government an inside route between its navy yards at Philadelphia and Brooklyn.

By a vote of 11 to 3, the Senate *passed the rural guard bill, which* is a substitute for the proposed state constabulary measure. The adjutant general is to be chief of this force, which will comprise several minor officers and ninety guards. Senators Conrad, Florence, Gaunt, Kates, Mackay, Martens, Munson, Mutchler, Pierce, Richards and Stevens voted for the bill, while Senators Barbor, Hammond and McGlennon opposed it.

The Governor sent to the Senate last night the re-appointment of all members of the board of managers of the State Asylum here with the exception of Alfred L. Ellis, of Middlesex. He named to succeed Ellis Holmes V. M. Dennis, of Monmouth County.

The Governor vetoed the bill providing for appointment of a state supervisor of physical training and the bill empowering him to appoint poultry inspectors in first-class counties.

The House passed the bill increasing from four to five the members of the Civil Service Commission and the two bills legislating Democrats from unnecessary offices in Hudson County.

SMALLEY NOT CONCERNED WITH NEGLECTED CHILD

Winfield Smalley, of West Front street, was arraigned in the City Court this morning charged with failing to provide proper support for *his family. He promised to provide* support and was released on a suspended sentence.

Smalley was first arraigned yesterday morning, and his case was put over until this morning. When he came into court yesterday, an Italian woman holding a small child, stood near the Judge's bench, and the opinion prevailed that the child belonged to Mr. Smalley.

It was erroneously so stated in yesterday's issue of this paper. The Italian woman with the child had no connection with the case, and in justice to Mr. Smalley this correction is made.

CAVALRY HORSE KILLED BY TROLLEY

A horse belonging to Troop D, the local cavalry troop, was struck by a trolley car at the corner of Putnam and Kenilworth avenues, at 11 o'clock last night and was so badly injured that it was shot by Patrol*man Loesch.*

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

There will be an evangelistic service in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening, when Miss Clyde Burnet will speak from Acts 3, verses 26 to 40. Instrumental and vocal music will be features. All are cordially welcomed.

FRANK E. CARRAR KILLED IN ACCIDENT

The body of Frank E. Carrar, of Arlington, will be brought to the borough tomorrow morning and the funeral will be held from St. Joseph's church at 10:30 o'clock. Interment will take place in St. Mary's cemetery.

Carrar, who was a former resident of the borough, met his death in Arlington on Thursday, when his motorcycle skidded and threw him under the wheels of a trailer-truck going in the opposite direction on Belleville turnpike, that place.

The victim was twenty years old and son of Mr. and Mrs. John Carrar, with whom he resided, together with a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Proto. He was born in North Plainfield and moved to Arlington with his parents ten months ago. He was engaged in the mushroom business in Lake street, Jersey City, and was returning to his place of business after his meal with his parents when he was killed. His skull was fractured and both legs broken. Thomas Cleveland, driver of the truck, is under arrest.

The father of the victim is a member of the firm of Carrar & Cucchiari, who conduct a mushroom farm at North Arlington.

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Armour's Lunch Tongue, can	20-35c	N. Y. State Fancy Evaporated Apples, 2 PKGS.	25c
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TO LET—Garage, cement floor. 247 Dunellen avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 3-21-3t

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TO LET—Office in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

FOUR ROOMS to let, city water and gas and garden and fruit. Inquire J. G. Brenmer, 148 Greenbrook road. 3-21-3t

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent single. Apply 219 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

FOUR ROOMS and bath, all improvements, at 21 Grove street. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 429-J. 3-22-3t

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnson Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. 'Tel. 1124-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

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FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few bargains that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-*

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WANTED—Situation for experienced chambermaid and waitress for summer months; country preferred; June 20th to September 20th. Apply 4 Myrtle avenue. 'Phone 2471. 3-21-3t

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HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 82 Somerset street, Plainfield.

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

MACHINISTS WANTED—Familiar with heavy engine work. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

FIRST-CLASS pattern makers. American Engine and Electric Co., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-17-6t

STENOGRAPHER, good English, rapid operator, one familiar with purchasing records and routine preferred; permanent position. Address "A. B. C.," care Courier-News. 3-19-5t

WANTED—Mill hands, also boys for general stock department. Apply Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-20-6t

BLACKSMITH—General all round machine blacksmith; used to drop hammer work. Apply employment department, Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield, N. J. 3-21-3t

BOY, over 16, wanted after school hours. Apply 55 Somerset street. 3-21-tf

WANTED—An experienced man to repair and polish some dining room and bed room furniture. Address "Household," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

LABORERS WANTED; steady work, highest wages. Apply F. W. Hasbrouck, Havine road, Netherwood. 3-22-3t

BOY for inspection department. Apply T. J. Healy, Standard Aero Corporation, 768 North avenue. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Man on small country place to drive, take care of horse and garden and to make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely sober; best references. Telephone 1847-J, evenings. 3-22-2t

FOUNDRY laborers wanted. Hall Printing Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-22-3t

WANTED — Experienced man (white) on gentleman's place; must understand farming. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 122 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-22-2t

WANTED — First-class gardener and useful man; must have good reference. Call at 299 Hillside avenue. 3-23-3t

WANTED—Man to work on small farm near Plainfield; reference. A. E. Wright, R. D. 2. 3-23-2t

BARBER WANTED — Steady work. 92 West Main street, Somerville. 3123-6t

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 1-19-f-s-tf

WANTED—Man to take care of horse, cow, garden, etc.; must be experienced; reference; single preferred. 828 Sherman avenue. Tel. 2341. 2-22-2t

INSURANCE MEN to solicit for industrial fire insurance in Plainfield; first-class contract to producers. Address "Insurance," care Courier-News. 3-22-3t

MAN WANTED as gardener, also experienced single man to board on place who understands flowers, shrubbery, hot-beds and general work; steady wages and reference. Also hot house and reliable men need apply. Address Box 34, care Courier-News. 3-23-2t

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothberg's. 3-22-tf

USEFUL and outside man wanted; must know something about automobiles and have good reference. Apply 1000 Central avenue. 3-21-3t

WANTED—Steady, reliable man for responsible position in factory at night. Apply Hemingway & Co., Inc., Bound Brook, N. J. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Man to beat carpet and general house cleaning work for one or two days. Inquire evenings, 736 West Front, corner West Fourth avenue. 3-22-2t

WANTED—Clean bright boys for light factory work; must have reference; papers. Apply at once, Allen Pharmacal Co., 113 East Fourth street. 3-21-3t

WANTED—By the month, white man, single, for all around work; must be good teamster; will room and board. "A. A." care Courier-News. 3-21-4t

WANTED—Driver for coal wagon. W. H. Sharkey, Richmond and Third streets. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove 3-6-1m street.

WANTED TO BUY—Meeting chairs, pool table and piano. Maksyn, 353 East Third street. 3-23-6t

WILL PAY CASH for nearly all kinds of timber delivered. Apply James Freeman, Westfield. 3-22-3t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 4-16-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 831 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-8-1m

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; price reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2640. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang hair checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-16-1m

NINE guinea pigs, four-compartment breeding pen, $12.00. Barn, 110 West Fifth street. 3-21-3t

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and Scott place. 3-17-tf

FOR SALE—Laying pullets, 1241 East Front street. 3-17-tf

FOR SALE—A thoroughbred Rose Comb Wyandotte one-year-old rooster by F. Kirch, Clinton avenue. 3-22-2t

CHICKEN COOPS for sale. Call 317 East Front street.

FOR SALE—New Prairie State incubator, cheap. Call evenings, 262 Prospect avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 3-23-2t

FOR SALE—One Rhode Island Red rooster. 1136 East Second St.

FOR SALE—Good top soil, also building sand. Apply Wm. C. Barke, 671 West Fourth street, furniture mover and gardener. 'Phone 508-R. 2-23-3t

POULTRY SALE — 5 WHITE LEGHORN COCKERELS, $2.00 EACH; 1 MOTTLED ANCONA COCKEREL, $1.25; 1 BUFF ORPINGTON COCK, $2.50; 1 COCKEREL, $1.00; 3 BEAUTIFUL BUFF STONE STRAIN, WHITE WYANDOTTE PULLETS AND SPLENDID COCKEREL, $15.00; 4 RHODE ISLAND RED HENS (LARGE), $1.50 EACH; 2 BLACK JAVAS, $1.25 EACH; 7 WHITE LEGHORNS $1.25 EACH; 1 EXTRA FINE SILVER LAMPED COCK, $5.00. MARSHALL, 31 COMPTON AVENUE, 'PHONE 1596-R. 3-23-2t

TOP WAGON, wheels worth the price, $7.50; top wagon, 3-spring, make good ice wagon $27.50; top wagon, 3-spring, first-class order, $45.00; top wagon, platform, all overhauled, $45.00; top wagon, platform, suit delivery, $35.00; 15 sets harness $5 upwards. Elizabeth Cab Co., 51 Jefferson avenue, Elizabeth. Tel. 663.

FOR SALE—1,500 Killarney rose bushes, 25c each; also potted Hyacinths, 10c. Pitts, 51 Leland avenue. 3-23-2t

GROCERY horse and wagon for sale. 726 West Third street. 3-23-2t

FOR SALE—Lot of old lumber, good for firewood. Call mornings, Mrs. D. Blackford, between New Market and South Plainfield. 3-22-2t

FOR SALE—$90 buys a good horse for driving or suitable for business. Call 58 Chatham street. 3-22-2t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installments. Harvford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

A GOOD Indian motorcycle for sale, in very good condition, 1916. Call 94 Grandview avenue. 3-23-2t

YALE motorcycle for sale, in good running order. Call 145 West Second street. 3-22-2t

FOR SALE—Gentleman's wheel, cheap. 112 Jackson avenue, Boro. 3-21-tf

ONE CYLINDER Pope motorcycle, first-class condition, at very low price. Apply 811 West Third street, Plainfield. 3-19-tf

FOR EXCHANGE

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear farm for local W. R. Way. 3-16-7t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger. Call 1063-W. 3-22-1m

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Lease small farm not over 27 miles from New York. Full particulars first letter. Box 359, Dunellen. 3-22-2t

COUPLE, with one child, want three or four rooms, improvements, on west side or Dunellen. Address "C. E. H." General Delivery, Dunellen. 3-23-2t

WANTED—Two or three rooms with conveniences, in borough, location near Somerset street preferred. "G. M." care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street. 3-23-6t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 3-23-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU *to equal my offer in Plainfield.*

$200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house. Improvements, on large plot, restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Owner 3.05," Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FREE

Twelve-room house on West 7th street; pay for shoeing; closing estate. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-23-1y

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, bars, fruit and shade trees; four miles from Netherwood station, or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Six-room house, in the West End, near trolley, part improvements; rent $12.00 a month; price $2,000. Address "E," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

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NEW PALACE HOUSES, choice location, some with two and others with three bath rooms; everything first-class; low price; easy terms. Send for free list. Leslie R. Stone, art, 189 North avenue. 3-21-4t

FOR SALE—Five room house. Only $500 requires. 250 Grove street. 3-23-2t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Survey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely redecorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Merrill Co. 1-20-tf

SIX-ROOM apartment to rent. Inquire at Neumann Bros. 3-22-3t

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-tf

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, first floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-13,14,16,17,22,23,24

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 328 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sauer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 256 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

WANTED—Pleasant room and board for elderly lady, where there are no other boarders; in good and central location; references exchanged. Address "Home," care Courier-News. 3-23-2t

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—Quick, mortgage loan of $2,500; good security. Address "Loan," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

WANTED—$5,000, first mortgage on new Plainfield house; excellent location. Box "T. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

FOR RENT—Two small houses, Mountain View Terrace, Dunellen, 3 rooms and bath; all improvements; refined neighborhood; rent $25 and $27.50, water rent extra. 'Phone Dunellen 2832. 3-23-6t

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, improvements; lower floor 5 large rooms, upper 6; $21.00 every 2 weeks. 707 Compton avenue. Inquire A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store.

FOR RENT—Eight-room house with reception hall; all improvements, newly decorated. 'Phone 539-M. 3-23-2t

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 1614 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply F. Linke, 222 West Front street. 3-22-3t

TO LET—Six-room house, with bath; rent reasonable. Inquire 201 Rock avenue. 2-22-4t

TO LET—Seven rooms and bath, all improvements, 1 Netherwood. W. R. Way, 308 Watchung avenue. 3-20-6t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water; over an acre of land, 130 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 8 minutes' walk from Bound Brook depot. Will sell very reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-tf

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large veranda; large grounds; residential section, near trolley; immediate possession. Rent $40.00. J. J. Mailer, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house, all latest improvements, hot water heat, $25.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—6-room house, 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag, and plain singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 2-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 940 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—Experienced saleslady for cloaks and suits. Inquire S. Hirsch, 411 Watchung avenue. 3-20-tf

WANTED—A good reliable white cook; no laundry; wages $35 to $45 per month. Address "C. C." care Courier-News. 3-22-3t

SCRUBWOMAN wanted. Apply New York Lunch Room, 127 West Front street. 3-23-3t

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 726 Berkeley avenue, Netherwood. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Young girl as chambermaid or waitress, white or colored. 'Phone 299-R. 3-22-2t

WANTED — Experienced cooks, general housekeepers, waitresses, chambermaids, white and colored. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 122 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-22-3t

YOUNG girl wanted to help in store; must understand little bookkeeping; state reference. Address "B," care Courier-News. 3-23-2t

WANTED — First-class girl as chambermaid and waitress; good references required. Apply 400 Watchung avenue. 3-22-4t

WARD MAIDS wanted at once. Apply to Directress of Nurses, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Refined girls to learn glove making on power machines; steady employment entire year. Apply Louis Meyers & Son, 109 North avenue, corner Park. 3-23-3t

WANTED — Experienced milliner and saleslady at Rosenthal's, 210 West Front street. 3-22-2t

WANTED—A white or colored cook. 'Phone 299-R. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Call phone 719-M. 2-28-tf

SPECIAL OFFER—Complete set of seat covers for Ford cars, including top envelope, made of heavy brown duck, finished with leather cloth binding and put on with patented snap fasteners. Price until April 1st: Roadster, $12.00; touring car, $14.50. J. H. De Ley, 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

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FORD RUNABOUT and extra touring body, cowl dash. Underneath and motor don't look like new, as paint is little worn; as to the motor and mechanical parts I will give you a written guarantee as to their being in running order, if you want a car that's never been hurt by rough usage, and don't want to invest in a new one. As I have used them for my own rigs and can honestly recommend it to you either for pleasure or business. I am willing to demonstrate it, uphill and down, to your satisfaction. Price $220, including extra body. H. Doty, residence, 242 Union street, Elizabeth, near depot. Tel. 1661-M.

HUPMOBILE 20 for sale, in A-1 shape. Address "Hup," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

RUNABOUT, all in good condition; sacrifice. I. E. Darling, Foster avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 3-23-2t

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1912; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1912 and 1916. Apply 1304 West Front street, or 915 South avenue. 3-16-f-s-tf

SECOND-HAND Stoddard-Dayton, in good condition, cheap; easy terms. 300 Park avenue. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE—Reo touring car, equipped with winter top and removable plate glass windows; recently overhauled; new batteries, excellent opportunity to obtain all year "round car at moderate cost. Address "Reo," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

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Rehearsal for "LAND OF MYSTERY" TUESDAY NIGHT

All those participating are urged to be present at this rehearsal.

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

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ALLEGORICAL PICTURES ATTRACT LARGE CROWD

The second presentation of Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress," in moving pictures, attracted a large audience to the First Baptist church last night. The portrayal of this remarkable story, the first of its kind, interested the audience and held the close attention of every one from *the first scene when "Christian"* leaves the "City of Destruction" to the close where he enters "The Holy City."

The accompanying music on the organ with the solo parts interspersing the various scenes added much to the interest of the pictures and story. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the church, and the proceeds will be devoted to charity as arranged for by the society.

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Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will sweeten a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is usually a sign of acidity of the stomach.

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Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually keep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home.—Adv.

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EVAN WILLIAMS TELLS SINGERS TO STUDY WELSH

Evan Williams, the famous tenor, who will sing in the Plainfield High School April 9 in the Oratorio concert says:

"Welsh is a language singers ought to learn. If one can sing Welsh one can sing purely in any language. Speaking and singing Welsh requires an absolutely correct use of the vocal muscles. Frenchmen speak through their noses. German speech is guttural. Italian although considered a singing language, is often uncouth when spoken. There are so many varieties of English that no one dare say whether the best English is spoken in London, New York or Boston, but in all these varieties of English there is too much hissing, too much sibilant sound, whereas Welsh forms a tone which constitutes a perfection of instrument. This explains why so many Welshmen who have never had individual vocal training sing with purity and sweetness and preserve their voices to old age."

Commenting upon the varieties of English as it is spoken, Mr. Williams might have stated very correctly that the best English is heard in Dublin.

PIERSON BILLS GO TO GOVERNOR

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 22.—The series of municipal finance bills by Assemblyman Pierson of Union county, head of the State commission to study and report upon municipal finances, was passed in the Senate Wednesday afternoon. It also passed the Pierson joint resolution, House No. 8, continuing the commission for another year. The bills now go to the Governor.

SPEAKS ON VITAL ISSUES

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undone so many things that she ought to have done, and done so many things that she ought not to have done; that her *influence must be made up by* another session. The last Congress had not even passed the annual appropriation for West Point.

The averted railroad strike came in for consideration, as did also the situation in Mexico. In the latter question Miss Richards saw a serious menace in the attitude of Obregon, secretary of war for Mexico, and who feared that he, if approached by Germany, might be influenced in such a way as to cause serious trouble for the United States.

CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.

Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they *know a teaspoonful today saves* a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

SAENGERBUND HELD STRANDFEST

Palm Beach Suits Lent Summer-like Appearance to Seashore Festival

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the season at the Saengerbund was held last night, under the title "Strandfest," or seashore festival, for the members and their families. It was more than usually elaborate in decorations, the hall being hung heavily with American flags in graceful festoons, and the stage beautifully banked with palms and potted plants, behind which Klaus' orchestra discoursed music all the evening.

A feature of the affair was Palm Beach suits, which lent a summer appearance to the general effect among the flowers.

All around the hall were pavilions in different designs, giving a cosy and artistic effect, one of which, the laube von jasmin, might be considered the prettiest.

Five selections by the Singing Section formed part of the musical treat, and addresses of welcome by the chairman, Carl Herman, and by Prof. A. W. Hauck gave variety to the program.

Dancing concluded the evening in the main hall, but all the evening appetizing collations were served in the banquet room.

The committee of arrangements comprised Carl Herman, chairman; John Retzer, Frank Seidler, Charles Klaus, George Ahnert. The plan for the pavilions and decorations were made by Chairman Herman, and carried out by John Schroppe, who accomplished the work in a very short time, having to wait until the hall was cleared of the *furniture and decorations used by* another organization the night before.

About 250 members and their families were present, and all spent an enjoyable evening.

FIFTY-TWO STUDENTS FLUNK

Princeton, March 22.—The midyear "mortality" at Princeton University was lighter this year than it has been for some years. Fifty-two students were dropped from the New Jersey institution as a result of low scholastic standing. The sophomores were the heaviest losers with fifteen members, while the freshmen lost thirteen.

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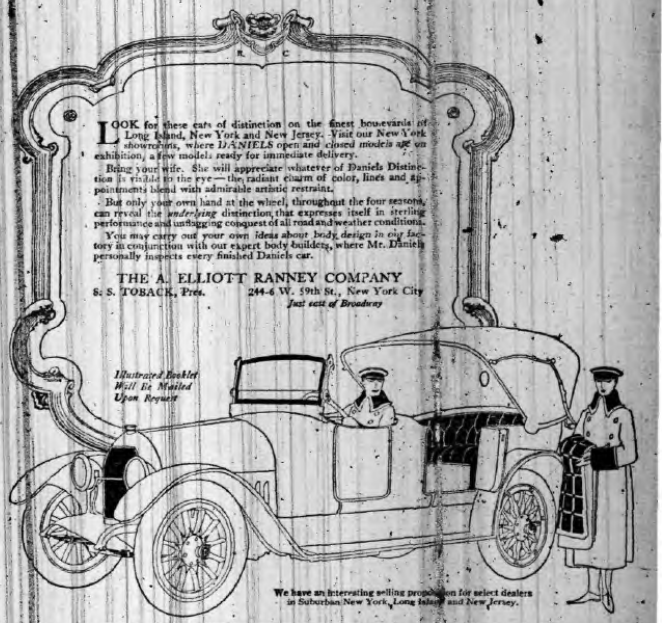

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This applies to very little fellows, up to the young men we are about to train for military service.

We value the youngsters highly—and this is as it should be.

Besides the military training movement, we have the Big Brother Movement, the Community Movement, the Boy Scout Movement, the Y. M. C. A. Movement, the Boys' Clubs, the Playground Clubs, the Athletic Clubs of all kinds—and we are protecting them in their schooling, seeing that they get education before they are permitted to go to work.

And in the dressing of the boys parents are so much more particular than they used to be, and, with growing intelligence, the boys get fussy, too.

Boys want to be well dressed—not that they want to be dudish, but they want nicely made, well-fitting, good-looking togs.

Boys' Suits

We are clothing an increasing number of youngsters every year.

Our Boys' Department, taking up the entire second floor, presents broad lines of smartly modeled, splendidly tailored apparel.

Top Coats, Suits, Hats, Shoes, Furnishings.

Boys' Spring Top Coats of choicest fabrics and styles, 2½ to 18 year sizes, at $5 to $15.

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Spring Suits, $15

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PACIFISM AND NON-RESISTANCE

Synopsis of Lecture by Walter Newell Weston Delivered Yesterday Afternoon

The following is a synopsis of a lecture by Walter Newell Weston, of the Society of the Inner Life, of New York, given at the residence of Howard A. Colby, 1465 Evergreen avenue, yesterday afternoon.

The militarist thinks the country should and the pacifist thinks it should not engage in war. Each tries to induce and possibly compel the other to change his views. Each considers that he himself must be and that both cannot be right.

The pacifist does not necessarily practice non-resistance, though he may think he does. Non-resistance is a psychological and spiritual principle, as available to those who comply with it as is the law of gravitation. It is not so much an act as a consciousness, but a consciousness which forms the most positive and absolute basis for action or non-action. Fundamentally, non-resistance is the consciousness that there is no substance, power or life in evil. To be non-resistant is not to be negative, though many think the two identical. To be non-resistant is not to be lacking in moral courage—quite the contrary—though many possessing physical courage so think. The disadvantages of non-resistance are only apparent, not real. The advantages of non-resistance are only apparent, not real. The advantages are that one is thereby allied with truth and power.

Assertiveness and combativeness are the masculine, silence and non-resistance the feminine of consciousness. Combativeness may be and usually is assertive and often noisy, bullying and spectacular. Non-resistance includes the attributes of silence, poise, fearlessness, unobtrusiveness and meekness. Washington and Lincoln when maligned were non-resistant. Jesus Christ when accused before Pilate was non-resistant. His silence was due to his perfect perception of the nothingness of what Pilate stood for, and of the futility of words under the circumstances.

Certain Orientals know the power of non-resistance so perfectly as to be able to sleep on the ground in the jungle in perfect safety. In the morning there must be seen the footprints of wild animals which, themselves having never been attacked by man, have left the sleepers undisturbed.

The true advocate of non-resistance is non-resistant to his brother's belief in resistance, acknowledges his sincerity, and accords him perfect freedom therein. A believer in non-resistance, with perfect consistency and through a spirit of kindness, might even assist his brother militarist to prepare for fighting. This would hardly be true of a mere pacifist.

Under existing conditions it is not to be expected that the American nation will practice non-resistance, but everyone who perceives the principle is individually free to practice it. Were we a nation of non-resistants we would need no preparedness, for the collective consciousness of the country would be its own invisible protection. It is difficult for the person living in the resistant consciousness to see this, but spiritual principles are true, irrespective of anybody's ability to perceive them. "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."

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There are two institutions every married man must maintain to be happy—his wife and silence.—Old Man Sage.

WHEAT SIGNS CONTRACT

Hot Springs, Ark., March 23.—After a conference with President Ebbets of the Brooklyn Baseball Club yesterday Zach Wheat, the outfielder, signed a contract. It is said that Wheat receives $5,300 a year and a bonus.

Stengel is now the old hold-out, but is expected to affix his signature to a contract within the next few days.

HERE'S A NEW ONE

Marion, O., March 23.—Introducing the wireless detective. The Marion County Fish and Game Protective Association plans a series of wireless stations all over the county to trap violators of the fish and game laws.

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HIGH SCHOOL BOYS START DRILLING

Newly Organized Cadet Corps Begins Its Work of Training

The Plainfield High School Cadet Corps had its first regular drill this afternoon, when in the neighborhood of seventy students reported for duty. From general appearance the material is good and, before long an efficient military unit of these high school boys will prove their adaptability to arms.

Capt. John Brandish of the United States Reserve Corps, New York, acted as drill master. He will continue to teach the boys beneficial military training. Captain Brandish has been an instructor at Plattsburg and at the military camps on Governors' Island, New York.

Those who reported for duty today and will continue to report for duty unless otherwise authorized are: C. Alexander, Chester Alpaugh, H. Ayres, Edward Ayres, Clinton Berrien, Judson Blake, L. Bott, Kenneth Beardsley, A. J. Bailie, H. Bush, C. Bradford, Lorenzo Brower, Juan Babcock, Howard Bloomfield, E. Boise, John Cassebrook, Harold Condict, P. Carpenter, C. Campbell, Everett Case, C. Carson, L. Dennick, Henry Dreier, D. Davies, Hayward Erickson, E. Fleming, Robert Fitch, Mac Fullerton, B. Fridman, C. Greene, David Goldbeck, Joseph Greenwood, John Hammann, Howard Hall, C. Hansen, King Hand, M. Hipp, Everett Jewell, Wesley Johnson, Leonard Lewis, Harold Loiseaux, Kenneth Larabee, J. Leary, Martin McDonough, S. Wright McAneny, Jr., Allen Mckensen, W. Maser, George Mehl, William Mard; er Irving Manley, Parker Newell, Marne O'Donnell, J. Post, A. Reane, C. Randolph, F. Randolph, M. Richards, Martin Snyder, C. Sutton, Lawrence Stevenson, Allan Stevenson, Rufus Searles, Howard Stelle, Arthur Slattery, H. Somers, Russell Tomlinson, J. Taylor, W. Verzey, Hamilton Wilmerding, DeRoy Weston, J. Mogie and Caryl C. Dunavan.

IMPERIALS MAKE IT THREE STRAIGHT

Borough Team in Clean Sweep Against T. A. B. S. Bowlers Last Night

The Imperials, North Plainfield's representative team in the City Bowling League, made a clean sweep against the T. A. B. S. last evening on the borough drives. The borough outfits started off with taking the first tilt by a margin of 148 pins, but each succeeding game came a little tighter than its predecessor.

The scores on both sides were somewhat listless and quite ordinary in their totals. O'Keefe of the Abstainers was the hero of the evening, securing the high average of 187.1, while Conover had the high score of 225 in his first game. The latter, however, finally slid off to a score of 137 in his last game, due largely to splits.

The scores:

IMPERIALS

				Ave
Voorhees	164	157	204	175
McKenzie	201	188	145	178
Connolly	174	199	135	169
Conover	225	171	137	177
Gates	182	166	177	175
	946	881	798	875

Total pins—2,625.

T. A. B. S.

				Ave
Lawton	139	155	157	150
Force	132	154	142	142
Mahoney	173	147	149	156
Skinner	152	169	145	155
O'Keeffe	202	195	165	187
	798	820	758	791

Total pins—2,374.

A GAME OF FUN

The St. Mary's Social Club girls' team will entertain the Cupids this evening at T. A. B. S. Hall on West Fourth street. Some stunts, not often seen on the basketball court, are to be staged at this time, as the boys will have to dress up especially for the occasion.

Dancing, as usual, will follow the game.

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BOROUGH LASSIES HAD A GOOD SEASON

Most Successful Year for N. P. H. S. Team on the Indoor Court

The North Plainfield High School girls' team has decided to lay aside its fighting togs and rest on its laurels after completing one of the best seasons of basketball endeavor made by any feminine team ever representing the borough school.

At the beginning of the season Lillian Spencer, assuming the captaincy for another season, certainly had what appeared to be a big job on her hands to put a winning team on the floor. Marjorie Burtis, who was the brilliant star on the borough team for four years, was graduated with the 1916 class. Tess McCullough had not returned to her studies as yet and the place left vacant by Bertha Kellar at guard would be hard to fill. Adelaide Ricketts, a last year substitute, who was booked for the place left vacant by Miss Burtis, left school early in November, and another likely candidate, Miss Agnes Griffiths, decided to attend the Plainfield High School. That left only Captain Spencer and Viola Dunlap from the last year's squad, and for the first few games the outlook for a good team was anything but encouraging. A bunch of new material came out and after some experiments Marion Chandler was placed as a running mate to Miss Spencer. Nora McDonough landed the pivot position and Elsie Wyckoff at guard. This combination played together for the greater part of the year and did their work well, although stacking up against some of the fastest girl teams in the State, notably among which were the strong Montclair H. S., Bloomfield and Vail-Deane.

Practically the whole first team will graduate this June, including Lillian Spencer, who captained the team through the 1915-16 and 1916-17 seasons; Marion Chandler, who played forward this year; Elsie Wyckoff and Katherine Britting, a substitute guard on this year's team. Those left to build up a winning team next year are Tess McCullough, who will probably lead the team; May Doughty, Ella Vail, Dorothy Kellar, Helen Spencer and Amy Hughes.

Several of the defeats handed N. P. H. S. were by the scant margin of one or two points and all these were made playing on the opponents' courts. The Montclair defeat required five minutes' overtime.

Miss Spencer had high score honors with 56 field goals and 29 fouls, for a total of 185 points. Miss Chandler scored 35 of the two-point variety and 12 fouls for a total of 82 points. Tess McCullough, who played forward in two games, managed to garner 5 field goals, while Amy Hughes gathered in one goal and one foul in one frame. The grand total made by the N. P. H. S. scoring machine were 97 field goals and 42 fouls from the 15-foot mark.

Miss Irene Duchesne coached the team this year, and to her is given considerable credit for its success.

The season's record:

N. P. H. S., 17; Alumni, 12.
N. P. H. S., 9; P. E. G. S., 19.
N. P. H. S., 16; Roselle H. S., 8.
N. P. H. S., 19; Hope Chapel, 8.
N. P. H. S., 11; Flemington, 16.
N. P. H. S., 13; Alumnae, 8.
N. P. H. S., 10; Bloomfield, 7.
N. P. H. S., 12; West Orange, 21.
N. P. H. S., 13; Montclair, 15.
N. P. H. S., 9; Westfield, 20.
N. P. H. S., 15; Roselle, 16.
N. P. H. S., 35; Y. L. A., 0.
N. P. H. S., 19; Vail-Deane, 26.
N. P. H. S., 18; New Brunswick, 7.
N. P. H. S., 18; New Brunswick, 11.
N. P. H. S., 8; N. P. H. S. Boys, 23.
Total points—N. P. H. S., 236; opponents, 214.

GYMNASTIC EXHIBIT

New Brunswick, March 23.—The Princeton and Rutgers gymnastic teams gave a joint exhibition last night. Schwabacker, of Princeton, intercollegiate club-swinging champion, gave an able demonstration of his skill. Bleecker, of Rutgers, who is in line for intercollegiate tumbling honors, also gave a superb exhibition.

BASEBALL GOSSIP FROM ABOUT TOWN

What Rookies And Regulars Are Talking of In Regards to Local Diamonds

President Walter C. Dobbins of the City Baseball League has called a special meeting of the circuit magnates to be held Monday evening, March 26, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Secretary Dan Randolph on Lee place. A schedule committee will be appointed at that time.

From present indications, the league will open up the season April 28 with the four teams which had originally entered the league for the season. A number of other important matters will be taken up at that time.

The Braves of Elizabeth, a light semi-pro team, are out after games and would like to book up games with local teams, such as the T. A. B. S., the Netherwoods and teams of similar strength. The Braves have been playing a great brand of ball the past three years. For dates write William McCarthy, 157 Westfield avenue, Westfield, N. J.

The Central New Jersey Baseball League meets this evening at the home of Tommie Apgar at 8 o'clock. A schedule will be adopted at this time and the sixth team admitted, according to late reports.

Up to this time Peter Simmons has seen fit to say nothing as to the possible organization of the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Chapel aggregation, has been mentioned as a possible candidate for captain of the team, and Harry Thomas, formerly of the Middle States League, for the managership.

Rumors early in the week to the effect that Company K would organize a ball team for the coming season, is a rumor which ought to become a little more than idle gossip. Company K is not been on the sporting field since the days of long ago, when it was all excited over football. Surely, the National Guard could be made interesting for the young men of the town by the introduction of sports.

ROBERTSON CALLED A SECOND TYRUS COBB

John J. McGraw's declaration that Davy Robertson, Giant outfielder, is as great a ball player as Ty Cobb, if the giant star cares to be, was almost the cause for breaking out American flags and holding a public mass meeting to send thanks by the citizens of Elizabeth City, N. C. Dave used to play on the town team in Elizabeth City, and they have known him for some time down there that Georgia has nothing on South Carolina in the matter of sending great ball players to the major leagues.

Dave has been gallivanting around the National League for some time. He has had cracks at the ball on the nose, beats out a few infield hits a year, steals a base or two, turns in a few fielding sensations each year and calls it a whole twelve months crammed into three or four, or whatever the case may be.

Dave is temperamental. He is a Southerner with the Southerner's contempt for the Northerner's brusqueness. He is a great ball player and he knows it fairly well. But Dave wants to be great in his own way. If he doesn't feel like stretching his legs in a sprint to first base, why it's nobody's business, so he loses as he pleases.

McGraw has been grilling Robertson for a long time, using his own successful way in making a great man of his potential great. This year, according to McGraw, Robertson is going to step out as the only real rival of the famous Georgia Peach in all-around ball playing. Dave has added a few promises of his own and it may be that he will forget temperament and try to make them stick.

Last year Dave busted into the first days of the season with a few well-timed crashes that placed him at the head of the batting list with no trouble at all. He played like a fiend, or a Cobb, and he made such a furore that everyone, McGraw included, said the star had at last begun to shine. But it was premature, for Dave struck a slump, forgot his good resolutions and ended the season with a batting average of .307, barely within the hall of fame. Now, a .300 mark isn't to be sneezed at at any time, but Dave is capable of more, and McGraw is determined he shall show it this year.

RIFLE CLUB MEETING

The Plainfield Rifle Club will hold its regular weekly meeting this evening at 8 o'clock. Practice shooting will follow the formal session. Another practice will be held tomorrow evening at the armory.

P. H. S. NOTES

Tryouts for the senior play were as follows, from which group final selections will soon be made: Armand, Everett Case; Fred Smith and Caryl Dunivan; Daniel, same three; Joseph, open; Major, Edward Crone, Chester Alpaugh, Caryl Dunavan; Mme. Pererchon, the Misses Lois Goetter, C. Hofer; Henriettes the Misses Lois Goetter, C. Hofer, Clara Hadley, Mildred Clark, Elsa Palmer, Fannie Mang, Emilie White, and Elizabeth Manning; Jeanne, the Misses Irene Moy, Mary Lansdale, Lillian Handelmann, Mildred Osterling, Adele Patten, Elizabeth Manning; Innkeeper, Misses Mary Lansdale, Mildred Osterling, Hazel Coddington, M. Butt, Fannie Mann; Guide, same as Innkeeper.

Local students have been taking a keen interest in observing the assembling of a real aeroplane. A student of the night school has proved his ability to build this machine, which will have a 6-cylinder engine capable of actual flying.

The following ushers have been selected for the Ian Hay lecture, tonight in the high school auditorium: Tickets, Percy Stelle and Chester Sours; door, Sheldon Courtney and Mac Fullerton; orchestra, Wallace Zimmerman, S. Wright McAneny, Jr., August Franke, Edward Crone, Rufus Searles and Leonard Lewis; balcony, E. Addis, Howard Stelle, Leon Ludeck, Louis Swarthweather, Lindsey Bohl and Russell Tomlinson; chief, Louis P. Zeek.

A meeting of the Girls' Athletic Association Board of Directors will be held next Monday, when the matter of spring athletics will be discussed, also the business of deciding what girls of the school are deserving of wearing the school insignia or school numerals will be attended to. A report of the financial outcome of the recent G. A. A. dance will be issued.

There still remains the business of completing the election of Office Board members. George Hepp, Fred Ross, Miss Katherine Holt and Miss Cornelia Tyle are nominees of the Sophomore class, three of whom must be elected. From the Freshman class one of the following will be chosen by vote: Miss Lois Loiseaux, Ranger Tyler and Neilson Sutton.

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PARK CLUB FIVE BACK BOWLING

Dumont, Russell and Hubbard were the point winners in the Park Club five-back bowling tourney held last evening, twenty members of the organization participating in the planing of the evening.

The scores:

	Games			With	Wout
	1	2	3	H	H
Russell	30	45	42	66	183	153
Watson	22	45	41	38	146	124
Robinson	30	39	44	41	154	124
Dumont	10	64	69	43	186	178
Guffera	30	56	54	30	170	140
Herring	26	51	43	42	161	135
R. D. Rice	28	43	39	40	150	122
Overton	29	46	58	48	181	152
Hubbard	16	55	56	56	183	167
Jarvis	20	42	28	46	136	116
Stewart	30	33	35	39	137	107
Hassell	30	57	44	48	179	149
Hammann	27	43	65	36	161	134
C. A. Rice	23	42	40	55	170	147
Van Brekle	23	38	39	38	154	131
Best	28	44	39	43	154	126
Weeks	28	41	49	31	149	121
Sharretts	27	38	34	37	136	109
Sandford	30	35	48	38	151	121
Strong	0	37	45	46	134	128

FIRST BASEBALL PRACTICE

The candidates for the North Plainfield High School baseball team will be given their first try-out on Hyde Oval this afternoon by Capt. Andy McDonough. With five veterans from last year's championship team left, prospects for a good year are bright. Manager Kenneth Squire has not yet announced his tentative schedule, but will do so by the first of the month.

LAST SHOOT OF SEASON

The Log Cabin Gun Club will hold its last formal shoot of the season tomorrow afternoon at the club grounds opposite the Plainfield Country Club. A number of successful shoots have been held during the course of the past season, and it is expected that a large number of members will be in attendance at the session tomorrow.

GOOD PROGRAM AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Billy Elliot and his seven "Dusky Maids" provide the headline attraction at the Plainfield Theatre today and tomorrow in an old Southern pantomime novelty, "On the Levee." Special scenery and lighting effects help the well balanced cast to present a charming fantasy of Mississippi life as it was fifty years ago.

There are four other numbers on the vaudeville portion of the program that are successful in their attempt to entertain. They include: Rogers & Roger, two funny comedians; Herron & Clark & Co., in a comedy sketch; Ryan and Hazard, two more comedians, and the "Two Kelsos" offering a novelty comedy number. The regular Hearst-Pathe Weekly News and Mutual comedies round out the bill that takes two hours in the showing.

PHILLIPSBURG STREET GANG TO RECEIVE PAY INCREASE

Phillipsburg, March 23.—The Town Commissioners have decided that the members of the street working gang are entitled to an increase and it will be granted them according to their efficiency. Commissioner Perdoe, who is ill, wrote urging that the men be increased twenty-five cents a day, and Mr. Bates spoke in favor of this plan. Mr. Howell and Mr. Britton expressed the opinion that the increases should be determined by the Street Department. Mr. Howell and Mr. Perdoe, and this was agreed upon.

STATE S. S. HEAD AT LOCAL CHURCH

C. A. Beemer superintendent of the Organized Adult Bible class department of the New Jersey Sunday School Association, will speak at the Sabbath school of the Seventh Day Baptist church tomorrow noon. No doubt many will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear this well-known speaker. Mr. Beemer is also the president of the Union County Association.

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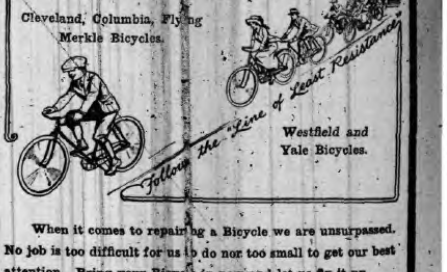

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SUFFRAGISTS OF STATE ARE NOW MOBILIZING

The New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, in offering the services of its organization to the State in case of war, has taken the stand that the suffragists are patriots first. To meet the possible demand, all local branches throughout the State are busily engaged in enrolling members for relief work.

An enthusiastic majority has volunteered, and in order to mobilize efficiently the resources of the organization, the executive board of the association has elaborated the form of enrollment blank so that every woman in signing can indicate what service she is best fitted to render.

MRS. WALTON RECOVERING

Mrs. John Walton, of Elm place, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is reported to be getting along nicely today.

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HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

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... with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science. A stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In my mail, the other day, I received two inquiries asking for practical suggestions in regard to making and marketing homemade edibles, and just how a woman with little experience should begin such an enterprise.

The writers do not state whether they wish to confine their efforts to Plainfield and the vicinity or to a larger city, although, in either case, the preliminary work would be about the same.

To enter into such a business, it is, of course, necessary that the person engaging in it should be a good cook, fond of her work and with business ability to count the cost of the production and the commission for marketing the same, so that she may determine if she has a fair share of profit for her labors.

Little dainties out of the ordinary nearly always prove attractive, and many a busy woman would welcome the thought that dainty sandwich fillings, sauces, mayonnaise, conserves and cake fillings could be reasonably purchased from a reliable source.

Almost any first-class grocer, or market man, will be willing to handle dainties of this kind, on a margin of fifteen per cent. commission, *and it will be well to ask them to exhibit samples of your goods*, or perhaps they might consent to a practical demonstration by yourself, when a few of your specialties can be sampled by their customers, free of charge.

Perhaps this is the best way of all for you to secure customers, although brief, type-written letters sent out, with a list of the dainties you are prepared to furnish will sometimes bring good results.

Here are suggestions for a few easily prepared specialties, that are both original and very delicious:

Lemon Honey; Melba Cake Filling; Cherry Conserve, Euchured Figs and Perfection Salad Filling.

It will be the better plan to put up everything in glass, and as fancy tumblers can now be purchased very reasonably by the dozen, it will pay to use them, even if the cost of the glass is included in the price of the article. Remember, that the goods must tempt the public by their appearance as well as their taste.

In the following tested recipes will be found formulas for preparing some of the dainties:

Cherry Conserve (Enough to Make Twelve Glasses)

The ingredients required are: Three cans of red cherries, two pounds of light brown sugar, six tablespoonfuls of cooking brandy, one pound of sultana raisins and half a pint of water. Put the ingredients all together (with the exception of the brandy) in a saucepan and cook slowly until it is reduced to three quarts. Then remove from the fire, add the brandy and pour into glasses. This can be used for sundaes, parfaits and in making ice cream.

Melba Cake Filling (for a dozen glasses)

The ingredients necessary are: Half a pint each of walnut, blanched almonds and hazel nut meats, one pound of peanut butter, three pounds of light brown sugar and one pint of milk. Put sugar, milk and peanut butter on to boil. Boil for five minutes and then add the nut meats, that have been put through the meat chopper. Remove from the fire, beat until thick and pour into glasses. To use the filling, melt half a glassful with half a pint of chilled, double cream, that has been whipped solid.

Euchered Figs

The ingredients required are: Three and a half pounds of figs, two and a half pounds of sugar, half a pint of vinegar, half a cupful of water, one teaspoonful of whole cloves, three broken sticks of cinnamon and a teaspoonful of allspice. Make a syrup of the sugar, water and vinegar, skim and add the spices. Scald the figs in the syrup on three consecutive mornings. On the third morning put the figs in hot tumblers, boil down the syrup to the consistency of thick molasses and pour over them. Put the spices into the glasses with the fruit. If the figs have tough skins, put them in water to cover, until tender. Then use the water in making the syrup.

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THE PRINCE AND THE GIANT—Part I

Once upon a time there was a young Prince Ivan who lived in his father's castle all alone. A few months had gone by since his father had been killed in battle with the giant Grufow, and most of the soldiers slain, for the palace was still lonely and sad. Grufow had taken every bit of furniture, so that the Prince had to sleep on a straw pallet and eat from a tin plate on a pine table in the royal halls.

Long strings of horses, drawing huge wagons, had taken away everything from the palace; but what the Prince wished to recover most of all was the crown. Without it he could not be made King, so he swore he would sleep on straw and eat on a tin plate until he had won back the crown which the wicked giant had carried away to his rock castle in a far country.

Now, Grufow was as tall as three city blocks are long, and his huge, shaggy head was covered with black hair that hung in oily curls about his ugly face. He was about as big as a comic valentine and ate as much as ninety men at each meal. Yet, in spite of the fact that he was such a hideous and immense creature, he had a lovely young daughter who was just the size of ordinary people. But he kept this girl shut up in his castle and allowed her to see no one.

"I will not rest till I get my crown," said Ivan to himself at last, "and I will start at once to find Grufow." So buckling on his sword, he mounted his black horse and rode forth in quest of the giant. Many days he rode over plains, rivers and mountains, and at last he saw in the distance a great forest out of which rose the gray tower of the castle. As he stood gazing at the sight he caught a view of the giant striding home through the trees.

"Perhaps I can get a job in the stables," said Ivan aloud, "and in that way be able to find a way to get my crown."

So he turned his horse loose in the big field and walked into the stable. Here he found a groom busy currying down a pony.

Just then there came in the pretty daughter of the giant. She mounted her steed, but before she could gather her reins in her hands the pony bolted out of the door and dashed down the side of the mountain. In a second the Prince had jumped on a swift horse and was following at the heels of the flying animal. At the bend of the road the pony gave a leap over a crag, but the Prince as he swept by seized the girl by her robe and pulled her off, while her steed plunged over the cliff to death on the rocks below.

Ivan bore the fainting girl back to the castle, where they were greeted by the giant.

"I generally put all strangers in the dungeon," he explained to the Prince, "but as you have saved my daughter's life I will merely put

the floor and made to peel potatoes and shell peas all day. At night he slept on the shavings of wood, and for food he had only cold gruel and water.

Yet the giant's daughter liked the Prince immensely. Her name was Roby, and on her neck she wore a gold chain with a big ruby gleaming at the end. One day she crept into the kitchen when Ivan was busy and gave him a bit of cake and a glass of milk, but her father, coming in at that moment, became enraged at the girl.

"What mean you by such acts?" he shouted in a voice that sounded like a storm on mountain peaks. "Get out of my sight at once and never let me see you speak to this wretch again."

"But this young man saved my life," cried Ruby in tears. "Shall I not repay his kindness?"

"No!" screamed the giant. "I have paid him enough by allowing him to remain in the kitchen. If you wish him to remain he must agree to perform three tasks I will set for him. The first will be to put on the stable a roof of feathers; the second, to clean out my stables in one day, and the third, to dig a new well for me down through the back of this hill into the valley below. If he can do each of these, I promise you he can marry you and I will present you with a hundred bags of gold."

With that the giant went out, leaving poor Ivan in despair. Long into the night he sat wondering how he could accomplish these impossible feats. Every hour seemed a day as he watched the hands of the clock from his bed of shavings. Slowly the dawn began to break, and just as the first faint rays of light stole into the kitchen he saw a form in white standing framed in the doorway.

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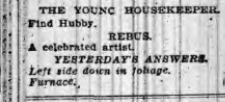

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THROUGH THE WICKET

Martha Washington Council, Daughters of America, will hold a card party tomorrow evening at its rooms in Coward Hall. A social invitation is extended to all members and friends to attend this social affair.

CLASS PLAY NETS $300

The Probasco Bible class netted $300 from its annual play, "Too Many Husbands," which was given at the Plainfield High School last Saturday night. This money will be used for charitable purposes.

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BONDS AUTHORIZED FOR LOCAL ARMORY

Special to Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 23.—Following a lively morning session when the members sat as a committee of the whole, the Board of Freeholders adopted the new rules yesterday afternoon, with but minor changes. An accompanying resolution, introduced by Peter Meisel placing the employes of the county engineer's office under civil service and on a salary basis, met with opposition from Bradford Jones and Elias Applegate who declared it to be a costly plan. It was adopted however, Jones and Applegate voting in the negative.

The Plainfield armory, $20,000 bond issue was authorized, and it was decided to sell the bonds at par to the county sinking fund.

Under the Meisel resolution affect employes of the engineering department the following will be the schedule of salaries: Assistant engineer, $116.69 per month; second assistant engineer, $83.33 per month; transit man, $80 per month; rodman, $60 per month; stenographer and clerk, $92 per month.

Under the new rules the county engineer is to have his offices in a frame building in Rahway avenue owned by the county and the public grounds committee will proceed at once to alter it. In discussing the change Freeholder Jones defended the board, saying that it conducted affairs economically.

The committees on the Netherwood and Leland avenue bridges, Plainfield, were authorized to spend not exceeding $3,000 on these two spans over Cedar Brook, the present structures being deemed inadequate and too old. A committee was also appointed to take up the matter of a new bridge at Sixth avenue, over Cedar Brook, Plainfield. The committee on prison farm project reported progress.

ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Venable, of 614 West Third street, have issued invitations to the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding, which will take place at their home at 8 o'clock this evening.

TESTIMONIAL TO JUDGE HETFIELD

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tion is to retire from the bench knowing that his services have been as satisfactory as those of Judge Hetfield. He said that he wants to make the local district court the first in the State and he called upon the Bar Association to assist him in accomplishing that end.

Harry C. Runyon was glad, he said, *to be among those gathered round the* festive board to pay a measure of tribute to Judge Hetfield, a man who has practiced with distinction at the New Jersey Bar for many years.

He declared that the members of the New Jersey Bar should concern themselves with the enactment of laws that are in the interest of the common people and prevent any one from securing the enactment of legislation that confers special benefits for the few which are not shared by the many.

The local lawyers should combine and effect an agreement fixing a stated price for certain kinds of work instead of making charges which are usually gauged by the kind of clothes a client wears.

Judge DeMeza spoke of his early experiences as a lawyer. One of these yarns had to do with a time when he and Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., went on a fishing expedition which took them away for several days, but they returned without any fish because they didn't go fishing.

The elder Hetfield, an expert angler, was anxious to try his luck after listening to the glittering tale of his son and Judge DeMeza, who had recited in great delight the number of catches they had made.

They said they had been at Green Pond, Morris county, but when the elder Hetfield arrived there, he was told that there hadn't been any fishing in that vicinity for several years.

Judge DeMeza omitted that portion of the story which had to do with what the elder Hetfield told him and his son Walter, Jr., when he returned. He also failed to say where they had been during their absence.

Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., explained that Judge DeMeza had undertaken to direct his father to the fishing pond and that he made a mistake in the directions.

Judge Hetfield thanked the members of the Bar Association for the honor which they had conferred upon him. He said that he would always cherish the token which the association had given him.

"I have always tried to be fair and impartial, and if during my term any mistakes were made, they were of the head, and not the heart," he concluded.

Ernest J. Black and V. W. Nash, Jr., spoke in a complimentary way of Judge Hetfield and his administration. There were thirty lawyers at the dinner.

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become over-worked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, backache, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

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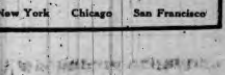

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MORRIS PLAN BANK BILL DEFEATED

Trenton, Mar. 23.—The Morris plan of banking and borrowing money, under which people of small means are permitted to obtain loans without having to restort to the loan sharks, so-called, met defeat in the House of Assembly Wednesday by a vote of 29 to 20.

Assemblyman Runyon, of Union, advocate of the bill, explained that the Morris Baking Company, which operates the system, has establishments in twenty-two States. He declared the bill not a subterfuge to create branch bank, but a system of great benefit to the ordinary working people.

The bill was also advocated by Mr. Dalrymple, of Passaic. He said the Morris plan was not a philanthropic scheme but a money making scair, and yet it had been a help to the poor.

Messrs. Geran, Monmouth; Kellam, Camden and Dolan, Hudson, attacked the measure.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Martha Philpott, of Inwood, L. I., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. David R. Conover, of Jackson avenue, the borough.

GERAN ATTACKS ROAD TAX BILL

Trenton, March. 23.—Elmer H. Geran, Democratic leader in the House, repeated his charges and contentions that the main steam railroad property and the bank stock in this State will escape taxation under the administration road tax bill, when the House on Wednesday passed the bill intended to make sure that the railroad money goes to the road and not the school funds. Geran had before made this contention also, and when the bill reached final passage, said he felt constrained to say:

"I told you so."

Despite the fact that the Attorney General has once given the Governor and his conferees an opinion that the road tax bill would include the $245,000,000 of main stem railroad property, Geran produced another decision from the State's legal officer, stating the latter's belief to be the contrary.

"Every poor devil who owns a little 2 by 4 piece of land must be taxed," said the minority leader, "but you are going to say to the railroads, you don't have to pay the tax, and you are not going to place a tax on the bank stock, while we are placing a tax on the poor dogs and cats."

TERRILL ROAD IN BAD CONDITION

Somerset Freeholders Should Take Steps to Put it in Repair

Some time ago Freeholders Mobus and Kirch, of North Plainfield township, and borough respectively, promised to have repairs made to Terrill road, between Mountain avenue and Greenbrook, but up to this time nothing has been done.

This road is in an almost impassable condition. It is the main thoroughfare leading to Mount St. Mary's College, is used extensively every day, and still it is neglected as though it were an artery of traffic in some back woods community, over which there was little or no travel.

The authorities of Mt. St. Mary's have asked several times that something be done with this road. The Freeholders meet in Somerville and talk about expending a fabulous sum improving a road that runs to Chimney Rock, while a section of Terrill Road, leading to one of the foremost educational institutions of the State, an institution which the State Commissioner of Education has more than once declared to be in the front rank, is neglected.

Mayor William L. Smalley, of North Plainfield Borough, has been appealed to by the College authorities and he has promised to have something done. It is expected that a large number of persons from all parts of the State will go to the College on Sunday afternoon when exercises of a literary character are to be held there, and addresses made by distinguished writers and educators.

LINCOLN "FRAT" TO DANCE

The Abraham Lincoln Fraternity will give a dance in Debele's Hall, North Plainfield, Friday night, April 27. Music will be furnished by George Scott's orchestra.

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STEPS TAKEN TO GUARD ALL PUBLIC PROPERTY

In compliance with the request from Adjutant-General Barber, that a committee of public safety be appointed in each city of the State to guard against internal trouble in the event of war, Mayor Mravlag, of Elizabeth yesterday took steps to name a committee of seven members. He sent out letters to a number of well-known citizens, inviting them to serve on the committee, but said that he will not announce their names until he has received their acceptances.

The duties of the committee, according to Adjutant-General Barber's letter, will be to adopt measures to prevent the destruction of public property, or public utilities, such as water and lighting plants, or the destruction of railroad property with the purpose of interfering with the movement of troops and munitions.

The mayor was firm in the belief that a declaration of war will not be followed by any outbreaks in Elizabeth. In his opinion the nearest approach to any trouble in that city will be nothing more than a barroom brawl and he thinks that no extra police will be needed. Pointing to the amicable relations of the various nationalities here, he declared that if the same conditions held forth in Europe there would have been no war.

DAY-DREAMS BY E. D. WHITE.

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GLAD THAT MILK STRIKE IS OFF

Jersey Dairymen Win Higher Price Without Fight.

FIRST DEMANDS ARE MODIFIED

Despite Concessions to Dealers, However, Producers Will Get Considerably More For Milk Than at This Time Last Year — Differential Granted to Creameries Against Dairymen Outside 100 Mile Area.

Newton, March 23.—There is rejoicing here over the averting of the threatened milk strike.

While the dairymen are to receive more money for their milk than they got for the same period in 1916, their voluntary agreement to reduce their first demands of $2.233 per hundred pounds by more than 4 cents to $2.1917 is sufficient, it is said, to enable the dealers to sell milk in New York and all New Jersey at the present prices, so that the expected increase to the consumer is not likely to be made.

But despite the concessions made by the dairymen they will nevertheless receive a big increase over what they obtained, for the six months' period beginning April 1 of last year, the difference approximating 2 cents a quart.

The prices determined upon are for dairymen within a hundred miles radius of New York city, which includes all the dairying country of New Jersey. To offset high haulage charges the dairymen offered a differential to the creameries, which was accepted, whereby those milk producers who live outside the hundred mile area will receive 10 cents per hundred pounds less.

The hundred pound basis for milk yielding at least 3 per cent butter fat is in general existence between dairymen and creameries. The standard milk can of eighty-five pounds contains forty quarts, so that the ratio between weight and bulk is two and one-eighths pounds of milk to the standard quart.

Both sides are greatly pleased with the outcome, and it is expected that a general signing up will begin immediately.

U. S. RECOGNIZES RUSSIAN NATION

Formal Relations Established by State Department.

Washington, March 23.—The new government of Russia, established by revolt against the ancient Romanoff dynasty, has been formally recognized by the United States.

Counselor Polk of the department stated that Ambassador David R. Francis at Petrograd, under instructions from the government of the United States, had extended to Minister Milukoff the formal declaration that the United States will deal with the new administration of affairs in Russia. The recognition is full and complete and will give Russia's new rulers official standing among the nations of the world.

Diplomatic Washington is convinced that the American recognition of the new government will materially strengthen its prospects for permanence. The act will give to the liberal and radical elements in Russia an assurance that the world's greatest republic is prepared to support their efforts. It demonstrated that the United States has decided that the Russian revolution has really and completely accomplished the downfall of the empire and that the new government will be able to control the country.

It was stated that Ambassador Bakhmeteff will be continued in charge of Russian affairs in the United States, temporarily at least, despite the fact that he has been politically opposed to the men at the head of the present government.

N-5'S LAUNCHING GUARDED.

Coast Artillerymen Keep Crowds From Bridgeport Yards.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 23.—The submarine N-5 was launched at the Lake Torpedo Boat company's yards in this city. Mrs. George B. Bevans of Elizabeth, a niece of President Herbert S. Miller of the Lake company, broke the bottle of champagne over the bows of the submarine, naming it N-5.

It was one of the most successful launchings which the company has ever held. United States coast artillerymen were stationed about the yard to prevent any persons not employees of the company or invited guests from witnessing the launching.

KAISER'S COUSIN LOST.

Prince Friedrich Karl Fails to Return From Raid.

Berlin, March 23.—Announcement is made that an airplane piloted by Prince Friedrich Karl, a cousin of Emperor William, has not returned from a raid over the lines between Arras and Peronne.

Another of Germany's best military aviators, Fritz Manuschoof, has been killed in an air fight on the western front.

Drives Saloons From Camp.

Albany, N. Y., March 23.—In prompt compliance with a request from the war department the senate unanimously passed the Emerson bill, which prohibits the selling of liquor within a quarter of a mile of the United States reservation at Plattsburg. A similar bill is pending in the lower house.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 13, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight thirty o'clock p. m., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 2,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bids."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council,

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.
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PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:00 a. m. on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work and material:

New Strauss Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the foundations thereto and all other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and including two safety gates as specified on sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Stranss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following list.

(3) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(4) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(5) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $5,000.00 as evidence and as a guaranty fund for the execution of the bid. The check must be drawn to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on two plans differing only in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications the entire work must be completed within nine months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

3—13, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 4—2, 4

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section, in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation.

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 37528 square yards. Of foundation, 37528 square yards.

And opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.00 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 120 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and a print of the said drawing by the engineer upon due notice and payment of cost of preparation. Bids must be made upon the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside and addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

3—8, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of Edwin M. Daniel, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

Dated February 16, 1917.

All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment to the executors at 420 Stelle Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

ALBERT A. BEERS,
CHARLES A. BUSH,
Executors.
Fees, $11.16.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, 1,250 to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the work to be done, is as follows:

1,400 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,820 sq. ft. plain concrete curb; 11,820 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel corner bar; 4,200 sq. yds. vitrified brick pavement on concrete foundation; 28,350 sq. yds. reinforced concrete pavement; 26,750 lin. ft. 5-inch expansion joints; 11,300 lin. ft. 4-inch expansion joints; 37,620 sq. yds. reinforcing fabric; 1,035 lin. ft. 12-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 2 inlets; 300 lin. ft. 12-inch inlet connections; 470 lin. ft. concrete header.

Duplicate plans may be examined and forms of Proposal, Information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each item, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs.	25c
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Hotel Astor Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
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Fancy Large Cal. Prunes, per lb.	15c
Fancy Large Mackerel, per lb.	20c
Small Norway Mackerel 4 for	25c
Federal Macaroni, 3 pkgs.	25c
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NEWS INCENSES WASHINGTON.

Declaration of War When Congress Assembles Now Regarded as Inevitable—Report of German Proffer of Mediation Not Considered by President or State Department—Plans For Eventualities Are Speeded.

Washington, March 23.—The sinking without warning of another American ship and the probable deaths of twenty-one of her crew added fuel today to the fire of resentment against Germany's submarine warfare which is expected to bring a declaration of war as soon as congress assembles in extra session.

The vessel was the Healdton, owned by the Standard Oil company. American Consul Mahin, at Amsterdam, cabled the state department that she was sunk by a submarine off Terschelling, Holland. He reported that the ship was torpedoed without warning and that twenty of the crew were drowned and one died from injuries.

Quietly and deliberately all the forces of the administration are being concentrated on the task of mobilizing the man, money and industrial power of the United States to defend the rights of its citizens at sea.

The report of an offer of mediation by a European neutral to settle the controversy between the United States and Germany met with anything but an encouraging reception. It was stated that the United States has in no way changed its position, set forth months ago, when the Lusitania was destroyed, that the murder of American citizens cannot be arbitrated or mediated.

One Condition Only.

The report met with absolute silence so far as official announcements were concerned, but unofficially practically every authority in the administration said mediation would be flatly rejected unless accomplished by a complete abandonment of the unlawful killing of American citizens and the destruction of American shipping by Germany's submarines.

It was announced that the state department will send by its declaration made in reply to informal peace negotiations made by Swiss Minister Ritter, representing the German government. In replying to that proposal Secretary Lansing at the president's direction notified Germany that no negotiations of any nature would be undertaken while the ruthless submarine campaign continued.

The newest mediation proposal, it was understood in Washington, came through Sweden, recognized as the most pro-German in sentiment of all the European neutrals.

It was transmitted, according to the report, to Minister Ira Nelson Morris at Stockholm after German diplomats in Sweden had gone over the matter with the Swedish foreign office. It was understood that Germany evinced her willingness to accept the good offices of Sweden in negotiations with the United States.

Germany May Strike First.

The administration likewise failed to respond to seemingly authoritative reports that Germany was considering an immediate declaration of war. It was pointed out that with two weeks yet to pass before congress can take definite action on the German crisis Germany by an immediate declaration might gain an advantage by striking at once while the preparedness plans of this country were still uncompleted. The report received some credence, but failed to cause any undue excitement.

There is considerable anxiety over unofficial reports that misfortune had befallen the cruiser Des Moines, the gunboat Scorpion and the collier Cyclops in Turkish waters. A rumor that the Des Moines had been sunk prompted hurry up dispatches to Ambassador Elkus at Constantinople asking for information as to the little group of American warships.

They have been awaiting a safe conduct passage through the Mediterranean war zone to carry relief to a thousand American refugees at Beirut. The last report from Ambassador Elkus said the Turkish government had not yet replied to the request for a safe conduct. Neither the state or navy departments had any definite reports from the ships today.

Money For Entente.

The administration's plans for prosecuting hostilities with Germany if war comes, it was learned, include an a first step the immediate extension to the entente powers of the enormous financial resources of the United States. The length of time which would be necessary to place the United States in a position to lend effective military aid in Europe makes the possibility of the transportation of an American army to the front doubtful.

The entente powers have a sufficiency of men, but the ever increasing demands for money are being met with increasing difficulty. The Federal Reserve Board has already taken under consideration plans for placing the great financial power of the United States behind the entente powers.

Among these plans is an arrangement under which the United States would raise great sums by the sale of its own bonds to its people and lend the money to the entente powers on their securities.

It is believed by the reserve board that this plan would avoid many of the difficulties which would be encountered if an effort was made to sell foreign securities directly to the American people.

Diplomatic negotiations to sound out the neutral nations, particularly of South America, as to their position in the event of actual hostilities between the United States and Germany have been undertaken by the state department.

China With U. S.

It was stated that the department has been greatly encouraged by the sentiments expressed by representatives in Washington of South and Central American countries, in which German influence has been known to have been at work. Several of these countries have already signified their intention of supporting the United States to the best of their ability. The department was also encouraged by the position taken by China.

Ambassador Koo conferred with Secretary of State Lansing and later declared that the Chinese republic would follow close on the heels of the United States in dealing with Germany.

MORRIS FARMERS ORGANIZE.

Elect Delegates to County Council at Morristown Meeting.

Morristown, March 23. — The first quarterly meeting of the reorganized Morris county board of agriculture was held at the courthouse with about fifty men in attendance. All but one of the thirteen community committees recently organized were represented. The county board elected John Van Riper of Montville, J. W. De Baun of Pine Brook and Edwin Stickle of Rockaway Valley as delegates at large to the county council.

An executive committee was also chosen, consisting of George E. Felch of Florham Park, ex officio; Elber Rebont, Millington; Walter Garrabrant, Ralston; H. R. Hopping, Hanover; Fred Mooney, Succasunna; W. R. Neighbor, Middle Valley, and Louis Waxburg, Pine Brook. These men will have the direction of the county office of farm demonstration and will meet at regular intervals with the county demonstrator.

Randolph to Sell Two Schools.

Dover, March 23.—It was voted at the annual school meeting in Randolph township to dispose of the school building at Shongum and Wolfe's Corner because they are no longer needed by the district. Bids will be received by the board of education March 31 for the erection of a new building at Mine Hill.

What to Do for Itching Skins

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V. K. WELLINGTON KOO.

Chinese Minister Who Backs U. S. Stand.

Photo by American Press Association.

Mr. Koo has informed Secretary Lansing that China approves the position of the United States in the submarine controversy with Germany and will back up this nation to any extent possible.

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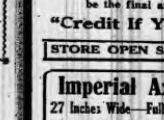

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NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

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SOMERVILLE NOTES

VETERANS' SONS MEET TONIGHT

William P. Masterson, organizer of Pennsylvania, announces he would like to meet all those eligible as Sons of Veterans to meet him at the Armory to-night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a camp here. All sons, grandsons and great-grandsons over 18 years of age of honorably discharged men who served the country in 1861-1865 are eligible to membership. All eligible are requested to bring their ancestor's discharge papers. All comrades of the Grand Army are also invited to attend.

Already there are 20 men who have signified their intention to join the organization, and it is hoped that every eligible who has not been advised of the object will attend this meeting.

Debate for Championship

The local high school debating team with about one hundred rooters, will go to Cranford tonight to meet the debating team of that school in the contest for the championship of this district. The subject of argument is: "Resolved, That a compulsory arbitration law should be enacted to settle all labor disputes on railroads and other common carriers, *constitutionality conceded.*"

Miss Ruth Becker, Fred Pelovitz, Paul Rushby, leader, and Miss Sylvia Baumann, alternate, will represent the local school.

Much Work for Council

Efforts to induce the Somerville Water Company to increase the water pressure in the borough will be renewed at a meeting tonight of the town fathers. Bids will be received tonight for the construction of several sewers. The Mayor is expected to call a meeting for next week also.

Several hundred music lovers were treated to a rare performance in the Armory last night when Hardy Williamson, a noted opera singer, gave a recital under the auspices of Honeyman & Co.

The Sunday school entertainment of the Second Reformed Church will be held tonight.

Attorney T. F. Hickey is in New York on business today.

Nathan Samuels is spending the day in New York.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

ACTIVITIES OF BAPTIST CHURCH

In response to the call of the Governor and by request of the State board of the New Jersey Baptist convention Sunday will be observed as Boys' Day. Special seats at both the morning and evening services will be reserved for men and boys. The mothers, daughters, sisters and sweethearts of these are most heartily invited to be present. There will be a place and a message for all.

The Bible school and Baraca class convene, as usual, at 10 a. m. At the regular morning service, 11 o'clock, the Rev. A. C. Apgar, of Clinton, district superintendent of Russell road, attended the teachers' the New Jersey Children's Home convention at Newark yesterday. Society of Trenton, will address the gathering in harmony with the purpose of the day. The call of the Governor will be read and particular quotations from Scripture and other sources will be offered. At the evening service there will be a brief address by Harry Manning, Howard D. Melick, the pastor and possibly others. Inspirational singing at both services will be enjoyed under the direction of Mr. Manning.

These services, like all the services of the church, are for everybody. It is the people's church and all the people will always find a home. welcome.

The annual meeting of this church and congregation will be held Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing three trustees for a term of three years each to succeed E. J. Hoier, Charles H. Brantingham and H. B. Manning, whose terms of office will then expire, and for the transaction of other such business as may come before it.

The name of the present pastor has displaced that of his predecessor on the regular signboard of the church.

A number of the ladies of the church and congregation formed a quilting party at the home of Mrs. H. B. Manning Tuesday afternoon. A similar gathering was held the previous week.

Regular weekly instructions for the Sunday school pupils of the Sacred Heart church will be conducted by Father Baldwin tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. The Lenten services which were held in the church last evening was largely attended.

William Ball, Jr., who recently resigned his position as assistant ticket agent for the Lehigh Valley Railroad at this place, has taken a position in the office of the Spicer plant.

Peter Komovich, who recently resigned his position with the Spicer Manufacturing Company, has taken a position with the Harris, Silver, Baker Steel Company in New Market.

Lester McGuire has returned to his home in Port Richmond, Staten Island, after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Joseph Lammers, of Maple avenue.

Work on the new porch at Chas. H. Thornton's residence has been nearly completed. M. Pomponio, the local carpenter, is doing the work.

Miss Ida Hockenbury, of the State Farms, Clinton, was the guest of Miss Jennie S. Townsend at the Baptist parsonage from Friday to Monday.

Miss Emma Manning, of Brookside avenue, has been entertaining her niece, Miss Marjory Voorhees, of Asbury Park, for the last few days.

Jesse Terrel, formerly of this place but now of New Market, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Terrell.

Miss Elizabeth Shrope, who has been confined to bed at the home of her parents for the last few days, *is reported as slightly improved.*

A special meeting of the Piscataway Township Committee was held in Hotel Nelson in New Market on Wednesday evening.

L. Delbun, of Front street, returned yesterday afternoon after spending a few days with relatives in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soper, of Leigh avenue, have been entertaining William Webb, of Jersey City.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ten Eyck, of Maple avenue, have been entertaining out of town friends.

Mrs. J. Swope, of Easton, has returned from a few days' visit with her brother, Harry Phillips.

Robert Randolph has purchased a twin cylinder motorcycle.

FANWOOD

Charged With Reckless Driving

Following the accident which occurred on Peter Ritter on Tuesday a trial will be held in Fanwood hall, when Recorder Charles Sheelen will *decide the case. Last Tuesday morning* morning, March 20, Ritter met with an accident on South avenue, directly opposite the "Maples Hotel," when, as he claims, a car driven by M. W. Tracy, of 102 Broad street, Westfield, collided with his Ford taxi and turned it over on its side. Both automobiles were running towards Plainfield and Ritter states that Tracy was driving with force enough to turn his car over.

Tracy, after confiding on his way, learned, it is said, of Ritter's condition and returned. Lawyer Robert Newton Crane, of Plainfield, will represent Ritter at the trial of the complainant's charge of reckless driving on the part of Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Megey, of Central Bridge, New York, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Megey, of North avenue.

Mrs. Eugene Andrade has returned to her home in Philadelphia, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Palmer, of Tillotson road.

Lois Fancher, little daughter of Edwin Fancher, of North avenue, is confined to her home suffering with a severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Gates, of North avenue, entertained a few of their Plainfield friends last evening at their home.

Principal S. Dana Townsend, of Russell road, attended the teachers' convention at Newark yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Stevens, of Martine avenue, have been entertaining friends from out-of-town.

Mrs. Hulbert Beardsley, of North avenue, spent yesterday with friends in Cranford.

WHITEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Stryker and son returned to South Bound Brook yesterday, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stryker at Whitehouse Station.

Arrangements have been made for a sociable, which will be held in Honnell's hall at Whitehouse Station next Thursday evening by the public school.

Harry Van Fleet, an employe of the Whitehouse Garage, is suffering with his finger that was badly smashed Wednesday when a motor fell on it.

The Easter music in the Reformed Church at Whitehouse Station will be sung by the children's choir, which started rehearsals yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stillerwall, of Phillipsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Shafer at Whitehouse Station.

The Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained April 4 by Mrs. Samuel D. Saltiman at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Ira D. Yawger, of Lebanon, is visiting Coroner and Mrs. J. Charles Albaugh, at New Germantown.

Miss Ethel Dilley, of Whitehouse Station, has been visiting in Plainfield with Mrs. John Dunham.

Mrs. Danforth F. Todd, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming *at Whitehouse Station.*

Miss Cora Opdycke is suffering with grip at her home at Whitehouse Station.

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DUNELLEN

Defense League Meeting Tomorrow Night

Mayor Latham has called a public meeting to be held on Saturday night at the Borough Hall in the interest of organizing a local defense league similar to those organized in other nearby localities. It is believed that a large number of citizens will rally to the cause and a permanent organization effected.

Jottings About the Borough

Mrs. J. E. Little has been in the borough this week making preparations to move the family household effects to Ontario, Canada, where she will join her husband who is now permanently located there.

The plumbers are having an unusually busy season with their regular work and making sewer connections. Up to the present time 113 connections have been made with local residences.

The B. G. Club at a meeting held the forepart of the week, voted to present a play entitled "Miss Fearless" early this spring. The affair will be given for the benefit of the local library.

A special session of the executive committee of the Board of Trade is announced for Monday night of next week.

W. C. O'Neill, principal at Whittier school, has been confined to his home by an attack of the grip this week.

Frank Hubbard, of Plainfield, has been appointed borough engineer to serve the remainder of the term.

The P. S. C. railway has just completed the installation of heavier rails at Gallagher's Corners.

Contractor Titus, of this place, is engaged in building a barn for U. G. Pierson in North Plainfield.

The preliminary work for an addition to Hall's Printing Press works has started.

Mrs. Arietta Dayton, of Chicago, is the guest of her brother, Isaac V. Smalley.

John Lawless, of Washington, D. C., is a visitor in the borough.

NEW MARKET

New School Addition Still in Doubt

The question whether New Market will have any extra school accommodations this year is still a quandary. At the special school meeting held the forepart of the week it was found that the bids for the new addition to the school were in excess of the money appropriated for this purpose. County Superintendent of schools H. B. Willis has been appealed to and may be able to straighten out the situation.

Fred Clark and George Bennett were in New York on Tuesday where they represented the local rifle club at the convention of clubs in the East.

A special musical service "On Wings of Love" will be given by the choir of the First Baptist church on *Sunday evening.*

Herman Beller and J. M. Michaels were enrolled as members of the local fire department the forepart of the week.

Harry Tomlinson and family have moved to Plainfield where Mr. Tomlinson is now employed.

The members of Friendship Circle will be entertained April 4 by Mrs. Samuel D. Saltiman at Whitehouse Station.

The Saturday Evening Card Club will hold a dance tonight at Friendship Hall.

The New Market Grange held its regular session last night.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

Manches Teets' Funeral Tomorrow

The funeral of Manches Hutton Teets, sixty-seven years old, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at his late residence at Fairmount. Rev. Harry J. Iobst, pastor of the Methodist church, will officiate, and burial will be in the cemetery there.

Mr. Teets died Wednesday night *at his home, after a short illness of* pneumonia. Besides his widow he leaves a son, Ira Teets, of Newark; and two daughters, Mrs. G. C. Ehmann, of Newark, and Mrs. James Orts, of Fairmount. Mr. Teets was a farmer and had been a resident of that section all his life.

Tendered a Surprise Party

Miss Dorothy Lore was tendered a surprise party this week at her home in Bloomsbury. Games and music afforded amusement and sumptuous refreshments were served.

The guests present were Miss Marion Stecher, Miss Lavina Huff, Miss Olive Huff Miss Hazel Amendt, Miss Verna Amendt, Miss Alice Kenney, Miss Laura Kenney, Miss Estella Slater, Miss Ethel Woolf, George Slater, Harry Wean, Clifford Wean, Herbert Stecher, Claude Woolf and Alvin Lore.

The Clinton Township school meeting at Lebanon resulted in J. Haynes Wyckoff and John Teats, of Annandale, and Wesley A. Conover *and John C. Stryker,* of Lebanon, being elected to the Board of Education. The meeting was held in the school house and only seven votes were cast.

The High Bridge high school baseball team is practicing for the coming season, which will be opened at Recreation Park on Wednesday afternoon, April 4, when conclusions will be tried with the strong Hampton school nine.

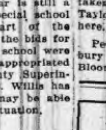
The senior class of the High Bridge high school will repeat its play, "Much Ado About Betty," in three acts, in Apgar's Hall at Califon this evening. There will be a musical program between the acts.

Mrs. Alfred G. Creveling celebrated the sixty-ninth anniversary of her birthday on Wednesday at her home at Bloomsbury by entertaining a number of relatives and friends.

The spring meeting of the Presbytery of Newton will be held in the First Presbyterian church at Bloomsbury on Tuesday, April 10, with morning and afternoon sessions.

Nelson Runyon, of Cokesbury, has taken a position in the plant of the Taylor-Wharton Iron & Steel Co. here.

Peter Welch will move from Asbury to the J. S. Pickell farm near Bloomsbury about April 1.



Care of the Teeth

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear but the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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WESTFIELD

THE DEATH OF MRS J. D. BENNETT

Mrs. Nancy Lanning Bartine Bennett, widow of Joseph D. Bennett, died at her home, 197 Elm street, last night.

Mrs. Bennett was born near Princeton on May 7th, 1841, and had been a resident of this town since 1888. She had been an invalid for about four years and had been confined to her bed for the last nine months. Her husband died fourteen months ago today.

Mrs. Bennett was the daughter of Joseph Fenton and Nancy Vankirk Bartine. She was a sister of the late Judge Bartine, of Somerville, and a niece of the late Rev. David Wesley Bartine, D. D., a famous Methodist minister. Mrs. Bennett led a quiet home life and was a devoted mother. She was a member of the Presbyterian church. One daughter, Mrs. J. D. Barr, survives her.

The funeral will be held from her late home on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of Plainfield, a former pastor of the First Methodist church and an intimate friend of Mrs. Bennett. Dr. Anderson will be assisted by Rev. E. J. Holden, of the Baptist church. The service will be private as well as the interment which will take place in the family plot in Fairview cemetery.

Fireside Council Has Speaking Contest

Fireside Council, Royal Arcanum, held its regular meeting in Arcanum hall last night and it was attended by a large number of the members. One candidate, Walter S. Edge, who is a cousin of Governor Walter E. Edge, was initiated into the mysteries of the order. A. W. Kendrick, chairman of the committee on state of the order, was present and made an address.

After the business session Orator Spenser introduced a novel entertainment which was in the nature of a "Speech Making Contest." Each member of the council present was handed a slip of paper on which was written the subject on which he was to make a speech. These were very amusing and caused considerable merriment. After the entertainment refreshments consisting of hot frankfurters, rolls and coffee were served. R. W. Bradbury won first prize and George H. King, the second.

Mrs. T. D. Bunce Died Last Night

Mary T. Bunce, widow of the late Theodore D. Bunce, of New York, formerly connected with the American Exchange Bank in that city, died last night at the home of her son, Theodore D. Bunce, of 240 East Walnut street, after an illness dating from January 1st.

Mrs. Bunce was born in New York on March 19, 1839, and had been a resident of this town about five years. She was a devoted mother and dearly beloved by her three sons who survive her and who are Edmund R. and Theodore D. Bunce, of this town, and George Coe Bunce, of Middletown. The funeral will be held from her late home on Monday afternoon at three o'clock and will be conducted by Rev. James A. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church. Interment will be made in the family plot in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

Will Sing "Elijah"

Mendelssohn's great oratorio, "Elijah" will be given at a special vesper service in the First Methodist church on Palm Sunday, April 1st, at four o'clock in the afternoon under the direction of Charles Leech Gulick, the organist of the church. The choral organization which will render this work is unique in the musical life of the town. Much attention has been devoted to the choice of soloists and the list just completed includes Mr. Reed Capouillez, bass of the quartet choir of the Central Baptist church, New York; in the title role; William Bachmann, of this town, tenor; Miss Marion Tice, the well known soprano who will sing the part of Youth, and the regular soloists of the church, Miss Ruth Dunning Sadler, soprano, and Mrs. Leigh M. Pearsall, contralto.

Literary Circle Holds March Meeting

The Literary and Social Circle of the First Methodist church held its March meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles H. Learned, on Harding avenue, yesterday afternoon and it was attended by about sixty of the members. Mrs. J. B. Trimble presided.

The program of the afternoon consisted of a piano solos, "Murmuring Zephyrs" and "Birette Chaminade," by Miss Ruth Stauffer; two vocal solos, "Joy of Spring" and "Laddie," by Mrs. Frank Moffett, Mrs. Ralph M. Martin read an interesting paper on "The Gary Plan of Education." The piano solos of Miss Stauffer and the solos of Mrs. Moffett were a source of great delight to the members of the circle. After the program refreshments were served.

Odd Fellows to Move to New Quarters

Westfield Lodge of Odd Fellows, who will move from the hall on Prospect street where the members have held meetings for a long time to Arcanum hall, on April 1st, held a farewell party in the old lodge room on Wednesday night which was attended by nearly one hundred of the members and friends of the lodge. The evening was spent in dancing and music furnished by a Victrola after which refreshments were served.

At the meeting next Monday night the second and third degree will be conferred on three candidates. The lodge has initiated eight candidates since the beginning of the year.

Spring Organ Recital

Charles Leech Gulick, the organist of the First Methodist church, will give his usual spring recital on Saturday evening of Easter week, April 14, in the church. This will be Mr. Gulick's seventh recital in this church. Mr. Gulick will be assisted by Allen McGwire, tenor soloist of this town, who is fitting himself for an operatic career under the direction of Lionel Hayes Roberts. This will be the first time that Mr. McGwire has ever been heard in his home town.

Death of Edgar J. Smith

Edgar J. Smith died yesterday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. I. Richardson, of 421 Elm street, after an illness of about four months. Mr. Smith was a resident of East Orange and had been visiting at the home of his sister for the past month.

The funeral will be held from the Richardson home tomorrow and interment will be made in Greenwood cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund P. Davis, of the State College, Pennsylvania, are the happy parents of an eight-pound baby boy. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Alice Hanford, of this town, and this makes Genial Gene Hanford a proud grandfather.

The Mother Goose Masquerade party which was to have been given by Miss Beatrice Candee at her home on Parkview avenue tonight, has been postponed on account of one of the Candee family being quarantined with the measles.

Court Provident I. O. F. will hold a meeting in Masonic hall on Monday night at which the amendments to the by-laws will be brought up and discussed.

Ground has been broken for a new *house for William M. Gould, on Effingham place, N. S. Archbold has* the contract for the carpenter work.

Mayor H. W. Evans has purchased the William T. Clark house on Clark street and with his family will take possesion on May 1st.

Miss Addie Scammons, of New York, will spend the week-end with Mrs. M. D. Littlefield, of Effingham place.

S. Harris Egan, who has been ill at his home on Elmer street for the past week, is able to be out again.

Miss Maud Klotz will entertain a number of friends at her home on Chestnut street tomorrow night.

Miss Anna Wittke, of Broad street, went to Succasunna today for a visit of a week with friends.

Miss Flora Wittke will entertain Miss Charlotte Wittke, of Elizabeth, over the week-end.

H. L. Abrams is confined to his home on Prospect street with an attack of the grip.

SCOTCH PLAINS

Miss Marguerite Jahn has returned to her position at Muhlenberg Hospital after a visit with her mother, Mrs. H. Jahn.

The weekly prayer meeting in the Methodist church tonight will be followed by a rehearsal of the choir.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Buckley, of Front street, are *entertaining Mrs.* F. Clemens, of Long Island.

John Hayes, of Morristown, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hand.

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BOUND BROOK

BIG BEQUESTS TO LOCAL PEOPLE

The first accounting of the estate left by Mrs. Amelia Lavanburg, a sister of Jules J. Bach, of Bound Brook, made by The United States Trust Company, as executors and trustees, is today on file in New Brunswick in the Surrogate's Court, and shows that she left $1,083,574 to relatives and charity.

Mrs. Latanburg's will provided, among other bequests, one of $12,500 to Clara Gertrude Bach, wife of Jules J. Bach, the Bound Brook brothers and established a life estate in $400,000 for this brother, directing that upon his death the principal of this fund be merged with the principal of another trust fund of like amount and the interest therefrom paid to various beneficiaries, of whom one is Ellen D. Sanders, daughter of Jules J. Bach.

The children of Jules J. Bach also share in the distribution of the personal estate of the testatrix, including jewelry, household articles, etc.

In their accounting the executors charge themselves with $1,736,584.39 of the principal and $67,980.15 of the income.

The accounting shows that there has been paid in legatees $521,135.34, including two payments to Clara G. Bach; one of $2,910 and the other of $3,333.50. Another payment was of $1,249.38, to Ellen D. Sanders.

Disbursements from the income account included $12,000 to Jules J. Bach.

There is turned over to the Trust Company, as trustees, $859,032.50 for the following, Jules J. Bach, $312,375.42; the children of Albert Bach, $312,375.42; Sarah Lang, $78,093.88; Philip Sulzbacher, $78,093.88; the children of Nathan Sulzbacher, $78,093.88.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local post office: Charles H. Dow, C. Feltman, James Holt, Dr. K. R. Moench, Henry Romph, W. G. Smith, Joe Smith, Miss Mary A. Sullivan and James Van Syckle.

Announce Engagement

The Rev. and Mrs. P. C. Bascom, of East High street, have announced the engagement of their daughter Helen to G. Clifford Nevius, of Franklin Park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Agnew have been spending a few days with friends in Trenton.

Mrs. Charles R. Messenger is spending a few days with friends at Ten Gardner.

Friends of James McCormick are pleased to hear that he is recuperating.

CALIFON

Harpy Bird, of Flanders, purchased yesterday at private sale the Walker house and lot at Philhowers.

Mrs. Thomas R. Adams returned yesterday after visiting her parents in Philadelphia.

Edson Thomas of Califon is at a Morristown hospital receiving treatment.

Eggs have dropped to twenty-six cents a dozen in the local markets.

A social will be held tonight in the Califon Methodist Church.

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SUBURBAN NEWS

(Continued from page four.)

NORTH BRANCH

A special meeting of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Three Bridges Reformed Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at the parsonage.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Reformed Church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marietta Quick.

Because of ill health, Miss Edith Thomas has been obliged to quit teaching here and has gone to her home at Royersford, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Lane will entertain the North Branch Pinochle Club tonight at their home at North Branch Depot.

Rev. and Mrs. Jesse L. Peck, of Neshanic Station, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Brower, of New Providence.

Miss Margaret Wood, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Todd, near Lebanon.

Robert Haver, of Somerville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Haver, near North Branch Depot.

Miss Pearl Miller of New York, is visiting the Misses Mary and Edith Case, of Three Bridges.

Mrs. Catherine Rockefeller, of Readington, is the guest of Mrs. Asa Sheets, of Three Bridges.

Mrs. Emma Dalley, of Three Bridges, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leigh of Annandale.

Mrs. Philip B. Koechlein of Bound Brook is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Bell.

Miss Carrie Henry, of Neshanic is visiting in Plainfield and Bound Brook.

Mrs. Lewis Welsh is visiting in New York and Plainfield.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS AT PROCTOR'S TODAY

At Proctor's today

Alma Reubens, Triangle.

With Douglas Fairbanks in "The Americano" at Proctor's Theatre today

Dorothy Gish, Triangle.

In "The Little Yank" at Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

Douglas Fairbanks, renowned athletic star, appears today in the latest of his film successes at Proctor's, "The Americano," a play of national enthusiasm, tropical revolution, sudden deaths and swift loves, a play of hair-raising adventure, of political graft, deposed presidents and fair women, of crafty militarism, of dungeons, and castles, fortresses, underground pass

Tomorrow morning a special Potato matinee will be presented at Proctor's for the benefit of the local poor. Commencing at 10:20 a. m., and the admission will be two potatoes. All the school children, their parents and guardians are urged to attend this show and witness a special photoplay program for two potatoes each.

Tomorrow's regular program consists of a special patriotic Triangle play of Civil War times entitled "The Little Yank" with Dorothy Gish in the title role, and a Paramount production "Anton, the Terrible" starring Theodore Roberts and Anita King. A Happy Hooligan cartoon comedy is provided for children.

Tuesday of next week the Proctor management offers a triple feature show consisting of a return presentation of Mary Pickford in "The Poor Little Rich Girl"; William Farnum in the first of the Fox super de luxe productions entitled "The Price of Silence," and Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria." A program that cannot be equalled anywhere and which has cost the Proctor management an enormous sum to compile.

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At $29.75, Poiret twill. The original skirt was more full at sides. We think you will like this skirt quite a little better.

The suits at $21.50 are of wool jersey, two models, each in green, rose, purple, gold, and heather mixtures; 75 for Saturday. Matchless.

The other two models at $25 are of serge, in navy or Copenhagen blue, with three box pleats from neck to hem of coat; new pocket, pongee over-collar; and a taffeta model, fitted waist, flare at hem of coat; braid binding.

At $29.75, also, a Poiret twill in sand or Copenhagen blue, and men's wear serge in black or navy, copied from a $42.50 suit; 75 of these—50 having modified tonneau skirts, 25 having plain skirts. 14 to 20 years.

Second floor, Old Building.

Women's Tailored Suits

At $25, the very popular 129 button suit with braid binding; another shipment.

At $30, are adaptation of a Lanvin serge suit.

At $35, a quiet good braid bound suit of serge.

Mostly blue and black.

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Young Women's Dresses

200, new; exquisite taffeta, crepe-de-chines, satin silks, crepe Georgette combinations; 25 lovely models in roan, chartreuse, Nile tone, navy, black and other spring shades. Morning and afternoon frocks. Tunic styles. Coat styles. Most of them we have had in stock at higher prices. $12.75 each. Sizes 14 to 20 years.

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Excellent sport blouses of checked taffeta, with invisible plaids and convertible high or low collars.

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Children's Hats, $2 to $9

The $2 hat is a charming model of linen straw with a velvet band and ends and straw ornaments. It has an air of "quality" and simple good style. Quite the most pleasing for the price we believe mothers will discover anywhere.

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Silk Dresses at $15

First showing of seven styles of black and colored taffeta dresses, sometimes combined with crepe Georgette.

Be sure to see the handkerchief draped frock with Roman stripes, the gray taffeta with cording and insertions of crepe Georgette, the styles with soutache or colored embroidery, and those with beading.

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When Ben Welch's big show appears at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, March 26, matinee and night, the patrons of that theatre, as well as theatre-goers generally, will in all likelihood witness a performance of burlesque and vaudeville decidedly out of the ordinary.

From all accounts a performance has been arranged that is characterized by distinct originality and that appeals to those theatre-goers who enjoy lively, fun-spirited musical numbers and exhibitions of expert dancing of all kinds with a complete absence of coarseness and those objectionable elements that for so long have been given with this form of amusement.

Two one-act burlestas called "Love Arbor" and "The New Commander," with a long diversified program of vaudeville specialties constantly amusing and interested.

The company is headed by Ben Welch (himself) Pat Kearney, Frank P. Murphy, Florence Rocher, Billy Wild, Hilda Otlee, Vic Casmore, Sid Gold, Leona Earl, Freda Florence, Mat Dolly. During the first part Mr. Welch does his quick change from the Hebrew character to the Italian character in five sec-

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A dozen models attractively priced. Velour Cloths, Burella Cloth, Gabardine, Poiret Twill and Serges. Other Coats, $16.50, up to $125.00.

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In "A Daughter of the Gods," the million dollar picture beautiful, produced by William Fox, and which will be presented at the Plainfield Theatre, March 29-30-31, matinee daily, you will find the very "pageant of enchanted song and beauty," as the poet John Ernest Warren recently expressed it.

The impressive grandeur and mystery of the sea have never before been so vividly and enduringly fixed upon the screen.

The Carribbean is shown throbbing in crystalline sapphire or surging in snowy might against the jagged shore. From it gleam, glistening white in the opulent sunlight, the rounded arms and shoulders of the 200 beautiful mermaids, the movements of whose silver scales star the sea with diamond flashes. These sea-maidens form the most fascinating and adventurous division of an army of 21,218 men, women and children which figured in this master production.

SON OF LEO TOLSTOY IN VAUDEVILLE

By United Press:

San Francisco, March 23.—Count Liya Tolstoy, son of the late Count Tolstoy, is scheduled to begin a try-out in vaudeville here day after tomorrow. If he is more successful in this than he was in his attempt to make a speech at Columbia University, he will receive $1,000 a week for forty weeks on the circuit.

He will have a try-out of one week to see how he "takes" with the vaudeville patrons. The row the Count had with Dr. Butler of Columbia over his socialistic arguments, which resulted in his being forbidden to appear at Columbia, is what got him the vaudeville engagement.

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For Boston, Bethlehem, Allentown and Manch Chunk—3.41 (except Manch Chunk, 8.30), 9.44, 11.27 a. m.; 2.06, 6.44 (stop to Easton) p. m. Sunday—2.15 (2.44 to Allentown), 10.57 a. m.; 1.06, 9.56, 5.06 p. m.
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For Atlantic City—8.41, 8.56 a. m.; (12.39 Saturdays only), 3.11, 6.27 p. m. Sundays—9.49 a. m.; 2.16 p. m.
For Philadelphia—8.56, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 11.54 a. m.; 1.12, 1.56, 2.46, 4.46, 5.21, 6.47, 8.45, 9.46, 10.48 p. m.; 1.20 a. m.
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CONGRESSMEN SPEEDING BACK

Members Hurry to Capital For Extra Session.

SEEK REPUBLICAN LEADERS.

Leader Mann and Several Members Cruising in Caribbean Sea Are Being Hunted by Wireless—Partisan Fight Over Control of House Regarded as Unlikely During Special Session. Two Parties Tied With 214 Members Each.

Washington, March 23.—Congress is speeding back to Washington from every quarter of the country today. With only a few days before the gathering of the most momentous session of the national legislature in more than half a century, leaders of both political parties have realized that the preliminary work of preparing for organization of the house of representatives requires almost as complete an attendance of legislators as though congress was actually in session now.

Speaker Champ Clark arrived here this morning. Democratic Leader Claude Kitchin got here soon afterward. Republican Leader Mann, who with Representative McKinley of Illinois and other members of the house are the objects of a frantic search by wireless, are cruising "somewhere in the Carribean," and a hurry call has been sent out from the Republican camp to bring the commanders back to the colors.

Meanwhile partisan advantagement in the organization of the next house is not cutting quite the important figure it did before the international crisis became so acute. The two parties are equally balanced in the house, with 214 members each and five independent members, whose ultimate party affiliation no one is willing to guess.

The control of the house is in the balance. There will undoubtedly be a number of enforced absences from the April 2 roundup by reason of illness. In this the Democrats have the advantage, for their sick list is considerably smaller than that of the Republicans.

However, the opinion prevails that there will not be a bitter partisan fight for control. It is pointed out that no man or group of men can afford to assume the onus of having halted legislation through a political squabble.

U. S. RED CROSS READY.

Can Nurse 1,000,000 Wounded or Sick if Necessary.

New York, March 23.—The American Red Cross, as necessary to warfare as any arm of the service, is prepared to give expert nursing to a million men. This was announced at Red Cross headquarters here.

The statement said that arrangements had been made to care for all forces included in the mobilization plans of the war department.

The Red Cross has enrolled for active service 2,970 graduate nurses, it was stated, and more than 3,000 physicians and surgeons. Women numbering 4,450 have received Red Cross certificates in elementary hygiene and home care of the sick. Thus the total nursing force was estimated at 7,000.

Twenty-six base hospitals, each containing 500 beds, have been organized throughout the country at a cost of between $300,000 and $400,000. Twenty of the base hospitals are ready for service. These units would call for 1,250 nurses and 599 helpers.

BIG Y. M. C. A. GATHERING.

Camden District to Open Its County Convention Tonight.

Collingswood, March 23.—What is expected to be the biggest county convention ever held by the Y. M. C. A. in the Camden district will be convened here tonight at a banquet in the First Methodist Episcopal church. From then until Sunday night there will be a continuous round of activities for the 150 to 200 delegates who will come from a score of towns.

The banquet will be served by the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church. Previously the delegates will be assigned to homes throughout the town. At the dinner addresses will be made by William G. Moore, chairman of the county executive committee; Mayor Thomas W. Jack of Collingswood; State Senator and Judge Elect John B. Kates of Collingswood, George Hill of Greenville, Thomas W. Pearce president of the junior class, University of Pennsylvania, and John M. Clarke, president of the senior class.

TO RETURN MEXICAN ROADS.

Government Will Turn Back All Seized Lines.

Mexico City, March 23.—A general meeting of the heads of the railroads controlled by the Constitutionalist government will be held on April 1, according to report, to arrange for the return of the railroads taken over by the government under plea of military necessity.

The Mexico and Vera Cruz lines have already been returned to the stockholders, and the remaining railroads comprise virtually all of the other lines in Mexico.

Offers Hospital to U. S.

Dover, March 23.—By a unanimous vote the board of trustees of the Dover General hospital offered to turn over to the government in case of war the use of the hospital building, together with the services of the medical and corps of nurses of same.

Masonic Head In Hospital.

Paterson, March 23.—William D. Meakle, grand master of New Jersey Masonry, was operated on at the Paterson General hospital for intestinal trouble. He is reported to be resting comfortably.

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Jersey Chickens, lb.	30c-33c	Fresh Hen's Eggs, doz.	35c
Own Make Lard, lb.	24c	Sirloin Steaks, lb.	25c-28c
Own Make Lard, 3 lbs.	25c	4 qts. Yellow Turnips	25c
Rump Corned Beef, lb.	22c	Capé Cod Cranberries, 3 qts.	25c
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ALEXANDER G. BELL.

Telephone Inventor Is Awarded Forum Medal.

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Mr. Bell has been awarded the Civic forum gold medal for distinguished public service. The presentation address was made by Dr. John H. Finley, New York commissioner of education. Mr. Bell is the third to receive the medal. It was awarded to Major General Goethals in 1914. The photograph shows the inventor at Palm Beach in the chair he designed.

RAILROADS PLEAD FOR HIGHER RATES

Urge Increased Cost Under Adamson Law.

Washington, March 23.—A committee of railroad executives told the Interstate Commerce Commission that the railroads had been brought to face a serious situation through the greatly increased cost of operation due to the Adamson eight hour law and rapidly declining net earnings. They urged the commission to authorize the proposed advance in freight rates for transporting bituminous coal as a partial solution of the problem.

The executives of the seven largest carriers of bituminous coal were represented. Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, was the chief spokesman. He told the committee that the supreme court's decision upholding the constitutionality of the Adamson act would cost the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh $9,000,000 in increase of wages, while pay adjustments recently made would add $4,800,000 more, and other additions to the cost burdens of the road within the last few months, due in great part to the high cost of materials because of war conditions, would swell the expenses of the Pennsylvania in the territory named by $20,300,000.

The hearing was given by the suspension board of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

On the ground that the necessity for more adequate revenues was immediate, the railway executives asked that the usual suspension orders be omitted so that the new rates could become effective as promptly as possible. It was indicated that this action was the first step in a general movement to revise freight rates in order that the carriers may be able to meet the increased burdens imposed upon them and obtain the additional capital required if they are to continue to perform their duties to the public.

FAMOUS RAIDER BACK.

Moewe Returns After Taking Twenty-seven Prizes In South Atlantic.

Berlin, March 23.—The Moewe is home again. For the second time within a few days more than a year this news thrilled the people of Germany. It came in a concise admiralty statement, which gives few details beyond these two facts:

That it was the Moewe that terrorized shipping in South Atlantic waters last January.

That she "bagged" twenty-two steamers and five sailing ships.

The famous raider was under the same commander who a year ago captured or sank fifteen vessels, among them the Appam, sent as a prize to Newport News. He is Count Dolina-Schlodien.

WANTS LOYAL TEACHERS.

Grace Strachan Urges Legislators to Oust All Aliens.

Albany, N. Y., March 23.—Because some of the teachers in the public schools of New York city have refused to sign a paper pledging their loyalty to the United States government, Miss Grace Strachan, a district superintendent and head of the Baldwin Teachers' association, would have the legislature enact a law requiring schoolteachers in the state to be naturalized citizens.

According to Miss Strachan, the nonsigners gave as their reason the contention that such a petition was an insult, since it seemed to cast doubt on their loyalty to the United States.

Easter Is But Two Weeks Away

Not a bit too early to buy the apparel you will need for this Holiday.

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Easter has come to be recognized as the official opening of the Spring season; but one cannot wait until the last moment to purchase the needed apparel. Knowing people make it their business to do their Easter shopping early.

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White Nubuck, ivory soles, white covered heel; lace style
Gray Buck, high heel; lace style
Havana Brown Kid, with ivory kid, top
Havana Brown Kid, tip or plain toe; lace style
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Havana Brown Kid, with brown buck top; lace style
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TO THE PEOPLE OF PLAINFIELD:

WE, the undersigned, members of the RETAIL ICE DEALERS' CREDIT ASSOCIATION, take this method of advising our patrons and the general public that beginning April 1st, 1917, we will place in operation a new system of ice delivery to replace the present card system which has proven unsatisfactory to both the consumer and merchant, because of the acknowledged frequency of errors.

The new system is not an experiment. It has been in successful operation in many of the large cities of the country and has proven to be of great benefit to consumer and merchant alike.

The Ice Association of America for the past few years has been making a careful study of the various systems of operating the retail ice business, and has reached the conclusion that the coupon system is by far the best. This system we propose to introduce here. It is generally acknowledged that in no other business is the merchant so helpless to safeguard the interests of his customers, but we do not feel that the responsibility rests with our men but with the merchant for having a faulty system. We *therefore respectfully ask your co-operation.* We want your confidence and wish to see that you get what you pay for.

Therefore, to keep the retail price of ice at the lowest possible figure, we will put this new plan into operation on April 1st. This method will individualize each delivery of ice and the transaction will close after the driver receives the coupons. If you do not expect to be at home when the ice man comes, leave coupons for the amount of ice desired, for no ice will be delivered unless coupons are received for same. No ice will be sold for cash.

Coupon books of denominations of 100, 500, 1,000 and 2,000 pounds will be furnished according to the amount desired by each customer. When the book is delivered the customer will be required to sign the receipt blank as evidence of its possession, and give it to the driver who will return it to the office. Credit for coupon books will be given to those customers whose credit has been established with their merchant. One hundred pound books will be sold for cash only. All unused coupons will be redeemed (if paid for) at the office of the company issuing the book. If not paid for, credit will be given your account. Remember, the driver will not sell ice for cash, but Coupons Only.

If you do not understand the system do not condemn it, but ask your dealer to explain it to you.

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PRICE TWO CENTS

MRS. SPERRY IS 96 YEARS OLD

Aged Borough Woman Celebrates Event at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Stevens

Mrs. Lois Sperry, one of the best known residents in this vicinity has completed another milestone in her long and busy life, and today she is quietly celebrating the ninety-sixth anniversary of her birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edmund P. Stevens, on Grandview avenue, the borough. According to the annual custom Mrs. Sperry is receiving cards letters and telegrams of congratulation. During the day many friends and neighbors called to extend their best wishes to the aged woman and she was also the recipient of a number of floral gifts.

Although well advanced in years, Mrs. Sperry fortunately is in possession of all her faculties. One of her favorite occupations is that of hemming napkins, in which she takes special pride. She keeps in close touch with current events and reads the daily newspapers and the latest books with a keen interest.

There is nothing that seems to disturb Mrs. Sperry in following her daily routine. She is patient, always contented, and apparently able to adapt herself to every condition that arises in the household, and with it all gives evidence of a strong Christian character. Owing to uncertain weather conditions she has not been able to attend church regularly this past winter. Her last visit to Grace Methodist Church, of which she is the oldest member, was on the occasion of its twenty-fifth anniversary. She enjoyed one of the sermons with much delight and was greeted cordially by those who attended the service that day. Recently her many activities have of necessity been confined to her home.

The happy event in Mrs. Sperry's life will be marked this evening by a family dinner party. Among the guests will be Mrs. Rose Hayes, of Passaic, inventor of Miss Minnie Moore, of New York, a grand-niece, in addition to the members of her immediate family. Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Burton, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Stevens, who are now living at Ottsville, N. Y., will not be able to attend, owing to the distance from Plainfield. It has been their custom to join in the annual celebration, making it of double significance, inasmuch as today is Mr. Burton's birthday also.

Mrs. Sperry, whose maiden name was Lois Morton Johnson, was born at Annsville, Oneida county, N. Y., March 24, 1821. Early in life she married Anson W. Sperry at Constantia, N. Y., at which place the couple lived for a time. Later they resided at Rome and Oswego, N. Y. Her husband died many years ago, and for the past thirty years Mrs. Sperry has lived with her daughter. She is the last surviving one of thirteen children. Frequently she becomes reminiscent and delights to recall interesting events of the early days when she was a child and young woman, and she never fails to note the difference in everything since those days.

PRESENTATION TO MISS GENEVIEVE PETRIE

A party was given last evening in the Irving school by the Parent-Teacher Association at which time a handsome bag and a purse of gold were presented to Miss Genevieve Petrie, who has been connected with the school as teacher and principal for upwards of twenty-nine years. The presentation was made by Mrs. Juan A. Babcock, president of the association, who spoke of the love and devotion shown by Miss Petrie for the pupils and of the appreciation of the parents for her attitude toward their children.

The hall was decorated with flags and spring flowers and each teacher received a potted plant. The Griffith Piano Company sent a vocalion and gave a demonstration of it for the benefit of the party.

Mrs. A. E. Force was general chairman; Mrs. Babcock, chairman of the reception committee; Mrs. Edward Young, of the entertainment committee; Mrs. Elmer Mills, of the refreshment committee. The Dutch Arms orchestra played selections during the evening.

PLATTSBURG MEN TO MEET

D. Fred Aungst, secretary, has called a meeting of all Plattsburg men from Plainfield and vicinity for Wednesday evening, March 28, in the Plainfield High School at eight o'clock.

The purpose is to form recruiting committees for "greater Plattsburg."

SEND IN CITY BILLS

All bills against the city should be in the hands of the City Clerk by Monday next, in order to insure prompt payment.

HUMAN SIDE OF TRENCH WAR

Captain Ian Hay Beith Addressed Big Audience Under National Special Aid

A most enthusiastic audience crowded the Plainfield High School auditorium last night, on the occasion of the address by Captain Ian Hay Beith, who was one of Kitchener's first hundred thousand, known as "K-1," who went from England to France in the beginning of the present war.

Captain Beith came here under the auspices of the Plainfield and North Plainfield Chapter of the National Special Aid Society. He was introduced to the audience by the vice president of the chapter, Mrs. Allan Cowperthwaite, in a most gracious manner, and with a brief address, full of the genuine spirit for service, in which she expressed the hope that all local women would do their little bit for the cause that touches the human heart so closely at this time.

The speaker told his story in a conversational way, upon the "Human Side of Trench Warfare," showing that there is a humorous side even of somber pictures of a great carnage. He has a faculty of turning his story in a way that inspires rather than depresses his hearers.

A synopsis of his address was this:

The first hundred thousand, raised by Kitchener, and known as "K-1," who poured into Belgium to check the Prussian invasion until the Allies could get ready for war. That hundred thousand was practically exterminated.

"I wish I could offer my country

(Continued on page seven.)

SERVICES TOMORROW AT CONGREGATIONAL

At the Congregational church, West Seventh street and Madison avenue, tomorrow morning, the minister, the Rev. Howard B. Clarke, will deliver the fifth in a series of sermons on "The Message of the Cross for Our Day," the topic tomorrow being "Does God Care?"

In the afternoon at the Lenten vesper service the special preacher will be the Rev. Dr. Clarence H. Wilson of the Congregational church at Glen Ridge, N. J. The special soloist will be Robert Armour, of New York. The music at these Lenten vesper services has been a special feature.

All not regularly worshipping elsewhere are invited to attend these services.

DEFENSE LEAGUE DRILL TONIGHT

The Home Defense League will meet in the Evergreen avenue school at 8 o'clock tonight, for a drill. All those who were sworn in as special policemen by Mayor Calkins last Tuesday night, are requested to be present.

On Tuesday night Mayor Calkins, Marion S. Ackerman, R. F. B. Huntsman, Dr. Charles B. Lufburrow and Henry Fullerton, who are in charge of the league, will go to Montclair where a league, similar to the one organized here, will be formed.

The Plainfielders will tell the people of Montclair of the local organization, how it was formed and what it will do.

CONTRIBUTORS TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following is the list of the contributors to the Home Defense League up to date:

George P. Mellick, Stuart H. Patterson, T. J. Mumford, John M. Whiton, W. T. Kaufman, Wilbur H. Rogers, S. S. Carver, C. C. Burke, Jr., C. C. Burke, A. M. Harris, Chas. B. Eddy, J. Herbert Case, H. J. Coehran, Wm. L. Lockwood, Henry E. Butler, Leighton Calkins, Adam C. Hill, David G. Weems, O. T. Waring, E. T. Barrows, E. W. Hodges, E. J. Patterson, S. S. Soulsby, E. P. Thomas, L. E. Waring, Archibald Cox, W. F. Austin.

THE DEATH OF PETER W. GARRETSON

Peter Wortman Garretson died yesterday at his home on Sherman avenue after a long and tedious illness, in the seventy-eighth year of his age. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. John Y. Brook, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. The interment will be private and will be made in Hopewell.

Mr. Garretson came to this city from Millstone about thirteen years ago. He leaves his wife and one daughter, Miss Anna M. Garretson.

Auto Auction Next Saturday

Unusually large assortment desirable cars sold to highest bidders, cash or deferred payment. Thompson Auto Co.—Adv. 3-24-6t

DR. STRONG TO SPEAK FOR JEWISH RELIEF

Will Address the Meeting in Columbus Auditorium on April 3d

Dr. Philip B. Strong, of the First Baptist Church, has consented to speak at the mass meeting of the Jewish Relief Committee, at which Rabbi Wise, of New York, will be the principal speaker, in Columbus Auditorium, April 3.

Judge Newcorn, chairman of the local relief committee, stated this morning that although letters soliciting subscriptions were sent out on Tuesday night, a generous response has been made by many citizens, and the hope of raising $10,000 here is now stronger than ever before.

"When one reflects upon the sad picture of men, women and children driven from their homes, deprived of their all, and compelled to become public charges in strange lands, the victims of a condition in the making of which they had no part, it is bound to appeal to every humane impulse, and to prompt the giving of arms.

"Words cannot describe the destitution that has been forced upon the Jewish refugees in Russia, France and Austria. I sincerely hope that we shall be able to make a satisfactory return from this city, whose reputation for charity and a willingness to aid a worthy cause is far famed."

Any one desiring to contribute to this worthy cause may send checks to Herman Schwed, treasurer of the committee.

PLEASING PROGRAM AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

Songs of Thirty Years Ago Depicted in Tableaux and Pantomimes

A supper and entertainment was held last night under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. Church and it was a very successful affair both in attendance and socially. At the supper, held at six o'clock, 180 were at table.

The entertainment in Vincent chapel consisted of tableaux depicting the "Spirit of '76." The "Ten Little Indians" pantomime was portrayed by children, as Mrs. A. G. Wadley sang the selection. Songs of thirty years ago were rendered and illustrated in tableaux. The program closed with tableaux of "States," with the Goddess of Liberty in the background. The entire assemblage sang "America."

The vocal selections included: "My Old Kentucky Home," Mrs. McDonald; "The Whistling Regiment," Russell Huff; "In Old Madrid," Mrs. A. S. Olmsted; The Lorelei, Miss Irma Good; "The Love of Hiawatha," Mrs. Meredith, and "Rock of Ages" by Mr. Cole, of the church choir.

The committee in charge of the supper included, Mrs. Nelson Y. Hull, Mrs. Harry Gee, Mrs. Camp, Mrs. D. S. Dunavan, Mrs. A. E. Crone, Mrs. C. M. Anderson and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Mathew Ewart was the chairman of the entertainment committee who drilled the children and otherwise arranged the program.

The society will realize a goodly sum for the affair.

PADEREWSKI RECITAL NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

A full house is anticipated for the Paderewski recital in the Plainfield High school Monday night next. The opportunity to hear the world's greatest pianist has been accepted by a thousand people in Plainfield and vicinity, for it is the chance of a lifetime.

Paderewski organized Polish relief in this country and last year gave over $150,000 from the proceeds of his concerts, for his desolated country. His efforts are still devoted to this object.

The tickets for the recital here are selling rapidly. There will be no reduction of prices for tickets, but on Monday evening there will be sold at the door a limited number of admissions for standing room. See the advertisement on another page for further particulars.

ANNUAL BENEFIT PERFORMANCES

The annual benefit performances for the treasurer, Dawe Rogers, of the Plainfield Theatre, will be presented on Tuesday, April 17, matinee and night. The attraction will be Blanche Bates and Wilton Lackaye and the title, "At 11 P. M." This has been playing in Boston the past six weeks. From here it goes to Washington and then to New York. This play is one of the biggest ones of the season and is elaborately staged.

—1917 Moon demonstrator for sale. Original guarantee goes with this car. M. & L. Auto Co., 322 West Front street.—Adv. 3-23-2t

C. A. STEINER DIES IN WEST

Former Local Resident Passes Away at Banning, Cal.—Funeral Here

Word of the death of Carl Albert Steiner, age 30 years, a former resident of this city, was received here yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Steiner, of Jackson avenue, North Plainfield. He died Thursday night at Banning, Cal., where he had been under treatment for the past month for throat trouble. With him at the time of his death were his wife, who was formerly Miss Emily Winant, of this city, and their little daughter.

Mr. Steiner, who had for many years been a valued employe of the Nice-Bement-Pond Tool Company in this city, went West last year to represent the firm in Los Angeles. While in the East Mr. Steiner had been subject to throat trouble and was advised to go to California. The news of his death came as a great shock to his relatives and friends in this community.

The deceased was a native of this city. Up to a few years ago he was prominently known in athletic circles, taking part in many of the Y. M. C. A. events. He was a member of the Congregational church, this city, and a young man of exemplary habits.

Besides his wife and daughter, he leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Steiner, a sister, Miss Anna M. Steiner, and a brother, C. R. Steiner. The body will be brought here for funeral and interment.

SENT APPEALS FOR JEWISH WAR RELIEF

Contributions and Letters of Sympathy Received in Support of Movement

The work of sending out appeals soliciting funds for the Jewish war relief has been finally completed, the last batch of letters having been posted yesterday. Although the first batch was not mailed until Wednesday night, the responses were being received by Herman Schwed, treasurer, Thursday morning.

With the contributions numerous letters of sympathy have been received supporting the movement to relieve the deplorable condition among the Jewish sufferers of the war, in Russia, Galicia, and Roumania.

Among the letters received this morning by Mr. Schwed was one from Father B. M. Bogan, enclosing a check in which he says:

"My dear Mr. Schwed:

"I thank you for the opportunity to contribute even a little to the relief work you have on hand, for the destitute war victims, and their children.

"Sincerely yours

"B. M. Bogan."

One from Rev. Dr. Cortlandus Schenck, pastor emeritus of Trinity Reformed church, encloses a check, with the words:

"Given in much sympathy for the sufferers. My only regret is that I am not able to make it more."

The committee is highly gratified with the liberality shown by the citizens of Plainfield, and feels encouraged in the campaign, to raise $10,000 in this city, as its share toward the $10,000,000 1917 campaign fund.

MRS. G. S. CLAY HOSTESS AT LAST OF ART TEAS

Mrs. George S. Clay is the hostess at the last of the series of teas given at The Rookery on Sycamore street this afternoon, in connection with the exhibition of portraits by Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen. She will be assisted by Mrs. David Rowland, Mrs. R. Vicars Stevenson, Mrs. W. D. Pattfield, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowne Foster, Mrs. H. A. Pratt, Mrs. Clinton Burke, Miss Burke and Miss Mabel Pierson.

It is expected that a large number of out-of town people will visit the exhibition today. It will be kept open tomorrow especially to allow the men to call at The Rookery and see the attractive display of portraits.

The Disposal of 85,000 Old Negatives

Parisen Photo Studio, of 107 East Front street, have announced that they will dispose of all their negatives taken by the late Mr. Langhorne for the past 40 years by the first of April. Their reason for doing this is the fact that they have no more room for further storage of negatives and in order to make room for their new plates they are forced to do away with the old ones. Any one interested and wishing to reserve any of these negatives will kindly call, write or phone. Telephone 1798.—Adv.

CHURCH SOCIETY 25 YEARS OLD

Ladies' Aid Society of Borough Church Held Birthday Party

The birthday party given last night by the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church, North Plainfield, was a most decided success and largely attended. It was the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the society, and a very appropriate program was carried out.

A feature was the presentation of a beautiful bouquet of flowers to its first president, Mrs. Edmund Stevens, and a similar presentation to its present president, Mrs. J. S. Darby. The large birthday cake of the society, containing twenty-five candles, was sent to the home of its oldest member, Mrs. Sperry, who is today celebarting her ninety-sixth birthday.

The program last night consisted of vocal and instrumental music, recitations and readings. W. J. Conroy gave a complete history of the society's twenty-five years of existence, and there were violin solos by Mr. Shapiro, vocal solos by Miss Harris, Mr. Wallace and Mrs. Bracewell and readings by the pastor, the Rev. C. S. Gillespie. The ladies' quartet of the choir sang selections. A social hour closed the pleasant occasion.

About $50 was realized from the miniature banks contributed by the members, each giving a penny for each birthday.

Y. M. H. A. FUND GETS A BOOST

Over $500 Contributed Yesterday by Local Citizens

The building fund of the Young Men's Hebrew Association was enriched to the extent of over $500 yesterday as the result of the work of a small committee of men who called on some of the leading citizens in Plainfield. The largest contributions were from Judge William Newcorn, who contributed $100; Symon Hirsch, $100; J. Gentleman, $50; Penn & Bernstein, $50; Jacob Sklarew, $25; McDonough Bros., $25; J. H. Case, $25; Robert Heyman, $25; Louis Freger, $25; and a number of other smaller donations.

Mayor Calkins, who sent his contribution several months ago, yesterday sent a Chairman Harvey Rothberg, the following letter: "I am very glad indeed to assure you that I regard the efforts of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, to build up a community center for young men, as a very worthy endeavor and I am sure that the Jewish element in Plainfield will very generously rally to the support of such a project. Opportunities for recreation and social intercourse should be created for young men under surroundings which will stimulate honest manhood and good citizenship. I am sure that such objects are to be advanced through activities like the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Y. M. C. A. and other like agencies."

Hard work to raise the necessary funds is being done by Harry Dreier, Samuel Schwartz, Wm. Augenblick, Samuel H. Schwartz and Benjamin J. Kline, all of whom gave up all day yesterday for that purpose.

BISHOP WOODCOCK TO BE AT GRACE CHURCH

The Rt. Rev. Charles E. Woodcock, LL.D., bishop of Kentucky, has just concluded a series of noonday services at the Garrick Theatre, Philadelphia, where he is universally hailed by tremendous audiences. On Monday he takes up a similar task in the city of Baltimore, addressing meetings there until Palm Sunday.

Between these engagements the Bishop, instead of resting, most generously makes a visit to Plainfield and will address two congregations at Grace church—one at 10.30 in the morning and the other at 8 o'clock in the evening. Bishop Woodcock has many friends when here a year ago, and with them other members of the community will unite in this unusual privilege. There will be seats for all.

THE FUNERAL OF CHARLES W. DE GRAW

The funeral of Charles W. DeGraw, who died on Wednesday, was held this afternoon at the residence of A. D. Cook, of East Seventh street, the Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were: Isaac E. Giles, Elias Bird, Charles Cook, Harry Coward, Frank Putnam and Asa F. Randolph. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

MYSTERIOUS MANOEUVRING OFF THE MASSACHUSETTS COAST

By United Press:

New Bedford, March 24.—Mysterious manoeuvring by the water-front police, and investigations of Brandt's Island and "No-Man's Land" today, started rumors that a German submarine base had been found off the coast. Reports of strange vessels, told by fishermen, started police on the search.

PREPARATIONS FOR WAR ARE UNDER WAY

By United Press:

Washington, March 24.—With characteristic American business instinct the administration today is building up its "war corporation" to turn out a finished product designed to match the best in the world.

The Council of National Defense met here today to discuss practical handling of war measures that were discussed yesterday in the cabinet. Its experts will constitute the Government's advisory board as soon as war is announced by Congress. In the meantime the administration is sounding a warning to the people of the nation that preparations must be made for the possibility of a long and bitter war.

It is part of a "preparedness program" of the administration to "prepare" the people to a full realization of what sacrifices they must be ready to make; to impress a sober realization upon all citizens of the magnitude of the task that confronts the nation; to displace a careless optimism with a studious knowledge of what is ahead.

Part of this preparation is in advance of the demand to be made soon by the Government for men, money, labor and material, on a scale unprecedented in the nation's history.

BRAND WHITLOCK IS WITHDRAWN FROM BELGIUM

By United Press:

Washington, March 24.—Brand Whitlock has been withdrawn as minister to Belgium. This was announced today and also the statement that the United States has withdrawn from Belgian relief work, which has been turned over to Holland and other nations.

The Whitlock withdrawal was taken as a forerunner of actual war. For some time the department has debated giving up the relief work and the second sinking of several relief ships by German submarines has discouraged further attempts to carry on relief work in American channels.

MILITIA GUARDING MASSACHUSETTS SHIP PLANTS

By United Press:

Washington, March 24.—Two regiments of Massachusetts militia were called out to guard the Fore River ship-building plants at Quincy and other plants in the State under arrangements made by Secretary of War Baker and Governor McCall.

Reports came from Genera Leonard Wood, commanding the Eastern Department, covering the Massachusetts situation, and approving the guard idea. On the strength of this Secretary Baker agreed to the call.

The militiamen will guard Government arsenals, munition plants and shipyards where much Government construction is under way.

FATAL TORNADO IN INDIANA YESTERDAY

By United Press:

Indianapolis, March 24.—Thirty-nine persons known dead, 200 injured and property loss of $2,000,000 was the toll of the tornado which swept across Indiana yesterday. The storm spent its fury at New Albany, where 34 bodies have been recovered. In addition 200 were injured and $1,500,000 damage done there.

ARRANGING FOR CAMP SITES FOR SOLDIERS

By United Press:

Washington, March 24.—Department commanders at San Francisco, San Antonio and New York are arranging for extensive camp sites, similar to the Plattsburg camp, on which several million dollars will be expended.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR WEDDING DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Venable, of 814 West Third street, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary last evening. They were the recipients of many handsome presents. Mrs. Venable has lived in Plainfield since childhood and Mr. Venable has made Plainfield his home for the past thirty-three years. He and his wife are from Virginia. They have a host of friends, white as well as colored.

The chief feature of the evening was the music furnished by their sons, the Venable Brothers' Tango Orchestra. About 150 or more guests were present from Lafayette, Asbury Park, New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Orange, Newark, Roselle and Westfield.

At their wedding, twenty-five years ago were two bridesmaids, sisters of Mr. Venable, who were present last night. They are Mrs. Dudley and Mrs. Mathews. Many friends who were present at their marriage were also present last night. Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. S. Goldstone, William Burton, Miss A. Davidson assisted the hosts to receive the many guests.

W. RUSSELL RHINEHART TO WED MISS OLIVER

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Oliver, of East Fifth street, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Edna May Oliver and W. Russell Rhinehart, of West Orange. The ceremony will be performed on Wednesday evening, April 4, at 6.30 o'clock, at the home of Miss Oliver. Rev. J. Y. Brook, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, will officiate.

SPENDING WEEK IN NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Genderich, of 217 Leland avenue, are spending the week-end at the Hotel Theresa, New York City, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gennerich.

The Sample Shop Located at 214 Watchung Avenue

An advertisement in yesterday's paper announced the opening of The Sample Shop, today, at 214 Watchung avenue. The address should have read 814 Watchung avenue which is at the trolley station; three doors west of South street. This store will offer an attractive line of skirts and dresses for women and misses.—Adv.

TO THE PEOPLE OF PLAINFIELD:

WE, the undersigned, members of the RETAIL ICE DEALERS' CREDIT ASSOCIATION, take this method of advising our patrons and the general public that beginning April 1st, 1917, we will place in operation a new system of ice delivery to replace the present card system which has proven unsatisfactory to both the consumer and merchant, because of the acknowledged frequency of errors.

The new system is not an experiment. It has been in successful operation in many of the large cities of the country and has proven to be of great benefit to consumer and merchant alike.

The Ice Association of America for the past few years has been making a careful study of the various systems of operating the retail ice business, and has reached the conclusion that the coupon system is by far the best. This system we propose to introduce here. It is generally acknowledged that in no other business is the merchant so helpless to safeguard the interests of his customers, but we do not feel that the responsibility rests with our men but with the merchant for having a faulty system. We therefore respectfully ask your co-operation. We want your confidence and wish to see that you get what you pay for.

Therefore, to keep the retail price of ice at the lowest possible figure, we will put this new plan into operation on April 1st. This method will individualize each delivery of ice and the transaction will close after the driver receives the coupons. If you do not expect to be at home when the ice man comes, leave coupons for the amount of ice desired, for no ice will be delivered unless coupons are received for same. No ice will be sold for cash.

Coupon books of denominations of 100, 500, 1,000 and 2,000 pounds will be furnished according to the amount desired by each customer. When the book is delivered the customer will be required to sign the receipt blank as evidence of its possession, and give it to the driver who will return it to the office. Credit for coupon books will be given to those customers whose credit has been established with their merchant. One hundred pound books will be sold for cash only. All unused coupons will be redeemed (if paid for) at the office of the company issuing the book. If not paid for, credit will be given your account. Remember, the driver will not sell ice for cash, but Coupons Only.

If you do not understand the system do not condemn it, but ask your dealer to explain it to you.

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CRANFORD PLANS PARADE FOR RED CROSS

Cranford, March 24.—A patriotic parade is being held this afternoon to arouse interest in the formation of the Cranford Chapter of the American Red Cross Society. Representatives of all the prominent organizations of the town are taking part. The parade is made up as follows: The Police Department, the Fire Department, the Boy Scouts, a delegation of Red Cross nurses, the Camp Fire Girls, the Business Men's Association, the Wigwam Girls, the Women's Association, teachers and children. The line will be led by the Westfield Military Band.

The first meeting for the election of officers of the Cranford Red Cross Society will be held tonight in the auditorium of the Cleveland High School. The speaker will be Albert W. Staub, director of the Atlantic division of the American Red Cross Society. The organization committee has reported that more than 500 persons have already joined the movement and an opportunity will be given for others to enroll at the mass meeting tomorrow night.

VACCINATION TICKET WINS

Metuchen, March 24.—Vaccination won at the school election here Tuesday night by a vote of almost two to one. Steile R. Manning, who was on both tickets, polled 225 votes, while C. A. Prickitt and Ralph B. Ambo, strong for compulsory vaccination, received 157 votes to eighty cast for R. H. Milton and Robert Sherlock, who were anti-vaccination advocates. The women, who could only vote on the appropriations, attended in large numbers and worked for the vaccination candidates.

LECTURE IN SOCIAL HALL

In Social Hall on Monday evening, the Rev. Father Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's church, will provide a literary treat for the members of the Holy Name Society of the parish. An invitation has been extended to the general public to avail itself of the opportunity of hearing Father Bogan. The lecture will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

SEN. JAMES E. MARTINE HOME FOR A FEW DAYS

United States Senator James E. Martine is home for a few days but will return to Washington early next week and remain there until May. He happened to mention this morning that the house in which he resides here on Cedar Brook road, is two hundred years old this year.

Replying to a rumor that he had thought of making his future residence in another State, Mr. Martine said that such a report was not only without foundation but was absurd. His interests and friendships are bound up in New Jersey.

Asked as to the war Mr. Martine said:

"You ask me what I have to say regarding war? I hate the thought of war, but if war is to come, and it looks as though it would come, then as Americans, we must and will be a unit on the side of our country and in support of the President. There can be no middle ground in such a crisis.

"I have no doubt of the ultimate result."

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE IS TO BE IN NEWARK

The Newark conference of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will be held in Halsey street church, March 28, at 2 p. m. Addresses by Rev. Dr. Hannan, of Drew Seminary, Madison, N. J., and Mrs. D. B. Streets, of Washington, D. C. The Newark Deaconess Home, 219 Fairmont avenue, will be open to visitors on the afternoons of Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Tea will be served.

HOME FROM COLLEGE

Miss Marion H. Lynn, of Grant avenue, who is a student at Simmons College, Boston, Mass., arrived home yesterday for the annual spring vacation.

RAMBLES THROUGH IRELAND

"Semus" McManus, the Irish author, will deliver a lecture on "Rambles Through Ireland" at St. Mary's College tomorrow afternoon.

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"BONE DRY" VOTE BY EAST ORANGE G. O. P.

Claiming that sentiment in East Orange exhibits a trend toward local option, and believing that the question will be a big issue in the coming campaign, twenty-three elected members of the Republican executive committee of that city have passed a resolution favoring "bone dry" prohibition for the entire State.

The Republican party, they contend, is to champion the cause and eventually be instrumental in putting through the necessary legislation. Two members of the committee were absent when the resolution was put to a vote, but it is contended that the sentiment is unanimous.

NAVY RECALLS RETIRED OFFICERS TO SERVICE

By United Press.

Washington, March 24.—The navy has recalled to active service many of the retired officers, according to a report from the War Office. Those officers will hold themselves in readiness for active duty in case a call comes.

THROUGH THE WICKET

C. B. Ramsey, an organizer of the L. O. O. M., is under arrest in New Brunswick, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. The complaint was made by the Roosevelt Lodge. Ramsey it is alleged collected the initiation fees and would not return them to the lodge.

Principal Albert Earley of the Borough high school gave his illustrated lecture on the Carverns of Luray, at the meeting of Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., Thursday night to a good gathering of members. On Saturday, March 31, Franklin Council will move from the Jr. O. U. A. M. to its new headquarters in the club house on East Front street.

NEW HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 24.—The members of the new State Highway Commission, recently appointed by Governor Edge, who will control the reorganized State Highway Department and supervise the expenditure of the $15,000,000 road tax money, have just been confirmed by the Senate. They are as follows:

John W. Herbert, of Helmetta, Middlesex county; Col. A. R. Kuser, of Bernardsville, Somerset county; Col. Edwin A. Stevens, of Hoboken, former State Road Commissioner; Watson G. Clark, of Tenafly, Bergen county; Walter J. Busby, of Atlantic City; Ira A. Kip, Jr., of South Orange; George A. Blakeslee, of Jersey City; and Senator George W. F. Gaunt, of Gloucester county.

FEVER STUDENT TAKEN HOME

New Brunswick, March 24.—Student residents of the Zeta Psi fraternity house in College avenue who were sent home a few days ago because of a case of scarlet fever will probably be allowed to return to college early next week. It was announced yesterday. John R. Knowlton, a freshman, who was stricken with the fever, was taken to his home in Ridgewood, and the fraternity house was fumigated at once. Knowlton's condition was reported yesterday as not serious.

HEDGEMAN—MURRAY

Miss Fannie Murray, of this city, Thursday night became the bride of John E. Hedgeman, the ceremony taking place at the parsonage of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, the Rev. A. D. Jones, pastor, officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Elizabeth and Henry H. Garden, also of this city.

After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Hedgeman will live at 333 East Third street.

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SOME BARBARISM!

The outrages committed by the retreating Prussians in the past week as they were being driven from their long-sustained battle front in France seem to indicate that the retreat is a real one and not a ruse, which was at first suggested, when news of the rout became known. That the retreat is a real one is indicated by the wanton destruction of property in every town that they passed through. All food they could lay hands on was taken, homes were laid in ruins, growing fruit destroyed by cutting the trees, gardens were ruined, shade trees cut half through, so as to fall when most expected, and as an evidence of the most vicious vandalism the wells were poisoned or defiled so that non-combatants, helpless women and children in the desolated sections are without shelter, food or water. Even supplies sent the starving people by the American and Spanish relief societies have been taken. To add to the satanic exhibition of malice toward the innocent and helpless, fifty girls of the ages from sixteen to twenty years were carried off by the retreating Teutons. Not an instance of this banditry was necessary as a war measure and was only an exhibition of barbarism that was hardly expected from a people who pride themselves on their "kultur."

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PEOPLE'S FORUM

The Kenyon Gardens

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

The New York Times or March 20 had a very good editorial called "Drive Like Adam," in which it said that women everywhere should give up their club meetings, suffrage and anti-suffrage movements, etc., and start planting home gardens.

I took great pride in writing to the Times and telling him about our own Kenyon Gardens' Association, which had 135 plots (8 by 12 feet each) in cultivation last year and which, in spite of the prevailing epidemic, registered 2,987 days of attendance. This is largely a commuting community and the man of the house must hurry away so early and return so late that he hasn't much time for "delving like Adam."

So in these days of peace, before the fathers are called upon to defend their homes and their country, the children should be taught to do their part in providing for the needs of the home. It is just this that we are trying to do at the Kenyon Gardens. There are plots of their very own waiting for all the children, tools to use, which would be expensive if bought; seeds, plants, etc., and skilled hands to show them how. We should be very glad to know that we are among the pioneers of such a sensible healthful movement.

E. W. PATTON.

115 East Sixth St., Plainfield, N. J.
March 23, 1917.

PLAINFIELD YOUTH CENSURED BY COURT

Severely rebuking Frank McCarthy, a Plainfield youth arraigned in the Court of Quarter Sessions at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon for stealing thirty cents from the store of Sylvester, Sharkey, Judge Connolly threatened the youth with a State prison term. He finally imposed a six-months' jail sentence.

McCarthy has been in the State Home for Boys. His counsel stated that his mother was ill, and that bad company was responsible for his plight.

Leonce A. Texier, arraigned on a charge of desertion from his wife in Plainfield, pleaded not guilty and was admitted to bail. He will be tried during the May term.

Bail for Patrick J. Martin, charged with defrauding his partner in Plainfield, was reduced from $500 to $300.

MRS. C. W. THOMAE IS CHOSEN HISTORIAN

Mrs. Charles W. Thomae, of Bound Brook, was elected State historian at the annual convention of the New Jersey Chapters of the D. A. R. held in the old Colonial barracks, Trenton, yesterday. Mrs. William D. Sherrerd, of Haddonfield, State regent, presided. Reports of State officers, together with those of the regents of each chapter, were read.

Discussions were had preparatory to the convening of the continental congress of the national association, which will be held in Washington from April 15 to 22.

VISITING DR. REID MAGUIRE

D. M. Runyon, cashier of the First National Bank, with Mrs. Runyon and son Milton, are spending a few days at Boston with Rev. Gabriel R. Maguire and family.

Mr. Maguire was formerly pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

DOES GOD CARE?

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"The hero of this California story is a combination of tramp, cowboy, prospector and philosopher. The scene of action alternates between the ranch and the desert canon, where Red, having annexed a new partner, Billy Winthrop, from the East, prospects for gold."

Lockhart—Man from Bitter Roots.

"The scene of this story lies within the unconquered mountain and desert wilderness of the far Southwest. This is a powerful and very human story. Men will read it with keen appreciation. The author knows every detail of mining life and writes of it with a minuteness of detail and a freshness of phrase that are unusual."

Lynn—Stepdaughter of the Prairie.

"The conditions of which Miss Lynn writes have long since departed. They had their day and exercised an influence in the making of the nation that is hardly estimated at its true value. Miss Lynn knows thoroughly the details of this vanished past, and the reader will lay the book down when the closing page is finished with a murmur of thankfulness for such a delightful study of an age that is no more."

Mulford—Bar-20 Days.

"The scene is laid in the cattle country of the Southwest, and among the incidents that furnish thrills are the capture of a bandit, a fight with Indians and a filibustering ship's shanghaiing of two cowpunchers."

Mulford—Coming of Cassidy, and the Others.

"The scene is the Southwest in the seventies and eighties. The stories 'go' with vitality and vigor. They are among the best of their kind, reminding one of Lincoln's immortal dictum: 'For those who like this sort of thing, this is just the sort of thing they will like.'"

Mulford—The Orphan.

"With the plains as a habitat, clumps of chaparral to hide in, cowboys to hunt him down, and Apache bands to match his deadly aim, the Orphan, outlaw and terror of Ford's Station, is the fascinating hero of this tale."

Parker—Northern Lights.

"They are tales of Canadian life, and fall into two groups; the first five are reminiscent of 'border days and deeds,' of days the author says, 'before the great railroads were built.' The remaining stories cover the period passed since the Royal Northwest Mounted Police and the Pullman car first startled the pioneer, and sent him into the land of the farther north or drew him into the quiet circle of civic routine and humdrum occupation."

Parrish—Bob Hampton of Placer.

"The Sioux uprising in 1676 furnishes the main incidents for this story of Wyoming and Montana. It is one of the good Western stories—not especially literary, but thoroughly interesting, and excellent in plot and character."

Parrish—Feith of the Border.

"A young Confederate captain whose family and fortune have been swept away by the war turns for consolation to the life of the border, where he meets with a series of strange happenings. The life of the frontier is drawn in vivid fashion and the reader eagerly follows the gallant hero until he finally unravels the plot, slays the villain and wins the girl he loves. The Western atmosphere is well presented."

Porter—Heart of the West.

"A group of humorous stories of frontier life."

Raymond—Camp and Cabin; sketches of life and travel in the west.

Royle—Silent Call.

"A sequel to 'The Squaw man.' The hero is the squaw man's son, the child of an Englishman and an Indian woman. The author has set forth admirably the serious side of attempting to change the Indian into something non-Indian through the influence of alien environment."

Royle—Squaw man.

—Dr. S. W. Reis, chiropodist, formerly at 131 West Second street, has opened an office for the treatment of the feet, at 565 Fulton, Brooklyn, near Looser's.—Adv.

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At a joint meeting held here yesterday of the Board of Freeholders of Somerset county and a committee from the Union County Board of Freeholders, it was decided to build a new bridge over the Greenbrook at Nerwood avenue. It is a county line bridge and will be erected the full width of the roadway at that point. Bids are to be advertised for shortly.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIAL

Members of the Sunday school of the Congregational church enjoyed a social in the parish house last night, the feature being progressive games. Later refreshments were served. The affair was arranged by Miss Mary Decker and other members of the Sunday school assisted.

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Beginning Sunday, Feb. 12th, 1917, and until May 1, 1917, the buses between Plainfield and Stirling will run Saturday and Sunday only.

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Notice of Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of The Plainfield Building and Loan Association for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of the Association, 148 Park avenue, on Monday evening, March 26, 1917, from 8-to 9 o'clock.

A new series has been opened, and anyone desiring to take shares in the same can do so by applying at the offices of Codrington & Cline and William A. Woodruff, or at the meeting that evening.

B. FRANK CORIELL,
Secretary.

3-23-2t

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Return Visit of
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Bishop of Kentucky
Grace Church
7th and Sycamore Streets
SUNDAY, MARCH 25th
10.30 A. M.—8 P. M.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to hear Bishop Woodcock on this occasion.

THE STATE TRUST COMPANY
REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT

has applications for houses renting from $25 to $50 per month and is seeking additional listings. They also have a demand for modern houses for sale, ranging in price from $4,500 to $9,000.

SPRING PRICES OF COAL

Have not yet been fixed and we are unable to to give our many inquiring customers any information at this time.

Whatever the price, however, or whatever the conditions, we wish to assure our customers that we will be in a position to care for them just as well, if not a little better, than the other fellow.

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That we sell good furniture cheaper than any other store in town is not an extravagant claim.

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Our prices are lowest—always.

The attractiveness and quality of our line of complete matched dining room suites and single pieces, is furniture that satisfies, not temporarily, but permanently.

To give you a slight idea of what real values you will find here, we quote the following items:

Polished or Fumed Oak Buffets	$21.50 to $42.50
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Polished or Fumed Oak Dining Chairs	$2.50 to $5.50
Old Ivory or Walnut Bed Room Suites	$98 to $135.00
Fumed Oak Living Room Suites, Leather Seats	$29.50 to $45.00
Fumed Oak Library Tables	$8.98 to $24.50
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9x12 Seamless Brussels Rugs	$19.50
25 Sample Baby Carriages, special at	$18.50 to $36.50

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Classified Advertising

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MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

M. L. VAN DER VEER, LADIES' HATTER, 110 DEPOT PARK, originator of styles which enhance individuality. 3-20-tf

PORTABLE GARAGES built to order from $90 to $300. 'Phone 1063-W. 3-22-1m

NEW GOWN dressmaker desires engagements, experienced in all branches of the trade. Address "Individuality," care Courier-News. 3-21-4t

MURRAY'S Employment Registry office at 326 West Front street, near Grove, where we endeavor only to furnish reliable help and good situations for male and female, all nationalities. Our charges are very reasonable. 'Phone 643. 3-5-1m

GEORGE YORK, auctioneer, "The Man Who Gets Results." 1728 Columbia avenue. 2-24-1m

JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 220 Park avenue. 'Phone 946. 2-14-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

FOUR ROOMS and bath, all improvements, at 23 Grove street. Inquire Livingston & Grove street. 'Phone 477-J. 3-22-3t

PATENTS Write for list of PATENT BUYERS and inventions. Wanted, $1,000,000 in prizes offered for inventions. Send sketch for free opinion as to patentability. Our Four Books sent free. Address Department 20 Victor J. Evans & Co., Washington, D. C. NEW YORK OFFICE, 150 Broadway Hours 9 to 5. Mon. till 9 P. M.

For REAL ESTATE and INSURANCE See MANNING & CURTIS 108 Depot Park

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MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-26-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. J. T. Vail. tf-

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-4-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-sod-tf

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-12-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-16-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 555. 12-5-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger. Call 1063-W. 3-22-1m

SMALL INVESTORS' opportunity. 50 per cent. profit in six months. A local manufacturing proposition whereby investments are half doubled and returned in six months; extra money required during a rush period; a profit sharing plan where the profits assured on unfilled orders makes this unusual offer possible, and mutually profitable. Opportunities for reinvestment at same rate at other emergency periods. Investigation invited. Box 999, care Courier-News.

BUY AMALGAMATED OIL, one cent a share; 100 per cent. dividends in 90 days possible; production now coming in, ground floor stock, one cent a share, doubles price shortly. $1 par value, $10 buys 1,000 shares. Write for full details. Amalgamated Oil Co., 1270 Colcord Bldg., Oklahoma City, Okla.

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

(ADDITIONAL CENT-A-WORDS ON OPPOSITE PAGE)

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Lady's purple silk umbrella. Reward if returned to 531 West Seventh street. 3-24-2t

FOUND—14-k gold circular breast-pin with initials. Owner may have same by applying at Courier-News. 3-15-1m

LOST—Yale key. Kindly return to Courier-News.

LOST—Friday, March 23d, shoe off of R. Altman's car on South avenue. Notify 494 Main street, East Orange.

LOST—Gold watch and fob, Phelps & Perry on face of watch, Illinois movement, fob with black ribbon and gold pendant with initials R. J. P. on. Liberal reward and no questions asked for return to R. J. Powers, Spicer Mfg. Co., South Plainfield. 3-20-5t

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. Apply 409 East Fifth street. 3-22-3t

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished room in private family, 28 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, opposite Homestead. Tel. 622-W. 3-17-tf

LARGE front furnished room for rent. 927 West Fifth street. 3-23-3t

SECOND FLOOR ROOM, furnished, to let. 433 East Seventh street. Phone 256-W. 3-21-4t

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, housekeeping privileges, 1 Starr's and Pond's; improvements. 1139 South Second street.

TO LET—One large furnished room for light housekeeping. 80 Chatham street. 3-23-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile trimming a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. Phone 2356-M. 6-6-1y*

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-24-tf

FOR SALE — 1913 Hupmobile roadster; first-class condition. Call 1022 West Front street. 3-24-2t

1913 ROADSTER, 30 H. P., in good condition, $375. Wm. Sauer, druggist, North avenue, Dunellen, N. J.

SPECIAL OFFER—Complete set of seat covers for Ford cars, including top envelope, made of heavy brown duck, finished with leatherette binding and put on with patented snap fasteners. Price until April 1st, Roadster, $12.00; touring car, $14.50. J. H. De Ley, 34 Somerset street, French's Building, 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

FORD touring car, late model, demountable rims, absolutely in first-class mechanical condition; tires almost new; no use for car. Will sell at a bargain. Wirth, 122 Catharine street, Elizabeth. Tel. 1128-W.

FORD ROADSTER, late 1914, first-class shape, $130. Address "Ford," care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

FOR SALE—1913 Roadster, in good condition, $85.00. Inquire at Sauer's Pharmacy, Dunellen, N. J.

GIFFORD USED CAR CO.—Dodge Bros. cars, Cadillac fours, eights; Oldsmobile four, almost new; Chalmers small six; Fords, Buicks, Overlands, Hupmobiles, Haynes; two new cars, full equipment, one-half price; roadsters, tourings, starters and lights, all first-class condition, exceedingly low prices $200 to $800. Ask for Mr. Gifford, manager, 250 Halsey street. 'Phone 4387 Market.

HUPMOBILE 20 for sale, in A-1 shape. Address "Hup," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

RUNABOUT, all in good condition; sacrifice. L. H. Darling, Foster avenue, Plainfield, N. J. 3-23-2t

TWO CHALMERS, 1916, King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 150 East Front street, or 916 South avenue. 3-16-4-s-tf

SECOND-HAND Stoddard-Dayton, in good condition, cheap; easy terms. 200 Park avenue. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 7-1-t-f-s-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail. 12-7-tf

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TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-glist. 12-30-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres, tillable; seven rooms; garage; to rent. "Farm," care Courier-News. 3-15-1m

FOR RENT—Barn, suitable for garage. 243 Somerset street. 3-21-6t

TO LET—Office, in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FLAT TO LET—Six rooms, new house, all improvements. 972 Arlington avenue. 3-24-6t

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, part improvements, West End. Address Box 91, care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 926 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1834-W evenings. 3-10-1m

FOR SALE—Six-acre farm, 7-room house, fruit trees. Munzio Robustelli, South, Plainfield. 3-21-4t

111-ACRE FARM, near Bound Brook; five acres woodland, large brook, 1,000 peach trees; 10-room house, outbuildings, silo; fine condition; $125 per acre; easy terms; exchange for desirable income property considered. Particulars, P. O. Box 334, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-19-6t

FOR SALE—Salem county, N. J., potato farm, 21 acres, all clear, in good condition; plenty fruit, good building; close to school, church, railroad station; price $2,800, $1,000 cash. John Urban, owner, 221 West Third street, Plainfield, N. J. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE—At a bargain, lot 50x200, on East Seventh street, near Central. F. M. Masker, 155 East Fifth street.

FOR SALE—Farm 86 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton. Augustus Durya, Somerville, N. J. Phone 1-31-2taw-26t

FINE BUILDING SITES, Berckley avenue, near Netherwood depot and trolley, high terrace, 75x250 feet; all street improvements, large shade trees; reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-17-s-tf

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. Also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-s

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR, married; wishes work for Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Inquire 1008 Arlington avenue. 'Phone 746-W. 3-20-5t

GARDENER (French) wants steady position or day's work; experienced. Address 349 Bergen street. 3-23-3t

RETAIL SALESMAN, clothing and furnishings; twenty years experience; best references. Harry Cohen, 144 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-3t

EXPERIENCED man desires place as foreman or general farm hand. Call 215 West Front street, Extra change alley. 3-22-2t

USEFUL MAN desires work by day or week, housecleaning, gardening, etc. Jackson, 328 Plainfield avenue. 'Phone 372. 3-20-2t

CHAUFFEUR (24) wishes position, private or commercial; 4 years experience; do own repairs; careful driver; good references. "Careful," care Courier-News. 3-20-5t

CHAUFFEUR (Scandinavian) wishes position; good, careful driver; do own repairs; many years' experience on any car; New York and New Jersey licenses; first-class references. "M. N.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

CARPENTER — A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1907-M. 11-9-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EMBROIDERY—Fine eyelet and solid handwork done; reasonable prices. Call 642 West Third street. 3-24-3t

COOK—First-class cook wishes position, $45-$50; good manager and pastry baker; city or country. Address "Cook," care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

DRESSMAKING—Ladies' tailoring and sewing, out by the day. $2. Address "Reliable," care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 3-3-1m

NO BETTER HOUSES BUILT, no nicer plans, no more artistic finish; prices low; terms easy. Four out of nine already sold. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 93 Somerset street, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

WANTED—Mill hands, also boys for general stock department. Apply Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-20-6t

BOY, over 16, wanted after school hours. Apply 55 Somerset street. 3-21-tf

LABORERS WANTED; steady work, highest wages. Apply F. Rushmore, Ravine road, Netherwood. 3-22-3t

BOY for inspection department. Apply T. J. Healy, Standard Aero Corporation, 768 North avenue. 3-22-3t

FOUNDRY laborers wanted. Ball Printing Press Co., Dunellen, N. J. 3-22-3t

WANTED — First-class gardener and useful man; must have good reference. Call at 999 Hillside avenue. 3-23-3t

WANTED—Man to work on small farm near Plainfield; reference. A. E. Wright, R. D. 2. 3-23-2t

BARBER WANTED — Steady work. 93 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-6t

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handline machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 1-19-t-s-tf

WANTED—Man to take care of horse, cow, garden, etc.; must be experienced; reference; single preferred. 828 Sherman avenue. Tel. 2541. 3-23-2t

INSURANCE MEN to solicit for industrial fire insurance in Plainfield; first-class contract to producers. Address "Insurance," care Courier-News. 3-3-2t

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WANTED—Big pay, sure work. I will prepare you in a short time at small cost. Must be American citizen. Write for my free book FC 979 today. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 3-10-2t

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WANTED—Man for general work around business place, not over 40 years of age; good position. Address, "Good Position," care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Driver for Ford delivery. Stanley, 159 East Front street.

MAN WANTED to demonstrate and sell electric household supplies; good proposition for right party. See Mr. Lindrup, care Hotel Kensington, Monday and Tuesday afternoons. 3-24-2t

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ANOTHER AUCTION SALE on Wednesday, March 28th, commencing at 1:30 p. m., in the large auditorium on West Front street, over J. W. Gavett's china store. Watch for list of goods to be sold advertised in Monday's and Tuesday's issue of this paper. Robert Murray, auctioneer, permanent auction rooms, 926-928 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-24-tf

PIANO—Upright, mahogany case, almost new, cheap to cash buyer. Address "G. J. G.," care Courier-News. 3-21-6t

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Two good $3.50 seats for Maude Adams in "A Kiss for Cinderella." Telephone 1105-M.

GOOD road mare for sale, suitable for any delivery business. E. F. Bremer, Terrill road. 3-24-2t-28

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching, 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-22-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

KINDLING, block and crate wood. P. Pugmann, 625 South Second street. 3-23-tf

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FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; price reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co. 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 4883J. 3-16-1m

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1944 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and Scott place. 3-20-tf

FOR SALE—New Prairie State incubator, cheap. Call evenings, 263 Prospect avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 3-23-2t

FOR SALE—Good top soil, also building sand. Apply Wm. C. Burke, 671 West Fourth street, furniture mover and gardener. 'Phone 508-R. 2-23-3t

POULTRY SALE—5 WHITE LEGHORN COCKERELS $1.00 EACH; 1 MOTTLED ANCONA COCKEREL, $1.50; 1 BUFF ORPINGTON COCK, $2.50; 1 COCKEREL, $2.00; 8 BEAUTIFUL KEYSTONE STRAIN, WHITE WYANDOTTE PULLETS AND 2 SILVER LAID COCKERELS, $15.00; 4 RHODE ISLAND RED HENS (LARGE), $2.50 EACH; 2 BLACK JAVAS, $2.50 EACH; 2 WHITE LEGHORNS $1.25 EACH; 1 EXTRA FINE SILVER CAMPINE COCK, $3.00. MARSHALL, 31 COMPTON AVENUE. 'PHONE 1596-R. 3-22-2t

BANJO AND RUGS for sale. 311 East Fifth street.

POULTRY—Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn hatching eggs, $6.00 per hundred. Custom hatching. Franklin Farms. Telephone Plainfield 1188-W. 3-24-2t

FOR SALE—1,500 Killarney rose bushes, 25c each; also potted Hyacinths, 10c; cut flowers and funeral work. Pitts, Florist, 51 Leland avenue. 3-23-2t

GROCERY horse and wagon for sale. 726 West Third street. 3-23-2t

FOR SALE—$90 buys a good horse for driving or suitable for business. Call 58 Chatham street. 3-22-3t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles and Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

A GOOD Indian motorcycle for sale, in very good condition, 1916. Call 94 Grandview avenue. 3-23-2t

YALE motorcycle for sale, in good running order. Call 145 West Second street. 3-22-3t

FOR SALE—Gentleman's wheel, cheap. 112 Jackson avenue. 3-21-tf

ONE-CYLINDER Pope motorcycle, first-class condition, at very low price. Apply 911 West Third street, Plainfield. 3-19-6t

TO LET—APARTMENTS

TWO completely re-decorated six-room and bath apartments, centrally located; one with electric lights, other gas, steam heat included in rent; ready for occupancy before March 1st. For further information apply Frederick A. Martin Co. 1-30-tf

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Shilman. 3-21-tf

APARTMENT, two rooms and bath, first floor. Apply at office, Crescent Court. 3-15,16,17,22,23,24

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 216 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Saurer's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Lease small farm not over 27 miles from New York. Full particulars first letter. Box 316, Dunellen. 3-22-3t

COUPLE, with one child, want three or four rooms, improvements, on west side or Dunellen. Address "C. E. H.," General Delivery, Dunellen. 3-23-2t

A LADY wants a furnished room in a quiet house by the 15th of April. Address "Quiet," care Courier-News.

WANTED—Two or three rooms with conveniences in borough, location near Somerset street preferred. "G. M." care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street. 3-23-6t

MAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? We Fit Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

SEE OUR PERFECT HOMES—Everything as it should be. Low price; easy terms. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU *to equal my offer in Plainfield.*

$200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 7-room house, improvements, on large plot, restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. Owner 105, Courier-News. 3-20-1m

FREE

Twelve-room house on West 7th street; part or ground; closing estate. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-22-1y

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address, "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

MODERN HOUSE with garage; sacrifice price; exceptional terms; would rent. 325 Prospect avenue, Dunellen.

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

MUST SELL 7-room house, all improvements; price $2,200. "R. J.," care Courier-News. 3-23-6t

NEW PALACE HOUSES, choice location, some with two and others with three bath rooms; everything first-class; low price; easy terms. Send for pictures. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-21-4t

FOR SALE—Five-room house on Front street, Scotch Plains, situated one block from trolley, in centre of town; lot 50x150 feet; lighted by gas; water and gas in house; must be sold to settle estate. Apply Mrs. Fred Clark, opposite property, or 333 Walnut street, Newark, N. J. 3-24-2t

FOR SALE—Five-room house; only $50 required. 259 Grove street. 3-23-2t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $3,000. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

ROOM AND BOARD—WANTED

WANTED—Pleasant room and board for elderly lady where there are no other boarders; in good and central location; references exchanged. Address "Home," care Courier-News. 3-23-2t

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—$5,000, first mortgage on new Plainfield house; excellent location. Box "T. A.," care Courier-News. 3-19-6t

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 614 Madison avenue. 3-14-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

ROOMS TO LET with board; desirable location. 21 Sandford avenue. 3-22-1m

BOARD AND ROOMS for five men. "X. Y. L.," care Courier-News. 3-22-2t

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Boyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

TO RENT—Two small houses, Mountain View Terrace, Dunellen, 7 rooms and bath; all improvements; refined neighborhood; rent $25 and $27.50, water, rent extra. 'Phone Dunellen 283J. 3-23-6t

TO LET—On Marlatte avenue, Fanwood, house 8 rooms, all modern improvements; has barn and barn with hide house attached; rent $35.00. Key with F. W. Cressy, Martine avenue. 3-23-6t

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, improvements, lower floor 5 large rooms, upper 6; $21.00 each; 1077 Arlington avenue. Inquire A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-20-tf

FOR RENT—Eight-room house with reception hall; all improvements, newly decorated. 'Phone 539-M. 3-23-2t

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 614 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply F. Lange, 227 West Front street. 3-22-tf

AT NORFOLK, Conn., house and stable, will rent for summer. E. V. Cox, 150 East Seventh street.

TO LET—Six-room house, with bath; rent reasonable. Inquire 201 Rock avenue. 2-22-4t

TO LET—Seven rooms and bath, all improvements, Netherwood. W. R. Way, 308 Watchung avenue. 3-20-6t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water, over 1/2 acre of land; 130 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 5 minutes' walk from Bound Brook depot; will sell very reasonably. M. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-tf

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large veranda, large grounds; residential section, near trolley; immediate possession; rent $45.00. J. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 76. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house all latest improvements; hot water heat, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Duncan, 131 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—Bungalows at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 206 Manson place; Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

NEW PALACE HOUSES, Putnam avenue, beautiful finish; 2 baths, etc. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear, Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

SCRUBWOMAN wanted. Appuy New York Lunch Room, 127 West Front street. 3-23-3t

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 725 Berkeley avenue, Netherwood. 3-21-tf

WANTED — Experienced cooks, general houseworkers, waitress-chambermaids, white and colored. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Experienced white girl for chambermaid and waitress by April 2nd. Mrs. Calkins, 929 Madison avenue.

YOUNG girl wanted to help in store; must understand little bookkeeping; state reference. Address "B," care Courier-News. 3-23-2t

WANTED — First-class girl as chambermaid and waitress; good references required. Apply 905 Watchung avenue. 3-22-4t

WANTED—Four waitresses. Apply 121 East Front street, MacDonald's Restaurant.

WANTED—White girl as mother's helper from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Call 821 East Second street. 3-24-3t

WANTED—A refined young woman for afternoons and Saturdays to be with two children. Mrs. Everest, 1122 Martine avenue. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Experienced waitress-chambermaid. Scandinavian preferred; references required. Mrs. F. D. Warren, 966 Hillside avenue. 3-24-2t

HAND IRONER wanted at once. Apply Laundry Foreman, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework; three in family. Apply evenings, 1017 Madison avenue. 3-24-3t

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND TYPIST AT ONCE. APPLY J. D. LOIZEAUX LUMBER CO., 620 NORTH AVENUE. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Girl in law office. Charles L. Moffett, Woodhull & Martin Building. 3-24-3t

WARD MAIDS wanted at once. Apply to Directress of Nurses, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-23-3t

WANTED—Refined girls to learn glove making on power machines; steady employment entire year. Apply Louis Meyers & Son, 102 North avenue, corner Park. 3-23-2t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

HELP WANTED—Male or Female.

WANTED—Two kitchen helpers. Apply MacDonald's Restaurant, 131 East Front street.

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY — Meeting chairs, pool table and piano. Makyn, 253 East Third street. 3-23-6t

TEAM of good sound work horses, also box wagon and harness; must be reasonable in price. Inquire Beechwood Heights Nursery, Bound Brook. 3-24-2t

SITTING HENS—Any number at any time. Save this advertisement for reference. Forgate Farms, Dunellen. 'Phone 1246-J. 3-24-26-30-31

WANTED — Ford runabout in good condition. Address "Runabout," care Courier-News.

WILL PAY CASH for nearly all kinds of timber delivered. Apply James Freeman, Westfield. 3-22-3t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 315 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 3432. 6-16-tf

FINANCIAL

FREE BOOK, "Money in Oil," shows how you can make quick profits; steady dividends; small investment; now producing oil and gas. Neosho Co., K. C. Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

FOR EXCHANGE

I HAVE TRADED twenty-one different properties in the past few weeks and made money for my clients. What have you to swap? U. B. Crane, 315 Watchung avenue.

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear 100-acre farm, $5,250, for local. W. R. Way. 3-24-2t

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All those participating are urged to be present at this rehearsal.

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QUEEN WRITES PRINCE OF WALES RELIEF SOCIETY

At a business meeting held Thursday it was decided that the "United States of America and Prince of Wales Relief Commission, N. Y. Branch," should hold an extra meeting earh week in order to accomplish the amount of work which is necessary.

Beginning next Tuesday, March 27, there will be a supplementary meeting each week at Grace church parish house from 10 to 12 m. The regular Thursday meetings will continue as usual; all members are asked to attend one or both of the sessions if possible.

The American branch of this work is assuming interesting proportions and the European branch has just received a graceful letter of acknowledgment and thanks from Lady Dawson, acting honorary secretary to Her Majesty Queen Mary. A short quotation might be of interest:

"The Queen would like her special thanks to be conveyed to the 'U. S. A. and Prince of Wales Relief Committee New Jersey Branch,' who have made such splendid contributions and so many useful articles for Her Majesty's Guild. Her Majesty appreciates their help and everything is a great joy to us. Several of your cases have already gone off to the front hospitals. We always leave your tickets on the things and we so enjoy saying how wonderful it is to think that friends in America are working and thinking of us."

MRS. J. Y. BROEK TALKS ON HOME MISSION WORK

Under the auspices of the Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church a missionary tea was held at the home of Mrs. George Mantz, 951 Union street, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. Y. Broek gave an interesting talk on home mission work, telling of what is being done among the Indians and the Kentucky Mountain whites, and emphasizing the need for strong effort on the part of the Christian people particularly at this time.

During the afternoon Mrs. George Anderson entertained the guests with several vocal solos and at the conclusion of the meeting there was a social time and tea was served. Mrs. William Beeh and Miss Mabel Wilson poured, assisted by other members of the band. There were about forty women present.

MRS. J. H. COWPERTHWAIT DIES IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Florence B. Cowperthwait, the wife of J. Howard Cowperthwait, of New York, died yesterday in the sixty-eighth year of her age. Mrs. Cowperthwait was an aunt of Allan Cowperthwait, of Mountain avenue, North Plainfield, and frequently visited here, where she had many friends, among whom were the families of Senator Ernest R. Ackerman and Henry L. McGee. She leaves, besides her husband, three sons.

SPECIAL SPEAKERS AT LOCAL CHURCH

The Rev. Lester C. Randolph, of Milton College, occupied the pulpit of the Seventh Day Baptist church this morning. Dr. Randolph is spending a short time in this locality in the interest of Milton (Wis.) College, which is a prominent Seventh Day Baptist institution.

C. A. Beemer addressed the Sabbath School on Bible school work. The annual meeting of the Sabbath school will be held tomorrow night.

ENTERTAINING CAVALRYMAN

Collis Huntington Case, of East Front street, is entertaining over the week-end, his former college chum, Albert Mortimer Bennett, a member of the U. S. Cavalry, just returned from McAlester, Texas, on the Mexican border.

WOMEN'S FEDERATION MEETING

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Federation of Women's Missionary Societies will be held at Trinity Church, Monday, at 3 p. m. Election of officers and discussion of methods of work will be a feature.

OLD ITALIAN MUSIC AT CRESCENT AVE. CHURCH

At the musical service tomorrow afternoon at 4.45 o'clock, selections from works of old Italian masters will be given in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. The scores have been collected from various sources. One, "Adoremus," by Rossalli, was brought from abroad by the organist, Dr. E. Mettler Davis. It is still written in the old clef.

Most of this old music was without accompaniments, but these have been added and changed from time to time, but some of the original simplicity has been preserved. The music is primarily devotional and more churchly than that of the later schools.

The numbers to be given are as follows: "Adoremus Te," 1520; "Ave Maria," by Arcadelt, 1500; "Blessed Jesus," from "Stabat Mater," Bergolese, 1730; "Like as the Hart," Palestrina, 1514-1594; "Prayer," Cherubini, 1760-1842; "O Jesus Come to Me," "Cherubini;" "O Lord, Have Mercy," Scarlatella, 1645; "Glory to God," Pergolesi, 1710-1736.

The organ recital will be also from the old Italian numbers from Scarbelli and Corelli being played.

These musical services are open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

E. C. LUNESCHLOSS CUTS FAMILY OUT OF HIS WILL

What is alleged to be the last will of Edgar C. Luneschloss, former resident of New Providence and late head of the Germania Rooting Company, of New York, is today on file in the surrogate's court, New York. In this will the wife, son, Charles G. Luneschloss and daughter, Ora May Luneschloss, are cut off entirely as beneficiaries of the estate.

It is set forth in the instrument that the wife deserted the testator, that he had sufficiently provided for the son before his death, and that his daughter had abused his confidence. The estate is divided between J. W. J. Brown and Charles W. Schirmer, business associates. The value of the estate is given as $5,300, but the decedent's family claim it is worth $25,000 and will probably contest the will.

INVITATIONS OUT FOR RUSHMORE WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Rushmore, of Stelle avenue, today issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Rushmore, and Horace B. Earle, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Earle, of Watchung avenue. The ceremony will take place Saturday evening, April 14, at 8 o'clock, at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church. Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie will officiate.

A reception will follow at the home of Miss Rushmore's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Sr., 804 Central avenue.

POTATO MATINEE A GREAT SUCCESS

The potato matinee given at Proctor's at 10.30 this morning was a pronounced success. Three barrels of potatoes were realized and presented by the management to the Children's Home.

Several ladies voluntarily helped the management and attaches in chaperoning the little tots.

The capacious theatre house was filled to capacity and a program entirely different from today's regular show was enjoyed by all.

GEORGE MILLER DIED THIS MORNING

George Miller, of Park avenue, died this morning, after a long illness. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, of this city. His father was for several years proprietor of the old Lang Hotel, that stood where the Babcock building now stands, on West Front street. He leaves one sister, Miss Abbie Miller, of this city, and a brother, Wallace Miller, of New York.

DONATIONS DESIRED FOR PLANT GUILD

Any donations for the Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild, of fruit, flowers, fresh eggs, green house tea and any other articles suitable for the sick and "Shut-ins," may be sent to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union rooms, 16 Madison avenue, Monday afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock and Tuesday morning from 9 to 10:30 o'clock.

MEMBERS OF AGRICULTURAL BOARD

John Z. Hetfield, of Scotch Plains, and Joseph Larocque, of Bernardsville have been appointed members of the visiting board of the State Board of Agriculture by Governor Edge.

POLICE COURT

Clarence Lee, charged with disorderly conduct was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 or serve forty days, by Judge DeMeza, in the City Court this morning.

Adam Dunham, colored, charged with the same offense was sentenced to pay a fine of $20.

John Puzia charged with stealing $25 from John Sadogledes, of 10 Jonnanes place, was arraigned for trial and the case was dismissed for lack of evidence.

HORSE BLANKET STOLEN

Louis Epstein, a junk dealer, of 214 Plainfield avenue, left his horse tied in front of a house in Johnston avenue yesterday afternoon and when he came out the horse was untied and the tie strap and blanket were stolen. The police are investigating.

"FARMING IN THE WEST" IN PICTURES AND STORY

"Farming in the West" was the subject of an interesting illustrated lectûre given by J. C. Evans, of this city, at the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, last night. Mr. Evans exhibited about fifty slides comparing the past and present methods of farming in the West. He pictured Kansas, his native State, where farming is conducted on a gigantic scale, and showed the modern methods employed.

Mr. Evans referred to prohibition conditions in Kansas, stating that in twenty-eight counties of the State there is not a single person in the poor house. This would not have been possible during former days when liquor was sold throughout the State.

Many interesting facts were given regarding the raising of alfalfa, which today is in greater demand than hay. Mr. Evans said that it is possible to raise several crops of alfalfa a year netting large incomes for the farmers of the State.

During the evening an orchestra comprising Miss Harriet Higgins, Robert Dewey, Gordon Moy and Carl Evans entertained the gathering with an attractive program of music.

FASHION SHOW AT THE Y. W. C. A.

The Young Women's Christian Association will act as hostess for a thoroughly interesting and beautiful Fashion Show to take place in the association building, East Front street, next Thursday evening, March 29th. There will be no admission fee, and the public is cordially invited to come between the hours of seven and ten to view the lovely clothes of all descriptions which will be shown.

The affair is under the chaperonage of the dressmaking classes of the Y. W. C. A. but the merchants of Plainfield are responsible for the exhibits ,which will include gowns, suits, hats, evening clothes, neckwear, sweaters, shoes and the newest dress goods and silks for spring.

LOCAL WOMAN ADOPTS SISTER'S SON

Juandell Gibson, a sandy-haired tot of four, was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Martin, of this city, in Orphans Court at Elizabeth, yesterday, upon the mother of the child giving her consent. The name of the boy was changed to Juandell Harvard Martin and that of the same time. Judge J. Henry Crane, of this city, appeared for the petitioners.

Mrs. Gibson testified that her husband went away two and a half years ago, and that the last word she had concerning him was from his brother, Sidney has been taken by Governor Edge signing the bill authorizing him to appoint the State engineer. General Goethals has held two conferences with Governor Edge and it is understood will accept the appointment although he has not said so as yet. If he accepts his salary will be fixed by the State House Commission and he will have charge of the $15,000,000 State highway system, the harbor development, the Elizabeth and Delaware River tunnel projects and other big State engineering propositions.

FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR MRS. M'KEAHY

A farewell reception was tendered last evening to Mrs. Sophie M. McKeahy, who will leave shortly for Worcester, at the home of Mrs. J. B. Lawrence, of Lyman place. Music and games were enjoyed throughout the course of the evening, at the conclusion of which refreshments were served. Mrs. McKeahy was the recipient of a number of gifts before the close of the service. Among those present were a number of the employes of the S. S. Adams Novelty Company, and Miss Charles Rowland and Mrs. J. B. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Orden, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Courtney and Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence.

MISS QUEENA TILLOTSON TO SING HERE AGAIN

Plainfield is to have the privilege of hearing Miss Queena Tillotson, the lyric coloratura soprano, who gave a recital here in the early fall. So many have expressed the desire to hear her again that she has consented to give another recital in the Plainfield High School, April 17, under the auspices of the Cap Bearers' Circle of The King's Daughters.

Miss Tillotson is studying with Mme. Sembrich, who considers her voice of such great promise that she expects to bring out the young artist in grand opera in Italy after the war.

WIL TEACH IN EAST ORANGE

Hober M. Cubberley, lately of this city, but now of New York, who has been teacher of manual training at Elizabeth, has taken a position in the public schools at East Orange and will assume his new duties on April 1.

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RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

W. C. T. U., Babcock Building, Madison avenue—Mr. Hoyd, of Somerset, will speak.

Ebenezer Baptist Church, East Third street, Rev. L. L. Croom, pastor—11 a. m., preaching; 2 p. m., Sunday school, 3.30 p. m.

Rescue Mission, Babcock Building, Madison avenue, John La Matty, superintendent—J. D. Loizeaux, will address the service at 8 p. m. A trio of women will sing, as will the Mission choir.

First Presbyterian Church, East Front, head of Church street, Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor—Morning subject, "The Great Motives of Living;" evening subject, "The Emancipation of Russia."

Shiloh Baptist Church, West Fourth, near Liberty street, Rev. E. W. Roberts, pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m.; subject, "Duty After Conversion," and at 8 p. m., on the subject, "Bowing Good Seed."

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Park avenue and East Ninth street, Rev. Birney A. Hudson, pastor—Attractive and strong services arranged for tomorrow in keeping with the special services and the season.

All Souls' Unitarian Church, Park avenue, near West Eighth street, Rev. John Baltzly minister. Morning service at 10.45 o'clock, subject, "Other Worldliness." Annual collection for the Service Pension Society. Sunday school at 9.30 a. m.

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues, Rev. Edward S. Ralston, pastor—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and at 7:45 p. m., subjects, morning, "The Sword or the Devil;" evening, "The Tenth Commandment."

Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, near West Fourth street, Rev. C. M. Mallory, rector—The usual services will be held tomorrow with the exception of the evening service, which is to be omitted in order that the members may attend service at Grace church, where Bishop Woodcock will preach.

Bethel Chapel, East Fifth and Washington streets, Rev. William Lloyd Imes, pastor—Morning preaching at 11 o'clock, on "Not Peace, but a Sword;" 3 p. m., annual sermon to the colored Knights of Pythias; 3:30 p. m., Sunday school; 8 p. m., annual sermon to the Men's Club; 8:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor Society meets.

Grace Church, East Seventh street, one block from Park avenue, Sunday services: 7.30 a. m., Holy Communion; 10.30 Morning prayer and sermon (first Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon); 3 p. m., Sunday school; 4.30 p. m., evensong; 8 p. m., preaching services. Daily, 5 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 10 a. m.

Christian and Missionary Alliance, Craig place and Duer street, Rev. F. Y. Lininger, pastor—Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, preaching, the first of a series of special sermons on "The Dangers of the Age." Bible study in the Book of Revelations on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Brief message to Christians and special prayer on Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Mt. Zion A. M. E. Church, West Fourth street, near Plainfield avenue, Rev. J. W. F. Collier, pastor—"The Raising of Jairus' Daughter" will be the subject of the morning sermon at 11 o'clock. In the evening at 8 o'clock, sermon on "Misdirected Energies." Bible class for men at 12.15. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Allen C. E. League meets at 6.45. All are welcome.

Temple Baptist Church, East Third, near Richmond street, Rev. Everis C. Conover, pastor—"Boys' Day" will be observed tomorrow morning, when Sunday school and church service will be merged, and the pastor will address the younger boys on the subject, "The Sailor and His Anchor." In the evening at 7.45, a special sermon for men and boys; subject, "Purpose."

Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church, corner Fairview and Watchung Avenue, Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey, pastor. In the morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. F. B. Shummon, a native of Persia, will speak on "Pots and Pans," and in the evening the pastor will preach at 7.45 on "God's Fining Pot." Sunday school and Berean Bible class at 9.45 a. m. Wednesday evening, March 28, preparatory service at 8 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Babcock building, 240 West Front street—services, Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; Wednesday evening meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healing, at 8 o'clock; Sunday school for pupils under the age of twenty, Sunday morning at 10.45, reading room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays; subject of lesson sermon, "Matter." Golden Text: Deuteronomy 11:16, "Take heed of yourselves, that your heart be not deceived, and ye turn aside, and serve other gods and worship them."

Sunday school, 9.45 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Meeting, with testimonies of healing. The reading room is open each week day, from 2 to 5 p. m., and all are welcome.

Hope Chapel, West Fourth, head of John street, Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor. Preaching at 10.45, on "Faith in Action," and at 7.45 p. m. on "Wreck and Rescue." Both services will be evangelistical in nature, with the Biederwolf Hymn Books in use at the evening service. Junior congregation for those between the ages of eleven and sixteen, meets at 10 a. m. Special song service will begin at 2.30 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society at 7 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield, Rev. Harold St. G. Burrill, rector—7.30 a. m., Holy Communion; 9.30, Sunday school and Bible classes; 11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon, Archdeacon Shepherd, of Trenton, preaching; 7.45 p. m., evening prayer and short address. Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, Women's Auxiliary meets. Thursday afternoon at 2.30, thimble party at the parish house, to which all friends are invited. Wednesday, at 7.46 p. m., Rev. H. V. B. Darlington, of Newark, will be the preacher.

Trinity Reformed Church, West Second street, near Park avenue, Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., subject, "The Program in the Upper Room." At this service the choir will render the Lenten cantata, "The Story of Calvary," by Schlecker; Bible school and St. Paul's Brotherhood at 2.30 p. m. Miss Edna Earle Cole, State Superintendent of Elementary Work, will address the school. Christian Endeavor Society at 6.45 o'clock. At the evening service at 7.45 the pastor preaches on the subject, "Be Prayerwell Conversation and Prayer." This church extends a most cordial welcome to all.

MUST CONSERVE AMERICAN INDUSTRIES

Under the auspices of the Merchants' Association, Board of Trade and Chamber of Commerce, a mass meeting will be held in Columbus auditorium April 10, and an address will be made on the subject "Conserving American Industries After the War."

The industries of this country are now running at top-notch speed, and steps must be taken to maintain the ground which American manufacturers have gained during the past two years. The speaker at the meeting will be furnished by the Manufacturers' Association, and what he has to say deals with the readjustments that are bound to come when the war ends. The subject is one of vital interest to every one, and it is desired that as many as possible attend the meeting and hear the presentation of facts bearing upon the subject.

PLAINFIELD PRISONER REFUSED TO DRESS

Sheriff Otto and the jail authorities at Elizabeth faced a hard job Thursday when Sarah Scott, of this city, refused to dress for a trip to the Women's Home at Clinton, where Judge Connolly sentenced her because of her pleas of non visit to a serious charge in the Court of Special Sessions, last Friday. Four hours of storming, pleading, arguing, threatening, assuring were required before she would put on her clothes.

Mrs. Scott insisted, that she be permitted to see her youngest boy before she leave for the jail. Several hours of hunting by Constable Thomas J. Carey showed that the boy was at work on a farm in the southern part of the State. Assured that her boy would be brought to her at the home, Mrs. Scott finally slipped on her clothes and made the trip.

$1,000,000 FOR THE NEW SHIP CANAL

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 24.—The House passed the bill introduced by Senator Florance, of Middlesex county, appropriating to the Board of Commerce and Navigation, the sum of $1,000,000, for the construction of a ship canal from Morgan to Bordentown. The bill now goes to the Governor for approval.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS

At the Columbia

Lew Kelly and most of the members of the original cast will return to the Columbia theatre the week commencing Monday afternoon, March 26, in "Hello, New York," the two-act burlesque, written by Junie McCree, that occupied the stage of Lew's theatre which has been remodeled. Lon Hascall and James Tenbrooke will repeat their amusing performances, and Nettie Nelson will again be seen in the leading female role. The O'Brien brothers will offer their sensational acrobatic specialty and Earl and Marie Gates will offer their lively singing and dancing turn.

Others in the cast are Colle Lorella, Kitty Garner and Thomas Bell. The lavish scenic and costume equipment that since this producer's eminence above any other that has been seen in the burlesque stage has been refashioned in every detail.

At the Strand

The widely-heralded motion picture debut of George M. Cohan takes place at the Strand Theatre, "Broadway Jones," his greatest stage success, affords him his initial screen vehicle in which he is supported by an excellent cast including Marguerite Snow, Russell Bassett, Crawford Kent and Ida Darling. As a distributor of mirth and general good cheer, it is safe to say that Mr. Cohan has no equal on the stage today. He is quite the most dominant, popular and conspicuous figure we have had in the amusement field for a decade. Victor Moore, who some years ago appeared in one of Mr. Cohan's plays, is also on the Strand bill as the star of a new comedy entitled "Rough and Ready Uncle." A new chapter of Raymond L. Ditmar's "Living Book of Nature" and the Strand Topical Review will also be shown.

A musical program of exceptional strength is announced. L. Del Orio de Zarate, a Spanish tenor, who is said to be the possessor of a most beautiful voice, will make his American debut. The number selected for the occasion is "Celeste Aida" from Verdi's "Aida." Grace Hoffman, the talented Columbia soprano, will sing Strauss' "Voce Di Primavera." Other soloists to be heard are Arthur Depew and Ralph Brigham.

NEWARK AMUSEMENT

Chauncey Olcott to Return in "Paddy Whack"

Chauncey Olcott, a star whose popularity is so established that neither years or rival competitors seem to have the slightest effect on it, will be the attraction at the Broad Street Theatre, Newark, for one week commencing next Monday night.

Mr. Olcott will bring back the play he presented two years ago, "The Heart of Paddy Whack," a delightful romance by Rachel Crothers, the scenes of which are laid in Ireland about the year 1820.

In "The Heart of Paddy Whack" Mr. Olcott plays the role of a well-to-do Irish gentleman in a rural town, a bachelor known as "Paddy Whack," because his small ward has given him this cheerful title. But the ward has been away to college and has grown into a winsome and saucy young maid who upsets her guardian's heart and puts strange notions of love into his head, whereupon Dennis O'Malley, the guardian, straightway sets about arranging a marriage for his charge and plans to put duty before self-interest and marry her to another man. But pretty "Mona" and fate take a hand, and out of this comes a romance full of sentiment, and brimming over with humor.

Mr. Olcott's songs, as may be expected, will be one of the important features of the performance, and among the numbers he will introduce are: "A Little Bit of Heaven," "Irish Eyes of Love," "The Broth of a Boy," and "Who Knows."

PERFECTING PARTS FOR COMIC OPERA

"The Land of Mystery," the new opera, which is to be given by the Elks under the direction of the composer, Robert P. Skilling, is already assuming definite form. In spite of its vast proportions, with a cast of 400 people, the music, both for individuals and for ensemble, is thoroughly perfected, and the stage parts in the hands of various local people, are also learned. The remaining time will be devoted to the stage action of the opera, with its comedy and picturesque evolutions and startling mechanical effects.

The scene of "The Land of Mystery" is in India, and special scenery has been built and painted for it. The whole production will be costumed in all the gorgeousness of that mystical land. Many think the music of the new opera superior to that of "The Mystic Rose," which made such an impression last year, and the composer inclines to this view also.

The principals rehearsed last evening, and are called again for Monday night at 8 o'clock, and the entire company will rehearse the stage action with the singing on Tuesday night.

An interesting part of the first act of the opera is "The Dance of the Nautchee," ten girls in highly plutyesque costumes who dance according to the Hindu fashion, under the direction of the priest of the Temple of Madura. Those assigned to this are: The Misses Irma Wahdorf, Elizabeth Hilipot, Miss Nellson, Zaira Brancati, Ethel Runyon, Lillian Ball, Ethel Hillpot, Edith Mantz, Ethel Mantz, Gertrude Bowlby. The Nautch girls are to be photographed today at 4 p. m., and these pictures with many others will soon be exhibited.

Another special set, entwined into the plot of the opera, is called "The Chums." These are also young women delightfully costumed. They sing a catchy number entitled "Won't You Let Me Be Your Chum?" The chums are: Miss Anna Wiedenhaupt, Miss Gertrude Bowlby, Miss Hazel Watson, Mrs. C. G. Hunt, Miss Ethel Runyon, Miss Ruth O'Connell, Miss Ida Dealaman, Mrs. Bellis, Miss Lula Bell, Sara Watson, Miss Catherine Harding, Miss Edith Mantz, Mrs. Humpston, Mrs. Leland, Miss Edna Mantz, Miss Stella Force.

One of the catchiest musical numbers in the opera is "Everybody Loves Somebody Sometime," and this is sung by Charles Cregar and Miss Sadie Lee, and "The Sight-seers," a special company of young people, assigned to this as follows: Miss Edith Mantz, Miss Ethel Runyon, Miss Anna Wiedenhaupt, Miss Hazel Watson, Miss Irma Waldorf, Mrs. Bellis, Miss Zaira Brancati, Miss Lillian Ball, John Causbrook Herman Clug, Thomas Moore, Porter Gore, Jack Patterson, Fred Van Norden, P. H. Slawson, W. Schneyer.

Over 200 little girls are rehearsing afternoons in groups for "The Ballet of the Fairies," a gorgeous and charming spectacle.

"STORY OF CALVARY" AT THE MORNING SERVICE

Schnecker's famous sacred cantata, "The Story of Calvary," is to be given at the morning service of Trinity Reformed church tomorrow, when the musical portion of the service will be as follows:

Organ prelude, "Gethsemane," Batiste; cantata, "The Story of Calvary," Schnecker; chorus, "Sing, My Tongue, the Saviour's Glory;" bass solo, "When the Morning Was Come;" chorus (the multitude), "We found this man perverting the nation;" solo and duet, "Thou Barest It;" chorus (the multitude), "If thou leitest this man go;" organ, "The March to Calvary;" trio, "O Jesus, bitter tears we shed;" quartet, "O Sacred Heart;" bass solo, "At About the Ninth Hour;" chorus, "'Tis Finished;" finale, "Hail! Holy Cross;" offertory, contralto solo, "He Was Despised," from the Oratorio of "The Messiah," Handel; organ postlude, "March Funebre."

The evening music will be as follows:

Organ prelude, "Andante Religioso," Tafe; anthem, "Tarry With Me," Marks; offertory, "Still, Still With Thee," Speaks; organ postlude, "Allegro Maestoso," Jeffries.

The choir of this church consists of Miss Sara Etta Raybert, soprano; Mrs. Charles Kendall Mason, contralto; Edmund Dorn Young, tenor; Roy Edward Titsworth, bass.

DR. E. LYMAN FISK TO SPEAK IN HIGH SCHOOL

Dr. E. Lyman Fisk, of the Life Extension Institute, New York, will speak on matters connected with diet experiments and modes of saving money in living expenses, in the High school, on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association.

BARNUM & BAILEY'S CIRCUS TO VISIT HERE MAY 12

Barnum & Bailey's circus which opens the season at the Madison Square Garden, New York, next week, will visit Plainfield on Saturday May 12, and preliminary arrangements are now under way for the exhibition here.

GUARDING AERO PLANT

Special guards have been placed about the Standard Aero factory in this city to guard against obnoxious visitors. The concern is completing a contract of furnishing aeroplanes for the Government

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Committee is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 8 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chamber, No. 515 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the improvement by the construction of certain streets and portions of streets in the City of Plainfield with streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for the same to be provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council on March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will at the same time and place aforesaid publicly announce the contractor or contractors present or represented by agents, provided said parties or agents have been duly authorized in writing by the owners of the property to act in the premises, and the make proper report of the prices and terms upon the same to the Common Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of materials required, and the work to be done, is as follows: 4,500 cubic yards excavation, 11,200 lin. ft. plain concrete curb, 18,320 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel reinforcement, 2,000 lin. ft. vitrified brick pavement on concrete foundation, 4,000 sq. yds. vitrified brick pavement, 2,750 lin. ft. brick expansion joints, 11,300 lin. ft. cement expansion joints, 31,630 sq. yds. reinforced fabric, 1,000 lin. ft. 15-inch surface drainage inlets, 1 inlet, 15 inch, 1 inlet, 12 inch connections, 470 lin. ft. concrete encased pipe.

Duplicate plans may be examined and forms of proposal, information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 134 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Chamber, No. 340 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the hour of 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 119 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper report of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

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IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

To: MERLE I. ST. JOHN and MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, his wife:

By virtue of an Order of the Court of Chancery made on the day of the date hereof, in a cause wherein Elmer A. Gildea is complainant and you are the defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint on file in the office of the day of May next, or said Bill will be taken as confessed by you, and the said Bill is filed to foreclose two mortgages, one dated March 1, 1913, made by Lindsey single, to said Elmer A. Gildea, one of said mortgages being dated July 12, 1912, and the other being dated January 17, 1914, for the sum of $1,000, respectively, in said lands in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, and you, MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the owner of said property, and you, MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the wife of the said MERLE I. ST. JOHN, and by virtue thereof claim to have some lien upon or interest in the said mortgaged premises.

Dated, March 7th, 1917.

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NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS

Somerset County Surrogate's Court

Estate of Robert Clark, Jr., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that on the twenty-sixth day of January, A. D. 1917, on the application of the undersigned, as administrator c. t. a. of the estate of Robert Rowland Clark, Jr., deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate of said County, requiring creditors of the said Robert Clark, Jr., deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said deceased, on their oath or affirmation and present the same to the subscriber within six months from the date of said order, and in default thereof any creditor or debtor shall be forever barred of his or her action thereof against the subscribers.

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EDWARD G. CLARK,
ALBERT C. CLARK,
Administrators with the will annexed.

1—27; 2—8-15-17-24; 3—3-10-17-24

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of Benjamin Hoops, deceased, will be audited and settled by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of April next.

Dated, March 16th, 1917.

ARTHUR H. MURPHY.

3—17-24-31 Fees, $4.00

EXECUTORS' SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of George Edward Stillman, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of April next.

Dated, March 23rd, 1917.

WILLIAM M. STILLMAN,
ROBERT A. MERCER,
Executors.

3—24-31-6-w Fees, $4.00

—Put an ad in the cent-a-word column and watch results. They are little emblems of success.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. BARBARA WOLF

The funeral of Mrs. Barbara Wolf, the wife of John Wolf, who died on Thursday, was held this afternoon at the funeral chapel of Cole & High, on West Second street. There was a large attendance of friends and the flowers were beautiful. The service was conducted by the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, and the interment was made in the family plot in the Scotch Plains cemetery.

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DIED

GARRETSON—On Friday, March 23, 1917 Peter Wortman Garretson, aged 78 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1029 Sherman avenue, on Sunday, March 25, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private at Hopewell, N. J.

HOYT—Suddenly, on Friday, March 23, 1917, William E. Hoyt.

Service at his late residence, 120 Crescent avenue, on Sunday, March 25, at 4 p. m. Interment at Erie, Pa.

ACKER—At Dunellen, N. J., March 23d, 1917, Paulina Acker, in her 24th year.

Funeral will be held from the funeral parlors, 223 West Front street, Dunellen, on Tuesday, March 27th, at 8:30 a. m. Services private.

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JURY DISAGREES IN RAE TANZER CASE

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 25.—The jury which has been trying Rae Tanzer for perjury in connection with her charges against James W. Osborne has disagreed and was finally discharged by Judge Van Fleet in the United States District Court today.

Judge Van Fleet discharged the jury after it had been out 67 hours, but in doing so he remarked that he took that action very reluctantly, as he did not think the jury had done its duty.

The division of the jury was said to be 8 to 4.

BOY GETS $3,000 DAMAGES

Jersey City, March 24.—The suit of 14-year-old Stephen Mcinerney, of *93 Bay View avenue, this city,* to recover $25,000 from the Sperry & Hutchinson Co., of 156 Newark avenue, for injuries sustained in August, when he fell down an elevator shaft while in the employ of the company, has been settled.

The boy received $3,000. Judge William H. Speer in the Supreme Court directing the jury to find for that amount. The injuries sustained by the boy will partially disable him for life.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Miss Alice Cheshire, of North avenue, entertained a number of friends at her home Thursday evening, music and games being enjoyed throughout the evening at the conclusion of which refreshments *were served. Among those present* were Mrs. Lewis, Miss Ethel Lewis, Miss Evans, Mrs. William Schwartz, Lewis Hodgson and DeWitt Hodgson.

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Spring Preparedness

should begin now. The automobile driving season is about to open. We just ran across an account of an accident where the owner of a New Car started out for the first time. He struck 3 respected citizens, 1 telegraph pole, 1 plate-glass window and 1 representative of the law. This certainly should interest people in automobile insurance. We write all kinds at lowest rates.

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HUMAN SIDE OF TRENCH WAR

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as an example of preparedness, but I can only offer it as a warning. Every right-minded country can muster men enough at the first call to arms, but preparedness for using them as soldiers is quite another thing. In the first hundred thousand were men of all crafts, professions and grades, some of whom know more about how to do certain work than the officers who sent them to do it, but they were anything and everything except soldiers. When the soldiers were massed in France there was a confusion of language second only to that of the Tower of Babel."

There are two million British soldiers in France today, for whom all provisions of every kind must be shipped from England since with two armies in close contact they cannot live off the country, as in the old-time warfare. It takes quite an army to look after the supply and transportation of provisions.

The cooking is done in the trenches, except in some instances where it can be done a little distance back. Most of the provisions are canned goods.

The trenches are from 150 yards to 800 yards apart, between the opposing armies, but in some cases the two opposing forces are separated only by a parapet of sand piled over which they roll down bombs upon each other. A regiment holds about four hundred yards of trench, and sandbags are used to build the parapets. Two thousand of those bags are required each night, to replace the damage done by bombardment, and the bags cost about fifteen cents each. Some one asked how long the war was likely to last, and the reply was, "Until all France and Belgium had been dug up and put in sandbags."

The line of trenches extends from the North Sea to Switzerland, as far as from Philadelphia to Boston. The bombardment starts with the first hour of dawn as soon as it is possible to direct the aim upon the enemy, and continues sometimes for twenty-four hours. The trenches are in constant need of repair, as a result of the heavy shells thrown from points far back of the first line.

The English regard the war as a great game, and they face the problem philosophically, even in a spirit of sportsmanship, in which they fully realize the dangers, yet go forth to meet them like making raids on the Prussian trenches, well knowing they are not likely to come back. The Canadians have done some remarkable darting and successful trench-raiding, and considering his particular part of the work systematized, the object being to bring back a certain number of prisoners, as well as destroying what they can of the trench. One amusing thing about the English soldiers is that they grumble not at the bombardment of twenty fours' duration, but over their disappointment if they are served with plum jam for dessert when they expected strawberry jam.

The trenches are so near together in places that the opposing regiments can hear each other talking, and the Prussians have been very much upset when the English sing:

"We beat you at the Marne;
we beat you at the Aisne;
"At Neu-Chappelle we gave you hell,
and here we are again."

The Prussians seem to regard this levity as undignified, and a breach of war etiquette as compared with their serious view of it.

On one occasion five men were seen hurrying from a Prussian trench across "No Man's Land," as the intervening space is called, toward the English trench, and three were killed by Prussian fire. Two reached safely, and the English found that they were Russians, taken prisoners by the Prussians, and brought over *to be put in the front of the trench* warfare, in violation of international law, which forbids using prisoners to fight against their own allies.

In a dark wet night, a soldier was called off his post and told that he has a furlough to go back to England, and he plods to some little railway station, where the Y. M. C. A. has a headquarters, and is given his transportation to visit the home he has not seen for months, since the war began. The Y. M. C. A. and Boy Scouts have done splendid work in the human side of the war.

The dead in the trenches are sewed up in their water-proof blankets, and buried in a cemetery back of the line, the graves marked for identification, so that the bodies can be taken to the home country after the war is over.

Amid the horrors of trench warfare there are periods for sleep, although no one knows when a surprise may come in a raid. To give warning of this, patrols from both sides are put out to pace "No Man's Land" *and these patrols pass and repass* silently, within speaking distance.

After the address Captain Beith gave opportunity for any one to ask questions. To one of the questions he replied that since the naval battle off Jutland, months ago, the German soldiers have been told that Germany now controls the seas.

The conclusion of the program was singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" *by a cousin of* Mrs. Laurens H. Van Buren, Miss Marie Boisel, in a sweet clear voice, as she stood draped with the American flag, and with an escort of six young men in soldier uniform.

No greater or more hearty reception could have been accorded a speaker than Captain Beith received, in which also Mrs. Cowperthwaite shared on introducing him.

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Complete assortment also hand embroidered chemises, $1.25 to $5.75; corset covers, $1.25 to $3.85; long skirts, $3 to $7.50; combinations, $3 to $10.

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The New Silhouette in Suits at $29.50 to $42.50

Monday we shall begin the divulging of Spring suit models at inexpensive prices, created especially for the Wanamaker Salons of Fashion.

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Another suit of eight pieces has borrowed from the Windsor chair style. The full size bed has arched spindle head and foot board. All pieces have arched tops. Finish is ivory, antiqued. $249.50.

These are suits in cream, white, green, and other delicate finishes.

Sixth Gallery, New Building.

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Third Gallery, New Building.

Creations de Paris

Salon Francais, in introducing all the successful models of more than thirty-five Paris modistes, invites especial attention to the Russian influence in millinery, illustrated in a small hat by Suzanne Talbot.

This hat with a double-flaring brim in the front trimmed with a simple bow is typical of the most attractive Russian fashions. It is well adapted for both severe and semi-dress wear.

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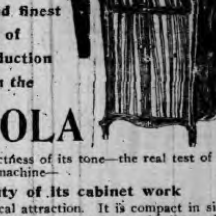

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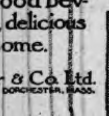

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WAR DECISION UP TO CONGRESS

President and Cabinet to Wait For Legislators.

RUSH PREPAREDNESS WORK.

Report of Sinking of American Tanker Healdton and Deaths of Twenty-one of Crew Aggravates Case Against Germany, but Cabinet Defers Action Until Extra Session Assembles.

Washington, March 24.—President Wilson and his cabinet have decided to wait for congress before making any definite move against Germany unless further submarine aggressions absolutely force the United States to act. Preparedness was made the chief duty of every department of the government after the president and his advisers reviewed the tangled international situation and looked over the preparations already ordered.

It was decided to make every endeavor to mobilize all of the resources —men, money and industry—behind the president and to back these resources ready for instant use when congress convenes.

Meantime the attitude of the administration will wait upon developments in the submarine zone, where ship after ship of the American merchant marine has gone down unwarned. Unless Germany's U-boat activities force this country into active warfare no move will be made until the direct representatives of the American people, in congress assembled after April 2, decide on the course which the nation must take.

Congress Leaders Arrive.

Congressional leaders, with Speaker Champ Clark of the house at their head, are arriving in Washington for the most momentous session in more than half a century and prepared to go to any lengths to back up the president in his fight for American rights at sea.

The administration has received the official detailed report of the deaths of twenty-one men of the tanker Healdton, sunk without warning almost within sight of the neutral shores of Holland by a submarine that made no effort to aid the crew to escape death.

Officially the only effect of the Healdton report was to accentuate the wholesale drive for complete preparedness which the administration has begun.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels laid before the cabinet meeting his report of what has been accomplished and what has been planned to make the nation's first line of defense ready for the impending struggle. It was brief and to the point, and it placed squarely before the president and his advisers the need for speed in naval construction and in the enlistment of men to man the nation's warships. Secretary Daniels left the White House with all of the authority that the executive branch of the government can give him to hasten naval preparedness. When congress convenes a week from next Monday it will find the navy ready to move at a moment's notice.

Secretary of War Baker likewise submitted his plans for army activity, and the cabinet went over in detail the need for men to guard the cities of the Atlantic coast and of the whole country not only from attacks from without, but from conspiracies which might endanger the vital points of the nation's life.

Austrian Situation Tense.

Other members of the cabinet, particularly Secretary of Commerce Redfield and Secretary of Labor Wilson, went over the matters in their departments which will aid in mobilizing the whole power of the nation for instant use. All of the president's advisers will begin work at once on estimates of needed appropriations and necessary legislative enactments, which will be asked for when the extraordinary session of congress convenes.

The cabinet went over the Austrian situation in detail, but no announcement was forthcoming as to what action was contemplated. There is a general feeling that Ambassador Penfield, at Vienna, and his staff were prepared to leave the dual monarchy at a moment's notice.

The situation of the thousand or more American refugees held up at Beirut, in Asia Minor, also agitated the administration, and it was stated that a peremptory demand for the relief of these refugees would be forwarded to Turkey. The state department has exerted every effort to relieve these refugees, and the Turkish government has so far failed to secure safe conduct through the Mediterranean barred zone for the cruiser Des Moines and the collier Caesar, loaded with supplies and ready to remove the refugees.

The navy department in a big drive to bring enlistments up to full strength and to fill the immediate need for men has dispatched orders to all recruiting stations to accept men for the marine corps as well as the reserve corps for a term limited to the "present emergency."

Men so recruited will be taken into service with the understanding that they will receive furloughs when the emergency ends and not be compelled to serve out the usual four years. To rush enlistments and broaden the campaign for new men an additional force of a hundred officers and a thousand men may be detailed for recruiting purposes.

The total enlisted strength of the navy is 61,000, it was shown by department reports. Figuring in those whose term of enlistment will expire in the near future, the navy now needs 26,456 men to bring the number up to the maximum allowed by the present law.

When the present limit is reached the president will be asked to extend it to furnish plenty of additional men for every vessel and for duty on shore. When the special session convenes legislation is expected to be pressed making it easier for enlisted men to secure commissions. The navy department needs 995 officers for immediate duty.

Added precautions to protect Atlantic and Pacific coast fortifications against spies were taken by officials. Commanders of all fortifications have been given notice that all unofficial aircraft shall keep away from such reservations. Guards about all fortifications have been enlarged to uphold regulations prohibiting all persons not attached to the military service from visiting fortifications, taking pictures or making observations either inside or outside such military posts.

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Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Mass., says: "I suffered from kidney ailments for two years, commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills ten months ago, and though I am 69 years of age, I feel like a 16-year-old girl."

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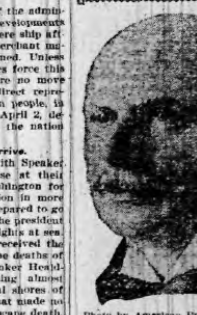

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Lord Devonport has announced in the house of lords that although voluntary rationing had brought about excellent results much more in this direction was required, otherwise it might be necessary to resort to compulsory rationing. He was very desirous of avoiding this, owing to the tremendous machinery needed. This machinery, however, was ready, he declared. The controller said he intended to introduce a strong measure to prevent the hoarding of food.

PLOTTER DROPS CODE.

Pursued by Factory Guard in New Britain, Conn.

Waterbury, Conn., March 24.—What is believed to be an index to a map showing the factory sections of New Britain was dropped by a man as he leaped the fence in the rear of the Traut & Hine plant in New Britain, after he had been detected by a guard as he was skulking through the factory yard.

The paper bears the names of all the large factories, divided into sections, and contains letters and figures which indicate some form of code. The man who escaped is believed to be connected with some plot against the manufacturing plants.

POSED AS WOMAN SIX YEARS

"Rose Tribault," Arrested For Larceny, Is Arthur Lagasse.

Fall River, Mass., March 24.—The arrest of "Rose Thibault," a servant, on a charge of larceny disclosed that the prisoner was in reality Arthur Lagasse, who said he had posed as a woman for six years.

During that time he had been employed as a servant in a number of homes in this city. Lagasse is twenty-nine years old.

War Not to Stop Sunday.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 24.—Billy Sunday denies that he has any idea of abandoning the New York city campaign if war comes. He branded such reports as "frame-ups."

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So all old people need Cascarets. One night as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect this gentle aid to weak bowels. The bowels must be kept active. This is important at all ages, but never so much as at fifty.

Age is not a time for harsh physics. Youth may occasionally whip the bowels into activity. But a lash can't be used every day. What the bowels of the old need is a gentle and natural tonic. One that can be constantly used without harm. The only such tonic is Cascarets, and they cost only 10 cents per box at any drug store. They work while you sleep.—Adv.

FRENCH ADVANCE IN OPEN BATTLE

Nivelle's Troops Gain at Opening of Huge Fight.

London, March 24.—What looks like a general engagement in the open is beginning about St. Quentin and La Fere, where the German retreat in France has ceased. French troops are on the offensive, attacking the German positions, while the British are also facing strong resistance, but are steadily coming up.

Fighting every inch of the way, the French made much progress and are now almost in the outskirts of the two cities. The French war office announced that the Germans have all vertical the waters of the Oise into La Fere and that the city is flooded. This indicates strongly that the Germans intend to retire to the high ground some five miles beyond La Fere.

Though the French pushed ahead all along their part of the front, their most notable progress was made in a brilliant attack on a wide front within only a few miles of St. Quentin. Here they pushed back the Germans though the latter resisted stubbornly from mere than a mile to more than two miles deep.

There was hard fighting in this region along the eastern bank of the Somme-Crozat canal. The French had crossed the canal on either side of St. Simon, not quite midway between St. Quentin and La Fere. A German report says they were repulsed, with the loss of 230 prisoners, machine guns and craft. But the French rallied and drove the Germans far from their original positions.

French troops about La Fere have also gone ahead, gaining the heights north of the Oise, which overlook the valley and the city of 6,000 people. They are now within easy gun range of the forts of Vendoni and Leze. It is from this region that the Germans evidently intend withdrawing to the Mediterranean line on higher ground.

The Germans are counter attacking the British in most of their front of advance, but the attacks were driven off. The British are still some fifteen miles from Cambrai, though they made progress near Ecoust and Croisilles, where they are nearest to Cambrai.

WANTS ROAD WORK AID.

Warren County Urges Continuance on Oxford-Washington Highway.

Belvidere, March 24.—Data on the Oxford-Washington road, long in litigation, which ended with the recent dismissal of writs of certiorari by the supreme court, is being prepared by County Counsel Egbert Rosencrans and County Collector H. O. Carhart for submission to the state road department. At a special meeting of the Warren county board of freeholders counsel and collector were instructed to confer with the state authorities.

The contract for the four mile strip of road called for its completion last November, and the freeholders held to the view that the bonding company could be held liable for any default of the contractors. The board now finds itself confronted by the need of devising a way to retain the state aid. Mr. Rosencrans and Mr. Carhart are to report Wednesday.

Gives $5,000 to Club.

New Brunswick, March 24.—James W. Johnson contributed $5,000 to the Community club toward the $100,000 it is trying to raise for a clubhouse, which will be doubtless called the Y. W. C. A. He gave a similar amount to the new Y. M. C. A. last year. The Community club, of which Miss Sarah Whitlock is president, was formed by those who attended the business women's suppers and meetings at the Anderson evangelistic campaign here last month.

Georgia Moves to Bar Liquor.

Atlanta, Ga., March 24.—A bill to prohibit liquor importations into Georgia except for medicinal and sacramental purposes was passed by the state senate, 34 to 6. It now goes to the house.

INSURE BUILDINGS AGAINST SHELLS

$10,000,000 Placed With Lloyd's by U. S. Owners.

New York, March 24.—About $10,000,000 worth of "bombardment insurance" on buildings in seaboard cities has been placed with Lloyd's of London in the last two weeks. So far as could be learned, no skyscrapers are included, but the owners of some are thinking of protecting themselves against war risks.

Under the New York insurance law no companies or brokers of this state may insure a building against bombardment, the reason being that this sort of risk was not contemplated when the law was framed. That New York companies may get their share of this business the present legislature is likely to amend the law, it was said at the insurance department offices.

A rumor that bombardment insurance had been taken out for the City Investment building of 165 Broadway was contradicted by a representative of the owners.

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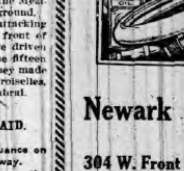

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Separate Skirts	1.25 to 8.50

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Hand-made Dresses (to 5 years)	$1.35 to 85.00
Hand-made Skirts (to 4 years)	1.10 to 16.50
Hand-embroidered Coats (to 2½ years)	4.75 to 58.00
Washable Colored Frocks (to 5 years)	1.10 to 12.50
Hand-embroidered Wrappers	2.25 to 48.00
Serge and Velour Coats (to 5 years)	5.75 to 25.00
Silk Coats (to 5 years)	13.50 to 55.00
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Little Boys' Hats	3.75 to 14.50

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EDGE AGAINST USELESS OFFICES

Vetoes Bill For Education Commissioner Aid.

CALLS THE JOB UNNECESSARY

Governor Also Disapproves Law Providing For Appointment of Poultry Inspectors as Uncalled For and Says Health Boards Can Condemn Unfit Poultry — Legalizing of Freeholders' Reports in Pamphlet Form Also Superfluous.

Trenton, March 24.—That Governor Edge is not in favor of useless multiplication of offices or of unnecessary expense is shown by his veto of three bills.

The first of the three to meet with disapproval was house bill 351, which provides for an additional assistant commissioner of education and was evidently a companion bill to house bill 281, providing for a course in physical training in the public schools. In giving his reasons for vetoing No. 351 the governor wrote:

"I am heartily in favor of physical training, including militaristic drills, but I do not feel it is necessary to create an additional assistant commissioner of education for that purpose. Assembly bill 281 provides that the course of study shall be prepared by the department of education in conjunction with the adjutant general, which combination I consider very wise, but the actual carrying out of this course is necessarily in charge of the district boards of education and instructors in the various schools provided by them, just as they would prepare for any new course of study adopted.

"I feel that the present department of education, with the assistance of the adjutant general, with the additional appropriation to be made, can make the necessary investigations and prepare a proper course of instruction for promulgation to the various schools of the state.

"Of course, physical training is not entirely an innovation in our public school system, but I heartily approve of making it a compulsory part of the educational course."

The governor found house bill 323 defective, and he expressed the belief that it was impracticable. The measure provides for the appointment of an inspector of live poultry in each county. Even if there were reasons for appointing such inspectors in counties where poultry shipments are considerable, he could see no justification for mandatory appointments in the smaller counties. He said the condemnation of poultry unfit for food should be under the direction of boards of health. The bill did not provide, he pointed out, for supervision of the proposed inspectors, and he questioned the constitutionality of the title.

House bill 61, which would permit boards of freeholders to publish their financial reports in pamphlet form, was vetoed for the reason that they already have this right.

FRENCH WARSHIP SUNK.

196 Lost When Danton Was Torpedoed in Mediterranean.

Paris, March 24.—The French battleship Danton was torpedoed in the Mediterranean on March 19, it was announced officially by the admiralty. Of the ship's company 296 men were lost and 806 were saved by the destroyer Massue and patrol boats. The statement says:

The cruiser Danton was torpedoed in the Mediterranean on the 19th and sank half an hour later, the victims numbering 296. The escort, the Massue and patrol boats, succeeded in saving 804 men. The Massue attacked the submarine with grenades, and it disappeared and was not seen again.

POISONER'S FATHER DEAD.

Waits Talked of Son in Death House to Last.

Grand Rapids, Mich., March 24—Breathing a prayer that his son, Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, be freed from his conviction of the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. John Peck, Warren Waite, aged sixty, died here from pneumonia. In the week of his illness Waite talked incessantly of Arthur, although he requested that his son should not be notified of his condition.

In announcing the death for publication the members of the Waite family failed to include Arthur Warren Waite's name in the list of surviving relatives.

Carranza Officials Resign.

Mexico City, March 24.—General Aguilar has resigned from his post as minister of foreign relations in the Carranza cabinet. He will start a campaign for the governorship of Vera Cruz. General Diegues, also of the foreign office, has entered his connection with the government.

Noted Jersey Doctor Dead.

Camden, N. J., March 24.—Dr. Charles S. Braddock, who spent years in Siam as chief medical adviser to the government and later served as medical examiner for the interborough Rapid Transit company, is dead at his home here.

JOHN D., SR., BEST FATHER, JOHN D., JR., ASSERTS.

New York, March 24.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., acted as toastmaster at a "father and son" banquet attended by 300 parents and sons at the Tarrytown Y. M. C. A. He was roundly applauded when he said he has the best father any boy ever had. Continuing, Mr. Rockefeller said:

"I am interested in sons, for I have three of them. Every father should be a pal to his boy and should tell him everything he ought to know. He should not let him learn important truths backward."

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Other styles in crepe de chine, Milan straw, combinations of Linere and Maline, and many fancy hand-made straws. Stunning hats in black—Others distinctive in two-tone effects in vivid Spring colors.

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Navy Blue Norfolk Suits, at 7.94

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To prevent dealers buying, quantities restricted. No Mail or Telephone Orders.

$14.74 and $15.74—Women's and Misses' Coats 11.75
Navy, black and newest shades—variety of models.
COATS—SECOND FLOOR.

92 ct. Women's Middy Blouses 70
White drill, contrast collar and cuffs—sizes 34 to 44.
BLOUSES—SECOND FLOOR.

$1.98 Tub Silk Blouses 1.60
White or flesh—tailored styles—pearl buttons.
BLOUSES—SECOND FLOOR.

$1.49 Men's Negligee Shirts 1.06
Madras, percales and crepes—in fine stripes, figures—a few plain colors, soft or starched cuffs—14 to 20 neck.
MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MAIN FLOOR.

$3.98 Boys' Spring Coats 3.35
2½ to 8 years—a double-breasted models—checks, twills, plaids and mixtures—self or contrast collars—many plaited styles.
BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR.

$4.98 Little Boys' Suits 3.75
3 to 8 yrs.—junior Norfolk models—many styles—worsteds, homespuns and cheviots—gray, brown and black and white checks.
BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR.

46 ct. Bleached Sheetings 31
2½ yards wide—dependable quality—no dressing.
MUSLINS—BASEMENT.

$8.49 Genuine Crex and Deltox Grass Rugs 6.50
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RUGS—THIRD FLOOR.

10 ct. Folding Garment Hangers 6
Nickel-plated wire—very compact.
SHADE DEPT.—THIRD FLOOR.

$1.25 Yard Wide Black Satins 85
Soft finish—deep black—suitable for all dress purposes.
SILKS—MAIN FLOOR.

49 ct. Silk Mixed Crepe de Chines . . .35
32 inch—assortment of shades for day or evening.
WASH DRESS FABRICS—BASEMENT.

27 ct. Mercerized Poplins 19
Yard wide—good cotton quality.
WASH DRESS FABRICS—BASEMENT.

45 ct. White Ramie Linens 36
36 inch—for sports skirts, suits and dresses, etc.
LINENS—MAIN FLOOR.

98 ct. French Serges and Taffetas . . .80
40 and 44 inch—all wool French serge, Cheviots, garnet, brown navy and black.
DRESS GOODS—MAIN FLOOR.

16 ct. Longcloth . . . . . yard .12
Remnants of fine quality.
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$3.98 Marseilles Spreads 2.46
Satin finish—various designs—full size.
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Clock Signs Denote Morning Specials. Look for the Clocks!

SPRING SALE SPECIALS For Monday and Tuesday

$5.98 Boys' Norfolk Suits 4.55
Cheviots and homespuns—brown, gray and green, in stripes, twills and mixtures—pinch or yoke back cap or patch pockets—some have two pairs of trousers—7 to 18 years. Limit two.

$4.98 Boys' Spring Suits 3.85
Cassimere, cheviot — semi-Norfolk models—yoke or pinch back—patch pockets—cuff or sleeveless—full serviceable linings—8 to 17 years. Limit two.

$3.98 Boys' Suits—8 to 17 yrs. 3.15
Single breasted styles—cheviots, in checks and stripes. Limit two.

$1.50 Boys' Trousers 1.28
Cheviots, worsteds, tweeds, medium or dark twill and mixtures, herringbone stripes and fancies—7 to 17 yrs. Limit three.

49 ct. Boys' Blouses 37
Light, medium and fancy percale, with yoke—attached collars—4 to 15 years. Limit four.

49 ct. Boys' Caps 38
New Spring styles and colorings—tans and combinations—also checks—taped—full crowns. Limit two.

$1.94 Girls' Tub Dresses 1.54
Spring styles in plaid gingham or chambray—6 to 14 yrs. Limit two.

98 ct. Misses' and Girls' Middy Blouses 65
Regulation style, all white or with colored collars and cuffs—silk laces—pockets—6 to 20 yrs. Limit three.

49 ct. Children's Cambric Drawers 37
Finished with embroidery, insertion and edging—1 to 12 yrs.

$1.34 Misses' Lingerie Princess Slips 1.00
Yoke of wide filet lace—shoulder strap, ruffle with two rows of lace to match—14 to 18 yrs.

$1.50 Babies' Sweater Coats . . .94
Roll collar, pockets—white, light combinations and good range of colors—to 5 yrs.

50 ct. Little Tots' Hats 38
Crash, with colored or checked silk crowns—pretty mushroom shapes.

98 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses .74
Yoke, empire or normal waist models, finished with lace and embroidery. Limit 3.

98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses . .62
To 6 yrs.—gingham, plaid, chambray—new Spring models. Limit 3.

$3.98 Ready-to-Wear Hats 2.77
Black and colors, also combinations—new sailor and sport styles. Limit two.

$3.74 Untrimmed Linere Hats 2.87
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In all the new Spring colors. Limit four.

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$14.98 Women's and Misses' Taffeta Dresses 10.75
Green, navy, Copenhagen, grey and black—semi to blouse — new Spring models—women's sizes 36 to 42—misses', 14 to 18 yrs. Alterations free of charge

$4.98 Crepe de Chine and Crepe Georgette Blouses . 3.75
Frill or double breasted styles—white, flesh, peach, maize.

$2.98 White Voile Blouses . . . 1.98
Embroidered fronts, with dainty fine tucks—filet lace insertions and trimmings.

$1.98 White Voile Blouses . . . 1.36
In various styles—tucked or lace trimmed. Limit two.

$1.24 Women's Sateen Petticoats 72
Black and colors—tailored and flounced, fitted bands—all lengths. Limit two.

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Long hip—elastic inserts—trimmed with embroidery. Limit two.

15 ct. Men's Handkerchiefs . . .11
All pure linen, with ¼ inch hem.

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$1.98 Men's and Women's Umbrellas 1.42
Black silk and linen mixed, plain or decorated handles. Limit two.

39 ct. Men's Silk Hose 27
Black, white and colors—double heel and toe.

49 ct. Men's Silk Neckwear . . .37
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"Wonder or No"

"A short life and a merry one" is all right, but a short life and a married one should fit more cases.—Old Man Sage.

MISS BJURSTEDT NOT DISGRACED BY DEFEAT

New York, March 24.—The defeat of Miss Molla Bjurstedt by Mrs. May Sutton Bundy is one thing that should add, if anything can, to the play of the marvelous Norwegian star as tennis crack. Mrs. Bundy's style of play has held her over every other American woman for some years. She has beaten the best other countries have produced and she had twice before forced Miss Bjurstedt to love to her prowess.

The driving, smashing style of play that Mrs. Bundy always has, combined with an uncanny ability to hit the way was spots of the courts made it an uncertain match for the second champion, women before she went West to play the former American and English woman champion.

Miss Bjurstedt was helpless before the service smashes of her Pacific coast opponent. She drives hard herself but she was unable to meet her own style of play. The defeat she should be one thing to teach her that many of the teams played early in others can play the driving kind of tennis equally as well as she. It is probably will point out to her the necessity of learning to combat that kind of tennis.

The performances of Miss Bjurstedt in the past have shown that she learns quickly to meet any kind of tennis. Her next meeting with for Mrs. Bundy, if she there should be the case, should be productive of some great strategy.

BOUND BROOK BEES LOST TO SOMERVILLE

Special Correspondence.

Somerville, March 24.—Bound Brook's pride, Sandford Snyder and Peter Koechlein, were taken into camp in style a la carte last night on the local alleys when Charlie Mathews and Louis Roller, the borough's best bet, copped seven of ten games. The series is to comprise 21 games. Somerville, however, has four of the best games in which are to be staged at Bound Brook next week.

WHAT THINK YOU OF THIS, KOECHLEIN AND SNYDER?

George Gates, proprietor of the borough bowling alleys, announced last night that he and "Quaker" Vail are ready and willing to meet Koechlein and Snyder, of Bound Brook, in a home-and-home series. The Bound Brookers began another two-man series with Mathews and Roller, of Somerville, last night, and it may be possible that George's challenge will be accepted after the present series is over.

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL

The Y. M. C. A. second string men will close their basketball season this evening when they entertain the Nifty Nelsonwoods. The seconds have had a very successful season to date and claim the championship of the city by reason of their weight and standing. While Manager Campbell has planned to close his season this evening he stated this morning that he would still have his team meet all comers who might dispute his claim to the junior championship.

McInnis Released

Chicago, March 24.—Fred McInnis, utility first baseman, was yesterday released by the Chicago Nationals to the Kansas City club of the American Association.

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N. P. H. S. SEASON WAS A FAIR ONE

Borough Basketball Aggregation Has Completed a Year of Ups and Downs

A review of the achievements of the North Plainfield High school basketball team, while not as bright as some have been in years past, shows a fairly good season for the Canadians. Losing the city title in three straight games was a blow to Captain Smith's basketeers, as in making the third straight defeat in as many years for the borough high school representatives.

Starting the season with three veterans left on the squad from last year, Andy McDonough at the pivot position, Al Willett and Bill Seidel in the guard positions, the team, until the first game, was an unknown quantity.

Bill Ahern landed one of the forward positions, with Vincent LaPorte holding down the other. This combination started off like world beaters, easily trimming the 1916 team in the first game and Kearny H. S. in the second, after suffering a narrow defeat at the hands of the Yale, the borough five captured a majority of the games under the position of Coach Taylor, '12, who succeeded Coach Tryman. Tryman assumed the position of coach in January on the departure of Taylor to the Colorado School of Mines. For two weeks before the Plainfield game the N. P. H. S. squad was drilling at top speed but when the first interscholastic game was staged on their home court January 19 this speed was lacking and they succumbed to a 24 to 12 defeat. The second game at P. H. S. resulted in a 24 to 23 victory, a better exhibition from Plainfield, though only poor edged out the game, and incidentally the title for the Canadian lads. The third game was just a work-out for both teams.

Most of the N. P. H. S. fellows have been taking their heavy schedule of work hard, which is a good excuse for the poor showing made this year. As many of the teams played early in the season were out of the borough's class, being made up entirely of independent teams. High school teams not being played until after the holidays.

Billy Ahern, with 94 field goals and 190 counters from the 15-foot circles of high score honors of the year. Ahern played in all the games, missing only one through illness. Vincent LaPorte was a good second with 77 field goals and 9 fouls. LaPorte participated in 20 games and he and Ahern scored a total of 351 points. Ahern with 190 and Bill Seidel and Al Willett, with 80 each, managed to get 12 and 5 counters, respectively.

The substitutes were led by Captain Ernest Force, who played both center and forward for 10 games, garnering 20 goals and 5 fouls. Barry, Stewart, Dunning and Clay all broke into the scoring line-up at various times during the season.

The season's record:

N. P. H. S. 26,	N. P. H. S. 14, 11.
" 25,	Kearny, 13.
" 12,	T. A. B. H. 15.
" 21,	Clinton Academy, 17.
" 24,	West Orange, 25.
" 48,	Canadian Five, 27.
" 15,	N. Y. M. C. A. 14.
" 30,	Rutgers Reserves, 14.
" 45,	N. Y. C. Frosh, 19.
" 24,	New Brunswick, 28.
" 39,	Plainfield H. S., 16.
" 43,	Seton Hall Prep, 24.
" 27,	Woodbridge, 16.
" 50,	Kearny, 16.
" 32,	Westfield, 49.
" 26,	Rutgers Prep, 44.
" 33,	W. H. S. A. A., 25.
" 33,	West Orange, 32.
" 39,	Penn Ten Annex, 47.
" 18,	Seton Hall Prep, 16.
" 26,	Plainfield H. S., 27.
" 43,	Rutgers Prep, 24.
" 35,	Rutgers Prep, 42.
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The letters were dated "Plainfield, N. J., March 22, 1917," and the addresses were all apparently written in the same handwriting. The letter, which is self-explanatory, is as follows:

"Inclosed you will find a piece of wire. This wire is of no value and has no life. Just one week from today you will receive a wire that is of value to you and has life. Watch for that wire. The only signature is "Yours very truly."

Two kinds of type are used in writing the letter, the one for the date and name of person addressed being larger than the rest. Plain envelopes were used, bearing only the address. Other than that there is nothing to indicate for what purpose they were mailed.

Some of the recipients have taken the matter up with the postal authorities and a further investigation is to be made. Mayor Leighton Calkins was among those who received letters and he is much puzzled, although he frankly confesses that he is not worried. He hinted that he might request the Home Defense League to put body in an effort to discover the author of the letters if there is nothing to indicate for what purpose they were mailed.

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At last it looks as though Heavenly Rest is going to have a Boy Scout troop.

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CAPT. PETERSON SEEKS RECRUITS FOR SERVICE

Capt. Charles A. Peterson, of Company K, Second Regiment, announced today that he would be at the armory Monday night to receive applicants for enlistment in the service. He will be glad to meet anyone who cares to join the service. There are a number of people who prefer not to take the Federal oath in time of peace, but who would gladly do so in case of emergency.

Captain Peterson will examine all such applicants up to the point of taking the oath, it being understood that they will participate therein in case of war. He thinks there may be many older men and even retired veterans who would like to identify themselves with the company and thus show their patriotism and love of country.

AERO CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

At the meeting last night held in the rooms in the Sebring building, West Front street, the Standard Aero Club of this city, elected the following officers: President, R. H. Sloan; vice president, J. H. Steenson; secretary, Andrew Reid; and treasurer, John Hamblin.

At the business meeting the club planned for numerous lectures on other activities to be held during the year. The organization is in a flourishing condition and includes in its membership some of the most efficient mechanics in the city.

Will Address Bible School

Miss Edna Earle Cole, State secretary of the elementary department of the New Jersey Sunday School Association, will address the school of Trinity Reformed church tomorrow afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

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CHINS

The chin is a one-story addition built on the lower end of man's physiognomy to keep his face from ending too abruptly. But some perverse faces end that way, anyhow. In fact, *chins, like wealth,* are unevenly distributed. Some of us have too many and some none at all. The Lord intended us to have one apiece, but whoever is in charge of the chin distribution department has muffed his job. This is unfortunate, as the chin is an almost indispensable adjunct to every face. It is necessary for whiskers and things. The man who wears an assortment of them ought to be ashamed of himself.

"Weather or No"

"A short life and a merry one" is all right, but "a short life and a married one" would fit more cases. —Old Man Sage.

MISS BJURSTEDT NOT DISGRACED BY DEFEAT

New York, March 24.—The defeat of Miss Molla Bjurstedt by Mrs. May Sutton Bundy is one thing that should add, if anything can, to the play of the marvelous Norwegian woman tennis crack. Mrs. Bundy's style of play has held her over every other American woman for some of years. She has beaten the best other countries have produced and she had once before forced Miss Bjurstedt to bow to her prowess.

The driving, smashing style of *play that Mrs. Bundy always has,* combined with an uncanny ability to hit the wee, wee spots of the courts made it an uneven match for the Norwegian woman before she went all West to play the former American and English woman champion.

Miss Bjurstedt was helpless before the service smashes of her Pacific coast opponent. She drives hard herself, but she was unable to meet her own style of play. The defeat should be one thing to teach her that *others can play the driving kind of tennis* equally as well as she. It too probably will point out to her the wisdom of learning to combat that kind of tennis.

The performances of Miss Bjurstedt in the past have shown that she learns quickly to meet any kind of tennis. Her next meeting with Mrs. Bundy, if ever there should be one, should be productive of some great strategy.

BOUND BROOK BEES LOST TO SOMERVILLE

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Somerville, March 24.—Bound Brook's pride, Sandford Snyder and Peter Koechlein, were taken into camp in style a la elegance last night on the local chutes when Charlie Mathews and Louis Rollet, this borough's best bet, comped seven of ten games. The series is to consist of 21 games. *Somerville* must win four of the next eleven games, which are to be staged at Bound Brook next week.

WHAT THINK YOU OF THIS, *KOECHLEIN AND SNYDER?*

George Gates, proprietor of the borough bowling alleys, announced last night that he and "Quaker" Vail are ready and willing to meet *Koechlein and Snyder,* of Bound Brook, in a home-and-home series. The Bound Brookers began another two-man series with Mathews and Rollet, of Somerville, last night, and it may be possible that George's challenge will be accepted after the present series is over.

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL

The Y. M. C. A. second string men will close their basketball season this evening when they entertain the Nifty Notherwoods. The second have had a very successful season to date, and claim the championship of the city for teams of their weight and standing. Willie Manager Campbell has planned to close his season this evening, he stated this morning that he would still have his team meet all comers who might dispute his claim to the junior championship.

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Borough Basketball Aggregation Has Completed a Year of Ups and Downs

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Starting the season with three veterans left on the squad from last year, Andy McDonough at the pivot position, Al Willett and Bill Seidel in the guard positions, the team, until the first game, was an unknown quantity.

Bill Ahern landed one of the forward positions, with Vincent LaPorte holding down the other. This combine started off like world beaters, easily trimming the 1916 team in the first game and Kearny H. S. in the second. After suffering a narrow defeat at the hands of the Tabs, the borough five captured a majority of its games under the direction "Curly" Taylor, '12, who was then acting as coach. Hyman Abrams assumed the position of coach in January on the departure of Taylor to the Colorado School of Mines. For two weeks before the Plainfield game the N. P. H. S. squad was going at top speed, but when the first interscholastic game was staged on their home court January 10 this speed was lacking and they succumbed to a 50 to 29 defeat. The second game at the N. P. H. S. February 22 was a better exhibition from all sides, and only poor shooting lost the game and incidentally the title for the Canadian lads. The final game was just a work-out for both teams.

Some of the N. P. H. S. followers blame the heavy schedule for the poor showing made this year, as many of the teams played early in *the season were out of the borough* class, being made up entirely of independent teams. High school teams were not played until after the holidays.

Billy Ahern, with 98 field goals and 195 counters from the 15-foot line, carries off high score honors for the year. Ahern played in all twenty-seven games and was a dominant factor in the showing made by the borough lads. LaPorte ran second with 77 field goals and 8 fouls. LaPorte participated in 22 games, and he and Ahern scored a grand total of 553 points. Ahern with 391 and his running mate 162. Andy McDonough amassed 67 field goals in 20 games for a total of 134 points. Bill Seidel and Al Willett, the regular guards, while not considered a shooting duo, managed to cage 15 and 5 twin-counters, respectively.

The substitutes wrecked by Captain-elect Force, who, playing in both *centre and forward for* 20 games, garnered 20 goals and 9 fouls. Barry, Stewart, Dunning and Clay all broke into the scoring limelight at various times during the season.

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VISION OF PLOT IN STRANGE LETTER

500 Plainfielders Receive Pieces of Wire and Mysterious Message in Mail

Five hundred letters, each containing a piece of wire about two inches long and a mysterious message, which might be considered as the basis for a plot, have been received through the mail by as many Plainfielders, causing not a little uneasiness among some of the recipients.

The letters were dated "Plainfield, N. J., March 22, 1917," and the addresses *were all apparently written in the* same handwriting. The letter, which is typewritten, is as follows:

"Inclosed you will find a piece of wire. This wire is of no value and has no life. Just one week from today you will receive a wire that is of value to you and has life. Watch for that wire."

The only signature is "Yours very truly."

Two kinds of type are used in writing the letter, the one for the date and name of person addressed being larger than the rest. Pink envelopes were used, bearing only the address. Otherwise there is nothing to indicate for what purpose they were mailed.

Some of the recipients have taken the matter up with the postal authorities and a further investigation is to be made. Mayor Leighton Calkins was among those who received letters and he is much puzzled, although he frankly confesses that he is not worried. He hinted that he might request the Home Defense League to get busy in an effort to discover the *author of the let*ter.

Friday, March 30, is the date set for the "next wire," and no doubt the authorities will make it a point to see what happens at that time.

ANOTHER SCOUT TROOP IS BEING PLANNED

At last it looks as though Heavenly Rest is going to have a Boy Scout troop.

Thursday evening Mr. Duffy, prominent in local Boy Scout circles, outlined the work of the movement before the Men's Club. John Ludgate volunteered to take charge of the movement in the local parish.

Mr. Ludgate, who recently returned from extensive traveling through England, is well fitted to look after the boys and get the troop started. He has called a meeting for Tuesday, March 27, at 8 o'clock, in the parish house, Clinton avenue and Sixth street, and cordially invites all boys in the West End over the age of twelve years, who are interested in the Boy Scout work to attend this meeting with the purpose of forming a troop. The work will be carefully outlined by some one at the head of the Boy Scouts, and a good time is waiting for all. Come out if you are interested.

MRS. FRAZEE IMPROVING

Mrs. Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, who underwent a serious operation in Muhlenberg Hospital on Thursday, is rallying well and her condition is most satisfactory.

CAPT. PETERSON SEEKS RECRUITS FOR SERVICE

Capt. Charles A. Peterson, of Company K, Second Regiment, announced today that he would be at the armory Monday night to receive applicants for enlistment in the service. He will be glad to meet any one who cares to join the service. There are a number of people who prefer not to take the Federal oath in time of peace, but who would gladly do so in case of emergency.

Captain Peterson will examine all such applicants up to the point of taking the oath, it being understood that they will obligate themselves in case of war. He thinks there may be many older men and even retired veterans who would *like to identify* themselves with the company and this show their patriotism and love of country.

AERO CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

At its meeting last night held in the rooms in the Sebring building, West Front street, the Standard Aero Club of this city, elected the following officers: President, R. R. Bloss; vice-president, J. H. Steenson; secretary, Andrew Reid; and treasurer, John Hamblin.

At the business meeting the club planned for numerous lectures and other activities to be held during the year. The organization is in very flourishing condition and includes in its membership some of the most efficient mechanics in the city.

Will Address Bible School

Miss Edna Earle Cole, State secretary of the elementary department of the New Jersey Sunday School Association, will address the school of Trinity Reformed church tomorrow afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock.

"The play's the thing"—Shakespeare.
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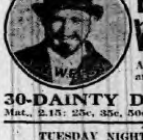
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IN THE FIRST OF THE FOX SUPER DE LUXE PRODUCTIONS
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Honey, like sugar, is a fuel food and has the same general effect in supplying the body with energy. If you wish to estimate the food value of honey, you may say that one tablespoonful of honey (or one ounce) furnishes one hundred calories.

In the matter of cost, a pound of extracted honey sells usually for about the same as a section of honey comb that weighs fourteen ounces net. Inasmuch as nearly all extracted honey is pure under the pure food laws, there is no advantage in buying in the comb, except from the point of attractiveness and the slight superiority of the flavor.

Here, in America, honey has hitherto been largely used in its uncooked form. But, with the increased appreciation of it as a food and the consequent development of the bee-keeping industry, it is being utilized more and more in cookery. It will, doubtless, surprise many housekeepers to learn that American confectioners use large quantities of honey in the manufacture of cakes and sweet crackers. Our leading cracker manufacturers buy honey by the carload, for honey used in the place of sugar in such products, permits them to be kept fresh much longer.

In substituting honey for sugar, use cupful for cupful, and for each cupful of honey use one-fifth less cupful of milk, or other liquid, than the recipe calls for. Honey is especially useful in cakes without butter, and they will keep fresh for months and improve in flavor.

It is interesting to note, that in the majority of European recipes for cake, spices are used with the honey. This is natural, for it combines well with such spices as coriander and cardamom seed and with nutmeg, ginger, cinnamon and cloves.

Butter Honey Cake

Rub together one and a half cupfuls of honey and half a cupful of butter. Then add the unbeaten yolks of three eggs and beat thoroughly. Add five cupfuls of pastry flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of ground cinnamon, half a teaspoonful of salt and one teaspoonful of baking soda dissolved in one tablespoonful of orange flour water. Beat the mixture again, fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites and bake in shallow, greased tins.

Baked Honey Custard

Beat five eggs, add four cupfuls of scalded milk, half a cupful of honey, one-eighth of a teaspoonful of powdered cinnamon and a half teaspoonful of salt. Mix well, pour into buttered custard cups, set them in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven until set.

Honey Sponge Cake

Mix half a cupful of sugar and half a cupful of honey and boil, without stirring, until the syrup will spin a thread from the tip of the spoon. Pour the syrup over the beaten yolks of four eggs that have been whipped until lemon colored. Beat the mixture until cold. Then add one cupful of sifted flour and cut and fold the stiffly beaten egg whites into the mixture. Bake forty minutes in a pan lined with buttered paper, using a slow oven.

Honey Mousse

Beat four eggs lightly and pour slowly over them one cupful of hot maple syrup. Cook until the mixture thickens, but do not allow it to boil. Cool and mix in one pint of chilled double cream, that has been whipped solid and flavored with a little vanilla extract. Turn the mixture into a mold with a water-tight cover and bury in ice and rock salt for four hours before serving.

Honey Fudge

Boil together two cupfuls of sugar, one-third of a cupful of honey and one-third of a cupful of water until the syrup spins a thread. Pour the syrup over the stiffly whipped whites of two eggs and beat continuously until the mixture crystallizes. Drop in small pieces on waxed paper.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

BY MRS. FAWALKER

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THE PRINCE AND THE GIANT—Part II

"I am the Fairy of Feathers," said a voice coming from the radiant figure in the doorway, "and I am come to help you in your trouble. As a child you used to scatter breadcrumbs about the garden walks for my birds to eat, and in winter you threw seed on the snow so they would not starve. Do not worry; my birds will do the work for you within an hour."

The fairy disappeared and Ivan heard the mighty rushing of millions of wings on the morning air. He looked out into the dim light and he saw the sky dark with clouds of thousands on thousands of birds of all kinds, each with a yellow feather in its beak. For about ten minutes they swarmed on the roof of the stable, then they rose and sailed away into the mountain tops. But on top of the giant's stable was a wondrous roof of gleaming gold. At least it looked like gold, but really it was a smooth surface of yellow feathers each placed so as to lap over the other, and all firmly stuck to the planks beneath. When the morning sun shone it glittered like gold.

The giant was delighted, but at eight told Ivan he must clean out the stables by dawn or be prepared to die. As he sat in the kitchen that night he saw a dwarf creeping in as if afraid.

"Prince Ivan," exclaimed the little man, "I am your friend. Do you remember that you refused to let workmen tear down the rocky cavern just back of the palace because you said it might be the home of the dwarf? It was. There I have lived for 600 years. You saved my ancient cave, and now I will reward you. By morning I and my dwarfs from all over the land will have the stable as clean as a new pin."

With these words he vanished and Ivan heard in the stable yards the sound of shovels and brooms, and the grating of tiny wheelbarrows on the ground, so he knew the work would be done. Sure enough at dawn the giant found his stables as clean as a parlor table.

"That is all very well so far," grunted the giant. "But you have not finished yet. That well must be dug by tomorrow morning."

That night as Ivan sat on his bed of shavings he saw a little mole creeping over the floor.

"Prince," said the mole, "I will help you out of your trouble. One day when you were out walking your dog tried to dig up my nest and would have eaten my children had you not prevented. I will call all the moles in the country and by dawn the well will be finished."

After breakfast the giant went out to look, and there was a big hole in the ground. As he stooped to peep down to see how deep it was, a mole bit him on his heel and he tumbled down into the well. He was hurt but not killed and Ruby heard his shouts.

"I am sorry you are in pain, father," said Ruby to the giant, "but you have been so cruel that this may teach you a lesson. Now, if you will

let me marry Ivan, and if you will give back all the gold, gems, money and the crown you took away from his father, we will get you up."

The giant promised, and Ruby ran to release Ivan.

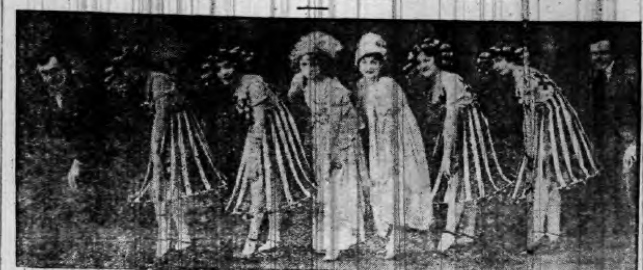
Monday's story — "The King's Sons and the Princess."—Part I.

CATHOLIC WOMEN PLAN FOR BIG DEMONSTRATION

Plans were completed at a committee meeting Thursday of the Catholic department of women of the Newark Branch of the National League for Woman's Service, for the first public meeting to be held under the detachment's auspices Tuesday night in the hall of St. Patrick's Cathedral parochial school in Central avenue, Newark. Miss Grace M. O'Rourke, chairman of the committee, will preside, and Miss Frances C. Hays, chairman of the local branch of the league, will introduce Mrs. Ira A. Kip, Jr., of South Orange, chairman of the New Jersey State Branch of the National League for Woman's Service, who will make an address on "Woman's Part in Preparedness."

Monsignor Isaac P. Whelan, rector of St. Patrick's Cathedral, will make the address of welcome and Rev. John A. Dillon, superintendent of the Newark parochial schools, will outline the work of preparedness already started in the parochial schools by the teachers and pupils. The cathedral chancel choir, under the direction of Rev. John E. Kiernan, will sing national anthems. Mrs. Henry M. Darcy, chairman of the meeting, will be assisted by twenty members of Miss O'Rourke's committee and among those who will assist with the registration during the evening will be two graduate nurses in uniform.

BURLESQUE MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE



Dainty Show Girls with Ben Welch's Big Show at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

Burlesque and vaudeville will be seen when Ben Welch's big show comes to the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, matinee and night, March 26. The production is planned along original lines with two one-act burlesques and a program of vaudeville acts interwoven that embraces many novel features. "Love Arbor" and "The New Commander" are the title of the two principal acts and they are intensely funny in dialogue.

The company embraces a number of widely known popular performers, both men and women. There is a large chorus of girls whose work is one of the most attractive kind and the costumes and scenery are the best there is in burlesque.

"DAUGHTER OF THE GODS" THREE DAYS NEXT WEEK

Jane and Katherine Lee Famous Movie Children in The William Fox $1,000000 Picture "A Daughter Of The Gods"

At the Plainfield Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 29, 30 and 31

"A Daughter of the Gods," William Fox's $1,000,000 picture beautiful, is a coming attraction at the Plainfield Theatre March 29, 30 and 31, matinee daily, in Ghomeland, the mythical kingdom of a race of dwarfs. This particular scene, which cost a fortune to produce, even a river's course being diverted to create a mountain torrent, is one that appeals strongly to the children, for amid the bewildering tableaux may be seen the little folk carrying on their daily tasks under the leadership of a dwarf who seems hardly high enough to keep his chin off the ground. Annette Kellerman among them, is a titan of perfect physical beauty.

On account of the cost the prices will be slightly increased.

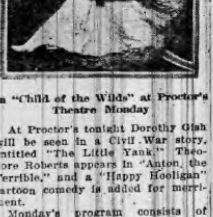
Wednesday, William Farnum will be retained in "The Price of Silence," and Gail Kane appears in "The Red Woman," a thrilling story of the West. Regular prices will prevail.

On Thursday and Friday the leading attraction will be "Skinner's Dress Suit," in five parts, directly from a successful run at the Rialto Theatre, New York City. Also on Thursday only, William Steger appears in "The Stolen Triumph," a five-part Metro picture. On Friday only Marie Dore appears in a five-part Paramount picture, "The Lash." Notwithstanding the wonderful show presented on Thursday and Friday the regular prices of admission will remain in force.

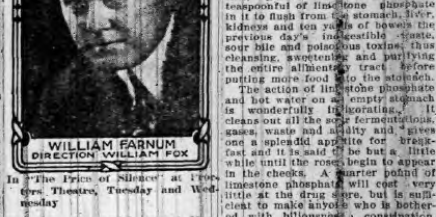
SEVEN DUSKY MAIDS AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

With "Billy" Bilig and his "Seven Dusky Maids" leading the way, the vaudeville program at the Plainfield Theatre the last part of this week has found favor with most of the local theatre-goers. The dancing and singing of "Bill" and the girls in a Southern fantasy entitled "On the Levee," realistically brings back memories of the days before the Civil War, while the latest song hits keep the present ever in mind. Manager Shannon says it is the best headliner he has had at the local playhouse this season, and he ought to know. The remainder of the bill is in keeping with "On the Levee" in every way. Such laughable comedians as Ryan and Hazard and Rogers and Rogers cause a continual roar of laughter with their witticisms and topical songs, while Mercedes Clark & Co. offer an extremely funny comedy sketch. The last number is a novelty vehicle featuring the two Keiser. Hearst-Pathe's Weekly and Mutual and Pathe comedies conclude the program.

"THE LITTLE YANK" AT PROCTOR'S TONIGHT



In "Child of the Wilds" at Proctor's Theatre Monday



WILLIAM FARNUM DIRECTION WILLIAM FOX

In "The Price of Silence" at Proctors Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday

At Proctor's tonight Dorothy Gish will be seen in a Civil War story, entitled "The Little Yank." Theodore Roberts appears in "Anton, the Terrible," and a "Happy Hooligan" cartoon comedy is added for merriment.

Monday's program consists of June Caprice in "A Child of the Wilds," Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria," and Hank Mann in "The Cloud Puncher."

Three big stars and three big attractions appear at Proctor's on Tuesday. By special request Mary Pickford returns in "The Poor Little Rich Girl." William Farnum is seen in the first of the Fox super de luxe productions, "The Price of Silence," and Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria."

MISS MARY G. PECK AT EVERGREEN SCHOOL

Will Deliver an Address on the "Moors" Next Thursday Night

Miss Mary Gray Peck, who will lecture at the Evergreen Avenue school next Thursday night, is a member of the Motion Picture Committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and is working in co-operation with the National Committee on Films for Young People (affiliated with the National Board of Review Motion Pictures). She has just completed a tour of the Middle Western States, under the auspices of women's clubs and other organizations, on the subjects of censorship and better films.

Miss Peck was born on a farm in western New York, which had been cleared by her great-grandfather following the Revolution. He was one of Washington's bodyguards, and distinguished himself by fainting at Andre's execution, where he was on guard.

Miss Peck's Alma Mater is Elmira College. She studied music in New York, and going West to teach it, took a post-graduate course in the University of Minnesota.

She is a very effective speaker, a clear thinker, and knows how to marshal her facts and arguments in such a way as to make her point. She has been deeply interested in the motion picture question for a long time and it is due to this fact that the General Federation of Women's Clubs have given her this important work in their nation-wide effort for the improvement of films.

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NAVY RECRUITS WILL BE EXAMINED ON MONDAY

The U. S. Navy recruiting party will examine applicants for navy service on Monday, March 26, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Men who are machinists, carpenters, electricians, or who have other trades are especially desirable.

Now is the time for young men to show their patriotism and serve their country. The age limit is from 18 to 30 years. Men with trades will be sent to one of the seventeen trade schools.

CHINESE TOWER RISES ON FAR HILLS ESTATE

Far Hills, March 24.—Nearing completion, the big Chinese tower which Brad B. Schley is building on one of the highest points on his estate, Froheim Farms, is visible for miles around. The tower will have cost about $12,000 when it is completed.

The tower is seventy-eight feet high and located on a point the elevation of which is 590 feet above sea level. There are four platforms at various heights. On the top platform is a telescope through which a view for many miles may be had. Both stairs and elevator lead to the top.

Work was started on the tower last October, and has been continuing all winter. The tower was started as an objective point in the system of bridle paths being developed in this section. It was designed by George E. Jones, architect, of Newark, and the Chinese detail is said to be correct in every particular.

COLGATE MUSICAL CLUBS COMING HERE APRIL 3

The Boys' Athletic Association of the Plainfield High School has been fortunate enough to secure the Colgate Musical Club for a concert here on Tuesday evening, April 3. The concert will be held in the auditorium of the Plainfield High School.

The price of admission is reasonable, and tickets may be secured from the members of the student body, who have them to sell, or at Miller's drug store, after Monday, March 26. Those purchasing tickets from the students must exchange them at Miller's drug store for reserved seats.

Van Eps' trio will furnish their usual excellent music for dancing after the concert, until 1 o'clock.

HOME-MAKERS' SOCIETY TO MEET

The New Jersey State Home-makers' Association Committee of the Conservation of Food will hold a meeting in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church, Newark, on March 28, at 2 p. m. Everett Colby will be one of the speakers.

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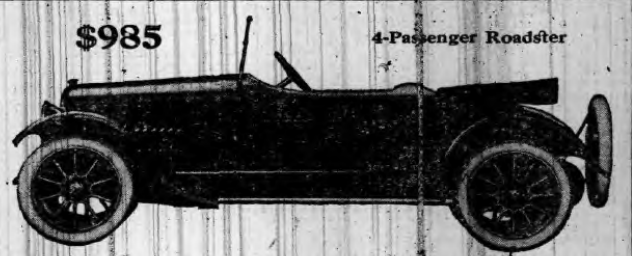

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APPLAUSE IN GRACE CHURCH

Sermon by Bishop Woodcock of Kentucky Causes a Demonstration

In a sermon ringing with patriotism, Bishop Charles E. Woodcock, of Kentucky, preached to a very large congregation yesterday morning, in Grace church, and evoked so much enthusiasm that the congregation broke out in spontaneous applause, the first time in the recollection of any who heard him, and perhaps ever, that applause has been heard in an Episcopal Church.

The Bishop was about to say still more in the same vein, but turned aside from it, in order not to stimulate a further demonstration in a house of worship.

The Bishop was comparing the little things and the great things, in human life, showing how devotion to the smaller, temporal things, obscures the greater and dwarfs the mind to things of vital and eternal import. The phrase which evoked the applause, following a treatment of the subject that held the closest interest of the large congregation was:

"We want peace if we can have it, with honor, but peace at any price—God forbid."

Spontaneous applause followed this remark. An incident that caused some consternation, to those who were aware of it, occurred at the close of the service. As the ushers were taking the offering to the altar a young man named Babcock joined them, and walked forward to the chancel steps standing with them until they had turned back to their seats. Then the young man, visibly excited, walked up to the altar where the Bishop stood and the rector was kneeling. Addressing the Bishop he said: "You want war. I want peace," and asked permission to address the congregation.

The Bishop saw that the man was excited, and taking him by the hand calmed him somewhat, then referred him to the rector, who asked him quietly to leave. Accompanied by a member of the choir he left quietly.

Those who saw the young man step forward thought he had some announcement to give the rector to be read, but when he walked up to the alter, where none but the clergy ever enter, notice was taken of it by those nearby.

Directly the choir sang "Our Father's God to Thee" and the service closed. The incident caused some consternation for a moment, and was reported outside the church afterwards with various sensational interpolations.

In his sermon last night, the Bishop addressed an even larger congregation than in the morning. All the extra available space was filled with camp chairs so the many who first were standing were able to be seated.

The rector Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, was assisted in the service by Rev. C. M. Mallery, of the Church of Heavenly Rest, who suspended his evening service in order that his congregation might hear the Bishop, and by Rev. H. C. Mesier, formerly of St. Stephen's Church, Netherwood.

The Bishop's theme in the evening, was "He who is not for me is against me." It was a stirring sermon in which some of the thoughts were these:

Apathy repudiates, and leads to indifference, which rejects. Apathy always takes the adverse side. This indifference creeps into the church, and reminds one of the Scriptural passage: "He was wounded in the house of his friends."

There are more good men and good women today than ever in the world, but there also are more of the little Christians—those who hear the name, but who are indifferent and their work is not seen, and they do not stand up to be counted.

There is no real love without a deep passion for the object of that love—the passion that the artist shows for his picture, the singer for his melody, the Christian for his God, reflecting the real soul. One real Christian in the pew is worth all the preachers that can be crowded into the pulpit. He does the real work of soul-winning; the preacher can only point the way. If pews are vacant it is the fault of pew-holders and not the preacher. The little Christian does more harm than the vicious man who knows he is vicious.

Live your life, and your profession, making sacrifice if necessary. "He who saves his life shall lose it, and he who loses his life for my sake, shall save it," says the Lord. The nineteen hundred years of the Christian era have been marked by sacrifices for Christianity, by martyrs, but there were

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COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS FOR MISS RICHARDS' TALK

Subscribers to Miss Janet Richards' talks, who were not present at the last talk, may obtain complimentary tickets which will admit a guest to the talk next Thursday, March 29, in the High School Auditorium, by applying to Miss Alice Corey, 930 Hillside avenue. Telephone 1010.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. WHITNEY FRAZEE

Passed Away at Muhlenberg Hospital This Afternoon Following Long Illness

Mrs. Catherine Frazee, wife of Whitney Frazee, of South avenue, died at Muhlenberg Hospital shortly before 2 o'clock this afternoon following an illness which has covered a period of nearly eleven years. Recently her condition became so serious that upon the advice of physicians blood transfusion was thought to be the only possible hope for recovery. During the past week several such operations were performed and at first there was marked improvement, but last night there was a change for the worse.

Throughout her long illness Mrs. Frazee made a brave fight to regain her health, and everything known to medical science was employed in her behalf. The news of her death will be received with deep regret among a large number of friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Frazee was born at Reaville, Somerset county. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Skillman. Her mother died several years ago. Mrs. Frazee had resided here twenty-six years. She was an active member of the Watchung Avenue Presbyterian church and was interested in all departments of the work. She leaves, beside her husband, her father, who resides at Garwood; one sister, Mrs. I. L. Tingley, of this city, and two brothers, Levi Skillman, of Bayonne, and Charles Skillman, of this city.

Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

FUNERAL OF W. E. HOYT IS LARGELY ATTENDED

The funeral of William E. Hoyt, who died at his residence on Crescent avenue on Friday, was held there yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, minister of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, officiating. There was an unusually large attendance of friends, including railroad officials from New York, Washington, D. C., Baltimore and other parts. These officials numbered upwards of 125. The flowers were numerous and beautiful.

The interment was made this afternoon in Erie, Pa., where a Masonic service was held. Mr. Hoyt was a thirty-second degree mason.

CONTRIBUTORS TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following is the list of the contributors to the Home Defense League up to date:

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HOW TO LIVE ON TWENTY-FIVE CENTS A DAY

Dr. E. L. Fisk, Director of the Life Extension Institute, New York, will speak in the High School auditorium tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, and will explain how it is possible to live on twenty-five cents a day. He will also tell his audience how to get up a penny lunch for school children. The lecture will be free and the public is invited.

The menu used by Dr. Fisk in his experiment with the rookies of the New York police force will be on sale and the proceeds will be sent to the Belgian Children's Relief Fund. All the recipes have been verified, and are strongly recommended.

ART EXHIBIT CLOSES TODAY

The collection of portraits by Mr. and Mrs. John Johansen, of New York, which have been on exhibition at The Rookery on Sycamore avenue for the past two weeks will be sent back to New York tomorrow morning. Those wishing to see them may do so this afternoon. The Rookery was open yesterday, when a large number of Plainfielders called and admired the works of art.

FIREMEN TO HOLD SESSION

Another special session of the borough fire department is called for this evening, Chief McCullough desires a full attendance of members at the Somerset street headquarters.

Auto Auction Next Saturday

Unusually large assortment desirable cars sold to highest bidders, cash or deferred payment. Thompson Auto Co.—Adv. 3-24-6t

REV. J. W. FLYNN MAY COME TO THIS CITY

Reported He Will Succeed Dr. Randolph at Monroe Avenue M. E. Church

Rev. J. W. Flynn, who has been pastor of the Methodist Church at Bernardsville for the past three years, is expected to be transferred to the Monroe Avenue Church, this city, at the annual session of the Newark Conference which opens at Newark on Wednesday. Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph has been pastor of the local church four years, and recently asked that he might be given another charge next year, the decision being reached following the death of his wife several months ago.

In the opinion of those in close touch with conference affairs it is believed that not more than 10 per cent. of the approximately 300 ministers will be transferred. Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of the First Church and Rev. C. S. Gillespie, of Grace Church, the borough, will undoubtedly be returned for another year.

Rev. Dr. Jesse Lyman Hurlbut, formerly of this city, it is reported will be associate pastor of the new St. Paul's Church, Newark, of which Rev. Dr. George P. Dougherty is to be the pastor.

CHRISTIAN'S DUTY TO GOD AND CHURCH

Archdeacon Bowden Sheppard, of the Trepton diocese, was greeted by a large congregation at Holy Cross Episcopal church yesterday morning when he preached an eloquent sermon from the text, "Before Abraham was, I am," from St. John's Gospel. It was a missionary discourse in which the preacher dwelt upon the importance of the incarnation and the responsibility of the church in continuing the work of the Lord.

The preacher urged all to remember their duty to God and His church, recalling His great sacrifice in sending His Son that the world might be saved. "It was when the people realized Christ's divinity that they began to persecute Him," declared the archdeacon, "and it was not until He was crucified on the cross that His mission here was fulfilled.

"This great sacrifice was the beginning of the foundation of the church," continued the preacher. "It was the sacrifice of an individual for individuals and the obligation rests heavily upon the church to continue and complete God's work, the work of the redemption of the world. The words of our text are a definite assertion of Christ's authority and God-head, which comes to us more forcibly today in the Feast of the Annunciation and the Passion Sunday."

In connection with his sermon, the Archdeacon made an announcement of considerable interest. He said that the altar formerly used at Holy Cross church, which was given to a chapel at Bradley Beach, had just been consecrated, adding that while it had been of service in the local parish so long, the fact that it was now serving another parish should encourage the donors to greater effort and be a source of much inspiration to them in their work of spreading the Gospel.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS ENTERTAIN AT "500"

Under the auspices of Plainfield Council, United Commercial Travelers, a "500" party was given Saturday night in the council's rooms in the Babcock building. There were about one hundred guests and all thoroughly enjoyed the social features. The playing of the popular game was spirited, everybody trying to secure one of the handsome prizes which comprised an electric toaster, mahogany clock, cut-glass, silk stockings, umbrella, flash light, thermos bottle, cuff buttons and a jar of tobacco.

The prize-winners for the women were Mrs. Peter Latourette, Mrs. Phillip Maguire, Mrs. T. E. Currin, Jr., Mrs. Robert Lowrie and Mrs. Frank Boos and those for the men, Matthew E. Ewart, Robert Lowrie, Louis Chevrolet, Phillip Maguire and A. H. Osmun.

At the conclusion of play refreshments were served under the direction of the general committee which consisted of John M. Lewis, chairman; H. G. Tingley, H. N. Foley and A. S. Clinard. The council planned to hold its annual meeting before the party, but this was postponed to April 23, when officers will be elected for the coming year.

DR. YOOD HOME

Dr. Raphael Yood, of Grant avenue, has returned home from a three days' visit with his father in Boston, Mass.

Hear Galli Curci at Mathusek's, three new specials, Memories and Juliet, Home Sweet Home, and Lucia Mad Scene, sung as only this artist can sing them.—Adv.

WOULD REGISTER ALL ALIENS

Mayor Calkins Urges the Passage of a Law to Compel This

Mayor Calkins has recommended to Assemblyman William N. Runyon and Senator Carlton B. Pierce, of Union county the enactment of a law that will require the registration of aliens within this State, or coming into the State, and providing a penalty of not more than $1,000 for failure to do so.

The Legislature adjourned last week, except for the passage of the appropriations bill which will be disposed of at a brief session to be held on Thursday of this week.

Mr. Runyon has sent a copy of the proposed law to Governor Edge with a view to getting his support in an effort to permit the introduction and passage of the measure. The bill which is a duplicate of the one recently passed in New York State is as follows:

"Whenever a State of war shall exist or be imminent between the United States and a foreign country the Governor may, by proclamation, direct and require every subject or citizen of such foreign country in this State and coming into the same, to appear within twenty-four hours before such public authorities as the Governor may designate from time to time and personally register his or her name, residence, business, length of stay, and such other information as the Governor shall prescribe, and every such person shall also from time to time comply with such rules for personal identification as the Governor shall prescribe.

"Upon the proclamation the owner, lessee, or proprietor of every hotel, inn, boarding or rooming house, and private residence within twenty-four hours shall notify public authorities of the presence therein of every such subject or citizen, and shall each day thereafter notify such public authorities of the arrival thereat or departure therefrom of every such subject or citizen.

"Any person not being a foreign subject or citizen as aforesaid, but who to whose citizenship there is doubt, may also be required to appear at any time on notice before such public authorities so designated, and shall be in all respects subject to this act. A failure to comply with any such proclamation or order or regulations of the agents herein provided shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding $1,000 or imprisonment for one year, or both."

GOV. EDGE ISSUES CALL TO THE COLORS

By United Press:

Trenton, March 26.—Formal proclamation for a call to the colors was issued this afternoon, by Governor Edge. This announcement was made following a conference the executive had with Adjutant General Barber and Quartermaster General, C. Edward Murray.

Enlistment in the National Guard, the Governor says is the greatest need of the State now. He says more regiments will probably be called to the colors soon.

The proclamation was given out to call attention of all organizations of the State to the imperative need of having the regiments recruited to full war strength.

While not deprecating any of the activities of the various patriotic organizations that have sent offers of help, he would have them assume more practical ministrations. In his interviews with newspaper men he said that he would have the organizations assure the young men of the State that any obligations they have will be assumed in their absence for the defense of the country, and employment on their return. He would prefer this display of patriotism by taking subscriptions for ambulances and air-craft.

LENTEN MUSICAL IN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual Lenten musical service of the First Baptist choir will be held Thursday evening, April 5. Dubois' oratorio, "The Seven Last Words," will be sung by the full choir, assisted by Miss Mildred Dilley, harpist, and Mrs. Hollis Cubberly, violinist, and W. Paulding De Nike, 'cellist. The public is cordially invited.

CHILD KILLED BY TRAIN

A small girl, believed to be a resident of Cottage place, was killed by a train on the Central Railroad tracks about 2 o'clock this afternoon. County Physician Westcott was called to the scene to give a permit for the removal of the body to the local morgue.

Another Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Reid, of 20 Westervelt avenue, are the parents of a baby boy born yesterday morning.

DR. W. E. BIEDERWOLF COMING HERE APRIL 4

Will Speak at High School Under Auspices of First Baptist C. E. Society

The Rev. Dr. William E. Biederwolf, who conducted the evangelistic campaign in Plainfield last year, will speak in the Plainfield High School Wednesday night, April 4. He will come here under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church. The evangelist was in Lawrence, Mass., last week and this time is now taken up to such an extent that in consenting to visit the city on April 4 arrangements had to be made so that he could leave here about 10 o'clock that night, so that he might reach Syracuse, N. Y., early the next day.

Under the circumstances those in charge will plan to hold the meeting early, so that Dr. Biederwolf can spend as much time here as possible. In connection with his visit here the evangelist will present the work of the Fatull Altar League which he organized some time ago. The league has a large membership in this city. Dr. Biederwolf will be accompanied here by Mr. McEwan, who, it will be remembered, had charge of the large chorus choir which sang at the evangelistic services last year, and effort will be made to have as many members of that choir as possible sing at the meeting on April 4.

STATE POLICE NOT NEEDED

"The Anderson plan of rural defense now in force in North Plainfield Township and the recently organized Home Defense League in Plainfield and other cities of the State, proves the fallacy of the arguments that have been advanced for a State constabulary," declared former Assemblyman William Desroche Anderson, of Watchung avenue, this morning.

Mr. Anderson said: "It seems to me that there is ample evidence now to justify the claim that every community can protect itself against any disturbance of the peace at any time. It is the duty of all law abiding citizens to see that the laws are upheld, and it is only by respecting the rights of others that our own rights are safeguarded.

"Whenever an element arises in any community and threatens the peace of that community, every law abiding citizen should immediately come to the aid of the authorities and put down the lawlessness.

"To create a State police force at an expense of $100,000, which would be greatly increased as time goes on, is not required. If there are interests which would have the State service, and it seems to me such is the case, they should take steps to impress upon the officials of the community in which they or their interests are located the necessity of providing protection.

"That is what they are paying taxes for and are entitled to receive. The small farming sections of the State years ago had their vigilant committees and can have them again. It should be noted that although an effort was made last week to have a State police created for the protection of the rural sections, the people of these sections made no request for such protection, and if they had they should have been told to handle the matter themselves.

"What a ridiculous thing it would be if Plainfield and North Plainfield were to ask the State to furnish police protection, thereby enabling them to do away with the expense of maintaining their own police departments. Would not such a proposal be frowned upon? The answer is obvious." The organization of defense leagues and rural police, composed of citizens of the communities where these organizations have been formed, is a good thing because it is expressive upon the people the responsibilities of citizenship, which many are prone to disregard.

WILL SPEAK IN COSTUME OF ASSAM

The anniversary of the Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will be observed tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Samuel Ayres, of Assam, will deliver an address on that country and will be in costume. Tea will be served and it is hoped that all members and friends who are interested will be present.

GERMANIA SOCIETY TO MEET

The Plainfield Germania Beneficial Society will hold its monthly meeting in Suengerbund Hall Thursday night.

For Easter Dainty printed cards at Brower's, 211 Park avenue, next to Telephone office, also gummed devices and cut outs.—Adv. 3-26-3t

LINER ST. LOUIS, FIRST ARMED PASSENGER SHIP, ARRIVES SAFELY

By United Press:

Washington, March 26.—The American liner St. Louis, the first American ship to sail for a British port with guns aboard, has arrived safely at her destination.

The St. Louis sailed from New York, March 17. She was the first American passenger vessel to traverse the submarine zone after President Wilson announced that American ships would be armed.

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST GERMAN SPIES

By United Press:

Washington, March 26.—Every precaution against German spying or ruthlessness against the United States is being taken by the Government. To guard against such things is the main answer behind orders calling out the militia.

While these forces stand guard over arsenals, munition plants, shipyards, big bridge-spans, and public buildings, the navy is crowding its recruiting, raising one additional men authorized when President Wilson signs the order making the maximum navy strength 87,000 men. This strength will be increased to 100,000, if present plans are carried out by Congress.

While warlike preparations proceed, the army has completed a reorganization into six departments. The military arm of the Government proposes to take no chances with German intrigue.

The Zimmermann-Mexican-Japanese plot and others convinced the United States of the extent to which Germany could and would go. (Other preparedness news on other pages.)

U. S. DECLINES TO DISCUSS TREATY WITH GERMANY

By United Press:

Washington, March 26.—Practically accusing Germany of regarding treaties as "scraps of paper," the United States note regarding reconstruction of the 1799 treaty informed Germany that "further engagements would be useless."

The note made public today, added that the United States is seriously considering whether or not Germany's "flagrant violations" had not abrogated the 1785, 1799 and 1828 treaties.

After reciting Germany's violations of the treaty the note adds: "In view of the clear violation of the plain terms of the treaty in question, solemnly concluded on the mutual understanding that the obligations thereunder would be faithfully kept; in view further, of the disregard of the canons of international courtesy, and the comity of nations, in the treatment of innocent citizens of Germany, the government of the United States cannot perceive any advantages that would flow from further engagements, even though they were merely declaratory of international law entered into with the Imperial German government. In regard to the meaning of any of the articles of the treaties, or as supplementary to them.

"In these circumstances, therefore, the government of the United States declines to enter the special protocol proposed by the Imperial Government."

ADDITIONAL NATIONAL GUARD CALLED TO SERVICE

By United Press:

Washington, March 26.—Additional National Guard organizations were called into Federal service today, in eighteen States. They will be used for police protection purposes. These States are: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, South and North Dakota, Colorado, Wyoming, Ohio, Washington, Oregon, California, Idaho, Montana.

The following organizations are ordered into service: Michigan, 33rd infantry; Colorado, first and second separate battalion infantry; Ohio, third and sixth regiments.

MISS HOWELL BRIDE OF W. D. MACDONALD

Miss Elsie Mae Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Howell, of Pond place, became the bride of William D. MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. MacDonald, of Manning avenue, the borough, the ceremony taking place at the Church of the Heavenly Rest Friday evening, March 23.

Rev. Cortlandt Mallery, rector of the church, officiated. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gardner, of Lincoln place, the borough. After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald will reside on Pond place.

Both the bride and the bridegroom have a wide circle of friends in the city and borough.

PADEREWSKI TONIGHT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Paderewski, the world's greatest pianist, comes to the Plainfield high school tonight, under the auspices of the Plainfield Musical Club.

There is only one Paderewski. Seldom arise and say he is fad, but year after year peoples of all countries, professionals and laymen alike, throng to hear him wherever and whenever he may play. But behind the fad is the most wonderful pianist of the world knows. There have been Liszt, Rubinstein and Paderewski and now there is only Paderewski.

He is now in America for the tenth time. He will be playing upward of eighty times in as many cities and one of these cities is Plainfield.

Klein Bros. All Colored Minstrels Organized in This City

The colored minstrel aggregation that was such a big success at the High school on Friday, February 23 has been organized and is now known as Klein Bros. All Colored Minstrels.

Harry Allen, of this city, has been selected as business manager and negotiations are now under way for several dates to be placed in nearby towns and cities.

A return engagement will be played in the High school on Thursday, April 19.

PLAINFIELD TO AID 400 BELGIAN CHILDREN

The Plainfield Belgian Relief Society has been asked by the Hoover Commission to help towards the supplementary meal to be provided for the weakened and anaemic children of Belgium. The local society has responded by assuming the provision of this additional daily meal for a town with a child population of 400.

The payment of a dollar a month or twelve dollars a year guarantees this feeding for one child for a year, and the Society feels confident that there are 400 people in Plainfield who will gladly come forward to meet this appeal. This added amount of nourishment means all the difference between life and death to children struggling with adverse conditions of health engendered by long-sustained privation, always when sufficient nourishment is most important.

Contributions should be sent without delay, either to Boardman Tyler, treasurer of the sub-committee, or to Miss E. B. Hartridge, treasurer of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society. All the money collected will go ultimately through the society to the Hoover Commission.

AUTO MISHAP DAZES SCOTCH PLAINS MAN

Dazed after being struck by an automobile in Newark early Saturday night, William T. Head, forty-seven years old, of Mountainview avenue, Scotch Plains, boarded a Paterson-bound trolley and got off at the Big Tree car barns, Nutley, where he was found early yesterday morning by Patrolman George Mabbitt.

Head was taken to Nutley police headquarters, where Dr. Edward P. Whelan sewed four stitches in his lip, which had been cut open in the mishap. Head said he was crossing Clinton street, near Broad street, Newark, when struck.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. J. Erwin Hillpot, of East Fifth street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Ethel Harper Hillpot, to Elmer C. Hutchins, of Trenton.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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A most unusual presentation. All are reproductions of the costliest styles designed this season. Georgette Crepe, high class Crepe de Chine, Crepe Meteor, Taffeta, Shantung, Khaki-Kool, trimmed. Sizes for Ladies and Misses.

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Full Spring line of the above style Corset. For tall, short, slender and full figures. The smartly dressed women choose the front-lacing models for style and comfort. Prices $2.00 to $10.00.

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In all the new Khaki-Kool patterns and colors; 36-inch 75c and $1.25 yd.
Taffeta Silk, 36-inch $1.25
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MODERN STORAGE PLANT COMPLETED

Plainfield Warehouse Company Invites Inspection of Up-to-date Structure

After many months required in building, the Plainfield Storage Warehouse Company has opened its modern fire and burglar-proof warehouse on Third street, just east of Watchung avenue, and invited inspection on the part of the public. There are larger structures of this character throughout the country, but, according to experts, there are none more complete. Here everything from foodstuffs to automobiles—in fact everything that can be stored, will be received by the company.

The building, which is 100x70, has four floors and a basement, all constructed of corn-plate and concrete, which composition in case of fire will not buckle or crack. There are 25,000 square feet of floor space in the building, and already 10,000 square feet is occupied by automobiles, gas ranges, furniture, etc. Yesterday two carloads of potatoes were received for storage, and other similar shipments are expected soon.

The third floor of the building is sub-divided into single and double rooms, seventy in all, where all kinds of goods can be stored by individuals for any length of time desired. One of the important features is the Otis elevator of 5,000 pounds capacity. This measures 8x20 and is large enough to permit the driving of a furniture van on it for the delivery of goods on any floor or in the basement. The building is so close to the railroad tracks that goods can easily be transferred back and forth.

The warehouse is equipped with all modern conveniences and the doors are hung at such an angle that in case of fire, and should it be necessary to use hose in the building, the water would quickly run front and back through apertures provided at either end. But in no case could either the fire or water reach the stored goods.

Each floor is provided with a modern lavatory, and the heating arrangement is so constructed that the temperature can be raised or lowered in any room in the building or shut off entirely if necessary. So far as known, this is the only building of the kind in this section of the country, and during the construction and since experts, from many distant points have come here to inspect it. They pronounce it to be one of the best they have seen anywhere.

Another advantageous feature is the location. The warehouse is so near the heart of the city that it is accessible at all points. Every doorway, passageway entrance and exit has a fire-proof door, not a foot of wood being used in the construction.

The building was erected by B. F. Tallamy & Bro., of this city, following the designs made by Peter Koehler, of this city. Many of the up-to-date ideas incorporated in the structure were his suggestions.

The officers of the company are: President, Clifford D. Manning; vice president, Harold E. White; secretary-treasurer, Frank J. Hubbard. Walter L. Manning is one of the directors and Harvey P. Clawson is the manager in charge of the warehouse.

CAPT. F. W. VOGEL IS CALLED TO JOIN COMPANY

Capt. Frederick W. Vogel, of Company H, Seventy-first Regiment, N. G. N. Y., was summoned to New York this morning to join his company, which has been called into active service. Captain Vogel is associated with William E. Briggs at the Edison Diamond Disc Studio on West Front street.

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No Charge Sales

Oats . . . $1.50 per bag 75 lbs
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No more than five bags of each to a customer.

Delivery 10 cents per bag extra. :-:

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ON THE BRIDGE

ATTENTION

YOUNG MEN of Plainfield and Vicinity

Company K is Prepared

But needs a few more men between 18 and 35 years old to drill and fit themselves for the call when it comes. Company K proposes to list the names of young men willing to join with the Regiment, have them examined physically by the surgeon, and if passed by him, to have them drill as though regularly enlisted, but the oath of allegiance will not be taken by these men, the oath only to be taken if the Company is called.

In the meantime, each man so listed will drill with the organization and will be ready and fit for the proper time.

Sixty Men Are Wanted at Once

Call To-night! Call To-night!!

On Captain Peterson, at Armory, 320 West Front Street, Plainfield, N. J., from 8 P. M.

PUBLIC SERVICE CORP'N ISSUES ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report of Public Service Corporation of New Jersey for 1916, covering the activities of the corporation and its subsidiary operating companies, railway, gas and electric, has just been issued to the shareholders by President Thomas N. McCarter.

The report shows that the corporation shared in the general prosperity prevalent throughout the country during the past year. The operating revenue of the subsidiary companies was $42,548,776.10, an increase for the year of $5,077,546.86, or 13.6 per cent. The non-operating income amounted to $516,529.28 and the income from securities pledged and from miscellaneous sources added $1,802,536.19.

Operating expenses, including amortization charges and taxes totaled $25,836,854.24. Bond interest, rentals and miscellaneous interest charges of the subsidiary companies amounted to $13,963,113.75, and the corporation's interest charges, amortization of debt discount and expense, sinking fund charges and other contractural deductions from income totaled $4,099,004.99.

The net increase in surplus before payment of dividends was $2,947,535.57. Dividends at the rate of seven per cent. per annum for the first quarter of the year and at the rate of eight per cent. per annum for the last three-quarters, aggregating $1,937,500, were paid upon the capital stock of the corporation amounting to $35,000,000 at par.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA GIVE A EUCHRE PARTY

Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America, gave a euchre party Saturday evening, the affair being largely attended by the members. The entire evening was given up to playing euchre, after which refreshments were served by the social committee from the council. Mrs. Fred Welsh won the first prize for the women and Mrs. Thomas Leacock the second prize. Guillermo Thorn and Albert Snowden won the first and second pries for the men.

In the future Martha Washington Council will hold its meetings in Junior Hall on East Front street, to which place it has just moved. Here excellent accommodations have been provided for the members of the organization.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Friendship Lodge, No. 4, Daughters of Rebecca, will give a euchre party to-morrow night in its rooms in the Coward building on Park avenue, and on the following Tuesday night there will be initiation.

AT WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS

Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, who has been stopping with Mrs. A. M. Irons, at her winter home, Ormond, Fla., has arrived at White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, for a short stay.

$15 Clothes Buyers Please Note

PADEREWSKI'S genius is just as marked in rendering a simple folk song as it is in a rhapsody by Liszt.

Caruso confines himself to classical song, but he would be worth while hearing even if he sang a popular tune.

And by the same process of reasoning a Rothberg Suit at $15 differs from one at $30.00 only in the respect that it is a less pretentious proposition.

Like Caruso himself we are equally good at a popular tune.

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LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted

THINK of a cigarette "served" to you as appetizingly as the hot, buttered toast that comes to your breakfast table.

Well, that's the idea on this new Lucky Strike cigarette: the tobacco—it's toasted. There's a thought to make your mouth water for a new cigarette flavor.

Until we discovered the toasting principle, a good ready-made cigarette from Burley tobacco wasn't possible; flavor wouldn't hold.

Yet there was the big million-man-power affection for Burley—60 million pounds poured from those green, blue and red tin boxes last year.

The old kitchen stove—the toasting fork

So we worked five years—then came the big simple idea of toasting the tobacco to hold the flavor. Now, enjoy a really delicious new cigarette flavor: Lucky Strike—the real Burley cigarette—it's toasted.

LUCKY STRIKE
The real Burley
Cigarette

20 for 10¢

If your dealer does not carry them, send $1 for a carton of 10 packages to The American Tobacco Co. N.Y. City

Our men will demonstrate to you how the tobacco is toasted—at many stores

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LUCKY STRIKE LUCKY STRIKE

STUDENTS WILL PRESENT DRAMA

"All Of A Sudden Peggy," the production which the Boys' Athletic Association of North Plainfield High school will present on the Plainfield high school auditorium on the evening of April the third next, promises to be the best ever produced by the pupils of the borough high. The play itself is a most difficult one and was first introduced in London, England, in 1908, with a cast containing such stars as Miss Henrietta Crossman and Charles Bryant, supported by a notable cast. A year later it was produced in New York city, the part of "Peggy" being portrayed by one of the brightest present-day stars, Miss Marie Tempest.

Realizing what is to be expected of them those taking part in the play on the night of April thirteenth have been rehearsing faithfully for the last two months and those who intend to witness the play will undoubtedly have a pleasant surprise in store for them. Tickets are going fast, but as the seating capacity of the city high school will afford ample room for a large crowd, no one should miss it on that account.

Miss Marjorie Carlsalew as "Peggy" is showing surprising adaptability for the leading role in rehearsals. The other parts will be taken by the following: The Misses Madeline Blair, Marion Blair, Dorothy Lee, Lillian Spencer, Robert Daley, William Seidel, William Ahern, Alfred Wright, Andrew McDonough and Vincent La Porte.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The "Fashion Show" will be the attraction at the association rooms Thursday night.

The first anniversary of the association orchestra will be celebrated Friday night with a party. An attractive program is being arranged.

The Vesper Club met Saturday night and made arrangements for the vesper service next Sunday afternoon, when Mrs. Swinburne of the National Y. W. C. A. Board, is expected to speak.

The basketball team of the Saxon Y. W. C. A. will play a return game with the local association team at 8 o'clock Saturday night on the Y. M. C. A. court. The visitors will remain here over night as guests of the Plainfield team.

The English classes will meet at the Y. W. C. A. rooms tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. These are intended for foreign-speaking girls who cannot read nor write, and a special invitation is extended to all such to join these classes.

BOROUGH DISTURBER FINED $5 IN COURT

William Rush, of Ouer street, was arraigned before Recorder Heath in Borough Court this morning and fined $5 for disorderly conduct on Somerset street. Rush was arrested by Roundsman Charles Keller on Saturday night. The man was first implicated in a street affray with James Pasco of College place, which finally landed him behind the bars. Pasco failed to appear in court today.

Mortimer Hughes, of Harrison avenue, was fined $2 for riding a motorcycle on the sidewalk on Plainmore avenue. He also failed to have his machine properly lighted.

Harold Willard has been summoned to appear in court for reckless driving of his automobile on Somerset street.

BREAKS CHILD'S HAND

Perth Amboy, March 26.—Accused of breaking the hand of his little daughter, David Walsh was jailed here Saturday night. He was drunk at the time and injured his child by hurling an empty whiskey flask at her. The child dodged and the flask struck her hand, breaking several bones. A week ago Walsh escaped a jail sentence by promising to quit drinking for six months.

Judge Daly Sails for Cuba

Judge Peter F. Daly and daughter, Miss Margaret Daly, of New Brunswick, started Saturday on a trip to Cuba.

CAMPHOROLE! AT ONCE RELIEVES COLDS

It easily loosens congestion, and drives out that cold in the head, throat or chest

If you have a sore, tight, chest, cold in the head or a raw sore throat. Get a jar of Camphorole from the nearest drug store, and watch how it will loosen up that cough, cold and congestion in chest.

Do not treat your colds lightly; this is pneumonia season. The remarkable success of Camphorole is entirely due to wintergreen, menthol and camphor, prepared in a synthetic way to give results.

Physicians recommend Camphorole for Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Croup, Whooping Cough, Tonsilitis, Pleurisy, Neuralgia, Asthma, Stiff Neck, useful in Broncho-Pneumonia.

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TUMULTY URGES EDGE TO ACT ON LOCAL OPTION

Washington, March 26.—Secretary Tumulty called upon Governor Edge, of New Jersey, last week, to exercise leadership and force through the Legislature a local option measure.

Upon receiving word that the local option bill had died in the lower branch of the Legislature, Tumulty said:

"I do not feel at all chagrined by the defeat of the home rule bill; but every citizen of New Jersey must deplore the subtle methods of political manipulation by which its defeat was accomplished. Those members of the Legislature who brought this about cannot escape their responsibility.

"As William N. Runyon, Republican member from Union county, said, 'A solemn pledge of party policy has been violated.' It is now time for Governor Edge to exercise that personal leadership over his own party, to which he so eloquently adverted in his inaugural. He cannot remain indifferent in this matter without assuming full responsibility for his party's action in both Houses of the Legislature.

"Governor Edge is now privileged to play the role of party leader in a great contest."

SABBATH SCHOOL RE-ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Sabbath school of the Seventh Day Baptist church was held last evening in the edifice, and much interest was manifested in the business that came before the session. Very encouraging reports of the various officers were received, and the school made its usual contributions to local charities and denominational branches of the society.

W. C. Hubbard was re-elected superintendent of the school, and many of the other officers were re-elected as follows: Assistant superintendents, Henry M. Maxson and Asa F. Randolph; secretary, Nathan S. Wardner; treasurer, Irving A. Hunting; chorister, Franklin H. Langworthy; pianist, Mrs. Roland M. Davis; primary superintendent, Mrs. Nathan E. Lewis; home department superintendent, Miss Nancy F. Randolph. The auditors selected were C. F. Titsworth and George M. Clark.

FREEHOLDER'S WIFE KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Mrs. Andrew Ely, of Dayton, the wife of Freeholder Ely, of Middlesex county, was killed and three others were injured yesterday afternoon when an automobile overturned on the road near Cranbury.

In the car with Mrs. Ely were her mother, Mrs. Bertha Osborne, Mr. Ely's mother and Mr. Ely, who was driving. The machine turned over when Mr. Ely lost control of it as he started to turn a corner.

HOPE CHAPEL NOTES

Holy Communion will be observed at the chapel on Easter Sunday evening.

The annual inspection and drill of Troop No. 12 of Boy Scouts will be held on Thursday evening of this week.

Plans have been completed for the holding of evangelistic meetings each evening next week, excepting Saturday evening. The services will be started next Sunday, Palm Sunday morning.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold its annual meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at which time the officers for the coming year will be elected and reports received for the past year.

FELL OFF WATER WAGON

The king bolt of one of the borough water wagons broke this morning on Grandview avenue, and but for the presence of mind of the driver, the horses would have run away. The driver was thrown from the wagon, but managed to hold on to the reins. Otherwise the damage was slight.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

Miss Hilda Van Winkle will be the speaker in the Rescue Mission, Park Avenue, this evening. Miss Hadley will sing. Everybody will receive a hearty welcome.

ALL THREE PRIZES WON BY MEMBERS OF TROOP 9

Announcement was made today that three members of Troop 9, of the First Methodist church had won the prizes offered by Arthur M. Harris to the members of the Boy Scouts here writing the best essay on Scoutcraft. Caryl Dunavan won the first prize, Donald Willett second and Howard Hall third.

THEIR SON DIED IN MT. KISCO

Mrs. Samuel Kriney, of Mariners place, received word this morning from Mr. and Mrs. William Carpenter, of Mt. Kisco, N. Y., of the death of their son, George Carpenter, aged 8 years, which occurred on Friday last following a long illness from complications. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and their son formerly lived on Mariners place, removing from here three years ago.

BANK CLERK KILLS SELF WITH A BORROWED GUN

Using a revolver belonging to Rowland B. McIntyre, a former member of the Plainfield police department, Herman O. Kopp, 28 years old, a clerk employed in the National Bank of Commerce, New York, where McIntyre is a watchman, shot and killed himself on the second floor of the bank building, 31 Nassau street, Saturday afternoon.

He obtained the revolver from McIntyre by telling him that the chief of the department, W. B. Bertolf, wanted to get the number of the pistol. McIntyre, thinking that his direct employer wanted to record the number, gave the revolver to Kopp, who immediately went into the wash room and killed himself. William Maloney, a bank messenger, was in the room at the time.

NETHERWOOD DUTCH ARMS MEETS THIS EVENING

The regular monthly meeting of the Netherwood Dutch Arms Club will be held at the parsonage, 222 Leland avenue, this evening, at 8 o'clock. A special program has been arranged by the chairman of the entertainment committee, Mr. Enoch. After the meeting refreshments are to be served. A full attendance is urged, as important matters are to be considered.

All men of the East End section are cordially invited to become members of the club, and help plan for the social and moral welfare of the community. Mr. Hughes will preside.

ANONYMOUS LETTERS ADVERTISING SCHEME

Those who received anonymous letters last week containing a piece of wire with the information that it was "dead," but that a "live wire" would be received this week need not be nervous. Mayor Calkins has discovered the letter writer, who states that the epistles convey no threat and are part of a highly-developed advertising scheme.

Rasores Meets Tomorrow

The Rasores will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Halloway, of East Seventh street.

SPECIAL SERVICES IN BETHEL CHAPEL

The Rev. William Lloyd Imes preached a special sermon yesterday afternoon in Bethel Chapel before Josephus Lodge, No. 18, K. of P., and Douglas Company, No. 11, Uniformed Rank, and in the evening before the Men's Club. During the latter service Mr. Imes installed the following officers of the club: President, A. W. Brown; vice president, Albert Shipley; secretary, Dr. R. C. Wormley; treasurer, George Dillon.

POLICE COURT

Anthony Carbo and Larry Cebralo, boys, of Newark, were arrested here yesterday charged with vagrancy. In the city court this morning Judge DeMeza released them on a suspended sentence.

Edward Rice, colored, was obliged to pay $5 a week for the support of his wife when arraigned on complaint of overseer of the poor.

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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

GAVE A PARTY FOR HER EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

A party was given on Friday afternoon in honor of the eighth birthday of Lucille Burke, at her home on Monroe avenue. There were about twenty-five guests present from Roselle Park, Dunellen, Plainfield and Easton, Pa. There were games and music and refreshments were served during the afternoon. The dining room was gay with electric lights and flags. The favors were yellow and white.

THE FUNERAL OF JOHN LAFARANO

John Lafarano's funeral who died Saturday at his home in South Plainfield, was held this afternoon in the Sacred Heart church, and interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery. Mr. Lafarano was thirty-five years of age. He leaves his mother and five brothers.

ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS MEET

The Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman's Suffrage held its monthly meeting this morning at the home of Mrs. E. S. Hyatt on East Ninth street. Encouraging reports were presented of the many activities of the local association, and plans were discussed for the coming season.

HIGH HEELS PUT CORNS ON TOES

Tells women how to dry up a corn so it lifts out without pain.

Modern high-heeled footwear buckles the toes and produces corns, and many of the thousands of hospital cases of infection and lockjaw are the result of woman's suicidal habit of trying to cut away these painful growths.

For little cost there can be obtained at any pharmacy a quarter of an ounce of a drug called freezone, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus without the slightest danger or inconvenience.

A few drops applied directly upon the tender, aching corn stops the soreness, and shortly the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out. It is a sticky substance, which dries the moment it is applied, and thousands of men and women use it because the corn shrivels up and comes out without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Cut this out and try it if your corns bother you.—Adv.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 26.

War conference of allies at Paris.

Austrians and Italians both claimed honors in a forty hour battle at Goritz.

Two Years Ago Today.

East Prussia was again free of invading Russian armies. Italy was preparing to enter the war, but apparently awaiting the action of Bulgaria.

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1917.

SECOND DEFEAT FOR THE MORRIS PLAN

A bill introduced by Assemblyman Runyon, to authorize the alleged Morris Plan Industrial System of Loan Banks, was defeated in the House of Assembly on Wednesday last. Last year the "Morris Plan" was rejected by the Senate after a strenuous campaign by Mr. Morris and his associates, to place upon the statutes of New Jersey a law that would give a certain corporation the privilege of using a copyrighted method of making loans on "Three-Signature-Paper," at 6 per cent. per annum, and a fee of $1.00 on every multiple of $50.00 borrowed; consequently, if a loan of $100 was desired, all the borrower receives is $92.00 cash, which must be returned in weekly instalments of $2.00 each for fifty weeks, with a penalty attached of five cents on each payment of $1 in the event of not meeting the instalment on its exact due date, so a comparison with that system of making loans and the present "Egan Small Loan Act" which has been in operation in this State since 1914, is worthy of notice. One can borrow from an Egan Law Loan Office the sum of $100, receive the full amount in cash and the only cost as interest figured at three per cent. monthly upon actual unpaid balance; in other words, if a borrower returns the $100 to an Egan Law Loan Office in thirty days, the total cost is $3.00, whereas, under the proposed "Morris Plan" the sum of $8.00 is exacted for the same period, with a further obligation to purchase a stock certificate not maturing for fifty weeks from date of loan. From it can be seen that the public are being more advantageously served under the present Egan Law Loan office than under the "system" that has twice been defeated in the State of New Jersey. The Egan Law Loan Offices are under the supervision of the Banking Department of the State of New Jersey, and there is a State Association that co-operates with the Banking Department in seeing that all members conform to the rules and regulations that have dignified the small loan business and made it worthy of recognition from the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

WILL THE WOMEN SMOKE?

Many social changes will follow this war, everyone admits. Daily life and social manners of Europe are being up-

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has applications for houses renting from $25 to $50 per month and is seeking additional listings. They also have a demand for modern houses for sale, ranging in price from $4,500 to $9,000.

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set. The new practices and customs following incidentally from the war will spread over here. A dispatch from London says that cigarette smoking has become so universal among women war workers, that some of the London suburban railways are establishing women's smoking compartments on certain trains. Does that mean that smoking by women will soon become general here. Among the higher-ups of this country smoking by women is a somewhat established custom. You can't argue it out that it is any worse for women than for men. But somehow it seems repugnant to the great majority of our middle class woman. The attitudes of men on such matters is wholly illogical. They are constantly condemning women for doing the things they do themselves. A great many of the men smokers would be a bit shocked to see their wives and daughters lighting up. But woman is a law unto herself, and if she sees fit to smoke up, she will and "there's an end on't."

TOO MANY LAWS

Americans are a nation of law breakers. But worse than that, we not infrequently permit our officials to become persecutors by means of the law and because of the personal gain there may be in it. For example, there are thousands of laws on the national, State and municipal statute books which are more than stringent enough if reasonably well enforced, but they become dead letters until some one sees an opportunity of making a nice little haul either through fees or through a portion of the fine which follows. Then when the opportunity of making money has passed, the whole matter is dropped. In practice the thing becomes a sort of a legal hold-up rather than a means of keeping the affairs of the nation, State or borough running along in a decent and law-abiding manner. This kind of thing gradually breeds in the minds of citizens contempt, not only for the laws, but for officials as well.

MORE MIDSHIPMEN

A provision in the naval appropriation bill provides for the appointment of one hundred enlisted men annually as midshipmen at the Naval Academy instead of 25. In speaking of this provision Secretary Daniels said: "This opens more doors of advancement, promotion and opportunity to the enlisted personnel of the navy. The men who have already entered the Naval Academy from the ranks have demonstrated the wisdom of appointing those who have had actual experience on battleships. Aspiring young men will now in great numbers enlist in the navy because of the larger opportunity for realizing their hopes to become naval officers. This incentive will powerfully attract to the service many of the ambitious and capable youth of the country."

LOYALTY AMONG FISHERMEN

The Gloucester fishermen are considered the best sailors in existence. In the old days of the whaling fleet and of the great merchant marine of the United States the Gloucester lads took important parts. Since the decadence of American mari-

time supremacy the fishermen have been sticking to their business of going to the banks for fares of cod. Most of the sailors of the freighters are of foreign nationality, but at this time the Gloucester fishermen are responding in force to their country's call for service. Capt. Sol Jacobs, seventy-nine years old, leads a bunch of recruits eager to join the navy when the call was issued the other day. Captain Jacobs will find plenty of work to do with the Naval Reserve.

EDITORIAL NOTES

In view of the diplomatic intrigue revelations, leakers are in more favor than they were recently.

It is quite possible that Uncle Sam is not so verdant and unsophisticated a youth as he looks in some foreign capitals.

Formerly to make money on food you had to invest several millions to corner the supply. Now you merely give out the story saying the supply is short.

The "leak" investigating committee cost $50,000, and its reports were worth it as good fireside reading.

Formerly the business man worried at night because he was not making money—now he worries for fear he didn't lock the wood shed door where the potatoes are kept.

A lunacy commission decided on Harry Thaw's case, and while about it, might have discussed the sanity of the people who wanted him let out.

The elaborate display of the inauguration exercises will be severely condemned by those who went to Washington and didn't get an office.

There is no lack of overt acts on the part of the food speculators.

About the only way the United States States can get accurate information about its military resources is to ask the foreign spies.

It is claimed the United States is drunk with gold, but there are quite a number of bone-dry localities in the country.

Of course if we have war we must be governed by the high ideals of our Pacifists friends, and not fire on the enemy until he has had plenty of time to get under cover.

It seems foolish for any foreign government to pay 100,000 spies in this country, as the metropolitan newspapers make public all the confidential information there is.

The new one dollar bills are being worked off as fivers, and it must be tough on the swindlers to have to provide a real bill instead of the customary green goods.

MRS. ALBERT L. KENNELLY CHOSEN VICE PRESIDENT

Mrs. Albert L. Kennelly, formerly of this city, was elected vice president of the Cranford branch of the National Red Cross Society at a meeting in Cranford Saturday night. The new branch starts with a membership of 400, and Albert W. Staub, director of the Atlantic division of the Red Cross, congratulated the people of Cranford upon the excellent start they have made in the work.

IN FIVE MINUTES NO SICK STOMACH INDIGESTION, GAS

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You don't know what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sick, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented and turned sour; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin to neutralize acidity and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a sick, sour, gassy, upset stomach occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily, that it is really astonishing. Your Stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.—Adv.

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DR. J. S. ZELIE TO BE A SPEAKER

The Rev. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, has accepted an invitation from Judge Newcorn, chairman of the local Jewish War Relief Committee, to address the mass meeting to be held in Columbus Auditorium on the night of April 3, when Rabbi Wise, of New York, is to be the principal speaker.

The local committee is working industriously to raise $10,000 here for the Jewish war sufferers in all parts of Europe.

Judge Newcorn issued this statement this morning:

"The dawn of a republican form of government in Russia comes with the gladness of the morning sun to thousands of Jews in America who were forced to leave the land of their nativity because of the intolerable political conditions existing there.

"The new form of government in Russia will enable the Jew to take his place among his fellow men and to work in hearty co-operation with other citizens for the development and advancement of Russia along all lines of civil, political and economic betterment.

"It will relieve the Jews of America from the worry and suspense that they have felt for relatives left behind when they came here, and it will also relieve them of the financial burden which they have long been obliged to bear in assisting their less fortunate friends across the sea.

"In view of these facts, it is the more necessary that American Jews should display a generously transcending any previous attempts in coming to the aid of the war sufferers. They may not be asked to do it again, for with Russia under a republican form of government, the Jewish section of its population enjoying the equality of opportunity that all men should share, will henceforth be in a position to aid the suffering members of the race without aid from America.

MORE PAY FOR COUNTY DETECTIVES

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 26.—The bill to permit an increase in the salary of county detectives, Senate No. 59, by Mr. Hammond, of Mercer, has just been approved by Governor Edge. It applies to all counties having a population of between 70,000 and 300,000. It provides that in counties between 70,000 and 200,000 population, the county detectives shall receive from $1,500 to $2,000; and between 200,000 and 300,000 population, from $1,800 to $2,000. There is a proviso that no detectives shall receive any increase in salary until he shall have served five continuous years in such position, the increase to be allowed only at the rate of $100 for each year of service over five years.

ROBERT P. SKILLING'S ADDRESS

Robert P. Skilling, author and director of the comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," to be given on April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks, with Mrs. Skilling, is living at the residence of William Hadley, 402 East Fifth street. Those wishing to see them may make appointments by telephone.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Peoples Bank & Trust Company, a corporation, complainant, and Jennie G. F. Runkle and Harry G. Runkle, her husband, defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office in the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF APRIL A. D. 1917.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All that certain tract or parcel of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, together with the buildings erected thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of Eighth Street, distant three hundred and eighty and five tenths (380.5) feet in a southerly from the intersection of the formerly Brooklyn Avenue, now Plainfield Avenue, and Eighth Street; and running from thence along the centre line of Eighth Street north forty-seven degrees, twenty-six minutes east three hundred and thirteen and three tenths (313.3) feet to a point; thence (2) south forty-two degrees, thirty-four minutes east two hundred and eighty-six and two tenths (286.2) feet to a stake, and corner of a lot sold to one Wright; thence (3) running along his line north eighty-nine degrees, forty-five minutes east two hundred and seven and five tenths (207.5) feet to a stake and corner of Wrighton's land in the middle of formerly Avalon Street, now Field Avenue; thence (4) southeasterly along the centre line of said Avenue two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-three hundredths (256.63) feet to a point which is distant two hundred and thirty-one and sixty-one hundredths (231.61) feet northwesterly from the intersection of the centre lines of Field and Middle Avenues; thence (5) south eighty-three degrees, five minutes west and parallel with Stelle Avenue four hundred and seventy and eighty-one hundredths (470.81) feet to a stake; thence (6) north two degrees, fifty-five minutes west a distance of ninety-five and seventy-five hundredths (95.75) feet to a point; thence (7) north forty-two degrees, thirty-four minutes west two hundred and eighty-six and forty-five hundredths (286.45) of a foot to the centre of Eighth Street and the place of beginning.

GEORGE C. OTTO, Sheriff.
WHITEHEAD & APPLETON, Sol'rs.
3—12-4m EI JAPCN

PUBLIC NOTICE

My wife, Margaret Locke, having left my bed and board, I will no longer be responsible for any debts contracted by her. All persons interested will please govern themselves accordingly. FRED LOCKE.
Dated March 26, 1917. 3-26-4t

BOYS' DAY IN TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Yesterday was observed as "Boys' Day" in the Temple Baptist church and Sunday school, and in every way it was a great day, everything throughout the day adding to the success of it. A special effort was made to get the boys and the men to all the services, and the result was most gratifying. The Bible school met at the usual time, with more than 75 per cent. of its enrollment present. After a special preliminary program the classes met for their regular study period. When this was finished, they returned to the church in a place reserved for them, practically the whole school remaining. Then without any break the school merged right into the church service. The pastor, the Rev. F. C. Conover, here took charge. A short story was told by the primary department, then they were dismissed, as many as cared to go.

The sermon of the morning was for the younger boys, and the pastor preached on "The Sailor and His Anchor."

In the evening there was another large audience. There were many fathers and sons seen sitting together. The choir was made up entirely of men, and after a spirited song service the pastor spoke on Daniel, the man who dared to do right, and whose success was due to the fact that from his earliest childhood his life was dominated by a definite purpose, and in spite of every handicap he came to the front.

LECTURE ON MEXICO

Thursday night Ada B. Talbot will deliver a lecture at the high school on "Mexico—Yesterday, and Today." Miss Talbot is an interesting speaker and is thoroughly conversant with her subject.

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The desirable plot of Building Lots, situated part on Jackson and Belmont Avenues, and one block from Manning Avenue. This location is a very promising residential section of the Borough of North Plainfield. A number of modern dwellings have been erected in the vicinity and to any one anticipating building a home or buying for investment, it is an ideal spot, and within a short distance of the trolley line and fifteen minutes walk from Railroad Station. Several prospective buyers have declared their intention of purchasing one or more lots. The lots will be sold free and clear from all incumbrances. Conditions made known on premises day of sale. For further information and maps of property, apply at office of AUCTIONEER R. MURRAY, 326 West Front St. Phone 666

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CIVILIANS TO DRILL IN STATE ARMORIES

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 26.—Announcement was made today that New Jersey has taken a step forward officially along the lines of universal military training. Following the suggestion made by Governor Edge, Adjutant General Charles W. Barker has forwarded instructions to the commanding officer of each organization of the National Guard occupying armories and drill halls within the State that the State's facilities for aid and training of the members of civilian patriotic societies such as the League of National Defense, Home Defense Guards, etc., shall be extended as far as may be practicable without diminishing the authority or responsibility of the organization commander or materially interfering with the regular and required use of the same facilities by the National Guard.

THE FUNERAL OF PETER W. GARRETSON

The funeral of Peter Wortman Garretson, who died on Friday, was held yesterday afternoon at his late residence on Sherman avenue, the Rev. John T. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The interment was made today in Hopewell.

DEATH OF LITTLE SON

Wilbur, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, of Hillcrest avenue, died this morning in Muhlenberg Hospital. Services will be held tomorrow afternoon in the funeral parlors, North and Park avenues, at 2.30. Interment in the Methodist cemetery, Plainfield avenue.

SURPRISE SHOWER FOR MISS LILLIAN TEETER

Miss Lillian Teeter was given a surprise miscellaneous shower at her home on Clinton avenue Saturday night, when a company of forty friends called and presented her with a large number of beautiful and useful gifts. The affair was a complete surprise, Miss Teeter having no previous intimation of the intended visit. During the evening she entertained the party with piano selections and there was vocal numbers by Miss Marie Cathryne Shafer and Elmer D. Cutting. Games were also a feature. The home was attractively decorated for the event with ferns and jonquils. Later in the evening refreshments were served.

The shower was arranged by Mrs. J. H. Steensen and Miss Edna Beeching. It was late when the guests departed, wishing Miss Teeter much happiness and success. Her marriage to Mr. Cutting will take place in the near future.

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LOST—On Sunday, Boston bull terrier, brown with white markings on head and neck. Reward if returned to 905 West Eighth street, or 'phone 1956. 3-26-2t

LOST—Lady's gold and pearl brooch on Front street, between Sycamore and Park or on Park avenue. Suitable reward if returned to 529 West Front street. 3-26-2t

LOST—On Friday, between Bergen street and Spooner avenue, a grey glove. Please return to 401 Spooner avenue.

LOST—Saturday, Front street, package black crepe de chine from Tepper's. Return H. Pfender, Trusell Court. 3-26-2t

LOST—Lady's purple silk umbrella. Reward if returned to 511 West Seventh street. 3-24-2t

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FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE — 1913 Hupmobile roadster, first-class condition. Call 1022 West Front street. 3-24-2t

SPECIAL OFFER—Complete set of seat covers for Ford cars, including top envelope, made of heavy brown duck, finished with leatherette binding and put on with patented snap fasteners. Price until April 1st: Roadster, $12.00; touring car, $14.50. J. H. De Ley, 34 Somerset street, French's Building. 'Phone 869. 7-24-1y

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

GARDENER (French) wants steady position or day work; experienced. Address 349 Bergen street.

RETAIL SALESMAN, clothing and furnishings; twenty years experience; best references. Harry Cohen, 144 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-3t

MIDDLE-AGED MAN wants place as gardener or handy man about place. D. Bennett, Millstone, R. F. D. No. 1. 1-18-tf

WILL BUY your second mortgage for cash; state particulars and price wanted. "R. S." care Courier-News. 3-26-1t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

JOIN our club plan and save 10 per cent. Excelsior autocycles with Smith motor wheel. Second-hand machines from $30 up. Also high-grade bicycles, cash or installment. Haverford Cycle Co., 945 Broad St., Newark, N. J. 2-24-1m

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FOR SALE—Gentleman's wheel, cheap. 112 Jackson avenue, Boro. 3-21-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walsh's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

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TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-gist. 12-3-tf

GENTLEMAN'S mountain farm, two acres tillable; seven rooms; garage; to rent. "Farm," care Courier-News. 3-15-1m

FOR RENT—Barn, suitable for garage, 243 Somerset street. 3-21-6t

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 1-8-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FLAT TO LET—Six rooms, new house, all improvements. 972 Lexington avenue. 3-24-6t

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, part improvements, West End. Address Box 91, care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

FLAT TO LET—Four rooms, with improvements. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. 'Phone 477-J. 3-26-3t

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FOR EXCHANGE

WILL EXCHANGE free and clear 100-acre farm, $4,250, for local. R. Way. 3-24-3t

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-21-6t

MODERN HOUSE with garage; sacrifice price; exceptional terms; would rent. 325 Prospect avenue, Dunellen. 3-26-28-31

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. Vail 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

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$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2509-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-18-tf

WILL BUY your second mortgage for cash; state particulars and price wanted. "R. S." care Courier-News. 3-26-1t

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EMBROIDERY—Fine eyelet and solid handwork done home; reasonable prices. Call 642 West Third street. 3-24-3t

LAUNDRESS wants small washes at home. 149 East Second street.

COOK—First-class cook wishes position, $45-$50; good manager and pastry baker; city or country. Address "Cook," care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

TWO GIRLS with positions, one as cook and the other as chamber-maid and waitress; good references. Mary Smith; Maple avenue, South Plainfield. 3-26-3t

DAY'S WORK of any kind wanted by reliable woman. 309 Cottage place. 3-26-2t

EXPERIENCED cook wishes position with good American family, first April. Box 13, care Courier-News.

HIGH CLASS DRESSMAKER open for engagements either by day or at home. Address "K. P." care Courier-News. 3-26-6t

COOK—Good, disengaged now, would go to seaside or country in summer. "K." care Courier-News office.

NEW YORK dressmaker desires engagements; experienced in all branches of the trade. Address "Individuality," care Courier-News. 3-26-6t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

A WEEK OF AUCTION SALES for Robert Murray, the auctioneer. On Tuesday (tomorrow) at 1:1/2 Hampton place, Elizabeth, he will sell the contents of a cosy well furnished flat, commencing at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Among the articles to be disposed of are a number of imported articles, such as full tea set of Royal Stafford china, beautifully decorated, and other china, and several pieces of old table silver and steel cutlery, samples of which can be seen at his permanent auction rooms, 326 West Front street; in addition to the above there will be sold table and bed linen, Rogers silverware, several old pieces blue china, imported wool blankets, all of the goods are in fine condition, spic and span. On Wednesday, March 28, at 1:30 p. m., I will hold the last sale in the temporary auction rooms used by me for several months back, over J. M. Gaveet's china store. A choice lot of goods will be disposed of at this sale. See advertisement and list of goods on another page of this paper, and on Thursday, March 29, at 1:30 p. m., I will conduct a sale of household goods, at 216 West Fifth street. See also a list of articles specified in another space of this paper. And on Saturday the real estate of choice building lots, in the borough of North Plainfield. See also advertisement of same in another space of this paper.

ANOTHER AUCTION SALE on Wednesday, March 28th, commencing at 1:30 p. m. in the large auditorium on West Front street, over J. W. Gaveet's china store. The following is a partial list of goods to be sold: One upright piano, oak storage, fine tone, and stool; one small cabinet organ, on storage; 2 pantry bookcases, on storage; 1 hall rack, on storage; box couch, on storage; 3 bundles of pictures, on storage; 1 oak chiffonier, on storage; 1 oak French walnut bed and bureau, on storage; 2 ice boxes, on storage; 1 mahogany bed and bureau, on storage; 2 sideboards, on storage; 2 writing desks, 1 bronze clock, 1 onyx clock, 1 French marble clock, on storage; 5-piece parlor suite, on storage; 2 mounted one plush covered sofa, on storage; all of the above will be sold for storage charges, and a number of other miscellaneous articles will be sold. Robert Murray, auctioneer, permanent auction rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-26-2t

TWO large stoves, kitchen and parlor. Address "Stores," care Courier-News. 3-26-2t

PIANO—Upright, mahogany case; almost new; cheap to cash buyer. Address "G. J. G." care Courier-News. 3-21-6t

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 326 East Second street. 3-21-2w

GOOD road mare for sale, suitable for any delivery business. E. F. Brenner, Terrill road. 3-24-2t-2s

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1246 George street. 2-27-1m

FOR SALE—Young horse, guaranteed; harness and runabout. E. E. Jennings, 28 Linden avenue. 3-26-3t

PUBLIC SALE—W. K. Hope, auctioneer, in the ring yet, calls attention to the sale of personal property of M. McIlrath, at her residence, 3 1/2 miles from Metuchen and 4 miles from Stelton Station, on the Amboy turnpike, Friday, March 30th, at 1 o'clock. One horse, 900 W. I.; H. fowls, lot of B. R. fowls, reaper, mower, plows, harrows, wagons, harness, 5 tons of hay, wheat, straw, oil and coal, brooders, one Chalmers auto, 1911, in good condition; one Ford auto, 1916; other useful articles; lot of large paintings by Moran. See posters. Terms cash. 3-26-2t

FOR SALE—Lot of farm implements, consisting of cultivators, corn shellers, harness, a variety of tools, and other articles of use on a farm. Also some very fine mahogany furniture; one mahogany roll top desk. Can be seen any day 1 to 3 p. m. Mrs. W. Clark, Rahway road. 3-2-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-7-tf

DO YOU WANT a new house built by experts and finished as you would have it? Send for pictures. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1742, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; prices reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang door checks, etc. Call Stilgen, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-16-1m

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1944 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-13-1m

$50 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and Scott place.

TEN-DAY-OLD baby chickens for sale. Inquire 712 East Second St. 3-24-2t

FOR SALE — Well established butcher business thoroughly equipped. For particulars call or address 201 Main street, Bound Brook. 2-23-tf

KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Pugmans, 625 South Second street. 1-23-tf

FOR SALE—One counter, three 6-foot and one 4-foot show cases for sale. Weiss, 45 Somerset street. 3-26-2t

FOR SALE—White reed baby carriage, in good condition. 215 East Fifth street. 3-26-2t

BEAUTIFUL thoroughbred Pomeranian pup for sale, reasonable. Address "Queenie," care Courier-News. 3-26-2t

SPRING sport suit, serge suit, coat, new; size 36. "Mourning," care Courier-News. 3-26-2t

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

PUBLIC SALE—The undersigned administrators of the estate of John Darling, deceased, will offer for sale on his farm situated on the road leading from Middlebush to Weston, about one mile from East Millstone, the following described property on Wednesday, March 28, at 12 o'clock noon: 7 head of horses, heavy and light; 7 head of young cattle, including a year old Holstein bull; 4 farm wagons, 4 hay racks, light spring wagons, 4 sets double harness, buggy, mowers, hay rake, hay tedder, corn planter, 2-riding corn plows, roller, hay loader, 2 grain drills, seed sower, about 10 tons rye straw, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Six months' credit on sums of ten dollars or over by giving note with approved security. For information, telephone 792-J Plainfield. Mrs. John Darling, Mrs. Edgar L. Fitch, Mrs. Robert H. Lowry, administrators.

FOR SALE—Three grocery wagons and four grocery harnesses, in good condition. Inquire Hutchinson & Son, Westfield, N. J. 3-26-6t

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HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 210 Watchung avenue, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS. Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-15-tf

WANTED—Mill hands, also boys for general stock department. Apply Votey Organ Co., Garwood, N. J. 3-20-6t

WANTED — First-class gardener and useful man; must have good reference. Call at 999 Hillside avenue. 3-23-3t

BARBER WANTED—Steady work. 93 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-6t

WANTED—Gardener, an experienced single man, to board on place, who understands flowers, shrubbery, hot beds and general work; high wages wanted and references; none but reliable men need apply. Address Box 34, care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Two men to work in coal yard; steady work. 40 Somerset street, or 929 South avenue. Joseph Harrigan. 3-24-tf

GARDENER—Experienced man wanted two days a week, all season, in North Plainfield. Address, stating experience and wages wanted, "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-24-1t

WANTED—Clean bright boys for light factory work; must have working papers. Apply at once, Allen Pharmacal Co., 119 East Fourth street. 3-24-6t

WANTED — Boy, high school graduate preferred, for office work; good opportunity for advancement; state age and salary expected. Box 131, care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

PAINTERS—Two first-class painters wanted. International Motor Company. 3-24-2t

WANTED—A man on a small country place to take care of garden, horse and to drive and make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely sober; best references required. Address "Man," care Courier-News. 3-26-4t

WANTED—First-class automobile washer for night work. Laing's Garage.

WANTED—Good man to go to country to work on farm. Address "Farm Hand," care Courier-News. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Man for general work around business place, not over 40 years of age; good position. Address "Good Position," care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

BOY WANTED—INTELLIGENT WHITE BOY, ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO DELIVER GROCERIES ON WHEEL AND BE GENERALLY USEFUL AROUND DAIRY. ADDRESS "DAIRY CO.," CARE COURIER-NEWS. 3-26-6t

MAN WANTED to demonstrate and sell electric household supplies; good proposition for right party. See Mr. Lindrup, care Hotel Kensington, Monday and Tuesday afternoons. 3-24-2t

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WANTED—Young man to work in automobile place. Apply Fred Endress, Inc., 124 Madison avenue. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Machinists and tool makers. We have made additions to our plant. Highest wages; good opportunities; lasting positions; no munitions; preference given to non-union men. Write for application blanks or apply De Laval Steam Turbine Company, Trenton, New Jersey. 3-17-s-m-tf

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothberg's. 3-22-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger. Call 1065-W. 3-22-1m

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Two or three rooms with conveniences in borough location near Somerset and Church. "R. M." care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street. 3-23-6t

WANTED—By a couple, three or four unfurnished rooms, improvements; terms and particulars. "Reasonable," care Courier-News.

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. Fi Will son, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

WE DECORATE our houses with grass cloth and other high grade papers. This is a painter, prefers to sell you more. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU to equal my offer in Plainfield. $200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house. Improvements, on large plot, restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Owner 105," Courier-News. 3-20-1m

FREE!

Twelve-room house on West 7th street; pay for grading; closing estate. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-23-1y

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 3-22-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home; all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

MUST SELL 7-room house, all improvements; price $2200. "R. J.," care Courier-News. 3-23-6t

FOR SALE—Five-room house on Front street, Scotch Plains, situated one block from trolley in centre of town; lot 87 feet front by 387; water and gas in house; must be sold to settle estate. Apply Mrs. Fred Clark, opposite property, or 323 Watchung avenue, North Plainfield. 3-24-3t

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-11-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET—with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

SUITE OF ROOMS with private bath, also other rooms with board. 344 A. L. Walden, 134 Crescent avenue. 3-26-1m

ROOMS TO LET with board; desirable location. 21 Sandford avenue. 3-22-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TO LET—APARTMENTS

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Shilman. 3-21-tf

STEAM HEATED Apartment, five rooms and bath, 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

RENT $60.00, Crescent Court apartment, ground floor; heat and all improvements. Apply Frederick A. Martin, 171 North avenue. 3-26-5t

FOUR ROOMS, city water, gas and toilet, near Sayre's; ten dollars. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-20-tf

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TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue, Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

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STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 339 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

SCRUBWOMAN wanted. Appuy New York Lunch Room, 127 West Front street. 3-23-3t

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 823 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED — First-class girl as chambermaid and waitress; good references required. Apply 905 Watchung avenue. 3-22-4t

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WANTED—A reliable young woman for afternoons and Saturdays to be with two children. Mrs. Everest, 1123 Madison avenue. 3-24-2t

HAND IRONER wanted at once. Apply Laundry Foreman, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework; three in family. Apply evenings, 1017 Madison avenue. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Cook, $30; no laundry work. 'Phone 299-R. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Operators on boys' wash suits; also good floor girl. Hecht &Co., 319 West Front street. 3-26-3t

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WANTED—Experienced waist draper, also errand girl, at 431 West Sixth street. 3-26-tf

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WANTED — Sewing woman and lady's maid; references required. Tel. 2065. 3-26-tf

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WANTED—At once, nurse and second maid combined; good wages. Apply 1017 East Seventh street. 3-25-5t

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WANTED—Girl in law office. Charles L. Moffett, Woodhull & Martin Building. 3-24-3t

WARD MAIDS wanted at once. Apply to Directress of Nurses, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-23-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY — Meeting chairs, pool table and piano, Maksyn, 353 East Third street. 3-23-6t

TEAM of good sound work horses, also two wagons and harness, must be reasonable in price. Inquire Beechwood Heights Nursery, Bound Brook. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Two or more acres convenient to Plainfield; give particulars and price in first letter. Address "Spot Cash," care Courier-News. 3-26-2t

WANTED—Corner closet. Address "X. Y. Z.," care Courier-News. 3-26-3t

SINGLE or double house in West End, with or without improvements; must be cheap; will pay cash; state particulars. "D. M.," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Second hand elevator. W. E. Nelson, New Market, N. J. 3-26-3t

SITTING HENS—Any number at any time. Save this advertisement for reference. Foragate Farms, Dunellen. 'Phone 1246-J. 3-24-26-30-31

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 115 Plainfield avenue. 6-16-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE front furnished room for rent. 927 West Fifth street. 3-23-3t

TWO nicely furnished rooms, single or for light housekeeping, gas, bath and heat; strictly private house; two minutes to Union Line, five minutes to Netherwood railroad station. "B 400," care Courier-News. 3-26-28-29

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

★B.P.O.E. 885★

Rehearsal for "LAND OF MYSTERY" TUESDAY NIGHT

All those participating are urged to be present at this rehearsal.

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper, under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

K. OF C. TO SHOW "THE GEISHA"

Somerset Council, No. 1432, Knights of Columbus, has undertaken the production of "The Geisha," a presentation that is rich in music. The show will be given practically by the same cast as was seen in "The Mocking Bird," which was so successfully produced last year by the K. of C. The exact date for the play has not yet been arranged but in all probability it will be shown during the first or second week in May at the Regent Theatre.

The cast will comprise 22 people and the chorus 75 people. It will be under the direction of Dr. John T. Leahy, of Bound Brook. Miss Dorothy Morton, of Bound Brook, who played the original role of "O Mim Mimosa San," will coach the ladies and will direct the music.

The principal female character will be Minerva Maurer, Agnes McWilliam, Agnes Cunningham, Mac Alcavy, and the Misses Caul. The principal male actors will be E. J. Shaughnessy, Andrew Hoch, Frank Bourke, Dr. J. T. Leahy, Frank McCarron, John Cahill, Edmund McWilliams.

Somerset Council will also present a minstrel show in connection with their Fair to be held in Eagles Hall on April 9, 10 and 11.

Only One Bidder for Sewers

The Borough Council is confronted with an odd problem in the matter of constructing extensions to the sewer system. After several attempts, only one bidder could be procured for this proposed work on three streets, the bidder being A. H. Coyne. All the bids were referred to the sewer committee and if the bid of Mr. Coyne is not excessive, the three contracts will be awarded to him.

Observe State Boys' Day

Services were held in all the churches yesterday in observance of State Boys' Day. Under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. the Princeton Student Deptation Team conducted a campaign among the boys here over the week-end.

Friends of A. H. Popkins will be pleased to hear that he is again able to be about after a week's illness.

Mrs. James L. Griggs and Mrs. George Kline have been spending a few days in Atlantic City.

Mrs. David Justice, of Belmar, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. G. Allen.

William Rowe is attending a salesman's convention in Dayton, Ohio.

NORTH BRANCH

The monthly socialde of the county branch of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening at Neshanic. Four students from Rutgers College will provide the entertainment.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Neshanic Reformed Church will hold a sociable Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. S. Sebring.

Mrs. Henry Van Zandt, of Hackensack, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Brokaw, near Neshanic.

Mrs. Percy Baird and family, of New Market, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dalley, near Neshanic.

Rev. C. W. F. Attlee, of Plainfield, preached in the Reformed Church at both services yesterday.

Miss Sarah Powelson of Newark, is the guest of Mrs. John A. Powelson near here.

Miss Loralyn Lake, of Montclair is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Evans Lake at Neshanic.

William A. Sebring of Neshanic, is the guest of Jacob Reger at Bloomingdale.

Mrs. Augustus Cramer, of Jersey City is the guest of Mrs. Anson Compton.

Oscar Smith, of Far Hills, is the guest of his uncle, William Smith.

WHITEHOUSE

The Readington Township Board of Education has decided to merge its regular monthly meeting next Saturday with the meeting for organization, which will be held Monday at Whitehouse Station.

Mrs. Jennie Van Syckle, of Whitehouse Station, is the guest of Mrs. Georgianna Cole in Plainfield and will also visit Mrs. George Tate in New York.

During the past twenty-five years the Ladies' Home Circle of the Reformed Church at Lebanon has raised the sum of $7,500 for church purposes.

Miss Harriet Messler returned Saturday to her home near East Whitehouse, after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Roger H. Hall, in New York.

The Young People's Union of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church will be entertained tomorrow night by Mrs. H. F. Kunze.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Opdycke, of New Germantown, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dreesell in Plainfield.

Miss Theodosia Unger entertained the Mission Band at her home in Whitehouse Station Saturday afternoon.

Frederick Brown of South Branch, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter T. Brown, near Readington, for a few days.

Miss Florence Van Syckle returned to Whitehouse Station last night, after a visit to Miss Anna Stout at Berkeley field.

The Misses Ida and Margaret Ramsey, of Lebanon, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Dilts at Whitehouse Station.

Miss Amanda Smith, of Stanton, left today for a visit of a week to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Case in Brooklyn.

Mrs. George B. Rittenhouse, of Lebanon, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William F. Nichols in Chester.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen K. Large, of East Whitehouse, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guerin Todd in Newark.

SCOTCH PLAINS

PREACHES HIS FAREWELL SERMON

The Methodist Church was filled last night to hear the farewell sermon of the Rev. R. E. Marshall, who has for the past two years been pastor of the church. The congregation had expected that Mr. Marshall would be returned by the conference for another year, but on Saturday word was received that this would be impossible.

Mr. Marshall expects to go to the foreign mission field next year, and the missionary board advised him to spend this year in preparation, and should not accept a regular church appointment. The news came as a great surprise to him as well as the congregation.

Last night, on behalf of the official board of the church, William I. Guest expressed to Pastor Marshall the sincere regret of the church people on his leaving them. And as one man said, "The town, as well as the church, has lost a valuable man."

The special music at the services by the parish house quartet, Miss La Manquis, and the duet by Mr. Marshall and Mr. Roberts were all very much appreciated.

Forum Closes for Season

The Forum met yesterday afternoon for the last time this season. A short business meeting was held at the beginning of the meeting, at which time it was unanimously voted that the Township Committee be asked to organize Home Defense League, to be in readiness should occasion demand its services, the organization to be formed along the same lines as similar organizations in nearby towns.

The address of the afternoon was made by Dr. Frank Moore, superintendent of the Rahway Reformatory. Dr. Moore's address was appreciated by all, and his remarks were appropriate for the observance of Boys' Day. He told of the work at the reformatory, and urged the people to take care of the boys before they did go astray, and it was necessary that they be placed under restraint.

The Triangle Club, of Netherwood, will give "Ye Old School Days" tomorrow night in Excelsior Hall. The Parish House Quartet will sing several selections. Between the acts home-made candy will be sold. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Baptist Young People's Union.

Scouts Hatfield, Weldon, Schenck and Ward have been appointed to have charge of the parish house flag, and hereafter it will fly to the breezes every day from the pole of the parish house property.

CALIFON

Corporal Earl Haggerty, of Battery C, East Orange, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Anna C. Haggerty, in Califon. Corporal Haggerty sustained a fractured shoulder and other injuries while on border duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hann, who were recently married, will occupy the house in Centre street, Califon, to be vacated by Mrs. Sarah L. Young.

Andrew Spida, of Bethelhem, Pa., has purchased the Eleh farm, near Mt. Lebanon, and will take possession this week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Emmons, of Vernon, died Thursday from brain trouble.

Roy Orts will move this week to the W. H. Fleming farm at Lower Valley.

Mrs. Irvin Philhower is ill at her home at Lower Valley.

FLEMINGTON

The senior group of the Flemington Y. M. C. A., accompanied by Alton T. Roberts, the county secretary and Edson B. Pierce, leader of the local group, paid a fraternal visit last week to the Lambertville group.

The Board of Freeholders made an inspection four last week of the Hamdman roads in Hunterdon county.

The petit and grand jurors who are to serve at the April term of court will be drawn tomorrow.

BOUND BROOK

BELLI AFTER COLLECTORSHIP

Councilman Belli, who is serving the second year of his term, is one of the candidates for the office of Borough Collector, which is to become vacant as a result of the resignation of J. J. Maier, who was appointed in January for the period of one year. The resignation of Collector Maier was to take effect on April 1, but efforts will be made to induce him to postpone the resignation until May 1, in order that the books might be presented in proper condition to the incoming collector.

Councilman Belli, it is stated, appreciates the great amount of work which must be done, but he feels capable and efficient and is willing to give up the position he now holds at Manville and as well his office as a member of the Borough Council, the latter step being necessary.

There are several more candidates for the job, among them behind Hubert Suydam and William Carr. Both are prominent in the borough and are considered capable. The Council will meet tomorrow night to take up the collectorship matter as well as some other important business.

Observed Boys' Day

Boys' Day was observed in all the churches in the borough yesterday. Special services were held and particular attention was given to the boys. Under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. a union service was held last night in the Presbyterian church. George W. Branden, director of instruction at the Central Y. M. C. A. at Philadelphia, was the speaker.

Relief Company, No. 4, of the Fire Department gave a supper on Saturday evening at its headquarters. Among the speakers were Councilman E. L. Bailey, Eugene Fuer. Vocal and instrumental music helped to pass a pleasant evening.

The Methodist service was held in the afternoon in St. Paul's Parish House. The following committee was in charge: Donald Tunison, Ellsworth Sutton, Walter Hoagland, Harold Hoffman, and Robert Hoskings.

Mrs. Ralph S. Lane, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Edgerton.

A new euchre contest will be inaugurated by the local lodge of Knights of Pythias tonight.

John Hartman, of Talmage avenue, left Saturday for a two weeks' stay in Baltimore, Md.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

The Readington Township Committee has decided to go ahead and have a tax map made and not wait to submit the matter to the voters, Township Clerk John M. Potts, of Stanton, has been authorized to order an outline map of the township from the State Board of Taxation, and after it is received a meeting will be held when the contract will be awarded for filling out the map. A special meeting of the committee will be held at Three Bridges Saturday, for the purpose of inspecting a road running in to that place, which is in need of repair.

The funeral of Mrs. Edith Sutton, thirty-three years old, wife of Archibald Sutton, was held this morning at her home near New Germantown. Rev. Harry J. Iobst, pastor of the Fairmount Methodist Church, officiated, and burial was in the Presbyterian cemetery at Fairmount. Mrs. Sutton died at her home Friday, after a long illness, from tuberculosis. She was born in Pennsylvania, but had lived in the New Germantown section for a number of years. Besides her husband she leaves two children.

FANWOOD

Fined for Disorderly Conduct

Early yesterday morning Marshal John Logan arrested a man in an intoxicated condition. He gave his name as Joseph Stevens, his home, Plainfield and a painter by trade. Stevens was acting in a disorderly manner. Recorder Charles Sheeles fined him $5.

An automobile owned and driven by Gordon Moy, of Plainfield, got stuck in the soft ground between Russell road and North avenue last evening, where it remained until extricated by another car.

Capt. Wilbour Kyle, of the Essex Troop of Newark, who resides in South Orange, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. McAneny, of North avenue.

John R. Meggy, of North avenue, has given up his position with a New York brokerage firm and will resume his studies in the Westfield High School shortly.

A meeting of the Fanwood American Red Cross Society was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albert L. Nichols, of North avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Brien, of East Orange, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Ten Eyck Boardsley, of North avenue, yesterday.

Miss Pauline Rolly, of Westfield, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kyte, of Patterson road.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gates, of North avenue, entertained friends from Plainfield yesterday.

Miss Emily Garda, of Russell road, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

DUNELLEN

CITIZENS FORM DEFENSE LEAGUE

The patriotic spirit of the borough was demonstrated Saturday night by a representative gathering of citizens held at the Borough Hall, where the preliminary move was made to organize a Home Defense League.

Mayor Latham, who presided, opened the meeting with a few remarks explaining the purpose of the organization, which is principally to protect the community against any malicious acts that are liable to occur should war be declared.

The assemblage quickly got busy, unanimously selecting Mayor Latham as chairman; William Deering, secretary, and A. J. Hamley, treasurer of the league. Mr. Hamley was also elected chairman of the executive committee of five that will be the guiding spirit of the organization. The other members selected were W. S. Craig, E. E. Smalley, Owen Mahon and Mr. Pillard.

The chairman called on many citizens for an expression of opinions, all readily responding with words ringing with patriotism. The speakers included William Deering, E. J. Duzel, S. Richard, A. E. Logan, Sumner Smith, E. R. Smalley, W. S. Craig, A. J. Hamley, Willard Apgar, Michael Gallagher and others.

It was agreed at the meeting that at least 100 men should be drilled, armed and sworn in as deputies, all the members of the league to keep themselves in readiness to be called upon any time.

Messrs. Shaw, Webber and Smith, who have had previous military experience, agreed to drill the league members and otherwise put them through the military tactics.

Thirty-three of those present signed the pledge of loyalty to the United States. The meeting adjourned to hold session again at the call of the chairman.

Jottings About the Borough

Special services in observance of Boys' Day took place yesterday afternoon at Holy Innocents' church. The Sunday school at its session held at 2:30 was conducted by the older boys. At the 4:30 o'clock service the sermon topic was "Choosing a Vacation." Special services appropriate to Palm Sunday will be held next Sunday.

The funeral of Pauline Acker will be held tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors at 223 West Front street, this place. The deceased died on Friday last in her twenty-fourth year.

The mud along North avenue has dried up considerably the last day or two and Street Commissioner Rusch has removed the landing platforms which have been a great convenience of late.

The union evangelistic services closed last night at the Methodist church. They have been conducted the past two weeks by the Rev. P. C. Bascom, of Bound Brook.

Henry Wrage has acquired the house recently erected by Contractor Charles Wrage. The deal was consummated during the past week.

The fire committee of the Borough Council, headed by Earle Jones, made an inspection of the fire hose at the headquarters on Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Burdick substituted last week at the Whittier school during the absence of Principal O'Neil.

Michael Finger, a former resident of these parts is reported quite ill at his home in Cranford.

The local Parent-Teacher Association is scheduled to meet tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Owen Mahon, of this borough, has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Statia Clawson has returned from a visit with relatives at Lebanon.

Dunellen Lodge, I. O. O. F., will meet tonight in Holton Hall.

NEW MARKET

Last night the choir of the First Baptist church rendered a musical service, entitled "On the Wings of Love," under the direction of the leader, Mrs. C. S. Day. John Linaberry, toner, of Plainfield, assisted at the service.

Louis Lare and A. G. Nelson have been drawn on the petit jury list for the term of court to open at New Brunswick on Tuesday, April 3d.

J. E. Kelly, the local postmaster, expected to attend the meeting of the Middlesex Freeholders to New Brunswick this afternoon.

Miss Mildred Tomlinson is boarding with Mrs. C. S. Day, where she will remain until the close of the school year.

There will be a tea party and entertainment in the lecture room of the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Miss Marguerite Nelson is recovering from a slight illness at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Nelson.

The local Building and Loan Association will hold its monthly session tomorrow evening.

The Piscataway Community Club were recent guests of Mrs. Sidney Williams.

I. A. Pierce, Jr., of Jersey City, was a week-end visitor in the village.

WESTFIELD

BOYS' DAY IN THE CHURCHES

This town recognized yesterday as Boys' Day in accordance with the proclamation of Governor Edge by holding a mass meeting for the men and boys in the First Methodist church at three o'clock in the afternoon which was attended by nearly two hundred men and boys over fifteen years old. The address of the meeting was made by Ivan P. Flood, secretary of the Young People's work of the New Jersey Baptist convention and his subject was "Playing the Great Game."

The meeting opened with a song service which was followed by greetings from Rev. Dr. S. J. Herben, the pastor of the church. A salute to the flag was then followed by the singing of a hymn; R. F. Bates, principal of the high school, read the Scripture lesson. Dr. J. J. Savitz, supervising principal of the schools, offered the prayer. A hymn was then sung and Charles H. Robinson, scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts and president of the Westfield District Sunday School Association, introduced Mr. Flood. After the address Rev. E. E. Holden of the Baptist church offered prayer; a hymn followed and the meeting came to a close with the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. Mr. Holden.

At 4:30 in the Presbyterian church the service was in the nature of a Men's Fellowship meeting and was attended by a large number of the fathers and their sons. There was special music by the Young People's choir, and the pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. W. I. Steans, made an address referring to "Boys' Day" as did all of the other churches at both the morning and evening services references were made to the "Boys' Day."

Entertained In Honor of Birthday

Miss Maude Klotz entertained friends at a bridge and dance at her home on Chestnut street on Saturday night. The affair was given in honor of the birthday of G. Dexter Richardson. The house was prettily decorated with sweet peas and daffodils and refreshments were a rainbow effect. There were three tables at bridge and the awards were made as follows: First lady's, Mrs. John D. Case; first gentleman's, J. Mason; second lady's prize, Mrs. S. J. Mason; gentleman's second, Ralph W. Millizen. The consolation prize was won by Mrs. J. Harper Hunt. After the bridge dancing was enjoyed and a supper served.

A feature of the dining room table was a large birthday cake which had the number of candles in it that corresponded to the age of Mr. Richardson.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Harper Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Millsen, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lynde, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoffman, Miss Maude Klotz, and Mrs. Richardson, of this town; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Case, of Somerville; Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Mason and E. V. Eckesen, of Perth Amboy. Miss Klotz, who is a new comer to this town, is one of the most noted of American singers and is soon to give a recital in the auditorium of the high school for the benefit of the Grant School Parent-Teacher Association.

School Board Gives Closing Entertainment

The last of the course of entertainments and lectures under the direction of the Board of Education was held to the high school auditorium on Saturday night when the Westfield High School Alumni Association presented a concert, the program of which was furnished by local talent. The auditorium was filled with a large and enthusiastic audience which greatly appreciated every number.

The program opened with piano solos by Miss Edith Rundspaden, who is a student at the Virgil Conservatory of Music in New York. She was followed by Miss Helen Oswald, who sang "The Jasmine Dorr," and Wilbert Mr. Ogawan. Miss Harold Welch then gave some violin solos, and he was followed by vocal solos by R. G. Harry. Part one of the program closed with a recitation by Mrs. Harold Welch. Part two opened with a song cycle by Mrs. Arthur B. Rowland. Miss Rundspaden again played a piano solo and the closing number was a piano solo by Mrs. R. G. Harry. The accompanists were Miss Adele Beattys and Miss Hazel Marsh.

Funeral of Mrs. Bennett

The funeral of Mrs. Nancy L. B. Bennett, widow of the late Joseph D. Bennett, who passed away on Saturday evening, was held from her late home, 1117 Elm street, this afternoon at two o'clock and was private, only relatives of the deceased attending the service, which was conducted by Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of Plainfield, a former pastor of the Methodist church and an intimate friend of Mrs. Bennett, and he was assisted by Rev. E. J. Holden, of the Baptist church.

Mrs. George H. Dougherty and Mrs. S. W. Powers sang "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder Will Be There," which was a favorite of Mrs. Bennett, and "Gathering Homeward from Every Land." The interment was made in the family plot in Fairview cemetery and the bearers were R. J. Bennett, John P. L. and W. H. Kilough, all relatives of Mrs. Bennett.

Police Raid Local House

Lieutenant McNeeley, Officers Howarth, Demming, Beck and Dobbs made a raid on the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. William Somerset, colored, at 237 Spring street, at 1.30 yesterday morning and arrested three women and four men for disorderly conduct and drinking. They were taken to the police station and locked up and later in the morning were arraigned before Recorder Springstead.

Somerset and his wife were given the choice of paying a $10 fine or spending ten days in the county jail. William Freeman and Hattie Barrymore were given the same sentence and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marshall and Elijah McIntyre were given suspended sentences. All of the occupants of the house were colored. The police have been watching this place for some time and last night decided to clean it up, which they did.

Entertained at Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitehead entertained a number of friends at a bridge at their home on Harrison avenue on Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stark, of 114 Euclid avenue, who move to Cleveland, Ohio, this week.

The awards were won by Mrs. Stark and Clarkson Collins. After the bridge refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tremaine, Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Collins, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stark, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pase and Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead.

Funeral of Mrs. Mary Bunce

The funeral of Mrs. Mary J. Bunce, who died on Thursday, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her son, Theodore D. Bunce, on Walnut street, and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The service was conducted by Rev. James A. Smith, rector of St. Paul's church. The body was taken to Brooklyn this morning and interment made in the family plot at Greenwood cemetery.

There will be special services during Easter week in the Presbyterian church. On Monday evening Rev. Charles Hopkins, of the First Presbyterian church, Plainfield, will preach, Tuesday evening, Rev. Dr. Eben B. Cobb, of Elizabeth; Wednesday evening, Rev. H. K. England, of Roselle; Thursday evening the choir will render an appropriate cantata to be followed by the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

As a result of a lamp setting fire to some clothes which were hanging on a dresser in the front room on the second floor of the house occupied by A. D. Phillips at 238 Prospect street last night at 7 o'clock the fire department was called out. All the apparatus responded, but when they arrived the flames had been extinguished by the occupants of the house. The damage amounted to about $50.

Carl Schwartz, a former local boy and son of Mr. and Mrs. August Schwartz who were for many years employed at the Children's Country Home in this town, was married this morning in Newark to Miss Ethyl Taylor, of Belleville. Thomas J. Beaman, of this town, was the best man and Miss Grace Flagge, of Roselle, was the bridesmaid.

At the annual meeting held at the close of the morning service in the Presbyterian church yesterday morning the following were elected as ruling elders for a term of three years: Malcolm R. Dutcher, Samuel Johnston, R. Lynde, Rev. Dr. W. I. Steans, the pastor of the church, acted as moderator.

The Six B's met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bush on Cumberland street on Saturday night. The feature of the evening was the playing of pinochle, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beamag and Mr. and Mrs. James Bush.

The fire department was called out at 3:15 yesterday morning to a fire which was burning in the dump at Edgewood avenue and near the garage of A. V. Renberg. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done. The call was sent into the department by Police Officer McMahon.

Group A of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist church will hold a Easter flower sale in the chapel on Wednesday afternoon, April 4th. As a side line the ladies of this group will have on sale of home-made cakes and aprons.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its April supper in the parish house on the evening of the annual meeting, Monday, April 9th. The supper will be provided by those whose names begin with L, M, N, O, P, R.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church will hold a luncheon in the church house on Tuesday of next week. An address by a returned medical missionary from the Philippines will be made at that time.

A meeting of the Congregational Society of Westfield will be held on Wednesday night in the parish house to receive and take action upon a communication from the church relative to the calling of a pastor.

On Thursday evening of next week a select musical will be given at the home of Miss Pliss, 132 Ferris place, under the auspices of the Senior Bible Class of the Baptist Sunday school.

The teachers and officers of the Bible school of the Presbyterian church will hold a meeting at the home of the superintendent, M. B. Dutcher, 111 Dudley avenue, tomorrow night.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Miss Elda Fink on Walnut street tomorrow afternoon. Miss Sophie Condit will have charge of the study.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church will have a sale of aprons, bags, caps, cake and candy in the parish house on Saturday afternoon from two until five o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, who have just returned from Wellesley Hills, Mass., spent the week-end with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stimets, of Cumberland street.

The regular conclave of Watchung Castle, Knights of King Arthur, will be held in the parish house of the Congregational church on Friday night.

Robert Woodruff has resigned as a member of the police force and Georgs Dobbs has been made an officer on the force in his place.

Care of the Teeth

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear that the teeth be neglected in later life.

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WATCHUNG

Celebrated His Birthday

An enjoyable party was given Saturday evening in honor of William H. Demler at his home on Valley road, to celebrate his birthday. Progressive games and music were the features of the evening.

Among those present were the Misses Helen and Lillian Lambert, of Westfield; Edith J. Wanck, of East Orange; Agnes Mahaney, of Plainfield; Elsie Schmidt, Lucy Hughes, Stella M. Sheets, Adele Hermann, Theresa Schmidt, Carol Hughes and Helen MacDonald; the Messrs. Robert Young, of Springfield, Mass.; James W. Teener, of Princeton; Lawrence Vail, of East Orange; Kenneth Rendall, of New Brunswick; Robert Rendall, of Jersey City; Daniel Hawking, and Benjamin Harris, of Plainfield; Douglas Demler, Benjamin Armstrong, Thomas Fetherston, and William Demler, of Watchung; Mr. and Mrs. William Demler, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. MacDonald.

James W. Teener, of Cumberland, Ohio, preached two very interesting sermons yesterday in the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union church. In the morning Mr. Teener's theme was "The Uplittings of Jesus Christ," and in the evening his subject was "The Markings of a Christian." The choir rendered selections at both services.

Paul Heiburg, of Hillcrest road, entertained a number of his friends Saturday afternoon in honor of his birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing games after which dainty refreshments were served. Guests were present from Plainfield, Boston and Watchung.

Miss Francis Newman, of Newark, spent the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Shank, of Sterling road.

Miss Emily Pleydell, of New York City, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Bodin, of Mountain Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Schmidt and son, Kenneth, have been visiting at Clove Lakes, Staten Island, N. Y.

Miss Currier, of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Hedburg, of Hillcrest road.

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DR. MINOT MORGAN GETS A CALL TO DETROIT

The Rev. Minot C. Morgan, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church in Summit, has received a call to the Fort Street Presbyterian church at Detroit, Mich.

When asked in reference to the call the minister stated that he was not prepared to discuss it.

He added that he was loath to leave this local congregation, whose pastor he has been for ten years.

Dr. Morgan is the moderator of the Presbyterian State Synod and president of the Overbrook Hospital Association in Summit. He has been active in the local Co-operative Charities and is rated as one of the ablest pulpit orators. He is 45 years old and has a wife and one son.

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MOVE TO KILL ASBURY PARK'S MILE-LIMIT LAW

Asbury Park, Mar. 26.—It has not been definitely established just who is responsible for the sending to several residents here for circulation petitions calling upon the city commissioners to "act as they see fit and proper," to have repealed or declared unconstitutional the one-mile limit law barring liquor licenses in this community. Ten copies of the petition it is said, are in the hands of high license advocates.

The petition sets forth that the law was projected on Asbury Park at the behest of the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association in 1896. "We believe," it goes on, "that Ocean Grove has the right to govern within its bounds. We feel the same right rests with us. We feel every principle of American independence and democracy is void by the above law."

The petition concludes with a plea that Asbury Park be permitted to "exercise the right of expression by vote on local option."

Traverse R. Steed, a Sunset avenue builder, received one of the petitions. If he participates in the movement at all, he said, it would be for the purpose of having the question submitted to the legal vote of the people.

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YEOMAN LORETTA WALSH

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Miss Walsh enlisted as a yeoman (the navy name for clerk) in Philadelphia and has been assigned to shore duty in the recruiting station. Women can now join the navy, but only for shore duty, as an old law prevents their presence on shipboard during a cruise.

MRS. FEICKERT TO ADDRESS SUFFRAGISTS

How the Presidential suffrage bill went to its death last week at the hands of the New Jersey legislature will be told tomorrow afternoon at Carteret Arms by the State president of the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, Mrs. Edward F. Feickert, of this city. The address will be given in connection with the monthly meeting of the Elizabeth Equal Suffrage League, and all who are interested will be welcome, whether they are suffragists or not.

As readers of the newspapers already know, there was no attempt on the part of the Legislature to prove or disprove the wisdom of the bill, and Mrs. Feickert, who with a number of other prominent suffragists was present at the so-called hearing, will tell the story. The meeting will begin at 3:30 o'clock, Mrs. Feickert speaking at about 4.15.

The suffragists have secured as the speaker for the meeting April 30 Miss Janet Richards, the well-known lecturer on current events. Miss Richards is one of the best known suffragists in the East.

Literary Hour

In St. Mary's Social Hall, Liberty street, this evening, Rev. Father Bogan will provide a literary treat for the men of the Holy Name Society and friends. All others who would like to enjoy an hour of literary entertainment are cordially invited to be present.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

—VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

Letters with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science. A stamped envelope must accompany for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

In seeking to reduce the high cost of living, the proper utilization of both dried fruit and fish play an important part, and during the Lenten season, when meat is conspicuous by its absence, such dishes are particularly seasonable.

Few housekeepers know that there are seven varieties of dried fish that may be served as the principal course of the home luncheon or dinner. These include smoked salmon, finnan haddie, codfish, bloaters, herring, halibut and salt mackerel.

In spice they are decidedly less than the fresh varieties and they certainly "go farther," because they absorb some of the water in which they are soaked. In preparing these fish, salmon, finnan haddie and halibut are put on to cook in cold water and brought to the boiling point before using, while codfish and mackerel will require soaking over night. Herrings and bloaters must be scalded and dried thoroughly. In no case should fish of this description be allowed to soak too long, as this destroys the delicious smoked flavor.

Salmon can be used for either breakfast, luncheon or dinner. Creamed, scrambled with a few eggs, or formed into flat cakes with mashed potato, it makes an excellent breakfast relish. For dinner, it may be broiled about twelve minutes, then spread with Maitre d'Hotel butter and served on a hot platter with baked, stuffed potatoes.

Finnan haddie is delicious broiled and used with curried rice for dinner or supper, fricked like dried beef with a little butter, reheated in a cream sauce and served on halved baking powder biscuits and also grilled and served on a bed of mashed turnips and potatoes.

Codfish is so universally known that almost every housekeeper has her own favorite recipes, but the following is a very novel and appetizing way of preparing it: After soaking, bring to the boil and cook for a few minutes. Then drain, flake and dry thoroughly. Meanwhile, fry out several slices of salt pork until they are crisp, then remove them from the fat, add the fish and cook to a light brown. Pour off every particle of fat in the pan, cover with a seasoned cream sauce and serve very hot, accompanied by corn bread.

As bloaters are not dressed before curing, they should always be well-cleaned and scalded. Either broiled or baked in the oven, they are delicious. For broiled bloaters, split and clean them and then scald with boiling water. Drain, place a spoonful of well-seasoned bread dressing in each and lay them in a casserole containing some hot water and beef dripping. Bake about twenty-five minutes (covered) and baste frequently while cooking. Then remove the cover, sprinkle with dried bread crumbs, dot with bits of butter and return to a hot oven to brown over. Serve in the casserole.

Herring is especially good to give flavor to other foods. Cut in bits and mixed with potato salad (diced). Heated in tomato sauce and poured over toast, or served with egg sauce and hashed browned potatoes, they furnish the basis for many a savory luncheon.

Smoked halibut may be utilized in all the ways suggested for salmon and also in a loaf, which may be prepared in the morning for supper. To make this, use one cupful and a half of flaked smoked halibut, half a cupful of boiled rice, half a tablespoonful of sugar, one tablespoonful of flour, half a teaspoonful of mustard, a few grains of cayenne, one teaspoonful of onion juice, the yolk of one egg, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter or butterine, three-quarters of a cupful of milk, a quarter of a cupful of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of cold water and one tablespoonful of gelatine. Mix the dry ingredients together and add the yolk of egg and the melted shortening. Mix well, turn in the milk and vinegar and stir constantly over hot water until it thickens (do not boil). In the meantime, soak the gelatine in cold water, and to the hot mixture, after it is dissolved and add the onion juice, the rice and the fish, that has been simmered until tender, drained and flaked. Pour into a mold that has been rinsed with cold water, chill and serve unmolded on a bed of crisp lettuce leaves.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

BY MRS. FAWALKER

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THE KING'S SONS AND THE PRINCESS—Part I

Once upon a time there lived a King who had two sons named Tito and Nardo.

Tito loved his father very dearly and wanted him to live as long as he did, but Nardo loved his father only because he was a king and waited with longing for his death so that he could have his share of the wealth; and besides that he knew if he could be rid of his brother Tito he could be King.

So one day the wicked Nardo began to think of some plan by which he could be rid of Tito so that his lucky star and that it would guide father would make him King and me to you."

He pretended to be very kind to Tito, and they went hunting and riding together, but one day when they were in the forest Nardo fell upon Tito and took off his clothes and tied him to a tree.

He then tore his poor brother's clothes and also his own, so that he could tell the King a wild beast had attacked them and that poor Tito had been slain.

Nardo told the King he defended Tito, and was almost killed in doing so, and that just as the beast was carrying off his brother he made a last effort to save him, and that was the way he happened to save his poor brother's clothes to bring back.

Nardo pretended to grieve and feel very sad, indeed, over the sad fate of his brother, but all the time he was thinking, "Now I will be King as soon as my father is out of the way."

But the King did not die soon enough to suit the wicked, scheming Nardo and one night when the old King was in bed asleep he bribed a servant as wicked as himself to help him to bind the King and cast him into a dungeon under the castle.

Here the poor old King stayed for months, with only a little food and no light, excepting that which crept in through the narrow window bars.

After Tito was left tied to the tree by his bad brother he gave himself up for lost, for he knew that wild beasts roamed the forest, and that if one of those did not devour him he would starve, for he could not unfasten the cords which bound him.

But that night when he had given up all hope Tito heard a creeping noise near the tree where he stood, and it seemed to come nearer and nearer until it was close beside him.

Then he could make out words in a funny sing-song voice:

"I'll find the Prince tied to a tree,
But with this stick I'll make him free."

Tito turned his head and saw an old witch hobbling toward him, and when she reached the tree she stopped.

"Ah! there you are, my dear," she said. "Your wicked brother did not know that you were born under a

The old witch struck the cords that bound him with her cane and Tito was free.

Then the witch touched Tito with her cane and he was dressed in a suit of black velvet with a long plume in his hat.

"You will need a horse, too," said the witch, and she struck a rock and

before Tito there appeared a beautiful black horse with trappings of gold and velvet.

"Now, my Prince, ride away to your Princess; you will find her waiting for you in a tower on top of a mountain, which you will see when you leave the forest."

"But what can I do for you, my good woman? You have saved my life?" said Tito.

"You can rescue the Princess," said the witch. "And remember that all the witches are not bad; some of them are good. Just like you morals."

So Tito said good-by to the witch and rode away, wondering at all the strange things that had happened, and wondering what strange thing would happen now that he was to rescue a princess.

When he came to the edge of the forest he saw the mountain, and on its top the tower just as the witch had said.

Tito looked at the high mountain and wondered how he ever would be able to reach the top, for the trees and bushes grew thick and there were many rocks to climb over.

But Tito urged his horse up the rocky steep and, to his surprise, the rocks, trees and bushes seemed to part and a path was made for his horse right up to the tower.

At the top of the tower Tito saw a small window, and from this window something white fluttered.

Tomorrow I will tell you how he rescued the Princess.

Tomorrow's story—"The King's Son and the Princess."—Part II.

BEN WELCH TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Hilda Giles, with Ben Welch's Show (soubrette) at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, matinee and night

Ben Welch's Big Show comes to the Plainfield Theatre tonight. It will be found that Welch (himself), as usual contributes the most striking feature in addition to playing the chief comedy role. This clever comedian will be seen in a specialty again this season, but it is a trifle out of the ordinary offering, inasmuch as it is a dramatic specialty in which the serious element predominates. It proves conclusively that Ben Welch has the power of touching the human heart with pathos as easily as he can make the average person laugh.

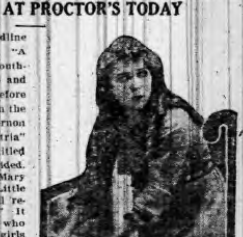
Sid Gold and Leona Earl, in an up-todate dancing number of the ballroom type bring a most pleasing number in the show, and other specialties are given by Pat Kearney, Frank P. Murphy, Florence Rother, Billy Wild, Vic Casmore and others. Welch never has a poor show, but he himself says, "My show this season comes the nearest of realizing my ideas of what a show should be of any one I ever had."

JUNE CAPRICE AT PROCTOR'S TODAY

June Caprice appears in the headline attraction at Proctor's today, in "A Child of the Wilds," as a little Southern girl who would rather romp and play than study. But that is before Frank Trent undertakes to teach in the wild Southern mountains. Mrs. Vernon Castle appears at Proctor's in "Patria" and a ludicrous Fox Comedy entitled "The Cloud Puncher" is also provided.

Tomorrow, by special request, Mary Pickford returns in "A Poor Little Rich Girl." William Farnum will reappear in "The Price of Silence." It tells of a United States Senator who endeavors to benefit the boys and girls who are forced to work in factories and mines to earn their daily bread. In addition to these two wonderful pictures and stars, Mrs. Vernon Castle appears in "Patria." Although this program has cost an enormous sum, a nominal admission will be charged.

On Wednesday William Farnum will be retained in "The Price of Silence," and Gail Kane will appear in a William A. Brady story of the West, entitled "The Red Woman."



At Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

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SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Attractions at the Plainfield Theatre tomorrow and Wednesday will include an all-star bill of five numbers, each one a feature.

An extra attraction will be offered each night in addition to the regular program. Tomorrow will be "Country Store" night, at which time $25 in gold pieces, potatoes, onions and other valuables will be given away. Wednesday will be "contest" night. This new feature has met with instant approval from patrons of the theatre, and is now a regular feature. It includes pie-eating contests, diving in flour for coins, and other equally funny antics.

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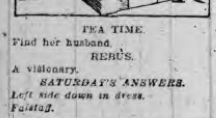

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WAR CALL FOR STATE TROOPS

Regiments Ordered Out For Guard Duty.

ARMY WORK IS SPEEDED UP

Two New Departments Created and General Wood Transferred From Governors Island to New Headquarters at Charleston, S. C.—President Signs Order Increasing Strength of Navy to 87,000 Men and Recruiting Will Be Rushed.

Washington, March 26.—Orders to make effectively ready all of the man power of the nation in the event of a declaration of war between the United States and Germany have been issued by the war department. Under the personal direction of President Wilson the military authorities cleared the way for the organization of an army of millions of men immediately upon action of congress when it meets in extraordinary war session a week from today.

A sweeping general order issued by Chief of Staff Major General Hugh L. Scott reorganized the entire departmental framework throughout the country to "facilitate the centralization of commands."

At the same time more than a dozen regiments of the national guard were called into the federal service under orders to guard and protect the vital interests of the nation's life from attack coming from without and possible disloyalty within.

Under the reorganization plan the war department will be able to speedily enlist and mobilize an army of millions through the extension of the skeleton organization now in the service. No move will be made toward augmenting the regular force, however, until congress has spoken. If congress declares the existence of a state of war the war department will be ready to start enlistment at once. A call for volunteers or legislation authorizing some form of compulsory military training would bring to the newly organized headquarters throughout the country the men needed.

Work For Guardsmen.

Meantime the administration will rely upon the national guard for home defense, and throughout the country the militia will be available for guarding bridges, waterways, arsenals and other government plants and munitions factories which will be essential to the army in time of war.

The army reorganization plan establishes six bureaus at four great military departments throughout the country, with a general officer in command in each. The order is effective May 1. The war department will move at once to make the necessary changes. Major General Leonard Wood will leave the department of the east and will take over the command of the new southeastern department, comprising the southern Atlantic and east gulf coast states, which the war department looks upon as probably the point of the greatest strategic importance at this time because of conditions in the Caribbean and because of the fact that these states lie nearest to Panama zone.

Major General Franklin Bell will take the new eastern department, and Brigadier General Clarence R. Edwards will resign the command of the Panama canal zone to Brigadier General Edward H. Plummer, General Edwards assuming command of the new northeastern department in New England. The order reorganizing the service reads:

To facilitate the centralization of commands the United States is divided into six military departments in place of the four now existing. The new organization becomes effective May 1, 1917, and comprises the following:

The Northwestern Department—To embrace the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut; headquarters at Boston.

The Eastern Department—To embrace the states of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, District of Columbia, canal zone and Porto Rico; headquarters at Governors Island, New York.

Two New Departments.

The Southeastern Department—To embrace the states of Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi, together with the coast defenses of New Orleans and the coast defenses of Galveston; headquarters at Charleston, S. C.

The Central Department—To embrace the states of Kentucky, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado; headquarters at Chicago.

The Southern Department—To embrace the states of Louisiana except the coast defenses of New Orleans, Texas except the coast defenses of Galveston, Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona; headquarters at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex.

The Western Department—To embrace the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, California, Nevada, Utah and the territory of Alaska; headquarters at San Francisco.

Major General Leonard Wood will command the southern department.

Major General Franklin Bell will command the eastern department.

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The militia organizations called into the federal service will be detailed to service in the neighborhood of their home cities, and their muster into the national service was ordered merely to centralize control of the forces. They will be assigned to guard all threatened points where crank violence or conspiracies by foreign sympathizers might become effective and will protect important points, supplies or means of communication.

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Massachusetts, Second and Ninth regiments; Vermont, Company B, First regiment; Connecticut, First regiment; New York, Second and Seventy-first regiments; New Jersey, First and Fifth regiments; Pennsylvania, First and Third regiments.

The Thirteenth Pennsylvania regiment, new in the federal service, will not be mustered out.

19,000 More Men For Navy.

The need of men and more men to man the navy, which forms the nation's first line of defense, was emphasized when President Wilson by executive orders increased its authorized enlisted strength to 87,000 men. The executive order was made public by Secretary of the Navy Daniels, with a plea for patriotic aid in increasing navy enlistments.

The order, issued under authority of the naval appropriation act of the present year, would add 19,000 to the enlisted personnel. Every one of them will be needed to man the new ships being rushed to completion, the reserve fleet ordered into commission and the mosquito fleet of "submarine chasers" which has been ordered constructed in record time. It is probable that a further increase in the legal limit will be asked when congress convenes.

Under the legal authorization the naval strength was limited to 68,000 men, with an allowance of 8,000 men in training. The recent recruiting campaign, while it has materially increased enlistments, has brought the strength up to only about 62,000 men.

RAIDER IN CHINA SEA.

Big Cruiser Has Captured British Crew Aboard.

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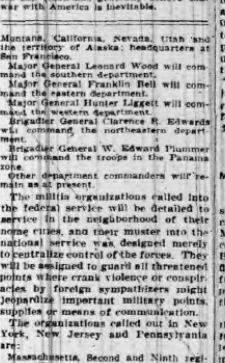

Photo by American Press Association.

Two American engineers who have just arrived in Switzerland from Vienna say Ambassador Penfield, his staff and many American families have packed their belongings and are ready to leave the Austrian capital at any moment. The travelers say Austrians generally believe that war with America is inevitable.

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SEA GIRT CAMP IN SHAPE AGAIN

Ready For Troops at Mobilization Call.

CORDS OF FIREWOOD STACKED

Reservation and Buildings Are Put In Readiness For New Jersey's Soldiers. Mystery About Recent Purchase of Souvenir Cannon on Grounds Leads to Stories of German Spies Being Busy.

Sea Girt, March 26.—Activities around the state encampment reservation at this place indicate the probability of military occupation in the near future. Great stacks of cord wood have been sent here and the buildings and grounds put into shape for the reception of troops at any time.

Because of the investigation of several thousand soldiers this week or next have all been traced to employees of the reservation, but Superintendent William Cranmer of the reservation would not confirm the reports.

At the time the United States government severed diplomatic relations with Germany he was notified to be prepared for any move, and it is possible that the authorities regard this as sufficient to cover any newly planned activities.

In view of recent disclosures concerning the efforts of German agents to secure information concerning the military camps and fortified positions of the government the presence here some time ago of a German who said he was a manufacturer of novelties is causing considerable discussion.

The guns purchased from the state eventually by the big guns that have stood watch over the reservation from the beach front for many years. He gave the impression that he pelted the guns up and made souvenir novelties of some kind from them. The guns, however, have never been moved from their original positions. They were put here many years ago, and it was necessary to construct a temporary spur of the railroad to the beach front to transport the pieces to their present bases.

ATTACKS "FLIP" VERDICT.

Judge Ready to Set Aside Jersey City Jury Finding.

Jersey City, March 26.—Because a jury is alleged to have rendered a verdict on the flip of a coin in the Hudson county circuit court Judge Luther A. Campbell has indicated that he will issue a rule to show cause why the verdict should not be set aside if affidavits are presented.

Octavio Boc[illegible] brought suit [illegible]st Giannotti, also of Wes[illegible] recover $5,000 for injur[illegible] when the latter shot him[illegible]d. Giannotti put in a counter claim. The jury was unable to agree until finally one of them hit on the plan of reaching the "verdict" by the flip of a coin. The jury, abiding by the toss, brought in a verdict against both plaintiff and defendant in that neither was entitled to damages.

57 AMERICAN PRISONERS.

Moewe Took Home Tenders From a Sunken Prize.

Newport News, Va., March 26.—The sinking of the British steamer Esmeraldas by the German commerce raider Moewe, news of which was first received here by representatives of the British government and officially confirmed in a dispatch from Berlin, will furnish the American government a problem similar to that presented by the Yarrowdale case.

There were fifty-seven Americans on the Esmeraldas when she was captured and sunk, and these were taken to Germany aboard the Moewe. The men, all of whom were employed as firemen or boatiers, were signed on at Newport News.

SIMON C. LONG DEAD.

Pennsylvania Road Manager Stricken on Train.

Philadelphia, March 26.—Simon Camron Long, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie, became suddenly ill soon after a local train on which he was traveling to his home at Merion, Pa., had left the West Philadelphia station.

He was unconscious by the time the Fifty-second street station was reached and was taken from the train and carried into the waiting room. A physician, who was hurriedly summoned, said death had been almost instantaneous.

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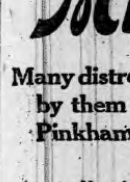

Lowell, Mass.—"For the last three years I have been troubled with the Change of Life and the bad feelings common at that time. I was in a very nervous condition, with headaches and pain a good deal of the time so I was unfit to do my work. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and it has helped me in every way. I am not nearly so nervous, no head ache or pain. I must say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best remedy any sick woman can take."—Mrs. MARGARET QUINN, Rear 259 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass.

She Tells Her Friends to Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies.

North Haven, Conn.—"When I was 45 I had the Change of Life which is a trouble all women have. At first it didn't bother me but after a while I got bearing down pains. I called in doctors who told me to try different things but they did not cure my pains. One day my husband came home and said, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash?' Well, I got them and took about 10 bottles of Vegetable Compound and could feel myself regaining my health. I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash and it has done me a great deal of good. Any one coming to my house who suffers from female troubles or Change of Life, I tell them to take the Pinkham remedies. There are about 20 of us here who think the world of them."—Mrs. FLORENCE INGLES, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

You are Invited to Write for Free Advice.

No other medicine has been so successful in relieving woman's suffering as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women may receive free and helpful advice by writing the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. Such letters are received and answed by women only and held in strict confidence.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. Years of efforts to find a right but these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "logey" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, said Common Council will meet on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 8.30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk on No. 121 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided such parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the work to be done, is as follows:

4,500 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,620 lin. ft. plain concrete curb; 11,320 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel corner bar; 21,460 sq. yds. vitrified brick pavement on concrete foundation; 19,850 sq. yds. reinforced concrete pavement; 26,150 lin. ft. ¼-inch expansion joints; 11,300 lin. ft. ¾-inch expansion joints; 21,450 sq. yds. reinforcing fabric; 1,945 lin. ft. 15-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 9 inlets; 386 lin. ft. 12-inch inlet connections; 179 lin. ft. concrete headers.

Duplicate plans may be examined and forms of Proposal, Information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

3—22-31t

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:00 a. m. on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Strauss Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the foundations thereto and other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and including two safety gates as specified on sheet 37 of the specifications.

(2) Prices for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following list:

(1) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(2) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(3) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $5,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the submission of the bid. The check must be drawn to the order of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed best for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee that they have the plant, have the necessary means the experience and the organization to do the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on plans altering only in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

3—13, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 4—2, 3

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of John Rushnell, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parker, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

SUSAN F. RUSHNELL,
HENRY D. RUSHNELL,
THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO,
Executors.

REED & HETFIELD, Proctors.
3—19-ouw-2w Fees, $11.19

LEGAL NOTICES.

MASTER'S SALE. In Partition. By virtue of a decree for sale made by the Chancellor of the State of New Jersey on March 8, 1917, in a cause wherein Clifford V. Brokaw, Executor, etc., is complainant, and William G. Brokaw and others are defendants, I, Charles N. Codding, a Special Master in Chancery of New Jersey, shall expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public vendue, on Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the sheriff's office, in the Court House, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises, hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey:

BEGINNING at a stone in the center of Park Avenue at the corner of Rev. Joseph P. Taylor's land; thence with the middle of Park Avenue south forty-seven degrees east (S. 47 E.) two chains and eighty-one and two-thirds links to a point in the center of Seventh Street; thence along the center of Seventh Street southwesterly two chains and sixty-three and a half links to a point in the line of Pleasy Fisk; thence along his line north forty-seven degrees west two chains and seventy-seven and one-sixth links to a point in the line of said Taylor; thence along his line north forty-seven and one-half degrees east two chains fifty-seven and three-quarter links to the place of BEGINNING. Containing a little more than one-quarters of an acre of land, including the inchoate right of dower of the defendants, Nannie Inman Brokaw, wife of said complainant, Clifford V. Brokaw, Mary Blair Brokaw, divorced wife of the said defendant, William M. Brokaw, if any she may have therein, Lucille N. Brokaw, wife of said defendant, Irving Brokaw, and Edna L. Brokaw, wife of said defendant, Howard C. Brokaw, and including also the inchoate estate of courtesy of the defendant, Cyril P. R. Dugmore, husband of the said defendant, Lilla Radcliffe Dugmore, and Preston P. Satterwhite, husband of said defendant, Florence Satterwhite, together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in anywise appertaining.

CHARLES N. CODDING,
Special Master in Chancery.
162 East Broad Street,
Westfield, N. J.

REED & HETFIELD,
Solicitors for Complainant,
203 Park Avenue,
Plainfield, N. J.
2—19-26 4—2-9

MASTER'S SALE. In Partition. By virtue of a decree for sale made by the Chancellor of the State of New Jersey on March 8, 1917, in a cause wherein George Tuttle Brokaw is complainant, and Irving Brokaw and others are defendants, I, Charles N. Codding, a Special Master in Chancery of New Jersey, shall expose for sale, to the highest bidder, at public vendue, on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of April, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the sheriff's office, in the Court House, in the City of New Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey:

All that tract or land lying partly in the Township of Plainfield (now City of Plainfield) in Union County and partly in Piscataway Township in the County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey.

BEGINNING at a stake in the centre of North Street (now Front Street) and runs south twenty-five degrees west, two chains and forty-nine links, to a stake in the swamp; thence south fifty and one-half degrees west, two chains and eighty-one links to a stone; thence south eighty-one degrees west, three chains and ninety-seven links to a stone in the swamp; thence north thirty-three degrees west, twenty chains and eighty-seven links to the centre of North Street; thence with the same, north sixty-seven degrees east, four chains and eighty-nine and five-tenths links to the beginning. Containing 31.31 acres of land be the same more or less.

Excepting out of the above described land the piece of land lying north of the southerly line of the right of way of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Subject to the easement of the public in Second and Third Streets.

Being part of the premises conveyed to Isaac Brokaw by Broad Gideon Fox and wife, dated March 31, 1868, and recorded in Book 119 of Deeds for Middlesex County, on page 640; and by deed of George Snock and wife, dated June 29th, 1868, and recorded in Book 119 of Deeds for Middlesex County, on page 639.

CHARLES N. CODDING,
Special Master in Chancery.
162 East Broad Street,
Westfield, N. J.

REED & HETFIELD,
Solicitors for Complainant,
203 Park Avenue,
Plainfield, N. J.
2—26 4—2-9-16

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph C. Aalholm, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parker, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executrix of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

THE PLAINFIELD TRUST CO.,
Executor.

REED & HETFIELD, Proctors.
2—19-ouw-2w Fees, $ 1.19

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the administrator, administratrix of Charles Milliken, deceased, will be exhibited and settled by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

CHARLES P. DEHELL,
Administrator.

ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.
2—26 3—5-12-19-23 Fees, $4.20

DEFENSE LEAGUE HOLDS ITS FIRST DRILL

The Home Defense League met on Saturday night at the Evergreen Avenue school, where a drill was held under the direction of A. W. Ransome.

Only a few members of the league were absent. They were directed to report at Police Headquarters on Monday night for pistol and rifle practice. The members of the league seem to be enthusiastic over the work they have been organized to perform in the event of an emergency, and they are making every effort to attain a degree of perfection in manoeuvring and the art of soldiery so that when the time comes for them to act they may do so with some degree of efficiency.

Mayor Calkins expressed himself as well pleased after the drill on Saturday night.

The Mayor will go to Montclair tomorrow night for the purpose of telling the people of that town just how Plainfield has prepared for defense.

PLATTSBURG CAMP IN MOVIES

Former Mayor P. H. Stewart will speak at the meeting in Newark on Friday night next in the interest of universal military training.

At the meeting will be shown a two thousand foot film of activities of the 1916 military training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y. It will be the first time this reel has been shown to the public.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN, SORENESS, STIFFNESS

Rub Pain Right Out With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacobs Oil"

What's Rheumatism? Pain only. Stop drugging! Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" directly upon the "tender spot" and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism and sciatica liniment, which never disappoints and can not burn the skin.

Limber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle from your druggist, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain and sciatic pain soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. Old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" has cured millions of rheumatism sufferers for the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains and swellings. —Adv.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.
FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m. at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½ inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties of their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.
3—21-12t

MASTER'S SALE. In Partition. By virtue of a decree for sale made by the Chancellor of the State of New Jersey on March 8, 1917, in a cause wherein George Tuttle Brokaw is complainant, and Irving Brokaw and others are defendants, I, Charles N. Codding, a Special Master in Chancery of New Jersey, shall expose for sale to the highest bidder, at public vendue, on Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the sheriff's office, in the Court House, in the City of New Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey:

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2—26 4—2-9-16

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL

Run-down, Weak and Nervous—Made Strong by Vinol.

For the benefit of Plainfield school girls who overwork and get into highly nervous, weak and run-down condition, we publish this letter from Dorris Copller, of Fort Worth, Tex.—"I go to the high school and take music lessons, and became run-down, weak and very nervous, so could not do anything. I would shake all over and could have screamed at times, and was really unfit to keep on with my studies. Mother purchased a bottle of Vinol for me and within a week I was better, and in two weeks I had gained five pounds and felt fine."

It is the curative, strengthening elements of beef and cod liver peptones, aided by the blood-making, revitalizing effect of iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, contained in Vinol, which made it so successful in building up health and strength and overcoming the nervous condition of Miss Copller, and we ask every school girl in Plainfield who is in a like condition to try Vinol, on our guarantee to return their money if it fails to benefit.

L. W. Randolph, Druggist, United Cigar Stores Co., Drug Dept., Plainfield. Vinol is sold in North Plainfield by Weiss' Drug Store. Also at the leading drug store in all New Jersey towns.—Adv.

Saxol Salve
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One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Waring, of this city, have been recent visitors at the Laurel House, Lakewood.

Emil Brunner, of Broad street, Westfield, is recovering from an operation performed in Muhlenberg Hospital, this city, and he will return to his home in a few days.

FIRST OF THE SEASON

Jack Hall, an employe of the Central Railroad at the local freight house, made his first appearance on North avenue during the latter part of last week with a straw hat. Mr. Hall always makes it a point to be the first local man to wear a straw hat for the season.

PHOTOGRAPHERS' CONVENTION

Nathan A. Wardner, of Park avenue, will go tomorrow to Philadelphia, to attend the National Convention of Photographers, which begins thereby, will hold a three-day session.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

CERTIFICATE OF FILING OF CONSENT BY STOCKHOLDERS TO DISSOLUTION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof deposited in my office, that the

U. S. METAL AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, County of Union, State of New Jersey (Frederick Martin, Jr., is the agent thereof and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served) has complied with the requirements on "An act concerning corporations (Revision of 1896)" preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate that such consent has been filed.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THOMAS F. MARTIN, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, Do Hereby Certify that the said corporation did, on the Twenty-eighth day of February, 1917, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by more than two-thirds in interest of the stockholders thereof, which said certificate and the record of said proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(Signed) THOMAS F. MARTIN,
(Seal) Secretary of State.
3—5-12-19-26

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in said County, finished with a bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation.

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 37528 square yards.

Plans, profiles, cross sections, forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, are now available for the use of intending bidders during business hours at the office of the said engineer at 129 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications, and blank forms of the said proposal forms in the manner and method therein set out and required by the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $2,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

3—8, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the executor, administrator, executor of and trustee under the will of Hannah Conover, deceased, will be exhibited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the thirtieth day of March next.

Dated, February 24th, 1917.

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"Weather or No"

Woman's mind, like railroad schedules, movie programs, styles and prices, is subject to change without notice.—Old Man Sage.

S. P. P. H. JUNIORS TAKE THIS GAME

Wins Thrilling Contest Over Junior Class of W. H. S. Saturday Evening

The Scotch Plains Parish House five put through a great victory Saturday evening when it defeated the Junior class of the Westfield High School, taking the big end of a 43 to 41 score. Both teams were right on the job in the basket shooting line, going the limit in this direction for twenty-minute halves.

The game was a thriller, with quick and accurate shooting keeping the gallery expectant throughout. Both teams put into evidence considerable team work, and not until the last whistle blew was there any let-up.

The score:

W. H. S. JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Bauman, f	9	1	19
Hand, f	4	2	10
Heavy, c	4	0	8
Darby, g	0	0	0
Linden, g	2	0	4
	19	3	41

PARISH HOUSE JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
H. Roberts, f	5	1	11
Hodge, f	6	0	12
Meyer, c	6	0	12
C. Roberts, g	1	0	2
Clark, g	3	0	6
	21	1	43

Score by periods:		
Westfield	18	23—41
Parish House	26	17—43

Referee, Marston.

P. H. S. GIRLS WIN OVER FLEMINGTON

Local Team Took the Long End of a 30 to 12 Victory Saturday

The Plainfield High School girls' basketball sextette defeated the girls of Flemington High School in the local school gymnasium Saturday afternoon by the score of 30 to 12. The victory gives the Red and Blue team a total of 14 games during the past season, two of which were lost.

The Plainfield team found the game easy to win and played steadily from start to finish, scoring 16 points in the first half and 14 in the second. The ball appeared to be in the locals' hands a greater part of the time, and the passing was excellent.

Miss Mullin and Miss Smith held the Red and Blue defensive positions and were able to keep their opponents to little shooting. Miss Hanson was Flemington's star player. She did all the scoring and played a fast game.

The score:

PLAINFIELD	G.	F.	P.
Miss Gillihan, f	7	0	14
Miss Palmer, f	8	0	16
Miss Ryder, c	0	0	0
Miss Lansdale, c	0	0	0
Miss Detweiler, sc	0	0	0
Miss Mullin, g	0	0	0
Miss Smith, g	0	0	0
	15	0	30

FLEMINGTON	G.	F.	P.
Miss Hanson, f	5	2	12
Miss Henzler, f	0	0	0
Miss Harris, c	0	0	0
Miss D. McBride, sc	0	0	0
Miss Bloom, g	0	0	0
Miss R. McBride, g	0	0	0
	5	2	12

Referee, Miss Ruth Wean.

PATERSON TEAM WANTS TO FILL ITS DATES

The Paterson Independents, a fast traveling semi-pro basball organization, are preparing their schedule for the coming season and have open dates for any first-class team having home grounds and offering reasonable guarantee. Any first-class team wishing a good attraction should address Edward C. Wood, 69 Garfield avenue, Paterson, N. J.

PRIZE BOWLING PLANNED

The Plainfield Turners are now ready to finish the closing weeks of the bowling season in great style. Their alleys have been remodeled and have been put in first class shape and will be re-opened tomorrow evening with prize bowling as the feature. These alleys will now be open until the bowling season is over, and features will be arranged from week to week.

St. Joseph's Club Meeting

An important meeting of the St. Joseph's Club will be held in the parish hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock. Arrangements for the coming church bazaar will be discussed and the baseball candidates will work out after the business session.

LOCAL ALL-STARS TAKE FAST GAME

Close Their Season by Defeating Triangles at New Brunswick Court

The All-Stars of this city played their last game Friday evening when they defeated the strong Triangles of New Brunswick on the Middlesex county seat court by the score of 32 to 28. The Triangles are claimants of the championship title of both the city of New Brunswick and of Middlesex county.

The Queen City boys started in with a lead of six points early in the game, but this lead was lost before the first half of the contest was over, the end of which saw the Triangles ahead by a score of 14 to 10. In the opening of the second half the Stars again secured a fresh start, forged ahead into the lead once again and held it through to the finish.

To pick individual stars of either team would be impossible.

The score:

TRIANGLES	G.	F.	P.
Dram, f	2	0	4
Furdy, f	3	1	7
Stuart, c	6	1	13
Ross, g	0	0	0
Randolph, g	1	0	2
Moore, g	1	0	2
	13	2	28

ALL-STARS	G.	F.	P.
Dunning, f	4	2	10
Patterson, f	1	2	4
Barry, f	1	2	4
Kline, c	6	0	12
Davidson, g	0	0	0
Kuldoshes, g	0	0	0
	14	4	32

Referee, Lubeck; timer, Campbell; scorer, Carson.

SOMETHING NEW IN THE GUN CLUB WORLD

It is surprising to note the hundreds of sportsmen in all parts of the country who are resorting to the hand trap to get their quota of the pleasure and thrills which this great American sport affords.

Time was when the shotgun enthusiast was dependent upon the trapshooting club for this recreation and was lucky indeed if he did not have to journey many miles to indulge in the sport.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL DIVIDES GAMES

Wins Over Westfield Easily, But Lost Tight Game to Hope Chapel

The Grammar School basketball team played two games over the week-end, winning the first over a Westfield aggregation by a score of 28 to 13 and dropping the second to the Hope Chapel Boys' Club by a single basket, 27 to 25.

The Westfields were outclassed in every department of the first game and never had so much as a look-in for the final result, the locals managing to secure an early lead in the game.

The second, with the Hopes, was a regular tussle from beginning to end, and a fight for the lead in the scoring line was the order of the evening.

The scores:

PLAINFIELD	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	3	0	6
Randolph, f	1	0	2
McCusker, c	0	0	0
Brancati, g	3	0	6
Mowen, g	4	0	8
Adelman, g	0	0	0
	14	0	28

WESTFIELD	G.	F.	P.
Ray Welch, f	0	0	0
Meyers, f	0	0	0
Townley, c	2	3	7
Russ Welch, g	1	0	2
Snyder, g	0	0	0
Hatfield, f	1	0	2
Light, c	1	0	2
	5	3	13

Referee, Starry; scorer, Robinson; timer, Johnson.

PLAINFIELD	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f	5	0	10
Randolph, f	1	2	4
McCusker, c	0	0	0
Brancati, g	2	0	4
Mowen, g	3	0	6
	11	2	*25

*One point awarded.

HOPE CHAPEL	G.	F.	P.
Snyder, f	7	0	14
Bradford, f	2	3	7
Muir, c	3	2	8
Peterson, g	0	0	0
Heron, g	0	0	0
Rimmer, g	0	0	0
	12	3	27

Referee, Heron; scorer, Starry.

JOHNS-MANVILLE TOURNEY STANDING

Special Correspondence:

Somerville, March 26.—The following is the official record for the Johns-Manville factory tourney for the week ending Saturday, March 24:

	W.	L.	PC.
A	12	3	.800
F	10	5	.667
B	11	7	.611
D	11	7	.611
M	7	8	.583
E	7	11	.389
C	1	17	.056

High individual average—O. Sandusky, D, 231. Three highest games on Somerville alleys, O. Sandusky, D, 557. Low individual average, T. Jobbins, D, 107.17.

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Y. M. C. A. SECONDS FINISHES SEASON

Defeats Nifty Netherwoods in Hard Fought Game, 23 to 19

Concluding one of their most successful seasons, the Y. M. C. A. second string basketball men defeated the Nifty Netherwoods at the association court Saturday evening by the score of 23 to 19 in as good a contest as has been staged on that floor this season.

In taking this contest the association boys completed a long series of uninterrupted victories, taking the measure of a number of strong second string teams of this general vicinity. The game was a tight one and well played throughout.

The score:

Y. M. C. A. SECONDS	G.	F.	P.
Campbell, f	0	1	1
Brandt, f	4	0	8
Compton, c, f	2	0	4
Southard, g, c	0	0	0
Kuldoshes, g	5	0	10
	11	1	23

NETHERWOOD	G.	F.	P.
Kyle, f	6	3	15
Coughlan, f	1	0	2
Wilmerding, c	0	0	0
Haffres, g	1	0	2
Dennison, g	0	0	0
	8	3	19

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS GO DOWN TO DEFEAT

The Netherwood Juniors went down to defeat again before the Rutgers Preps Friday by a score of 24 to 25, the game being played Friday afternoon on the court of the local Grammar School. The game was hotly contested throughout, the score being close up to within the last minute of play, when the game was sewed up by Dittmar, who shot a field goal and a one-pointer from the 15-yard line.

This club would like to arrange further basketball games, as well as baseball games with teams averaging from 12 to 15 years of age and weighing about 105 pounds. Address Dick Davies, 'phone 449-M.

The score:

NETHERWOOD JUNIORS	G.	F.	P.
Davies, f	4	0	8
Mowen, f	4	2	10
Henry, c	2	0	4
Chamberlain, g	0	2	2
Boos, g	0	1	1
	10	5	25

RUTGERS PREP	G.	F.	P.
Dittmar, f	5	4	14
Parker, f	1	0	2
Kenny, c	1	0	2
Van Cliff, g	1	0	2
Rowland, g	0	0	0
Rine, g	4	0	8
	12	4	28

Score by periods:		
Netherwood Juniors	15	10—25
Rutgers Prep	9	19—28

HOPE CHAPEL BALL PRACTICE IS CALLED

Manager Brit Martin of Hope Chapel has issued a call for the first practice of the season next Saturday afternoon at the West End Oval grounds, which it will use jointly with the First Baptist aggregation. All the available material, both new and old, is necessary for putting a first-class team on the field this spring at the outset of the City League circuit.

PLANNING Y. M. C. A. CIRCUS

The physical training department of the Y. M. C. A. is now completing plans for holding the annual indoor circus on the evenings of Friday and Saturday, April 21 and 22. Members of the various departments are in training for the affair, which should prove to be quite successful. A number of such attractions have been held in previous years with large numbers attending the performances.

TWO EXTREMES MEET IN BOWLING SCORES

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W.	L.	HS	PC
Bulls	15	9	929	.667
Leopards	15	12	931	.556
Tigers	13	11	884	.542
Bears	14	13	887	.519
Lions	12	12	918	.500
Foxes	7	20	926	.259

The Tigers of the T. A. B. S. house bowling tourney made their hold on third place a little more secure Friday evening when they took the odd game from the Foxes. The scores of the evening saw the two extremes, ranging anywhere from 88 to 225, the latter being the high score secured by Kyle of the Tigers, whose average was 193.1.

The scores:

TIGERS				Ave
Kyle	192	162	225	193
Schenck	88	173	109	123
Diskin	153	140	127	140
Larew	180	166	171	173
O'Keefe	191	167	158	172
	804	811	790	801

Total pins—2,405.

FOXES				Ave
Monahan	138	171	185	164
Markey	142	125	147	139
Lynch	186	124	164	158
McClinton	152	142	165	154
*Mullin	155	155	155	155
	768	724	816	769

Total pins—2,308.

*Average.

BETZENBERGER ASSISTS IN SAINTS' VICTORY

The recent bowling match between the Ramblers and St. Joseph's Club of the borough on the Eagles' alleys resulted in a victory for the latter combination (thanks to Betzenberger), which won the second and third sessions.

The home boys captured the first by a 54-pin margin and lost the second by 68. Rambler Betzenberger arrived on the scene in time for the final game, but a glance at his score gives one the impression that he showed up altogether too soon. One of his seven missed spares and good "filling" would have sealed the verdict, as only 17 pins separated the two totals, while there was a difference of but 31 pins for the series.

The scores:

RAMBLERS				Ave
Dunn	150	188	150	162
Taylor	138	177	182	165
Koechlein	161	121		141
Betzenberger			118	118
Worrall	184	139	179	167
Hyslip	181	136	193	173
	814	761	822	799

Total pins—2,397.

ST. JOSEPH'S CLUB				Ave
Miller	179	191	184	185
J. Vitilli	150	190	156	165
Connolly	148	133	157	145
Ferraro	150	177	176	165
Gates	133	146	162	147
	760	825	839	809

Total pins—2,428.

HOPE GIRLS vs. SOCIAL GIRLS

The Hope Chapel girls and the team from the St. Mary's Social Club will clash for the last time this season at the chapel court this evening. With the old-time rivalry between these two organizations still existing there is no doubt but that a rattling good game will be put on the boards. Thursday evening of this week the Hope Chapels will line up against the Comrade Club on the Netherwood Reformed church court.

TRIANGLES vs. RECREATION

The Recreation Five basketball team, runner-up for the city championship, will play the fast Triangle team of New Brunswick next Friday evening in the Plainfield High School gymnasium.

AN ANSWER TO AN OPEN CHALLENGE

Inner-Triangles Dispute Y. M. C. A. Seconds' Claim to City Championship Title

Sporting Editor, Courier-News:

It was with a great deal of amusement that I noticed a small article in Saturday's Courier-News, in which the Y. M. C. A. seconds claim the junior championship of the city of Plainfield for the season of 1916-17.

The Inner-Triangle Club held the championship for the season of 1915-16 and so far this season has not been beaten in a series of games by any junior team of this city. Several times the management has tried to schedule a game or series of games with the Y. M. C. A. seconds, but for some unknown reason no definite dates could be arranged.

The manager of the Y. M. C. A. seconds may pride himself upon his sense of humor (for we cannot help but look upon his challenge as a joke), but in order that we may be known as true sports the Inner-Triangle Club is ready even at this late date to arrange a series of games to decide the question.

The Inner-Triangle Club is situated on the corner of Midway and Leland avenues, and we take exceptional pride in giving all visiting teams a square deal.

Yours in sport,
JAMES S. CARSON,
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[The claim of the Y. M. C. A. seconds was transmitted to the writer by Manager Campbell and was printed as a "claim." If Manager Campbell is willing to accept this challenge to settle the matter, not through these columns, but upon the basketball court, let him get in touch with Manager Carson. The floor of action is the only place, where the matter can be satisfactory settled.—Sporting Editor.]

ANOTHER VETERAN TO DROP FROM LIMELIGHT

The news from Waxahachie, Tex., that Hughie Jennings, Detroit manager, has decided Sam Crawford no longer is fit to hold down right field for the Tigers, removed another of the veterans from baseball in favor of younger sinews.

Crawford had been playing major league baseball as a regular for 18 years. Previous to that time he had walloped the ball in the minors for a couple of seasons. Crawford first played major league baseball in Cincinnati as a member of the old National League team three before the American League was organized. Cincinnati basked in the rays of his brilliant smashes for four years before relinquishing rights to him in favor of Detroit. He was awarded to the Tigers in the peace agreement of 1903 when the American League was recognized as a part of organized baseball.

Crawford was one of the mightiest sluggers who ever faced a pitcher. His hits were always smashed. They were solid, clean blows, and many of them were of the extra-base variety. It has been said of Crawford that he could hit a ball harder and farther than any man who ever played major league baseball. His batting average for the 18 years he spent in the majors as a regular was over the .300 mark—.311, to be exact.

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APPLAUSE IN GRACE CHURCH

(Continued from Page 1)

more martyrs in one month in the cause of humanity, in the recent past, than in all the nineteen hundred years before.

The Christian today has a clear view and a straight road for his profession of Christianity. There are no Voltaires, Tom Paines, nor Robert Ingersolls today, to confuse the Christian on his way, and nothing but the indifference of the Christian, and a lack of passionate love of God that hinders him, and that rests with himself.

OBSERVES CRYSTAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Freck, of Cameron avenue, last night observed the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding, entertaining a number of friends from this city in honor of the occasion. A supper was served during the course of the evening. The couple were the recipients of a number of gifts of cut glass. Old rose formed the color scheme of the decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Freck were married in Passaic March 25, 1902, coming to this city the following July to make their home here. Mr. Freck is manager of the Hotel Maple, Fanwood.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

Miss Elsie Wyckoff, '17, has returned to her studies, having fully recovered from a recent illness.

Victor Levitz of the Senior class will represent this high school at the Tri-county Debate to be held Friday afternoon at Bayonne, N. J.

Prof. O. M. Graves, of Lafayette College, and Dean James E. Dunham, of Temple University, will address the high school students after the chapel exercises on Thursday morning.

S. Frederick Smith, supervisor of music, has selected the Easter music to be sung by the High School Glee Club. The solo part will be sung by Clifford Pelring of the Junior class.

The Girls' Athletic Association met in the auditorium this noon to arrange for the candy sale at the annual play of the Boys' Athletic Association, which will be presented in the Plainfield High School on the evening of April 13. The proceeds obtained from the candy sold that evening will be devoted to the Girls' A. A. treasury.

Over two hundred tickets for the athletic play, "All of a Sudden Peggy," to be presented April 13, will be sent out tomorrow to some of the loyal supporters of athletics of this city and borough, who it is earnestly hoped will respond as they have responded time in the past, in order that the play will be a great financial success. As added attraction on the night of the play will be the music which will be furnished by a New York orchestra of six pieces.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Mae L. Miller, of 219 Richmond street, last Friday evening at her home.

About twenty-five guests were present, and the recipient received many useful gifts, including china, linen, silver and glassware. Miss Miller is to wed Charles Irving this spring.

INTERNMENT CAMPS READY FOR ALIENS

Secret Service Campaign on Against Spy Danger.

Washington, March 26.—Every channel of government activity is working under pressure to provide "war insurance" for the nation in the event of war with Germany. An army of secret service men and agents of the department of justice, spreading a dragnet from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from Canada to the Mexican border, has made surveillance thousands of "spy suspects" and German sympathizers. A declaration of war between the United States and Germany will be followed immediately by wholesale arrests and internments.

A map of the thousands under surveillance are a vast number of German reservists caught in the United States at the outbreak of the European war and unable to get back to their colors. Every reservist has been listed by the secret agents, and a war declaration would be the signal for their immediate apprehension and internment. Plans are under way for several great internment camps in various parts of the country.

In addition to these reservists, the secret service agents have under surveillance many naturalized Germans whose activities during the recent crisis have brought them under suspicion. Many are wealthy and influential men in their communities.

While plans have been one objective of the secret agents, and scores of so called "amateur" plants have been dismantled in the national capital itself. The president and his advisers have decided on a vigorous campaign to eliminate all disloyalty from the army, the navy and the executive branches of the government, and secret service agents have been ordered to investigate the sympathies of all responsible officials. Congress will probably be asked to enact legislation barring from the military and naval service all but real Americans. Representative Griffin of New York has already begun a movement looking toward this end.

YEAR PETROGRAD DRIVE.

Russian Government Hears Germans Are Massing For Attack.

Petrograd, March 26.—Appeals of the ministers of Russia's provisional government for the loyal support of all Russians in these days of trial met with hearty response today.

Tremendous attacks launched by the Germans at several points on the Russian front makes the position of the new born republic critical. One of the appeals issued by the ministers states the Germans are massing a great force to strike at Petrograd.

Premier Lvoff received a telegram from Grand Duke Alexander Michelevitch, in Kiev, pledging loyalty to the new government. The pledge was also made in behalf of Grand Duchess Xenia, a sister of the former empress.

INSPECT NEGRO TROOPS.

Fifteenth Regiment, N. G. N. Y., Ready For Federal Service.

New York, March 26.—The Fifteenth regiment, national guard, New York, the new organization of negroes, was inspected in Lafayette hall by Colonel William Hayward, Lieutenant Colonel Lorillard Spencer and Captain Hamilton Fish, officers of the regiment.

The state has accepted the regiment, but cannot muster it until the federal government has accepted it. Federal officers are to inspect the regiment this week preparatory to incorporating it into the militia of the United States. There are 950 men in the regiment, and Colonel Hayward expects to double that number in the next five weeks.

SEES CHURCH SUICIDE.

New York Pastor Causes Stir In Resignation Letter.

New York, March 26.—Members of Calvary Baptist church at 123 West Fifty-seventh street listened in amazement while the Rev. David Ross, assistant pastor, read a letter to the congregation from the Rev. Joseph W. Kemp, the pastor, asserting that the church was "committing suicide" and "drifting into ghastly deception."

The letter announced Dr. Kemp's final refusal to reconsider his resignation tendered Feb. 18 last. The Rev. Mr. Ross quits with Dr. Kemp, who is in Canada conducting a series of Bible lectures.

Live Wire Kills Two.

Greenfield, Mass., March 26.—Two men were killed and a third badly burned at the plant of the Greenfield Electric Light and Power company, Rollo B. Kinsman, chief engineer, slipped from a steel frame where he was repairing a lightning arrester and fell across a live wire carrying 13,000 volts. He was killed instantly. In rescuing his body another employee was electrocuted.

Gould's Estate to Father.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., March 26.—Edwin Gould of Arden on the Hudson will be appointed administrator of the estate of his son, Edwin Gould, Jr., who was killed while hunting on the game preserves of the Goulds at Brunswick, Ga. He will inherit the $250,000 worth of personal property left by the boy.

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FRENCH ADVANCE; BRITISH HALTED

German Resistance Has Stiffened Against English.

ST. QUENTIN IS THREATENED.

Teuton Troops Raid Trenches at Ypres, Finding Them Evacuated and British Retirement From Salient to Stronger Positions In Rear, Is Intimated—Germans Lost Positions to French.

London, March 26.—On the whole front from St. Quentin to Soissons the French pressed their attack on the German positions, making progress everywhere. As a result the position of the Germans in St. Quentin is precarious.

"In the course of the day a desperate struggle followed a strong defense by the enemy," says the French official statement, "but our soldiers, aroused by the spectacle of the ravages committed by the Germans, everywhere drove back the adversary, who suffered serious losses."

General Nivelle widened toward the north the wedge he is driving into the German lines between St. Quentin and La Fere, so that the French now occupy higher ground than St. Quentin itself, in the Somme valley. These new French positions are directly south of the city and only two miles from it.

Must Wait For British.

An impetuous attack by the French infantry, assisted by the heavy guns which they have brought into action, drove the Germans from the position extending from Castres through Essigny to Hill 121, east of the St. Quentin-La Fere railroad and on the irregular ridge that protected St. Quentin from the south. A German counter attack was broken by French artillery fire.

The French have made much progress in an enveloping movement on St. Quentin. This can be completed only when the British make a corresponding advance. Their lines join the French west of the city, but their advance has not kept pace with the French.

South of the Oise French detachments penetrated the lower forest of Coucy, the southern part of the large forest of St. Gobain, and reached the outskirts of Folembray and Coucy-le-Chateau. These two towns are on the edge of the slope which reaches its apex in the center of the forest and makes it a difficult position for infantry to take.

British Are Halted.

South of St. Gobain forest, which is in the region directly north and northeast of Soissons between the Oise and the Aisne, the French made some progress in their effort to envelope the forest from the southeast. Two attacks the Germans made against the Vregny-Margival front, five miles from the forest, were repulsed.

Practically no progress by the British is announced except that their position west of Croisilles, fifteen miles west of Cambrai, was improved. Evidently the Germans on this part of the front have reached their prepared positions. The British expect that the German retirement will spread to the region north of the present line, as indicated by explosions beyond Arras, and are prepared to follow this up.

The German official statement admits retirements before the French and British. It asserts that British trenches southeast of Ypres had been evacuated when German raiding troops entered them after a bombardment. The Ypres salient is the weakest sector of the British line. Its evacuation for stronger positions to the rear has often been discussed.

SAFETY HEADS TO MEET.

Governor Summons Them to Statehouse on Wednesday.

Trenton, March 26.—A meeting of the chairmen of committees on public safety in a state wide preparedness plan is called by Governor Edge for Wednesday at the statehouse.

This meeting follows up the work recommended in letters sent to 700 mayors and township committee chairmen on March 17 by Adjutant General Barber. It is expected that the meeting on Wednesday will result in the organization of a state committee.

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Atlantic City, March 26.—An entire regiment, to be recruited in the counties of Atlantic, Burling, Cape May and Cumberland, and uniformed and equipped at the expense of patriotic business men, is to be tendered to the federal government in the event of war, according to Representative Bacharach.

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RUMOR OF GOETHALS AS WAR SECRETARY

Report In Washington Baker May Be Attorney General.

Washington, March 26.—Rumors persist that cabinet changes are in prospect despite reported denials from the White House. Particular point is given to them at this time in view of the probability of war. The latest rumor revived concerns the possibility of Attorney General Gregory's retirement to resume the practice of law.

Coupled with the Gregory report is gossip that Newton D. Baker, secretary of war, will be appointed attorney general.

The presence here of Major General George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, has suggested he might be chosen for the war portfolio.

General Goethals is chairman of the commission appointed under the Adamson law to investigate the working of the eight hour day for railroad trainmen. It was said that, while nothing was known of any intention to give General Goethals any new office under the federal government, it was more probable in the event of his being relieved from the eight hour commission he would be sent back to the isthmus to make arrangements for safeguarding the canal from attack.

Another suggestion heard in Washington, but which lacks any authoritative confirmation, is that if there is a change in the war department Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, might be appointed to succeed Secretary Baker.

TRY NEWARK ALDERMEN.

Lee and Baker Bribery Cases In Court Today.

Newark, N. J., March 26.—Alderman Thomas J. Lee, Jr., Democrat, and George Baker, Republican, who recently pleaded not guilty to indictments charging them with bribery, went to trial this morning before Judge Osborne and a jury in the quarter sessions court.

A representative of an Orange beating concern which was seeking a contract, it is alleged, gave each of the two aldermen a marked $100 bill. Baker when arrested had the marked bill. He asserted that it was given to him in payment of a loan, which he said he made to the bonding contractor the day before. He further declared that the case was a "frame-up." Lee was arrested and searched, but the bill which it was said was given him at the same time was never found.

PERSONAL

Miss Dorothy P. Hubbard, a student at Alfred University, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hubbard, West Fifth street.

John Cottrell, Jr., of this city, is a member of the Alfred Glee Club, which appears in concert at the Seventh Day Baptist church on Wednesday evening of this week.

Prize to Cardinal Mercier.

Paris, March 26.—"To recompense the finest and greatest acts of devotion" the Academy of Moral and Political Sciences has awarded the grand prize of 15,000 francs to Cardinal Mercier of Belgium. The award was accompanied by a letter lauding the Catholic prelate for "his noble intentions, his respect of right, his zeal for justice, his firmness in the face of oppression and his devotion to the poor and oppressed."

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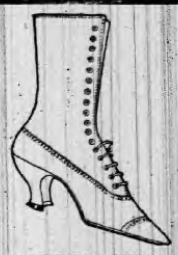

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Short term bonds of cities towns and other municipalities		502,442.31
Notes and bills purchased		2,945,217.41
Overdrafts		851.45
Due from banks, etc.		1,099,563.34
Banking-house		85,000.00
Other real estate		12,177.84
Cash on hand		328,641.26
Checks and cash items		6,967.65
Interest accrued		32,386.84
		$9,320,662.33

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Capital stock paid in		$300,000.00
Surplus fund		200,000.00
Undivided profits (net)		144,426.22
Time deposits, $2,529,187.22		
Time certificates of deposit	721,271.79	
Demand deposits	3,821,333.77	
Demand certificates of deposits	47,672.40	
Certified checks	6,818.57	
Treasurer's checks outstanding	537.72	
Due to banks	254,424.39	7,860,765.86
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PADEREWSKI IN PLAINFIELD

World's Famous Pianist Delights Great Audience in High School Auditorium

Those residents of Plainfield who have not had a winter of delights in the matter of music need blame only themselves. Never have so many good concerts been given here as in this season of 1916-17. And the climax was reached last night when Paderewski, generally considered the greatest living pianist, played at the high school auditorium before a large and more than enthusiastic audience.

The program opened with an air of Haendel's, deliciously simple and melodious, with a series of brilliant variations upon this theme by Brahms, a master of intricate harmonies.

This was followed by one of the less known sonatas of Beethoven.

Both of these numbers were played with a beautiful and intelligent restraint. There was no attempt to read into them any of the strange chaos of ultra-modern music or anything but their own severe beauty.

It was in the second half of the program that the audience went wild with pleasure and excitement. This is natural enough. For even the greatest performers needs a little time to get into communion with his hearers. Then, too, the more romantic music of this latter part of the program is the kind best suited to the temperament of this intensely emotional Pole. Surely never was Schumann's "Carnival" more wonderfully played. Its passages of unearthly charm took on new meanings. (Perhaps the beauty of no composer depends so much upon the interpreter as in the case of Schumann.)

When it came to the Chopin group the great audience simply could not get enough. And indeed never has the immortal Polish composer been interpreted quite so perfectly as by this compatriot of his. Chopin's is highly emotional music, none more so; and no pianist is better adapted by nature to play him than Paderewski. It takes the keen intelligence of the great artist never to step over the thin line separating true feeling from sentimentality. But he never errs.

This program is exactly the same as that to be given by Paderewski at Carnegie Hall this coming Saturday.

As usual, Paderewski was generous with his encores. A murmur of delight passed through the hall when he struck the opening notes of his own Minuet.

The piano is Paderewski's second self. He speaks through it in music as fully as other people speak through the medium of words. And not only is his technique so perfect that he can do what he wants with his instrument in his interpretation of great works, but he has a personality well worth expressing. He makes the piano speak of beauty and memorable things.

This concert was especially interesting in that it proved a program can be composed entirely of the best music, and yet held the attention.

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FATHER BOGAN GIVES LITERARY HOUR

In St. Mary's Social Hall last evening, the Rev. Father Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's Church, provided a literary treat for the members of the Holy Name Society and their friends. It was announced that Father Bogan would continue these educational meetings from time to time.

In addition to reading several of the more beautiful of the short poems of Fathers Livingstone and Tabb, the local priest gave one or two paragraphs from the lectures of Robert Taylor, "Wedding Bob," as he was called in one of these lectures. Mrs. Taylor gave great praise to the Irish valor and stated that he was proud to be able to trace his own Irish lineage. During the course of the literary hour, Father Bogan referred to the part played by the Irish race in the wars of the world, concluding his short talk on this subject by reciting "The Banner of America," one of the best of the recent patriotic poems. Blanche Wilmot's poem composing Night with Death was also read. "The Banner of America" was considered particularly apropos as the concluding offering of a splendid literary program.

This "Literary Hours," as it was called, was arranged under the auspices of the Holy Name Society, of which Paul H. Burns is the president.

DR. FISK SPEAKS TONIGHT

Tonight at eight o'clock in the High School auditorium, Dr. Fisk of the Life Extension Institute will speak. The public as well as all members of the Parent-Teacher Associations are invited.

—There will be some one in Company K's armory every night to meet the men that care to enlist.—Adv.

FEDERATION OF MISSIONS ELECT

Mrs. F. W. Jones is Chosen Head of Societies and Reports Are Presented

Officers for the coming year were elected and reports of the past twelve months were presented at the annual meeting of the Federation of Women's Missionary Societies held at Trinity Reformed church yesterday afternoon. There were about forty women present representing the different churches of the city and borough.

One of the helpful features was a discussion of methods employed in each society and these suggestions will be made use of during the year. The report of the treasurer showed a balance of $40. Mrs. Reuben Knox gave a report on home mission activities and Miss Stella Vermeule reviewed the foreign missionary work.

Mrs. Grace Williams, the retiring president, conducted the meeting and was in charge until after the election of the new officers which are as follows:

President, Mrs. Frank W. Jones, First Baptist church; first vice president, Mrs. A. V. D. Honeyman, Crescent Avenue church; second vice president, Mrs. A. M. Nelson, Congregational church; third vice president, Mrs. Edward Baker, Jr., Temple Baptist church; fourth vice president, Mrs. V. P. Heath, Grace Methodist church; secretary, Mrs. Walter Manning, Monroe Avenue Methodist church; assistant, Mrs. John Groendyke, Park Avenue Baptist church; treasurer, Miss Helen Woodruff, Trinity Reformed church; chairman home mission committee, Mrs. J. A. Goodwin. The chairman of the foreign mission committee will be named later.

BOARD EXTENDS EASTER VACATION

Borough Schools Will Close on March 30—Open April 9

The borough Board of Education last night granted the request of the Parent-Teacher Association of the borough schools for an extension of the Easter vacation. A committee of five mothers, headed by Mrs. M. H. Ewart, were present at the meeting and made this request. The borough schools will close next Friday and open April 9. The Easter vacation was previously shortened in the school calendar to make up for the days lost last fall during the infantile paralysis scare.

Business mostly of a routine nature was transacted last night, and it was the final meeting of the retiring board. The seven members with President Cooley in the chair, were present. In the absence of Clerk Frank Rowley, Supervising Principal D. F. Aungst was appointed clerk pro tem.

Warrants amounting to $5,260.42 were authorized drawn to meet outstanding accounts.

Mr. Aungst in his monthly report gave the average attendance of scholars 3,238. The report of the visiting nurse was also received.

The close of the meeting the board discussed in an informal way the proposed division of the higher grades and the high school into a junior and senior high school. This matter has been under consideration and may sooner or later be established in the borough schools.

The board will meet again Monday night to reorganize. The newly-elected members, E. P. Shepard and H. C. White and T. J. Currin, Jr., will be installed.

POLICEMAN KELLY A DEAD SHOT

Every man, woman and child in Plainfield knows John Kelly. He is the biggest and kindliest man on the police force. Yesterday he lined up with the other members of the force at headquarters for pistol practice and took the bull's eye at a distance of sixty feet four-four times in succession.

Chief Kiely became alarmed lest he put a hole in the barn back of the station house, and stopped him.

Kelly is a direct descendant of Owen, Roe O'Neill, one of Ireland's famous warriors. He is unpicturesque to shooting, having never engaged in pistol practice except when called upon to do so in the regular course of his police work, and while he has always shown great accuracy of aim, the score he made yesterday is undoubtedly one of the best for pistol shooting in this section of the country.

—New Packer House, Perth Amboy, N. J., Peter Fiorach & Son, formerly of Plainfield, proprietors. Dancing Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 9 to 11:30 p. m.—Adv. 3-27-1m

BELGIUM RELIEF TO BE CONTINUED

Sub-Committee Makes Urgent Appeal in Behalf of Supplementary Meals

With the knowledge that slow starvation will be the fate of the unfortunate children of Belgium unless immediate help is forthcoming, the Plainfield Belgian Relief Committee, through a sub-committee on "Supplementary Meals," of which Mrs. Richard Boardman is chairman, has begun a campaign to make known the situation to the people of Plainfield and to give everyone, men, women and children an opportunity to save the lives of these unoffending little ones.

When it is realized that approximately 1,000,000 children in Belgium are subsisting on one meal a day, consisting of soup and bread and that the supplementary meal of one biscuit, four inches square, made of flour, lard and a little sweetening, and a cup of cocoa may be provided for one child at a cost of $12.00 a year—that one dollar a month will save the health and life itself of a little child—it seems scarcely necessary to do more than make known the fact to have an immediate and generous response to the committee's appeal for funds.

In this connection it is necessary to call attention to the fact that although the American Commissioners leave Belgium, the relief work will be carried on without interruption by Dutch and other neutral agents under the direction of Mr. Hoover, that money and supplies are to be forwarded and distributed in exactly the same manner as heretofore.

Since October 31 all contributions to the American Commission for Relief in Belgium have been used to provide a supplementary meal for the children. The commission needs $1,250,000 a month for this purpose alone and the Plainfield Committee earnestly hopes that the response to their appeal for funds will enable Plainfield to undertake the maintenance of the children of some one Belgian city or town of an equal population.

These children must be saved and America must save them. Contributions may be sent to Cornelius Boardman Tyler, treasurer, 525 West Seventh street.

DUTCH ARMS BAND OFFERS ITS SERVICES

Church Musicians Will Serve Without Compensation at Patriotic Demonstrations

In view of the present crisis the Dutch Arms Band at a recent meeting passed resolutions agreeing to give its services gratis at any patriotic demonstrations held in the city. This latest move of Plainfield's only church band will undoubtedly be well received by the local patriotic organizations. The band is under the leadership of Edward Young, and has a membership of over forty musicians.

The following is the resolutions adopted:

"Whereas, We, the Dutch Arms Band, do hereby offer its services to the City of Plainfield and Borough or any body of its citizens without compensation.

"Resolved, If in the present crisis any patriotic demonstration be planned at which the presence of a band might be desirable, including the departure of any local militia, in answer to the call of the United States Government, request for such service shall receive immediate attention by communicating with George E. Volk, care City National Bank, corner Seventh and Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1094-M."

Copies of this resolution have been sent to the Mayor of the City of Plainfield and the Borough.

YOUNG GIRL KILLED WHILE CROSSING TRACKS

While crossing the track between Richmond and Washington streets yesterday afternoon, Louise Jeannout, a little girl of eleven years of age, was struck by a west-bound coal train and sustained such injuries that she was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital where she died last night. Death was caused by concussion of the brain.

The child was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jeannout, of Cottage place. She was at the time of the accident, taking a short cut across the tracks, on her way to see a girl friend.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at the residence of her parents.

Auto Auction Next Saturday

Unusually large assortment desirable cars sold to highest bidders, cash or deferred payment. Thompson Auto Co.—Adv. 3-24-6t

DEFENSE LEAGUE IN NEED OF FUNDS

All Contributions May be Sent to the Plainfield Trust Company

The Finance Committee of the Home Defense League is gratified and appreciative to those who have already contributed to this fund, but desires to remind the citizens of Plainfield that for this patriotic cause there should be a much larger list in the names of contributors.

Small amounts of $1 and upwards should be given by many hundreds of people. Contributions may be sent direct to the Plainfield Trust Company. The names of all contributors will be published, but not the amounts.

It is hoped that there will be a more generous response to this call by our citizens, who should understand that the Defense League is a benefit to them.

The men who have offered their services for this purpose are sacrificing a great deal of their time in drills and rifle practice.

They want to be in a position to serve the community in a creditable way should their services be needed.

There are expenses incident to the proper equipping and mustering in of this force of citizens, who in a way are emulating the fine example of the "minute men" of Colonial days.

The Home Defense League is an insurance against an unwelcome demonstration on the part of any element that may be swayed by sentiment unworthy of those who have enjoyed the hospitality of this nation.

There ought to be an appreciable number of citizens who realize the importance of this organization to our community's well being, and their interest in the matter can manifest itself in no better way than by making a liberal contribution.

Any amount will be accepted, however. Contributions should be made to the Plainfield Trust Company which has offered to receive all donations.

MANY CONTRIBUTE TO JEWISH RELIEF

Luncheon Will be Tendered Rabbi Wise When He Comes Here April 2

At a meeting of the Jewish War Relief Committee last night at the office of Judge Newcorn, a card index of the Jewish residents of the city and borough was completed, and teams organized to personally solicit the Jewish residents for contribution to the war relief fund.

It was also decided to tender a luncheon to Rabbi Wise, of New York, who will address a war relief meeting in Columbus Auditorium, on Tuesday evening, April 2, upon his arrival here at 9 o'clock that day.

Judge Newcorn this morning announced the receipt of contributions from Congressman John H. Capstick, former Mayor Percy H. Stewart and Councilman Charles S. Sminck, all of whom expressed themselves as pleased to be able to assist such a worthy cause.

On April 15, there will be held in Temple Emanuel, New York, a national conference of Hebrews for the purpose of determining what may be done in the future to relieve the suffering Jews in the war zone.

Judge Newcorn will attend this meeting, having been invited by Henry Morgenthau, National Chairman of Jewish relief work.

STOLEN JEWELS WERE VALUED AT $40,000

Jewels valued at $40,000, belonging to Mrs. William McNair, of 5 East Seventy-ninth street, New York, were stolen while the family was at dinner, Thursday night. The burglary, said to be one of the biggest in years, was reported to the police yesterday.

Mrs. McNair was formerly Miss Elvira Brokaw, daughter of Isaac Brokaw, who will be remembered by the older residents, and is related here. Her first marriage was to Carl Fisher Hansen, an attorney, from whom she secured a divorce. Three years ago she married William McNair at her country home at Locust Valley, L. I. She met Mr. McNair while making a trip on the ill-fated Lusitania. A reward of $2,500 has been offered for the return of the jewelry. The burglars gained an entrance to the McNair home through a window.

—For Easter—Dainty printed cards at Brower's, 311 Park avenue, next to Telephone office; also many new devices and cut outs for evenings.—Adv. 3-24-3t

PRINCESS MARY LODGE ORGANIZED

State Officers Institute Branch of Daughters of St. George in This City

Princess Mary Lodge, No. 224, Daughters of St. George, was instituted in Knights of Pythias lodge rooms last night with a charter membership of twenty-seven, as an auxiliary to Trafalgar Lodge, Sons of St. George, which has been in existence here for some time. The work of institution was in charge of the State officers, who were accompanied by a delegation of about forty members from the various lodges throughout the northern part of New Jersey.

The officers of the new lodge are as follows: Past president, Mrs. George Bridge; president, Miss Madeline Hughes; vice-president, Mrs. George Pierson; chaplain, Mrs. George White; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Rothbram; financial secretary, Mrs. Harry Jackson; recording secretary, Mrs. E. D. Young; first conductor, Mrs. Harry Cooke; second conductor, Mrs. Herbert Reeves; inside guard, Mrs. Harry Hartley; outside guard, Mrs. Lillian Darby; trustees, Mrs. Margaret Hughes, one year; Mrs. Thomas Hargreaves, two years; Mrs. Harold Mager, three years.

The visiting officers who had charge of the work of the evening were as follows: Past president, Mrs. Emma Holden, Carnation Lodge, Kearny; president, Mrs. Lillian Kenyon, Star of Hope Lodge, Paterson; vice-president, Mrs. K. Aspinall, Edith Cavell Lodge, Passaic; chaplain, Mrs. John Davis, Lady Roberts Lodge, South Orange; treasurer, Mrs. Edward Rose, Victoria Lodge, Newark; financial secretary, Mrs. J. Durnur, Lady Roberts Lodge, South Orange; recording secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Carruthers, Lady Roberts Lodge, South Orange; first conductor, Mrs. Alice Martin, Victoria Lodge, Newark; second conductor, Mrs. Winifred Delgney, Lady Roberts Lodge, South Orange; inside guard, Mrs. Charlotte Lee, Star of Hope Lodge, Paterson; outside guard, Mrs. Mary Holden, Brittany Lodge, Elizabeth.

After the institution there was a social session during which refreshments were served. Princess Mary Lodge will meet on the first and third Tuesdays of the month in Ex-mont Firemen's Hall, the Coward building, on Park avenue.

WILLIAMS RESCUED FROM THE LACONIA

Plainfielder Thought to Have Been Drowned Reported to be in Liverpool

Although it was reported and believed by some people that John Williams, formerly of Plainfield, whose family, with the exception of two children, perished with the sinking of the Lusitania in May, 1915, was drowned when the Laconia was torpedoed last month, it was learned today that the man is alive in Liverpool. This information reached here Wednesday in letters written to friends by Williams.

Ever since Williams deserted his two children, Edith and John E. Williams, the local and State authorities have been trying to learn his whereabouts and compel him to support them. Mrs. Williams has been and is at present in charge of the State Board of Guardians and are being cared for by a family in Jersey City.

For a time Williams was employed on the Cedric as a steward, but later secured a similar position on the Laconia. In the meantime all trace of the man was lost, and when the Laconia went down it was reported that he was drowned. On the contrary, he was picked up by a trawler and taken to Liverpool. A letter to friends Williams states that he has lost everything and at the time of writing did not even have a job. Efforts no doubt will be made to bring the man back to this country and compel him to support his wife and six children. No that country so that he could provide for them there. Passage was secured for the family on the Lusitania in May of that year.

The Laconia was torpedoed and Mrs. Williams and four of her children were drowned. They were George, aged 6 years; Ethel, aged 5; Florence, aged 3, and David, aged 2 months. Edith who is now eleven years old and John E., who is 12 years, were rescued and eventually brought back to this country.

GERMAN SOLDIERS INVADE HOLLAND SEEKING FOOD

By United Press:

The Hague, March 27.—Four thousand German soldiers have crossed the line into Holland, seeking food, according to frontier reports. They have been interned at Zwolle.

TIME FOR U. S. TO VINDICATE HER RIGHTS

By United Press:

Washington, March 27.—The resolution to be introduced in Congress, April 2, after the President concludes his address to the joint session, will declare that the time has come for the United States to vindicate its honor and its right.

It will declare that by the acts of Germany a state of war exists, and that Congress places at the disposition of the President the means for vigorously prosecuting the war, and thereby hastening the restoration of peace.

President Wilson is completing his indictment of Germany this week and the House of Foreign Affairs committee is preparing the resolution.

Anticipating the trend of the President's indictment, the committee will draw the resolution along the following lines:

That wanton violation of the rights of person and property of our citizens committed by Germany, her repeated acts of bad faith, and utter disregard of solemn treaties have constituted ample cause for war on our part.

That Germany's acts have justified the United States before the whole world in resorting to remedies, however extreme.

That with an anxious desire to avoid a rupture we forbore for months to assert our rights by force, and continued by amicable negotiation to seek redress for wrongs suffered, in the hope that Germany might yield to pacific counsel and demands for justice.

That in this hope the United States was disappointed.

That the time has come when the United States must vindicate decisively her honor, rights and interests.

That solely by the acts of Germany a state of war exists between that government and the United States, and that the Congress of the United States places at the disposition of the President, the means for prosecuting the war vigorously, and thereby hastening the restoration of peace.

DANISH KING'S FAREWELL TO ISLAND PEOPLE

By United Press:

Copenhagen, March 27.—King Christian formally bade his former subjects in the Danish West Indies farewell today, wishing them "a happy future under the United States flag." He issued a formal proclamation "thanking the residents of the islands, now sold to the United States, for their centuries of loyalty."

MAYOR MITCHEL HALED BEFORE BAR OF SENATE

By United Press:

Albany, March 27.—Mayor John Purroy Mitchel, of New York, will be summoned tomorrow before the bar of the Senate, to explain why he charged Senator Robert F. Wagner, of New York City, with working in the interest of Germany, and against the United States.

SEVEN OF FIGHTING NATIONS REPRESENTED IN THIS CLASS

By United Press:

Altoona, Pa., March 27.—Seven of the warring European nations are represented among the seventy-six adult aliens who study English nightly in the public school taught by Miss Leta E. Kephart. Miss Kephart says they all are too much interested in progressing toward Americanism to worry about native differences. The foreigners include Germans, Austrians, Russians, Italians, Poles, Greeks and Irish.

Y. M. H. A. GOT $488 LAST NIGHT

At a rousing and enthusiastic meeting of the Young Men's Hebrew Association the sum of $488 was turned in to the treasurer last evening from local donors. Those who contributed are: Morris Abrams $100; H. Taub, $40; B. E. Bronston, $25; S. Mann, $25; M. Silber, $25; Cohen & Isreskey, $25; Carl Silbert, $25. Bieder Bros., $20; Charles Klauss, $20; Cohen & Pariser, $10; Alpiren & Miller, $10; Charles Kurtzman, $10; I. K. Rothberg, $10; J. Himmelfarb, $10; Dr. H. Stein, $5; Sam Gishkin, $5; Solomon (Chk. J. Schwartz), $5; Sam Gelberg, $5; Israel Goldstein, $5; New York Lunch, $5; B. M. Bogan, $5; B. Gorkin, $5; H. Parris (Metr. Ins. Co.), $5; Goldberg, (J. Schwartz), $2; cash $50.50.

A number of appeals have gone out within the last two days and the committee sincerely hopes that there will be a generous response. The chairman, Harvey I. Rothberg, has just received the following letters from Dr. Charles A. Eaton, of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, New York city, dated March 23rd, 1917.

My Dear Mr. Rothberg:

I am pleased to know that the campaign is on foot looking to the welfare of Jewish young men, of Plainfield and vicinity. The hope of our nation is in the quality of our manhood, and I rejoice to know that the Jewish people of Plainfield are feeling their duty in this respect, and wish you every success in your undertaking.

With sincere regards, I remain,

Faithfully yours,

CHARLES A. EATON.

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN TO PROTECT THE PRESIDENT

By United Press:

Washington, March 27.—Precautionary measures of an elaborate kind will be taken to protect President Wilson, from any harm, when he delivers his war message to Congress, one week from today.

The Capitol building will be closed throughout the morning to every one except Senators, Representatives, their clerks, and others possessing special cards of admission. The cards will not be given out until just before the President appears, so that they may not fall into the hands of any but those entitled to them.

A great crowd is expected to hear the President's war address.

ALLIES PURSUE TEUTONS IN HARD FIGHTING

By United Press:

London, March 27.—The Allies' pursuit continued hotly today, marked by violent fighting at half a dozen points in the former front, now rapidly nearing the permanent German line.

The French were within less than a mile of the Hindenburg line, and progressing steadily in spite of determined resistance by the enemy.

The nearest approach of the British to the line was near Lagincourt, about eleven miles west of Cambrai. There was bitter fighting in this vicinity today, German massed forces desperately striving to retake the village, but the British held firm and beat off all attacks.

LANGHORNE NEGATIVES MAY BE SECURED

Since the advertisement has appeared in this paper for the sale of old negatives in the former Langhorne photographic studio, Mrs. Langhorne has been frequently asked by persons for whom Mr. Langhorne took pictures, if they could reserve the old negatives.

Mrs. Langhorne wishes to say to them, that all persons whose photographs her late husband took in the years that he was in Plainfield, may call at the studio and have them reframed in the Parisot studio for future orders by simply giving the name of the person whose picture was taken and the date it was taken. On a call or by telephone these negatives will be laid aside for them, but the request must be made at the studio, 107 East Front street, before April 1, after which time the negatives not so retained will be destroyed.

Mrs. Langhorne also has at her home a number of old daguerreotypes and photographs left with her husband long ago which the owners may prize highly, and which they may have on making themselves known.

MEN'S NOONDAY MEETING TOMORROW

It is expected that Harry J. Manning will be the speaker at the Noonday Meeting tomorrow, held in the hall on Madison avenue from 12.20 to 1 o'clock. The meeting will be open for women as well as men and all are cordially invited.

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Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands very high in the trade as a kidney, liver and bladder medicine and the people who have used it speak very favorably regarding its value. It is a good seller in this vicinity and enjoys a splendid reputation throughout.

Very truly yours,
HARRY VANE, Druggist.
May 5th, 1916 Dover, Del.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Plainfield Courier-News. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

John Salvato spoke at the chapel exercises Wednesday morning on the subject "Rome at Its Zenith." Mr. Salvato is a member of the Junior class.

The season tickets for baseball will be ready soon and this fact should bear remembering. If you can't represent the school on the diamond, help a good cause by buying a season ticket.

The Seniors are now busily engaged in preparing the required Senior Essays which are due on April 20. The essays must not contain more than 1,500 words. Wonder what Senior would thing of writing less?

The pictures of the 1916-17 basketball team by Stone & Lackey, have been received, and so far as can be ascertained the squad withstood the ordeal very well. Of course, the individual photos are in great demand.

HARDING GOVERNOR OF THE PANAMA RAILROAD

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 27.—Lieutenant Colonel Chester Harding, Governor of the Canal Zone, has been elected president of the Panama Railroad. He succeeds Major General Goethals, former Governor of the Zone.

Patriotism

Patriotism begins at home. You are patriotic because you believe your family needs protection. The best protection possible can be secured through an Equitable Life Policy. Let us send you a special booklet, "What the Equitable Has to Offer."

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INSURANCE
ANY KIND
STATE TRUST BUILDING
'PHONE 2271

OUR "TREATIES"

A Treaty is the promise of a nation.

A Guarantee is the promise of a firm.

One of the glories of our country is that it has never violated a Treaty; and one of the elements of our success is that we have never violated one of our guarantees.

Performance is crowned oftener than Promise—the deed fulfilled is the thing that counts.

Our position in Plainfield is foremost in the Clothing Business because we have conducted our store in a way that has meant the "greatest safety" to the public.

And the response of confidence the public has imposed in the Rothberg Store proves that it always approves fair-dealing.

SPRING SUITS
$15 and upwards

Stylish Reliable

ROTHBERG'S
"THINGS MEN WEAR"
206 West Front St.

RECREATION BOARD MAKES REPORT

The report of H. W. Marshall, treasurer of the Board of Recreation Commissioners, which has just been made public, shows disbursements of $2,044.82 during the past year, leaving a balance of $25.97 from the $2,000 appropriated by the city and a balance of $70.79 on hand July 1 last. The disbursements are divided as follows:

Parker Field, $994.92; Bryant School, $231.91; Franklin School, $277.94; St. Mary's School, $268.66; Irving School, $291.29. A brief general report is made by the commissioners, President, John F. Zerega; H. W. Marshall, Allen E. Beals, Howard H. Crane and A. B. Jones. G. W. Wriston is the secretary.

SALVATION ARMY OFFERS 900 BARRACKS TO NATION

New York, March 27.—Nine hundred Salvation Army barracks in all important cities have been offered by Commander Evangeline Booth to the War and Navy Departments as recruiting stations. Two officers of the Salvation Army left for Washington last night to discuss the matter with Secretary Baker and Secretary Daniels.

In addition to offering the use of its barracks, the army has 128 industrial homes, more than 100 hotels, and many other institutions which it will put at the disposal of the Government.

Queen City Optical Store
508 WATCHUNG AVENUE,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Next to Hall's Drug Store.

C. P. CAMO, Mgr.
Registered Optometrist.
Eyes Examined Glasses Fitted
All Work Guaranteed.
Exclusively an Optical Store.

This is an age of specialization. Our specialty is the perfection of the human eye for the purest fitting of proper glasses.

We charge no more for our expert service than others demand, who treat this exacting and delicate subject as a side issue. Come to us with your vision troubles. Thorough, painstaking and conscientious eye examinations. Our store is the only one in Plainfield and vicinity where an exclusive optical business is carried on.

Oculists' Prescriptions Filled.
Come to us for prompt and efficient service
Prices Reasonable.

"Let us be known by the quality of the pianos we sell"

WHICH?

Which of the following pianos do you prefer? Each one represents the BEST instrument in its class money can buy.

STEINWAY & SONS	WELTE-MIGNON REPRODUCING PIANO (IN THE SOHMER AND AUTO PIANO)	HALLET & DAVIS
KRANICH & BACH		VIRTUOLO
SOHMER		CONWAY
KRAKAUER		GRIFFITH

The prices range from $200 to $2,000. In no other store in New Jersey will you find such a congress of famous pianos as you will find here. Art catalogs on any of them mailed on request.

GRIFFITH PIANO CO.
238 W. Front St. Babcock Bldg.
STEINWAY REPRESENTATIVES

177 Market St. Paterson
605 Broad St., Newark

SPECIAL SALE BEDS

We are placing on sale for quick selling a manufacturer's line of sample Beds, comprising Brass, White Enameled and the new Wood finishes. Only a limited number in the lot, so act quick, as there will be no duplicates. Prices from . . . . . $4.98 to $19.98

MATTRESSES and SPRINGS

Order was placed before manufacturers advanced prices, which means a saving well worth your investigation.

MATTRESSES	SPRINGS
$2.25 to $18.00	$3.50 to $8.50

L. B. VAN CAMP
Front and Somerset Streets

MOVING?

If you intend moving your business to another location or your home to another place of residence

PLEASE ADVISE US

at the earliest possible moment, so that we can change your insurance coverage to properly protect you.

Auto fire, 75c.

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INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS

Plainfield Telephone 205 Babcock Bldg.

To All Car Owners

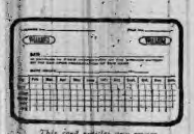
Don't forget to have your battery tested

Testing warns you of things you can't see and might not find out until too late to prevent trouble.

Testing is free—repairs cost money.

If you want bright lights, quick starts and lower cost of electric current, come in to see us.

And if you *do* need repairs, we have factory trained battery experts who can do a *good* job for you.



This card entitles any owner to free testing of his battery.

Plainfield Storage Battery Co.
150 EAST FOURTH ST., Near Watchung Ave. Phone 1640
All Makes Re-charged and Repaired.

TEPPER'S The Logical Store for Your Easter Needs TEPPER'S

Easter Apparel for Women, Misses and Children--At Tepper's

Stylish and Clever Appearing Are Our Suits For Easter

AN unusual opportunity will be afforded you this week to procure a suit to your liking. You will find at Tepper's a wonderful array of the newest styles, very skillfully tailored in the most fashionable materials and colorings.

Very seldom are we able to offer you such a profuse collection of Easter Suits from which to select. You will see so many beautiful and charming styles that you will be undecided which you like best.

All the most fashionable materials are included in the selection, among which are Serges, Gabardines, Poiret Twills, Vigoreaux, Jersey Cloth and Novelty Checks and Mixtures, in the popular shades of gold, apple-green, sand, chartreuse, Copen and navy blue, and black. Prices—

$16.95 to $40.00

Smart Coats for Easter

The styles of these Coats embody the novel features for which the higher grade Spring models are noted, and the master tailoring that brings out dignity and refinement.

Included are gabardines, coverts, Poiret twills, serges, wool velours, chamois velours, etc., in the leading shades of the season.

Prices—$6.50 to $49.50

Children's Easter Needs

The apparel worn by the best dressed children on Easter Sunday will most likely be models that come from this store. Our children's section is replete with apparel for boys and girls up to the age of 18. Some of the most reputed makers of children's apparel have contributed to our Easter collection of Boys' Suits, Hats, Girls' Dresses, Coats, etc., all of which are very moderately priced.

Silk Skirts

There are many dashing models that are sure to strike your fancy instantly in plaids, stripes and plain colored skirts of taffetas or satins. There are sizes a-plenty for everybody, and the assortment of colors includes the most wanted for Spring.

Prices Range from $5.98 to $10.98

Buy Your Babies' Needs--At Tepper's

If you are in need of anything in the line of apparel or articles for the welfare of baby, you should know of the Tepper leadership in infants' wear. This is the headquarters for mothers who want the finest things for their baby. There is an unparalleled variety of cute little things that excite the admiration of every mother who shops here. Prices are very pleasing to your purse.

For Tomorrow We Offer

Hand-Made Dresses—With very neat hand embroidered designs, laces and pin tucking. Straight bishop, yoke or empire effects—long or short dresses for infants up to 3 years old.... $1.75 to $6.95

Infants' Caps—Hand-made; prettily trimmed with fine tucking, French laces, hemstitching or Swiss embroidery. Prices $1.50 to $3.98

Rompers—Creeper or straight leg style, in white sateette, rep, striped dimity, and fine striped madras; hand-made and hand smocked ..... 79c to $3.98

Pique and Lingerie Hats—For the little girl up to 3 years old. Neat trimmings of ribbons, laces, and hand embroidery. These featured in the poke and bonnet effect. Prices 98c to $6.98

Infants' Shetland Hot Waterers—In pink, blue and white; sizes up to 2 years $1.98

Hemmed Diapers—Saves mother's time, and costs as cheap as if you were to buy material and hem it yourself. Red Diamond Brand, $1.10 to $1.98 per dozen

It's a Simple Task to Find a Suitable Model Among Our Easter Millinery

First of all, however, we want to say that the materials used in making and trimming these fashionable Easter Hats are of excellent quality in every respect. And, since more and more women realize the importance of securing a becoming hat—the ones we are now showing ought to appeal to hosts of women looking for stylish, becoming, Spring Millinery at attractive prices.

Numerous shapes are shown. There are chic looking, little hats with narrow brims, then there are hats of wider brims—all gorgeously trimmed in the newest style effects.

Will you come and try on one of these new hats? You will find one here to suit you, we're sure of it.

More For Your Money at

Tepper's

PLAINFIELD ~NEW JERSEY~

TO RELIEVE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Closed nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little, and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial. Schreiner Bros. can supply you.

before the will was executed and moved with her from a New York apartment to a farm house at Oak Tree. The court's opinion says, in the concluding paragraphs:

"We find that when Merrill met Mrs. Parker in April, 1916, the blight of senility had already seriously advanced and was progressing rapidly; that she was then in her dotage and that he knew it; that when the will was signed she was not of mental competency to make a will; that the formal requisites of the execution of the will have not been satisfactorily proved as we cannot believe Mrs. Morgan, one of the subscribing witnesses, and Prince, the other, is unreliable; that, assuming Mrs. Parker had sufficient mental competency to make a will under right conditions and supervision and advice, still this will is not her will, but the will of Victor Merrill, the result of his schemier domination, direction and illegal influence."

EDITH RUBEL TRIO HERE APRIL 9

Now that chamber music has come to be recognized as one of the vital factors in American musical fare and there has long been exquisite chamber music for instrumentalists—the recent addition of the Edith Rubel Trio to this particular class of ensemble players met with instant approval for the four reasons stated.

First and foremost the soloists of the Edith Rubel Trio are competent soloists far removed from the mass of "good players." They prefer to have the word "virtuosity" attached to their ensemble playing, however.

Secondly, they are scholars of an unusually profound musicianship, and they have a thorough understanding of the qualities, as well as the limitations of their various instruments.

Thirdly, to quote J. W. J. Henderson, of the New York Sun, they possess: "Good understanding, excellent tone, and delightful taste and finish" in their work. Excellence of tone is the rock upon which many of the finest trios, and even quartettes, of both sexes, have split. But these young ladies maintain a nearly perfect tone quality.

Fourthly, by lengthy and patient collective study they have achieved a polish in their ensemble work which will bear favorable comparison with that of any chamber music organization now existing.

The composition of this very unusual and gifted trio is: Edith Rubel, violin; Marie Roemaet, 'cello, and Brenda Putnam, piano, and unlike some of the better-known trios and quartettes, it is difficult to say which is the greater artist.

The Edith Rubel Trio and Evan Williams, the famous Welsh tenor, will appear at the High school, Easter Monday night, April 9th.

MINORITY LEADER MANN RETIRES FROM RACE

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 27.—Minority Leader Mann yesterday announced his retirement from the race for the Speakership in the organization of the House next Monday.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.—Adv.

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3 ft. 11 in. high, 4 ft. 10 in. long, 2 ft. 2½ in. deep

"I wish we had a Player." How often you have longed for the musical enjoyment of a fine Player Piano, but hesitated for lack of space.

This Mathushek Player is the very smallest player in the world using 88-note music rolls. It will easily fit in your apartment or small music room.

Come and see it—prove for yourself its ease of action and flexibility of control—its tone, well, the name Mathushek guarantees that, but you must hear for yourself—come soon.

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Visit our complete VICTOR DEPARTMENT. It will be a pleasure to play any Victor records you may wish to hear.

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The child you love has enough to eat.

It is well, and you are happy.

You could not be happy if your child were starving.

You know that in Belgium there are little ones as dear to others as yours are to you, who cry for food day after day.

How can you be happy without helping them?

And you CAN help them, and at almost no sacrifice.

Here in comfortable Plainfield, one scarcely can imagine the distress of these Belgian children, and the anguish of their mothers.

But over there, the stern reality of it all is heart-rending.

Therefore, tonight, as you put YOUR little one in its own cozy bed, ask yourself if you have done your full duty. Have you done for others as you would have others do for you?

That is the question you must not only ASK yourself, but you must also ANSWER it.

Three cents will give one child one meal.

One dollar will give a child one meal a day for a month.

Twelve dollars will give one child one meal a day for one year.

The supplementary meal consists of 1 biscuit, 4 inches square, and one cup of cocoa.

Unless the children receive this meal in addition to the only meal they are now receiving, consisting of soup and bread, they will die of slow starvation.

But you must act now.

Committees are now trying to get each city, town and village in America to assume the giving of one meal a day to all the children in some one Belgian town. When the committee has received our pledges, Plainfield will be assigned its town. Every cent contributed goes for food. All other expenses are provided for otherwise.

Cut out the coupon and mail it today to Mr. C. B. Tyler, Treasurer, 525 West Seventh Street, Plainfield, N. J.

Give what you can, but give SOMETHING. Make a monthly payment of a certain sum, and you will scarcely miss the amount.

C. R. B.

Mr. C. B. Tyler, Treasurer,
525 West Seventh St., Plainfield, N. J.

I will give to the Commission for Relief of Belgium $..... per month to provide supplementary meals for Belgian children.

Name .....

Address .....

3 Cents sent to the C. R. B. will give 1 Child 1 Meal.

$1 will give 1 Child 1 Meal a day for 1 Month.

$12 will give 1 Child 1 Meal a Day for 1 Year.

COMMITTEE:

Mrs. James R. Joy,
80 Myrtle Avenue.

Mrs. Ernest R. Ackerman,
506 West Eighth St.

Mrs. Thomas R. Van Boskerck,
1332 Prospect Ave.

Mrs. C. Boardman Tyler,
525 West Seventh St.

Mrs. Francis W. Frost,
1011 Madison Ave.

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1129 East Seventh St.

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823 Madison Ave.

Miss Helen Harman,
505 West Eighth St.

Mrs. James R. Blake,
1017 Madison Ave.

Mrs. Richard M. Boardman,
915 Madison Ave.

Mrs. Allan Cowperthwaite,
Mountain Ave.

W. C. T. U. NOTES ON PROGRESS OF PROHIBITION

Do our students realize that twenty-six States have outlawed the liquor traffic? That six more are to vote upon State-wide prohibition? That seventy-five per cent. of people of United States are living in prohibition territory? That prohibition States are rejoicing in the protection of the new law restricting interstate commerce? That U. S. mails are not available for liquor advertising purposes?

CHURCH RECEIVES EDDY MEMORIAL

Cambridge, Mass., March 27.—The memorial to Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Christian Science Church, erected in Mount Auburn cemetery, was yesterday turned over to the Christian Science Board of Directors by Albert S. Barlow, of New York, who had charge of its construction. More than a year and a half was required to complete the work, the cost of which was $150,000.

New Victor Records for April

ON SALE TOMORROW—WEDNESDAY

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Seats Now Selling for the Evan Williams—Edith Rubel Trio Concert

High School Auditorium, April 9th.

PARKER WILL IS SET ASIDE

Middlesex Court Scores Chief Beneficiary—Refuses to Probate Writing

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Van Orden Parker, late of Oak Tree, and known here, has been refused probate in the Orphans' Court in New Brunswick by Judge Peter Daly. The opinion was read aloud by the court and disposed of a case that has been pending for several months and in which there were over 2,200 pages of typewritten testimony.

Mrs. Parker's will was offered for probate by Victor J. Merrill, who drew the document and was named as chief beneficiary. It was contested by Howard Van Orden and Florence Cochrane, his sister, both grandchildren of the decedent. The proponent was represented by State Senator McCran, of Paterson, and also by Attorney Hinchliffe, of Paterson, and Attorney Francis Blatz, of this city, while the contestants were represented by Attorneys Howard F. Clark and Roger Hinds, of New York, and Thomas H. Hegerty, of New Brunswick.

The will disposed of an estate of $23,000, mostly in mortgages, and the estate also has a possible legacy of $50,000 coming to it under the will of a Mrs. Cutter, now under dispute in the courts of New York State. Daniel J. Wray, of New Brunswick, is the administrator pendente life, and was represented in the litigation by I. B. Glueckfield, of A. S. March's office.

Judge Daly's opinion voids the will on three grounds, lack of proper execution, lack of testamentary capacity and the exercise of undue influence, and the language of the opinion scores Mr. Merrill in severe terms, also branding as unreliable some of the testimony offered in support of the alleged will.

It was shown that Mr. Merrill had known the testatrix but a short time

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 9, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, No. 141 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 141 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the work to be done, is as follows:

4,580 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,424 lin. ft. plain concrete curb; 11,370 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel corner bars; 21,400 sq. yds. vitrified brick pavement on concrete foundation; 28,840 sq. yds. reinforced concrete pavement; 26,764 lin. ft. ½-inch expansion joints; 11,296 lin. ft. ½-inch expansion joints; 37,630 sq. yds. reinforcing fabric; 1,955 lin. ft. 15-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 9 inlets; 300 lin. ft. 12-inch inlet connections; 440 lin. ft. concrete headers.

Duplicate plans may be examined and forms of Proposal, Information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 141 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 141 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 9, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 141 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

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208 Mcbowell St. Phone 420-J

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Of Scrap Iron, Scrap Metals, Rubber, Rags and Paper Stock; also Old Automobiles and Auto Tires.

New and Repaired Auto Tires For Sale.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 27.

German air raid at Saloniki; killed twenty persons and injured fifty, according to a French report. Seven German planes were destroyed by French aviators.

British captured 600 yards of German first and second line trenches at St. Eloi, Belgium.

Russian attack checked at Dvinsk, with "enormous losses" to the assailants.

Two Years Ago Today.

British steamer Falaba sunk by U boat off Wales. Among the passengers lost, 131 in all, was one American.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1917.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

Suggests a City Flag

To the Editor of Courier-News:

Dear Sir:—I think it would be a fine thing for the city to set up a suitable flag pole of steel in the middle of the green in Crescent Square, directly in front of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, and to buy a large American flag which shall be raised at sunrise and lowered at sunset daily, the entire expense to be borne by voluntary subscriptions of the men, women and children of Plainfield. I will subscribe one dollar to start it. Who follows?

Yours truly,
FRANCIS L. MONTGOMERY.
1013 Watchung avenue,
March 25, 1917. Plainfield, N. J.

FREQUENT EXPLOSIONS DUE TO THE TESTING OF BIG GUNS

The report of numerous explosions felt generally throughout this section today, and which led to many inquiries being made at the office of the Courier-News and elsewhere, was due to the testing of big guns at some point in the Metropolitan district.

The frequent explosions occasioned some alarm among the people who thought them due to the blowing up of some munition plant.

C. E. UNION WILL BRING REV. DR. BIEDERWOLF HERE

Those who are in charge of the arrangements for bringing Dr. W. E. Biederwolf, the evangelist, to this city on Wednesday night, April 4, state that he will come here under the auspices of the Local Union of Christian Endeavor of Plainfield and vicinity and not alone the Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church.

MRS. WHITNEY FRAZEE'S FUNERAL THURSDAY

The funeral of Mrs. Whitney Frazee, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held on Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at her late home on South avenue, the Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of the Watchung Avenue Presbyterian church, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside Cemetery.

THE STATE TRUST COMPANY
REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT

has applications for houses renting from $25 to $50 per month and is seeking additional listings. They also have a demand for modern houses for sale, ranging in price from $4,500 to $9,000.

Seeing is believing (where milk is concerned) ONLY when what you see is the word "certified" on the cap of the bottle.

That means the cleanliness and purity of its production is vouched for by a commission of leading physicians.

That means it is SAFE for you and your children to drink.

Wood Brook milk is CERTIFIED. Look at the bottle cap.

Price—14 cents a quart.

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Plainfield, N. J.
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MORE BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR EDGE

State to Take Advantage of Smith-Hughes Federal Road Bill

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 27.—Among the latest batch of bills signed by Governor Edge is Senate 180, which permits New Jersey to take advantage of the Smith-Hughes Federal law providing aid for state vocational and agricultural training.

Under the provisions of the Federal Act, the state will receive next year $43,500 for this educational work and the maximum will be reached in ten years. At that time the State receives $200,000. Altogether more than a million dollars will come to New Jersey during the next ten years by the bill just signed accepting the provisions of the Smith-Hughes act. Other measures just approved by the Executive and the sponsors are:

Senator Stevens: Amends the act relative to fishing in the waters of Delaware bay and river by permitting the taking of carp, catfish, eels and suckers by the use of eel-pots and fike nets from July 1 to May 31.

Senator Stevens: Extends the time from January 1, 1917, to June 1, 1917, for delivery of 500 copies of the Supplement to the Compiled Statutes.

Senator Mackay: Obviates the necessity of notice to defaulting parties of the taking of testimony de bene esse.

Senator Mackay: Regulates the taking of testimony de bene esse.

RECREATION NOTES

The Washington school game room will be open tonight.

The Aero Club is to meet in the High school Wednesday evening.

The West End Boys' Club meets in the High school tomorrow night.

The Alumni Men's Club is to use the High school gym Wednesday evening.

The dancing class will meet in the Washington school auditorium tonight.

The Athenians, Zephyrs and Boy Scout Troop No. 7, are to use the High school gyms tonight.

The dressmaking class, under Miss Scarborough's direction, is to meet in the Washington school this evening.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Evergreen avenue school and a Guild of Play in the Washington school tomorrow afternoon.

AT THE VAN DYK STORE
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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ANOTHER AUCTION SALE on Wednesday, March 28th, commencing at 1:30 P. M. in large auditorium on West Front street, over J. W. Gavett's china store. The following is a partial list of goods to be sold: One upright piano, on storage; fine taps, and stool; one small cabinet organ, on storage; 2 cherry bookcases, on storage; 1 hall rack, on storage; 1 sofa couch, on storage; 3 bundles of pictures, on storage; 1 oak chiffonier, on storage; 1 fine French walnut bed and bureau, on storage; 2 ice boxes, on storage; 1 mahogany bed and bureau, on storage; 2 sideboards, on storage; 2 writing desks, 1 bronze clock, 1 onyx clock, 1 French marble clock, on storage; 5-piece parlor suite, on storage; 2 mounted one plush covered sofa, on storage; all of the above will be sold for storage charges. Not on storage—one 9x12 Wilton and Brussels rug; almost new almost new 9x12 fiber rug; four 1x2 Axminster rugs; several runners of carpet; one almost new quartered oak sideboard; round extension table and six chairs to match; library table; four-piece set library; mission furniture; enamel beds, springs and mattresses and two hot water heaters. Robert Murray, auctioneer, permanent auction rooms, 226 West Front street. Phone 666. 3-26-2t

FOR SALE—Good farm horse. A. D. Macaulay, Westfield avenue, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-27-1t

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PUBLIC SALE—The undersigned administrators of the estate of John Darling, deceased, will offer for sale on his farm situated on the road leading from Middlebush to Weston, about one mile from East Millstone, the following described property, on Wednesday, March 28, at 12 o'clock noon: 7 head of horses, heavy and light; 7 head of young cattle, including a year old Holstein bull; 4 farm wagons, 4 hay racks, light spring wagons, 3 sets double harness, binder, mower, hay rake, hay tedder, corn planter, 2 riding corn plows, roller, hay loader, 2 grain drills, seed sower, about 10 tons rye straw, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Six months' credit on sums of ten dollars or over by giving note with approved security. For information, telephone 792-J Plainfield. Mrs. John Darling, Mrs. Edgar L. Fitch, Mrs. Robert H. Lowry, Administrators.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 3-27-1m

FOR SALE—1,500 Killarney rose bushes, 25c; Hyacinths, 10c; Geraniums, 10c; cut flowers and funeral work. John W. Pitts, Florist, 51 Leland avenue. Phone 2689-J.

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FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $2.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

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INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

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KITCHEN, bed-room furniture, dishes. Address "Bargain," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

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FOR SALE—One counter, three 6-foot and one 4-foot show cases for sale. Weiss, 45 Somerset street. 3-26-2t

FOR SALE—White reed baby carriage, in good condition. 215 East Fifth street. 3-26-2t

BEAUTIFUL thoroughbred Pomeranian pup for sale, reasonable. Address "Queenie," care Courier-News. 3-26-2t

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FOR SALE—Three grocery wagons and four grocery harnesses, in good condition. Inquire Hotchinson & Son, Westfield, N. J. 3-26-6t

FOR SALE — Double platform spring wagon, carry 2 tons; single delivery wagon, double and single plows, McWhortle fertilizer distributor, spring-tooth harrow. Leonhauser, New Market. 3-26-6t

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FOR SALE—One 3½ H. P. single Perro engine, coil, propeller, carburetor. 457 West Front street. 3-26-2t

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FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

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SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on trolley line, all improvements, $700 cash, mortgage $2,300. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 1-13-tf

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ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

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TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Boyce, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

FOR RENT—Two small houses, Mountain View terrace, Dunellen, 7 rooms and bath; all improvements; refined neighborhood; rent $25 and $27.50, water rent extra. Phone Dunellen 2822. 3-23-6t

FOR RENT—Four-room house, with large garden and chicken house. Address Charles Peters, Watchung, N. J. 3-27-2t

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, improvements, lower floor 5 large rooms, upper 6; $21.00 each; 1077 Arlington avenue. Inquire A. B. Stiles, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-20-tf

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HOUSE TO LET—April 1st, on corner of Whitewood and Mountain avenues; all improvements; good garden in rear; near school and trolley. Apply 54 Mountain avenue. 3-26-2t

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TO LET—6-rooms, at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 206 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

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TO LET—FLATS

FLAT TO LET—Six rooms, new house, all improvements. 972 Arlington avenue. 3-24-6t

FLAT TO LET—Four rooms, with improvements. Inquire Livingston, 7 Grove street. Phone 477-J. 3-26-3t

SIX-ROOM FLAT, 1096-A Arlington avenue, $17.50. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-27-tf

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. Phone 666. 3-6-tf

FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—5-passenger touring Studebaker; fine condition. Telephone 719-M. 2-28-tf

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TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for any kind of business. 12-20-tf

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STORE TO LET, 224 East Front street, 18x50 feet, over 7-foot basement, all cemented, adapted for fruit, cigar, tobacco, soft drinks. One billiard table, one pool table, cheap rent for them to right man. Jacob Voehl, 39 Grove street.

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MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 196 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2693-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgages at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 11-7-tu-th-sa-tf

$300 TO LOAN on good security to honest party only. Address Pasque Gennovario, P. O. General Delivery. 3-27-2t

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in a few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

WILL BUY your second mortgage for cash; state particulars and price wanted. "R. S.," care Courier-News. 3-26-1f

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 905. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

EMBROIDERY—Fine eyelet and solid handwork done home; reasonable prices. Call 642 West Third street. 3-24-3t

STRONG willing woman wishes day's work. Mrs. Johnson, 125 West Fourth street. 3-27-2t

TWO GIRLS wish positions, one as cook and the other as chamber-maid and waitress; good references. Mary Smith, Maple avenue, South Plainfield. 3-26-3t

COMPETENT laundress wants washing at home. 433 West Third street. 3-27-3t

YOUNG LADY desires position as switchboard operator and general office assistant. Address "S. O.," care Courier-News.

BELGIAN WOMAN with little boy 3 years old, desires place, cook, general house work. Address "J. J.," care Courier-News.

YOUNG German girl wants position as general housworker or cook. Apply Mrs. Hunt, South avenue, Fanwood, over Sheelen's. 3-27-2t

WANTED—Position as nurse or companion to elderly lady by person with experience; paralytic or infirm not objected to. Address "Companion," care Courier-News. 3-27-3t

HAS WORK of any kind wanted by reliable woman. 809 Cottage place. 3-26-2t

EXPERT maker of all kinds of draperies, curtains, slip covers and cushions; terms reasonable. Address "H. M. S.," care Courier-News. 3-27-6t

HIGH CLASS DRESSMAKER open for engagements either by day or at home. Address "R. P.," care Courier-News. 3-26-6t

NEW YORK dressmaker desires engagements, experienced in all branches of the trade. Address "Individuality," care Courier-News. 3-26-4t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and, luncheon. 'Phone 2084-W. 3-3-1m

NO BETTER HOUSES BUILT, no nicer plans, no more artistic finish; prices low; terms easy. Four out of nine already sold. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

WE DECORATE our houses with grass cloth and other high grade papers. This is a painter, tell you more. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 210 Watchung avenue, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

MECHANICAL DRAWING CLASS, Herr's School, 171 East Front street. 2-27-1m

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

BARBER WANTED—Steady work. 93 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-6t

WANTED—Two men to work in coal yard; steady work. 40 Somerset street or 529 South avenue. Joseph Harrigan. 3-24-tf

GARDENER—Experienced man wanted two days a week, all season in North Plainfield. Address, stating experience and wages wanted, "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-24-1f

WANTED—Clean bright boys for light factory work; must have working papers. Apply at once. Allen Pharmacal Co., 119 East Fourth street. 3-24-4t

WANTED—Boy, high school graduate preferred, for office work; good opportunity for advancement; state age and salary expected. Box 131, care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

PAINTERS—Two first-class painters wanted. International Motor Company. 3-24-3t

BLACKSMITH, capable of dressing tools and tempering steel. Address The C. Pardee Works, Perth Amboy, N. J. 3-27-2t

WANTED—A man on a small country place to take care of garden, horse and to drive and make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely sober; best references required. Address "Man," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Man for general work around business place, not over 40 years of age; good position. Address "Good Position," care Courier-News. 3-24-3t

BOY WANTED—INTELLIGENT WHITE BOY, ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO DELIVER ORDERS ON WHEEL, AND BE GENERALLY USEFUL AROUND DAIRY. ADDRESS "DAIRY CO.," CARE COURIER-NEWS. 3-26-6t

WANTED—A good carpenter. Twin Fall Mill, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-27-3t

MEN WANTED to represent large manufacturing concern; good opportunity. See Mr. Lindrup, care Hotel Washington, before tomorrow 12 p. m.

WANTED—Gardener, white man; references. Apply Frank S. Martin, 950 Hillside avenue. 3-26-3t

BOY WANTED. International Motor Company. 3-24-3t

HANDY MEN wanted. International Motor Co. 3-27-4t

WANTED—Young man to work in automobile place. Apply Fred Endress, Inc., 124 Madison avenue. 3-24-3t

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothberg's. 3-22-tf

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

FOUR connecting rooms; improvements, garden, fruit, garage privileges; adults; east section. Address "Section," care Courier-News.

TO LET—Four rooms to small family, part improvements, with refined family; reference required. 91 Somerset street.

TO LET—Two good sized rooms, unfurnished, for light housekeeping, all improvements. 420 Madison avenue. 3-27-3t

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 318 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING, ETC.

AUTOMOBILE painting and trimming auto tops at prices that will suit you. Automobile lettering a specialty. Estimates cheerfully given. A. A. King, 29-31 Somerset street. 'Phone 2386-M. 2-6-1y-r

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Two or three rooms with conveniences, in borough, location near Somerset street preferred. "M," care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street.

YOUNG MAN wishes pleasant furnished room in private family, near Bosch Magneto Works. Address "H. K.," care Courier-News. 3-27-2t

ELDERLY gentleman wishes to rent permanently clean, moderate priced, furnished room with family of adults in private house, with all improvements; have reference. Address "Confidential," care Courier-News. 3-27-2t

WANTED TO RENT—Old-fashioned house with garden, handy for city; might put in repair or purchase. Address "April," care Courier-News.

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

B.P.O.E. 885

Rehearsal for "LAND OF MYSTERY" TONIGHT

All those participating are urged to be present at this rehearsal.

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

STENOGRAPHERS' Speed Course Thursday evenings. Herr's School. 2-27-1m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 320 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1711 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue.

WANTED—White girl as mother's helper from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Call 621 East Second street. 3-24-3t

HAND IRONER wanted at once. Apply Laundry Foreman, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework; three in family. Apply evenings, 1017 Madison avenue. 3-24-2t

WANTED—Operators on boys' wash suits; also good floor girl. Hecht & Co., 319 West Front street. 3-26-3t

WANTED—Experienced chamber-maid and waitress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 3-26-2t

WANTED—Experienced waist draper, also errand girl, at 431 West Sixth street. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 132 East Ninth street. 3-27-tf

WANTED—Cook, white, with good references. Apply 444 Stelle avenue. Tel. 981. 3-27-tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-27-tf

FORELADY WANTED—Steady work; good wages. Globe Metal Polish Factory, Lincoln, N. J. 3-27-6t-eod

GIRLS WANTED for steady jobs on piece work; good wages for competent workers. Globe Metal Polish Factory, Lincoln, N. J. 3-27-6t-eod

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good plain cook and good laundress. 'Phone 1477, Fanwood. 3-27-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Call 646 West Front street. 3-26-tf

WANTED—A woman to do washing at home. 457 West Front street. 3-26-3t

WANTED—Experienced chamber-maid-waitress. Apply 210 West Eighth street. 3-27-3t

GIRL WANTED for general housework. 605 Madison avenue. 3-27-2t

WANTED—Sewing woman as lady's maid; references required. Tel. 2065. 2-26-tf

WANTED—At once, nurse and second maid combined; good wages. Apply 1617 East Seventh street. 3-26-5t

WANTED—Girl in law office. Charles L. Moffett, Woodhull & Martin Building. 3-24-3t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1057 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 1148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY—Meeting chairs, pool table and piano. Maksyn, 353 East Third street. 3-23-6t

HOUSE WANTED with improvements, about six rooms, near station. 'Phone 2488-J. 3-27-1m

WANTED—Two 'or more acres convenient to Plainfield; give particulars and price in first letter. Address "Spot Cash," care Courier-News. 3-26-3t

WANTED—Corner closet. Address "X. Y. Z." care Courier-News. 3-26-3t

SINGLE or double house in West End, with or without improvements; must be cheap; will pay cash; state particulars, "D. M.," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Second hand elevator. W. E. Nelson, New Market, N. J. 3-26-3t

B. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 316 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2433. 6-16-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-tf

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

TO LET—Five-room apartment on corner, all light rooms, with bath, etc. 155 East Fifth street, corner Watchung avenue.

RENT $60.00, Crescent Court apartment, ground floor; heat and all improvements. Apply Frederick A. Martin, 171 North avenue. 3-26-5t

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

THREE TAKEN IN ALTERCATION

Thomas Kaminske, Thomas Marshall, and Thomas Williams are lodged in the county jail as the result of a recent altercation in Hillsborough township.

Kaminske is charged with an assault upon his wife. He and Thomas Williams are jointly alleged to have assaulted Thomas Marshall. Marshall is held for an alleged assault on Williams. Constable Totten is complainant in three of the four committments.

Special Council Meeting

A special meeting of the Borough Council will be held tonight. The matter of a Home Defense Committee will be taken up. Mayor Steele is expected to appoint the committee at this meeting. The fire committee intends to report relative to the bids on fire hose, submitted at the last meeting.

Discharge Mrs. Voorhees

Bertha M. Voorhees, who had been arrested as a material witness for the State's case against Charles E. Barnes, of this borough, charged with deserting his wife and children, has been released. Barnes, however, is still being held.

Y. M. H. A. to Have Smoker

Members of the Y. M. H. A. will hold a smoker tonight in connection with the meeting in their quarters. An important business session will be held at which time a committee will propose the changing of the governing system.

To Award Contracts

The Freeholders of Somerset will today award the contract for the construction of the Grove street bridge over Stony Brook, North Plainfield, and the Creamery bridge over Rock Brook, near Skillman.

William Karew, thirty-five years old, died Sunday noon at his home on Third street. The body was removed to the home of his parents in Newark where funeral services will be held tomorrow morning.

The drawing of the grand and petit juries will be held in the courthouse on Thursday.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Alexander Hockinbury, who was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital on Friday morning as the result of an accident when a motor car on which he was riding jumped the rails near Metuchen, returned yesterday morning. Mr. Hockinbury suffered the loss of four teeth and numerous bruises about the head.

A band of gypsies who make their headquarters in Paterson, are now stationed just beyond the Lehigh Valley crossing of Oak Tree. Many people from this place and Plainfield visited the camp yesterday.

The regular weekly meeting of the Junior Sunorgol will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock. In the evening at eight o'clock, prayer meeting will be conducted.

Mrs. Joseph Miller and son Francis, formerly of this place but now of Newark, have returned from a few days' visit with Mrs. Miller's father, Harry Sofield, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. McDonough, of Lakeview avenue, entertained Mrs. McDonough's sisters, the Misses Rose and Helen Bray, of Plainfield, on Sunday afternoon.

Miss May Purchess returned to her home in New York City after spending Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Purchess.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horan, of Lehigh avenue, entertained Mr. Horan's sister, Miss Theresa Horan, of Highland Park, on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Katherine Dolan left for her home in Jersey City yesterday morning after enjoying a few days' visit with her cousin, Mrs. Lyman E. Barr.

Harry Phillips has just purchased a new four-cylinder, five-passenger touring car. Mr. Phillips intends to put a truck body on his old touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leahy, of Lehigh avenue, entertained Fred Wiess, formerly of this place but now of Brooklyn, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Weidgen, of Randolph avenue, entertained their daughter, Miss Rose Weidgen, of Somerville, for the last few days.

The Sacred Heart Dramatic Club is contemplating running a play around the first of May. Name of play will be published later.

Judge P. F. Kaine has taken his car out of storage where it has been all winter. Mr. Kaine has also resumed his taxi-cab business.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Saverd entertained Mrs. Saverd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Richards, of Plainfield, over the week-end.

John B. Geary, Jr., accompanied by John Hogan, John and William Ball motored through Staten Island on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Haly, of Bound Brook, but one time of this place, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Saverd.

Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey, of Lehigh avenue, who has been suffering with rheumatism for some time, is reported as improved.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Donough, of Plainfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Geary, on Plainfield avenue, on Sunday afternoon.

Arthur Geary, Gene Riely and Robert Hamilton spent Sunday visiting friends in Woodbridge and South Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, of Fords.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Randolph have been entertaining Edward La Rue, of New Market, for several days.

Benjamin Wycoff, of Oak Tree, has sold his motorcycle and has purchased a new five-passenger touring car.

William Farrell and son John of Metuchen, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary McDonough, of Lehigh avenue.

The Misses Esther Shields and Florence Gordon have returned from a visit with friends in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Delaney entertained relatives from Newark over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Mitchell was the week-end visitor at the home of her parents in Lamsdown, N. J.

Miss May Daffy, of Lehigh avenue, has taken a position with a Plainfield business store.

Miss Helen Potell spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with relatives in South River.

Packy McDonough spent Sunday with friends in Rutherford, N. J.

Nathan Snyder spent Sunday with friends in Newark.

WHITEHOUSE

Edward Cooley and daughter, Miss Laura Cooley, moved yesterday from East Whitehouse to the A. A. Cohover farm at Potterstown. Forman Sickles will occupy the house vacated.

Miss Charlotte Compton will resume her studies in Somerville high school this week, after being ill a few days at her home near East Whitehouse from appendicitis.

Word has been received here that Rev. Sylvanus H. Decker, formerly pastor of the East Whitehouse Methodist Church, is quite ill at his home in Frenchtown.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lebanon Methodist Church will hold an Easter supper in the new chapel at Lebanon, Thursday night, April 5.

Mrs. Isabelle Haver will entertain the Woman's Missionary Society of the Reformed Church at her residence at Lebanon this afternoon.

Miss Minnie Lahr will entertain the Wishbone Improvement Society Tuesday afternoon, April 3, at her home in East Whitehouse.

Miss Mary Daggett returned this afternoon to East Whitehouse, after a visit to her sister, Miss Ethel Daggett, in New York.

Freeman Cole, Sr., of East White house, has taken a position with the New Jersey Central Railroad, at Elizabethport.

Arthur Shirts, of Jersey City, has rented the Hoffman house at Lebanon, and will move there this week.

Miss Ella Van Derveer, of New Brunswick, is visiting Mrs. Samuel Daggett, at East Whitehouse.

Miss Hazel Lindsley, of East Whitehouse, has been visiting Mrs. A. P. Voeler at Flushing, Long Island.

Cornelius Messler, eighty-two years old, is ill of grip at his home near East Whitehouse.

Mrs. Harry S. Burdette, of East Edith Hill at Neshanic for a few days.

Mrs. Edward Finelli is ill at her home in North Branch.

BOUND BROOK

DEFENSE BOARD NOT NAMED YET

Inquiries as to what will be done here towards having a Home Defense Committee has as yet brought forth no definite reply from the local powers-that-be. Bound Brook folks, and many of them, have been worrying Edward Hoagland and George Ehinger each day with scores of queries, all relating to the Home Defense Committee.

It is practically certain that the suspense will be over tonight because the Council will meet then and something will be done along these lines at the meeting.

There has been no announcement for publication by Mayor J. T. Robinson, but it is almost certain that some definite action will be taken tonight.

The Grand Vice Regent will be present at a regular meeting of Bound Brook Council 1329, Royal Arcanum, tonight.

Miss Helen Coddington, of Vassar College, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Coddington.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore L. Gulick were week-end visitors with relatives at High Bridge and Clinton.

Mrs. P. J. Gore, Jr., and daughters, Harriet and Mary, of Norfolk, Va., are visiting Mrs. P. J. Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fritts, of Somerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Fritts Sunday.

NORTH BRANCH

Mrs. Charles Waldron, of Somerville, is officiating as principal of the public schools here, in the place of Miss Edith Thomas, who was obliged to return to her home in Royersford, Pa., owing to ill health.

An entertainment, "Mrs. Jarley's Famous Wax Works," will be presented in the chapel of the Reformed church here tomorrow evening by the Camp Fire Girls.

The Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the Reformed church will meet tomorrow afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Mary C. Quick.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brinkerhoff, of Rutherford, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, who live near Neshanic Station.

Miss Mary De Trenholm, of New York is visiting former Freeholder and Mrs. Richard W. Hoagland, who live near Neshanic.

Ernest Hoagland, of Fairview, Ill., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Huff, whose home is near Neshanic Station.

The Misses Martha and Helen Ameman, of Neshanic Station, are visiting Miss Addie Solomon in Trenton.

Mrs. Abram Holcombe, of Somerville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Compton, who lives near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stryker, of Three Bridges, are spending a week in Newark and Bound Brook.

Mrs. Adaline Ripple, of South Branch, is the guest of Miss Margaret Stout at Centerville.

Mrs. Jesse L. Beck, of Neshanic Station, is spending the week with relatives in Stroudsburg, Pa.

Miss Hannah Davis, of Three Bridges, is spending a week with relatives at Sunnyside.

Miss Maria Gulick, of Middlebush, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cortelyou at Neshanic.

Miss David Dilts, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mrs. Marvin Sheets at South Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Decker, of Neshanic Station, are spending a week in Newark.

Mrs. Charles Conover, of Reaville, is visiting Mrs. Garretta Van Nest at South Branch.

Mrs. Augustus Hill, of Neshanic, is visiting Mrs. James H. Fisher at Bound Brook.

Miss Elsie Thompson, of Brooklyn, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hawley.

Mrs. Belle Van Fleet will move Saturday from South Branch to Somerville.

Miss Elsie Neary is visiting Miss Edith Hill at Neshanic for a few days.

SCOTCH PLAINS

A dress rehearsal of the entertainment to be given by the Triangle Club, of Netherwood, in Excelsior Hall tonight, was held last evening, and everything is now in readiness for the performance tonight. The proceeds are for the benefit of the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church.

The Home and Foreign Missionary Society will meet in the parish house tomorrow instead of in the Baptist church.

The house of William Lindsay, of Harding avenue, is quarantined, one of the children having scarlet fever.

Miss Emmie Elliot, entertained the members of the Stitch and Chatter Club at her home, last evening.

FANWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gardner and Miss Hazel Gardner, formerly of Martine avenue, are now occupying their new home on Elm street, Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ten Eyck Beardsley, of North avenue, are planning to leave here for a trip to the West next Thursday.

The next meeting of the Fanwood Bowling Club will be held Friday, April 6.

DUNELLEN

PREPAREDNESS IN RED CROSS WORK

The committee of women in New Market and Dunellen who have been busy since January in making the surgical dressings for the Home Reserve Fund and also to aid the war sufferers, meet every Wednesday afternoon in the Guild room of Holy Innocents church, this place, and extend a cordial invitation to those who are interested in this work to come and help.

A splendid lot of work has been sent to headquarters, 299 Fifth avenue, New York. Contributions received from the members and friends interested have been very generous, making possible large purchases of material.

Judge Crane Will Address Local Forum

Arrangements have been made to hold special program of service at the local M. E. church next Sunday during the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Ramsey, who will attend the Newark conference. The morning service will be conducted by William Gidden and the evening service will be in charge of the Men's Forum. The speaker will be Judge Crane, of Plainfield, whose topic will be "Time."

The Rev. Dr. Ramsey leaves tomorrow to attend the conference at Newark.

Exhibits an Old Relic

Isaac J. Stites, of North avenue, is exhibiting an old single barrel musket that evidently did service in the Revolutionary War. Mr. Stites says the gun formerly belonged to R. V. Cadmus, of North Plainfield, and it was in the latter's family for a century past. It is a crude piece of firearm and an interesting relic.

Jottings of the Borough

Speculators in nearby realty will soon be able to obtain some real bargains if current rumors amount to anything. Included in the proposed sales are fifty building lots at New Market in the vicinity of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and Edward Maurer is planning some of his available property in the borough for sale early in May.

The executive committee of the local Defense League at a meeting on Sunday evening completed further plans by appointing A. J. Hamby emergency chairman. A meeting of the League will be held in a few days to complete all details.

Plans for alterations to the Gallagher property on Washington avenue, near the railroad tracks, consist of the erection of a one-story double building fronting the present property. The building will contain two modern stores.

The Fedderman Agency announces the rental of the Maurer house, Madison avenue, to J. E. Hamer, of Chicago. Mr. Hamer is chief engineer of the Harris, Silver & Baker concern at New Market.

Among the recent real estate transfers is that of the city and State Development Company to Annie Jennings, two lots shown on map of Dunellen Terrace, Piscataway township.

E. J. Pyatt, who recently injured his hand, has found it necessary to go to Plainfield where he will receive treatment for the injuries. His hand is threatened with blood poisoning.

The work of excavating the cellar for S. D. Dunham's new house on Prospect avenue is about completed. Contractor F. H. Gise will begin this week to lay the foundation walls.

The funeral of Pauline Acker took place at 8:30 o'clock this morning from the funeral parlors. Interment took place at St. Mary's Cemetery, Plainfield.

G. H. Rentschler, supervising principal of the local schools, will attend the session of the county school heads to be held in New Brunswick on Saturday next.

The Home Building and Loan Association will meet here tomorrow night to transact business that will come before the meeting.

The executive committee of the Board of Trade met last night for reorganization and transacted routine business.

Miss Lucy Hell, of Newark, was a week-end visitor at the home of Mrs. Bernard Sirisky, of Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. C. Lester Rule and daughter, of Center street, are convalescing from an attack of scarlet fever.

FLEMINGTON

A committee of thirty-two members canvassed the congregation of the Flemington Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon in the interest of the every-member payment plan of financing the church. The regular services were omitted at the church last evening.

Services appropriate to Boys' Day were held at the Baptist Church Sunday. Flemington young men who spoke were John Higgins of Princeton University, Arthur Dayton of Rutgers College and Lester Britton of Lafayette College.

Mrs. Howard Scudder of Wilkinsburg, Pa., will spend the Easter season with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Sonne.

Professor and Mrs. Paul R. Radcliffe of Red Bank are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. LaRue.

Suits, Dresses, Blouses, Etc.
at McCutcheon's

Special values and attractive models in Women's and Misses' New Spring Dresses, Suits, Wraps, Coats, Skirts, Blouses and Hats are now on exhibition. The following are worthy of note—

Dresses of Taffeta, bodice Georgette and Taffeta, hand embroidered, Black and colors, $26.50.

Coat Dresses, One piece Black Satin, $35.00.

Misses' Afternoon Dresses of Crepe de Chine, dark and light colors, $17.75.

Tailored Street Suits in Navy Blue and Black and colors, Gabardine and Serges, $35.00.

Tailored Suits of Tweed, $29.50.

Coats for Street or Motor wear, $26.50 to 49.50.

Blouses

Blouses of Crepe de Chine, dressy and plain models, also tailored model of Broadcloth Silk, $5.75.

Blouses of Cotton Voile, tucked and lace trimmed, $2.95.

Sport Blouses, White, with wide colored collars.

Blouses of Batiste, finely tucked, Black ribbon bow at collar and cuffs, $3.50.

Rep. Trade Mark

Fifth Avenue, 34th & 33d Sts., N. Y.

WESTFIELD

TAKING CENSUS OF WESTFIELD

Acting in accordance with what other towns in the State have been doing, a movement was started in this town last night for the purpose of taking a home census. A committee consisting of William H. Orr, chairman; George Young, Alfred J. Plack, Joseph B. Simpson and Sherman Glass met at the town hall with about eighteen of the boys of the high school and decided on a plan whereby the census will be taken. Each boy was given a certain district and a number of blanks and will visit every house in his district, and ascertain the name of all the male residents in each house, their names, ages, where they were born, whether a citizen of the United States or not, whether they have seen military service, whether they own an automobile and whether they are property owners or renters. The boys will be expected to complete the work of the census in about ten days. The members of the committee will also take a portion of the town and other citizens will help them. The colored population will be taken care of by a committee of colored men as will the Italian and other foreign citizens. The census is being taken at the request of Mayor H. W. Evans and is for police and military purposes. The census will include all males over eighteen years of age and when it is completed will give a complete list of every male citizen in the town as well as every automobile owner and driver.

Mr. Orr, the chairman of the committee, made it plain to those who were selected to take the census that they were to be polite and courteous to the citizens when they visited their houses and not to urge them to fill out the blanks if they refused. It is not compulsory that citizens fill out the blank, but the committee would like all to sign and fill them out so that a complete census may be obtained.

The boys who have been selected to do the census as well as the other citizens are: Eyre Hutson, Harold Van Doren, Harold Stevens, Henry Wright, Harry Clark, Harold Townley, Irwin Steane, Charles Urban, Robert Byrnes, Robert Hinchman, Gerald Foster, Fred Coen, Conrad Johnson, Frank Brenneokuhs, John Urban, Harry VanAuken, Kenneth Davies, Jesse Cooke, Harold Dix, Frank Hoag, Kenneth Miller, Edgar Wright, E. W. Wittke, Allen Seed, David Coulter, M. D. Littlefield, Donald Pearsall, R. W. Bradbury, Herbert Welch, H. E. Bush, R. G. Case, C. H. Lambert, Ernest Alpers, Walter L. Bunnell, Merry, R. G. Maltbie and John A. Davis.

Lectured Before Women's Club

Parker Thomas Moon, of the Department of History of Columbia University, gave an interesting lecture on "Keeping Up With the Times" at the meeting of the Women's Club held in the parish house of the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. Mr. Moon paid particular attention to the daily papers, magazines and books and laid great stress on the better class of books and said that a person should read at least one of these a month. He referred to books of fiction and said that some of these were interesting and well worth reading. His lecture was greatly appreciated by the members of the club present.

The musical program was given by Mrs. Paul B. Scarff and Miss Josephine Mackenzie who played violin selections accompanied by Mrs. Harold Francis. Mrs. Charles MacQuoid, of Roselle, who is the fifth vice-president of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs, was present and made an address. Mrs. MacQuoid urged the members to keep the questions of suffrage and religion out of the club.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Monday, April 9th, and will be a musical afternoon, the program being in charge of Dr. Ion Jackson, of New York, who will have his out-of-town pupils perform.

Tryout for Special Police

Forty members of the Special Citizens' Police Force were called out on Sunday night by Captain J. J. Thomas, who is the commanding officer of the force, for a tryout. Not a man who responded had been notified before the call sounded and in a fifteen minutes after the call was received every man was out and at the post to which they were told to go. The entire town was guarded by them as well as the main thoroughfares of the town, the banks, telegraph stations and telephone stations. Each man had his night sticks and revolver.

Captain Thomas sent out word to those on duty to get C. V. Steinhart, a member of the force, and bring him to the police station. Steinhart was not to be found, but Chief of Police Rosecrans saw him on Broad street as he was coming along and brought him in. Dr. Savoye, of the First Aid squad, was sent on a hurry call to the extreme end of the town, Central avenue and Grant street, and made the trip in five minutes. Captain Thomas, as well as the rest of those who have charge of the citizens' force, were much pleased with the way the members worked.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Jeannette Waters

Mrs. Jeannette Waters, colored, 67 years old, of 528 West Broad street, died suddenly of heart failure at the corner of Harrison avenue and Mare street yesterday morning while on her way to the home of C. E. Butland, on the latter street. Mrs. Waters had been coming here but was not thought to be ill when she left her home. When she got near the corner of the two streets named above, she fell to the sidewalk and died in a few minutes.

Dr. Harris Wentzel was then notified and he came to this town and after viewing the body gave a burial permit and allowed the body to be removed to the home of the dead woman. Mrs. Waters was born in Maryland and had been a resident here for thirty years. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. George R. Simmons.

Answers Three Calls

The fire department answered three calls yesterday afternoon, about four-thirty. In a short period of time. The first call was to a small fire in the rear of A. E. Decker's livery stable on North Avenue; the second to a fire in the rear of the barber shop of Wilton Robinson, on Westfield avenue, and the third to a fire near the coal yards of Patrick Traynor, on North avenue, which had been started by sparks from a locomotive. No damage was done at any of them. One of the fires on the red fire apparatus blew out when coming back from the last fire and gave the firemen some extra work at the fire house.

Cases in Police Court

George Williams, of 5 School street, Passaic, was arrested by Officer Howards last night for not having lights on his motorcycle when he was passing through this town. His motorcycle was taken to the Westfield Garage and after Williams had been taken to the police station he was let go on his promise to appear on Sunday morning and answer to the complaint.

Clarence Ball, of Lenox avenue, was arrested by Lieutenant Mc-Neeley and Officer Demming last night for being drunk and disorderly. He was given a hearing before Recorder Springsteac this morning and sentence was suspended.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Abbott McGarrah, who died on Friday, was held from her home on the Boulevard yesterday afternoon at four o'clock and was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. W. W. Coe, the acting pastor of the Congregational church. The body was taken to Monroe, N. Y., this morning for interment in the family plot.

Mrs. Joseph Verhaus entertained a number of friends at a kaffee klatch at her home on Arlington avenue yesterday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. H. Kane, Mrs. H. N. Taylor, Mrs. Charles Darsh, Mrs. John Darsh, and Mrs. W. T. Reger.

John Nobman, of Wharton, assumed the duties of ticket agent at the Central Railroad station today in place of Harry Englehart who has returned to Garwood where he will take a position in the freight station in that borough.

Chief of Police Rosecrans addressed the members of the K. B. Society of St. Paul's church at its meeting in the parish house on Sunday night. The Chief had as his subject "Good Citizenship."

Mrs. O. W. Nicewonger entertained a number of friends at a card party at her home on Charles street yesterday afternoon.

Miss M. Carty, one of the bookkeepers in the Windfeldt stores on Broad street, is ill at her home in Plainfield.

Frank T. Gilson and family have moved from South Euclid avenue to St. Paul street.

Charles H. Darsh is able to be out again after a severe attack of tonsilitis.

HIGH BRIDGE

"Midsummer Eve" will be produced April 20 in Rialto Hall, High Bridge, by children of the borough. The proceeds will be added to the library fund.

After seven weeks' illness from grip and rheumatism, Fredrick Lindabury of High Bridge has recovered sufficiently to be around.

Mrs. Walter Morgan of High Bridge is suffering from an injured foot, the result of stepping on a nail.

Earl Crampton has resigned his position with the Union Pacific Tea Company of High Bridge.

Mrs. Clifford Baldwin of Newark is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Potts at High Bridge.

Alfred Jolin of High Bridge has taken a position in a steel plant at New Castle, Del.

Daniel S. Fritts of High Bridge is working at the Treadwell plant at Easton.

Mrs. Harry P. Snyder of High Bridge spent the past week at Paterson.

Mrs. Lydia Alpaugh moved Friday from Bissell to High Bridge.

Mrs. Albert Adriance, of High Bridge is ill from rheumatism.

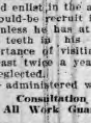
Miss Meta Rogers of High Bridge is in Virgina.

WATCHUNG

John Hermann will be the leader for the Christian Endeavor meeting Wednesday evening. The topic is "The Saloon—The Foe of Society," and a large attendance is desired.

Junior Christian Endeavor meeting tomorrow afternoon in the chapel and Harry Bogers will have charge of the meeting.

Walter Hand and family of Plainfield, have rented one of George Beeching's houses on Stirling road.



Care of the Teeth

Teeth cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear lest the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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HOUSEHOLD CARES KEEP MEN OUT OF JAIL

By United Press:

Salem, Ore., March 27.—Household cares keep men out of jail, in the opinion of Charles A. Murphy, warden of Oregon State Prison. Husbands who are responsible for the wife and kiddies have less time to become criminals than unmarried men, in his belief.

"Counting widowers," said the warden, "we find that about 35 per cent of the convicts received during the last two years are married men. Sixty-two percent are bachelors.

"I believe a large number of the younger inmates would not have gotten into trouble if they had had the responsibility of caring for a family. When a man has a wife he hangs onto his job and works."

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Green Onions, bu.	5c	Kirkman's Soap	5c
Radishes, 2 bu.	13c	Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 for	25c
White Onions, lb.	10c	Steero Bouillon Cubes, can	25c
Table Apples, doz.	25c	Raisins, Not-a-Seed, pkg.	15c
Grape Fruit	5c and 8c	Sun Maid Raisins, pkg.	13c
Navel Oranges	30c-40c-45c	Cal. Peeled Peaches, lb.	18c
Cal. Lemons, doz.	20c	Puffed Rice, pkg.	14c
Tomatoes, W. R., can	15c	Puffed Wheat, pkg.	14c
Peas, W. R., Sifted, can	18c	Quaker Oats, pkg.	9c
Peaches, W. R., can	25c	Pettijohn, pkg.	14c
Lima Beans, Steuben, can	10c	Wheatsworth Biscuits, pkg.	10c
Red Beans, can	10c	Hotel Astor Rice, 3 lbs.	25c
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There is a scientific reason for having all waters which touch woolens of the same temperature. The fiber of the wool is a series of small irregular scales, which overlap each other and have jagged edges.

With heat, these minute scales expand, and with sudden exposure to a lower temperature they contract, catching and knotting and pulling on each other, thereby producing a harsh, rough surface. If they are rubbed, the edges turn under and knot, each individual fiber thus becoming shorter, until the whole length of the goods shrink.

Strong alkalies, such as soda, lye or washing powders, will weaken and dissolve those tiny fibers and should always be avoided. If an alkali is necessary to soften the water, cut grease, or neutralize any acid which may have been used to remove stains, get ammonia or borax.

Woolen blankets are not such inexpensive items of the household supplies that we can afford to handle them carelessly when we come to washing them. They would be ruined if put into the tub and washed like ordinary cotton goods.

Begin the process of washing by shaking them thoroughly, to remove every particle of dust which might form into muddy streaks when coming into contact with the water. Then look carefully for any spots and sew a white thread around any found, so that they may receive especial attention. Avoid a colored thread, as it might run.

Next measure the width and length of the blanket—half the length, if the pair is not separated. If possible, procure curtain stretchers for drying and set these the proper size. As soap rubbed directly on a blanket will cause shrinkage, have ready a soap solution. This is made by shaving one large bar of any good, neutral soap into three quarts of cold water, heating to the boiling point and, when cool, adding to it two tablespoonfuls of powdered borax and half a cupful of denatured alcohol.

The temperature of all waters into which the blankets are put should be 110 degrees Fahrenheit, or about lukewarm. Work the blankets up and down in the water and squeeze them against the side of the tub, but never rub them. Stretch very soiled places on a smooth surface and use a small brush with a little of the soap solution. Wring, if possible, with the hands, or if a wringer is used, adjust it very loosely. The blanket should be kept flat and not stretched or pulled as it goes through.

Never try to wash more than one blanket at a time. A blanket is injured by lying around wet. If you have no frames for drying, be careful to hang the blankets straight on a good, taut, clean line and secure with plenty of clothespins. Do not dry in the sun, or it will yellow them but in a bright place where there is a gentle wind. During the drying process, brush often with a whisk, giving a lengthwise stroke to rub up the nap. When perfectly dry, rub with a flannel cloth to restore the fluffiness.

Almost every one possesses a sweater these days, but half the wearers have stretched, stringy, looking garments, after they are washed. To insure their original shape after washing, before wetting take a few measurements—length of the shoulder seam, waist measure, under arm seam, middle front and inner arm—and stretch to these measurements while drying.

Use the soap solution given for blankets and be careful about having all traces of the same temperature. Wash with as little lifting up as possible, because the weight of the water stretches the fibers. If there is much dirt to be removed, a little borax in the water will not harm the wool.

Have the temperature as near as possible to that of the lukewarm water used—or 110 degrees Fahrenheit.

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Dreamer.

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THE KING'S SONS AND THE PRINCESS—Part II

There was no ladder and the wall of the tower was so smooth that Tito wondered if he would be able to rescue the Princess, even if there was one to rescue, for he had seen only the white fluttering object and he thought the wind might have blown it there.

Tito dismounted and was about to look for some way to reach the tower when he heard heavy footsteps, and from the other side of the tower there came a huge man so tall that he could easily reach the little window in the top of the tower, and so broad of shoulders and chest that poor Tito looked like a tiny baby beside him.

"What are you doing here?" roared the giant.

Tito was terribly frightened, but he knew the witch would not have sent him unless he was to succeed in rescuing the Princess, so he spoke up as loudly as he could.

"I have come for the Princess," he said.

Without a word the giant shook his shaggy head and made a lunge at poor little Tito, but the horse on which he had ridden up the mountain stood on its hind legs at that moment and struck at the giant with one foot.

The giant began to tremble, although the horse did not touch him, but seemed to be waving his leg and hoof in front of the giant's face.

Smaller and smaller grew the giant, until he was smaller than Tito, and then he disappeared and only a rock stood where a minute before the huge giant had been.

The horse then went to the foot of the tower, and began to paw the earth, and soon there appeared a vine, which ran up the tower right to the window where the white object had fluttered.

When it reached the window a hand appeared, and Tito next saw a head of golden hair and then a face looked down at him.

"Have you come to take me home?" said a sweet voice.

Tito looked at the vine. It did not look very strong, but he grasped it, and, to his surprise, it was strong enough to hold him, and every little distance there were loops for his feet to help him.

When he reached the window at the top Tito saw the most beautiful girl he had ever seen, and he took her in his arms and carried her to the ground.

"Where is the giant?" asked the girl.

"He has disappeared," was all Tito could say.

"Oh, well, now we are safe then," said the girl; "you are to take me to your horse to my home, for that was what the good witch told me—that a Prince would come for me on a black horse and carry me back to my father."

Tito did not say a word, but placed the girl on the horse before him and rode down the mountain.

"You know I am a princess," said the girl, "and a wicked old witch stole me and gave me to her son, the

giant; but he could only look in through the window of the tower unless I said I would marry him, for another good witch protected me.

"One night she appeared to me in the form of a bird, and told me not to be unhappy, that she would find a prince to rescue me, and, of course, you are he."

Tito said he was a prince, and told her how his brother had left him in the forest to die, and the good witch had saved him and sent him to rescue her.

When they reached the home of the Princess, Tito found that her father was a very rich king and had many soldiers, and when the Princess' father heard Tito's story he sent hundreds of soldiers to escort him to his own home.

Nardo had told everybody that his brother and his father were dead, and had himself crowned king.

When the servants saw the soldiers who were with Tito coming in the distance, they ran to Nardo and told him a regiment was coming, and they were sure they all would be slain.

Nardo was a coward, as all wicked people are, and when he saw so many soldiers he ran to one of the dungeons under the castle and hid.

When Tito came to the gate of the castle he asked for his father and was told he was dead; then he asked for his brother, but no one knew where he was.

Tito knew how that Nardo was a wicked man, and told the soldiers to hunt all through the castle and break down all doors that were locked.

When he found the dungeon under the castle, the first door that was opened was the one where the old King was held a prisoner.

The old King wept for joy when he saw Tito, and told him Nardo had brought his torn clothes and said he had been killed in the forest, and how Nardo had made him a prisoner.

"Find my wicked brother," said Tito to the soldiers. "He is hiding somewhere in the castle—tear it down if need be, but find him."

After a while the soldiers came back with the wicked Nardo, trembling and begging for his life and looking like anything but a king.

But the father heeded that Tito should not do him harm, and Tito spared his life, but told Nardo to take his wicked servant and two bags of gold and go away and never let him see him again.

Tito told his father all about the strange things that had happened since he had been away, and that he was going back to the Princess to make her his wife.

When Tito went to look for the black horse it was nowhere to be found, nor had any one seen it, and then Tito knew that it was the good old witch who had changed herself into a black horse and accompanied him to the tower and helped him to rescue the Princess.

Tomorrow's story—"The Clock and Pussie."

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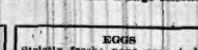
Tomorrow "The Price of Silence" will be repeated, and "The Red Woman," a thrilling Western production in which Gail Kane is cast in the title role and is assisted by a picked cast of artists, will appear.

On Thursday and Friday, "Skinner's Dress Suit," the comedy drama, wholesome, clean and entertaining, comes



At Proctor's Theatre tomorrow

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COUNTRY STORE TONIGHT AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

"Should a Woman Tell" is the title of one of the most intensely interesting and realistic sketches that has graced the feature position on a vaudeville at the Plainfield Theatre. With an excellent company and special scenery presenting it, the playlet will only fill a two days' engagement here, today being the first. As a drama it has scarcely a moment that is not intensely gripping and the problem it presents is one that offers deep thinking, dealing as it does with a woman who has lived her past and when in later years she is faced with the choice of telling everything or remaining silent the struggle she has to decide.

STATE FEDERATION TO MEET IN ATLANTIC CITY

The New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in Atlantic City, May 3, 4 and 5. The Chalfonte will be headquarters, but each club will make its own hotel reservations. Those desiring to procure rooms at headquarters are urged to send their applications at once. Names and delegates and alternates from each club are asked for not later than April 25, to be sent to Mrs. Brice Collard, corresponding secretary. The usual instructions as to credential cards and delegates' badges are also contained in the letter.

The hotels also obligated themselves to contribute a percentage of their receipts to the bureau, from which will be defrayed certain expenses of the convention. For greater convenience each of the listed hotels has been supplied with hotel certificates, which it will issue without charge.

Upon presentation of the hotel certificates at the registration booth the holder will receive either an official badge or a souvenir admission button. Either of these gives entree to the steel pier during all sessions. Those who are not stopping with friends, Atlantic City residents, as well as others who may be at hotels not listed, may secure the buttons for fifty cents each.

MONDAY CLUB DISCUSSES SOUTH AMERICAN OPERA

The meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club yesterday was under the direction of the art department of that club and was held in the parish house of the Congregational Church. Mrs. C. R. Banks read a paper on "Opera and Theatre in South America" and a general discussion followed.

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TO DISCUSS COMMUNITY PROBLEMS

This year the annual meeting of the N. J. Conference of Charities and Corrections will be held in Montclair, April 29, 30, May 1. It has taken as its theme or topic "Community Problems." In a letter being sent out it states that every city or hamlet has its especial problem that vexes it; it may be housing or health; the child, delinquent or dependent; relief, public or private; or simply indifference to the public good. Experts have been secured to give the benefit of their experience in curing some of these evils. Workers and those interested in the uplift of the State will attend, and the interchange of ideas will be helpful. The spirit of team play and co-operation, which is so important in business, will be engendered.

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For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—8.21, 8.44 a. m., 5.46 p. m. Sunday—8.19, 10.57 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
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REST IS UP TO CONGRESS.

Guardsmen of Many More States, 40,000 Troops In All, Mobilized to Protect Strategic Points and Government Property—Capital Patrolled by Cavalry and Infantry For First Time Since Civil War.

Washington, March 27.—The drive for man power to back up President Wilson in his struggle with Germany is under way in earnest. Under personal direction of the president extraordinary efforts to fill the ranks of the army, navy and marine corps have been started in every direction.

Determined to be ready to act immediately and aggressively as soon as congress makes the nation's attitude clear, the administration has taken every step to increase the strength of the war making branch of the service.

Approximately 39,000 men of the national guard were under orders to enter the federal service for the protection of vital points within the nation. War department orders added some twenty-five units to the militia already called out for "home guard" duty.

Marine Corps Increased.

President Wilson by an executive order increased the authorized enlisted strength of the marine corps to 17,000 men, and the navy department at once began a campaign to enlist the added personnel. The corps now has 14,981 men and 596 officers.

Naval recruiting was ordered prosecuted with renewed vigor following the action of the president in increasing the authorized enlisted strength to 87,000 men. Secretary of the Navy Daniels said the indications were that the naval enlistments would be rushing in at once.

Department commanders throughout the country began the task of assigning the army of militia called to the federal service to duty guarding important transportation and utility lines, arsenals, munition plants and other strategic points. The war department in announcing the militia call appended the following statement:

It is requested that no details of locality be carried in the press in regard to further distribution of these troops unless given out by the department.

It is expected that further militia details will be called out for similar service in order that every locality in the country may be sure of adequate protection.

Guard National Capital.

Two troops of the Second regular cavalry, the First separate battalion of the District of Columbia national guard and two companies of marines are on guard duty about the national capital.

With military preparation moving under pressure, the administration has begun making plans for the war session of congress that will convene next Monday.

The president will lay before the legislators a record of the German aggressions since the last session of congress adjourned. His recommendations will not be completed in detail, however, until just before he addresses congress.

Every event of the next week will be watched with close scrutiny.

Congress leaders conferred with Secretary of State Lansing as to the possible legislative program. Chairman Flood of the house foreign affairs committee and other members of the committee talked over with the secretary the need for legislation to deal with espionage and to establish a censorship.

The representatives also discussed the probable form of a war resolution to be prepared in order that the legislative way may be made clear for immediate action when congress is organized and ready for business.

FRANCE FLOATS NEW LOAN.

Credit Foncier Issues $30,000,000 Bonds at 5½ Per Cent.

Paris, March 27.—The Credit Foncier's new loan of $30,000,000 in 5½ per cents has closed. The loan was opened only a few days ago. The subscriptions exceed $800,000,000.

The sixty dollar bonds sold at 357. Payments can be made in eleven installments, which end in May, 1918. One American bank wanted 35,000 bonds and was promised 3,000 if possible. The response is a striking demonstration of the inexhaustibility of the French war stocking.

DETROIT OFFICIAL DEAD.

Police Say Man Found Dead at New York Hotel Is a Suicide.

New York, March 27.—Charles E. Townsend, superintendent of the department of labor of Detroit, Mich., was found dead in a room in the Vanderbilt hotel. He had been shot in the forehead, and the police and coroner say he committed suicide.

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Dr. Holmes, the well-known skin specialist, writes:
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A leading physician of Chicago says: "Merely easing the pain with narcotics to give relief is a long ways from a cure for stomach trouble. Besides the danger of neglect or inadequate treatment may lead to more serious maladies. What appear to be only minor troubles are often the symptoms of gall stones, acute indigestion, gastritis, constipation, auto-intoxication, yellow jaundice, appendicitis, cancer and ulcers of the stomach and intestines, or other fatal ailments." Stomach sufferers should take warning. Do not have blind faith in treatments that are giving no results. Much suffering could be avoided, many surgical operations prevented, scores of lives saved had Mayr's Wonderful Remedy been taken in time. It is not a long drawn out treatment. It acts on the very source and foundation of stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, eliminating from the system the hard, poisonous catarrhal accretions and shows them to you. Try a dose tonight—tomorrow your days of torture will be over and another friend will be added to nearly a million grateful human beings, many who declare Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has saved their life. Get it from your druggist today—tomorrow may be too late. For sale by United Cigar Stores Co., and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

MAJOR GENERAL WOOD.
Assigned to Command of Southeastern Department.

Photo by American Press Association.

DEMOCRATS WILL ORGANIZE HOUSE

Independents Will Vote For Clark For Speaker.

Washington, March 27.—The organization of the new house of representatives will be accomplished in a single day's session. Every legislative leader in Washington is determined that partisan politics shall not hamper the nation in the international crisis.

Representative Charles H. Randall, the California Progressive, who has taken the lead of the little group of five independent members of the newly elected house, announced that enough of the five so called independents in the house would vote for a Democratic organization to break a deadlock.

Republican Leader Mann earlier had offered to relinquish his candidacy for the speakership in order to clear the way for a nonpartisan house organization.

"The next house will be organized from top to bottom by the Democrats," said Representative Randall.

"I have for several days past been in correspondence by telegraph with the four other independents of the house, and although I am not privileged yet to announce which of them have swung into line for Champ Clark and the entire organization of the house by the Democrats, I am at liberty to say that enough of us will vote that way to insure complete success for the Democratic cause.

"It is the view of the independent group that in this emergency we should stand firmly with the administration. We feel that the house should be Democratic.

"The announcement by Representative Mann of Illinois that he would withdraw from the speakership race if it insured a bipartisan organization was a straightforward and patriotic utterance. But it is not possible for the Republicans to organize the house now anyhow. The votes are against them."

Seventy-first 99 Per Cent Full.

New York, March 17.—Twenty-four hours after the mobilization order 99 per cent of the Seventy-first regiment, N. Y. N. G., was ready for service. Messages from missing members as far west as Wisconsin and as far south as Texas were received, saying the nine ones were making all haste to join the regiment.

Argentine Embargoes Wheat.

Buenos Aires, March 27.—The government of Argentine has ordered an embargo on exports of wheat and flour. The president has signed the decree, and it will be put in operation immediately.

PROMPT WORK BY JERSEY GUARD

Two Regiments Mobilized and Awaiting Orders.

FIRST AND FIFTH ALL READY.

Men Only Short Time From Border Show Benefit of Field Training and Discipline by Quickness and Efficiency With Which Mobilization Was Effected—Nature of Duty Is Not Yet Known.

Newark, March 27.—The First Infantry in its armory here and the Fifth in its armories in Paterson, the Oranges, Montclair and other stations are mobilized and awaiting further orders.

The smoothness and celerity with which the two commands responded to the call was in great contrast to the confusion and delay incident to the border mobilization of last year.

The men reported as if they had been going about their usual civil business routine, slipped into their uniforms and quietly stayed about their company rooms. The officers, benefiting by the many recent military conferences, remained about the executive quarters, each knowing what was expected of him and ready for orders.

Both regiments are awaiting the arrival of federal mustering officers from Governors Island.

So far the only orders received have been from Adjutant General Barber, directing these regiments to mobilize this morning at their armories, and while it is known that the orders have grown out of the president's executive order, no direct federal orders have been received. The troops will be mustered into federal service under the provisions of the national defense act, just as they were when called for border duty.

The calling of the First and Fifth leaves the field command with the senior officer, Colonel John D. Fraser of the First.

If the Fourth regiment of Jersey City is called out it will complete the mobilization of the First brigade, and Brigadier General Edwin W. Hine will take the field command.

76 MORE SHIPS SUNK.

Total of 1,265,560 Tons Destroyed Since Feb. 1.

Berlin, Wireless via Sayville, March 27.—Destruction by U-boats "during the last few days" of seventy-six vessels aggregating a tonnage of 50,000 tons is announced by the admiralty. The victims include twenty-five steamships, fourteen sailing vessels and thirty-seven trawlers. The largest prize was the British hospital ship Asturias of 12,000 tons. The American vessels Illinois and City of Memphis are included in the list given. The Vigilancia is not included.

The 50,000 tons announced bring the total tonnage reported by the German admiralty as having been destroyed since Feb. 1, when unrestricted U-boat warfare went into effect, up to 1,265,560 tons.

This is at an average of 23,436 tons a day for fifty-four days or an average of 729,516 tons for a month of thirty-one days.

BIG FIRE AT VLADIVOSTOK.

Started in Cotton Stores and Believed to Be Incendiary.

London, March 27.—A message from Russia to the Daily Chronicle reports a serious fire at Vladivostok. The fire started among cotton stores and is believed to have been the act of an incendiary.

Part of the heavy losses incurred will fall on London underwriters and companies.

Miners Consider Wage Demand.

Dubois, Pa., March 27.—Two hundred delegates of the union miners of the central Pennsylvania field are in conference here to consider a demand for a big wage increase. Should they decide to make the demand it would probably mean a strike of 75,000 miners. It is said the operators would refuse to meet the demand, as the contract fixing the present scale has a full year to run.

Million For French Blind.

New York, March 27.—The A. B. F. R. permanent line relief war fund, supported by American contributions, has promised $280,000 yearly for five years to the French committee conducting relief work among blinded French soldiers. The guarantee was called by the finance committee, which is headed by Frank A. Vanderlip.

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Hundreds of men and women have written telling of the wonderful results obtained by using Parisian Sage. People who were getting bald say they now glory in their beautiful hair. Others who have had dandruff for years and the head itched like mad say they had a clean, healthy scalp after just a few applications of this splendid treatment.
No matter whether you are bothered with falling hair, gray hair, straggly, dull, brittle, ugly hair, dandruff or itching scalp, try Parisian Sage today on this money back offer. A large bottle is inexpensive at drug stores everywhere, and if your hair is worth saving Parisian Sage is surely worth trying.—Adv.

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22-inch napkins, $4 dozen.

Tablecloths, $6 and $7.50

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22-inch napkins, $7 dozen.
28-inch napkins, $8.50 dozen.

1,200 Towels, $6 Dozen
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Excellent figured huck towels from Ireland, of high-grade weave and soft finish. Hemstitched hems, newly reduced.

Scalloped Cloths, $3 to $7.25

Good damask, with round designs, neatly scalloped, making exceptional cloths for the luncheon or dinner table. 54-inch, $3; 72-inch, $3.75 to $7.25.

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White or creamy linen embroidered so well that it takes two looks to tell it is not hand done. Try it and see. Thirteen pieces to the set, one centerpiece and twelve doilies.

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Excellent linen exquisitely scalloped and embroidered by hand, and amazing quality at the price. Imagine how long it must have taken the embroiderer to ornament it, quite aside from the value of the linen. 18 inch size, $1. 24-inch centerpieces, $1.25 to $2.25.

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Erno rugs—Made up of all new cretonnes, woven in such a manner as to give many effects, with woven border on ends; 24x36 in., at $1.50, to 9 x 12 ft., at $22.

Caroline Cretonne rugs—Made up in a very effective way, with a plain band border all around the rug; 27 x 54 in., at $2.50, to 9 x 12 ft., at $23.50.

Shakki rag rugs—The most artistic rag rug woven; plain centres, with a chenille floral border across the ends; 30 x 60 in., at $4.10, to 9 x 12 ft., at $35.50.

Novo rugs—Made in oval effects, woven of very heavy twisted fibre, which takes a effect sturdy effect in plain colors with woven borders; 30 x 60 in., at $4, to 9 x 12 ft., at $24.

Pilgrim rag rugs—Woven very closely in a hit and miss effect, with plain band borders across the ends; 30 x 60 in., at $3.25, to 9 x 18 ft., at $36.

Palatine rag rugs—Made up with plain centers, with floral contrasting borders; 30 x 60 in., at $3.75, to 9 x 12 ft., at $30.75.

Crex de Luxe rugs—Very closely woven, with pretty stenciled borders; in many designs; 36 x 72 in., at $2.50, to 9 x 12 ft., at $12.50.

Alpha rush rugs—Made in oval shapes, woven of heavy rush, in plain and mixed colors; 2 x 3 ft., at $3, to 3 x 12 ft., at $18.75.

Japanese La Belle rugs—A basket rug with stenciled figures in center as well as in the borders; 2 x 3 ft., at $1.75, to 9 x 12 ft., at $16.50.

Domus' Shee rugs—Made of all fibre with woven designs, plain and figured; 27 x 60 in., at $1.35, to 9 x 12 ft., at $9.

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ST. LOUIS, ARMED, ARRIVES SAFELY

First Two Gun American Ship Reaches British Port.

New York, March 27.—The St. Louis, the first armed American ship to cross the Atlantic in defiance of the German submarine blockade, has arrived safely at her port in England.

News of the arrival of the American line passenger vessel was given out by Secretary of the Navy Daniels in Washington after he had held a telephone conversation with the Liverpool office here, which had received a cablegram announcing the completion of her voyage.

Among the St. Louis' thirty-one passengers were several newspaper men.

The agents of the American line announced that a cable dispatch had been received from Liverpool stating that the St. Louis had arrived safely at a British port. Further details of the incidents on the voyage across the Atlantic were communicated to the navy department at Washington.

The St. Louis, commanded by Captain Herbert Hartley, carried thirty-one passengers, a crew of 394 officers and men and 2,000 sacks of mail. She was the first American passenger vessel to leave a port in the United States for Europe after the breaking off of diplomatic relations with Germany.

HIT TRAIL AT RAHWAY.

1,800 Converted at Six Week Revival Just Ended.

Rahway, March 27.—The Welgle evangelistic campaign, held under the auspices of the Rahway Federation of Churches for the last six weeks, has closed. The evangelist, Rev. Charles F. Welgle, and his party left the city shortly after the services. They were accompanied to the Pennsylvania station by the choir of 200 and more than a thousand citizens.

The evangelistic meetings were the greatest ever held in Rahway. More than 1,800 hit the trail, and hundreds of dollars and many valuable gifts were showered on the evangelist and his party.

An offering of $1,800 was taken up for Mr. Welgle at previous meetings, collections amounting to nearly $5,000 were taken to meet the expenses of the campaign.

STEILOW CASE HANGS.

Special Grand Jury in King Inquiry Discharged.

Albion, N. Y., March 27.—The Orleans county grand jury, before which Special Attorney General George Bond of Syracuse was designated to investigate evidence against Erwin King and other suspects in the Phelps Wolcott murder case, of which Charles Steilow was convicted here, was discharged by Supreme Court Justice Wesley Dudley of Buffalo when Mr. Bond appeared and announced his investigation is not complete enough to report to the grand jury which he had discharged.

He announced, "I am carefully investigating other important evidence regarding letters written by Erwin King since the murders and statements he has made and do not know when the case will close."

MORE BONDS FOR SUSSEX

Limit Raised More Than $200,000 by Law's Revision.

Newton, March 27.—The revision in the Pierson bonding law increases the bonding capacity of Sussex county giving the county the right to bond in 1917 for $199,492 above the $192,000 which the county is already pledged for. Under the amendment this will be increased in 1919 by $28,000.

County Engineer Harrey Snook and Director William Iliff estimate that for the Ross Corner and the entrance route into the borough, which would be built of concrete, the county would have to raise $73,075 by bonds. For Sparta road from Sparta to Ordensburg the county would have to issue $40,000 in bonds.

Set $8,900 Express Thief.

Perth Amboy, March 27.—Detective J. A. Huff left for Boston to bring back John J. McDonough accused of stealing $8,900 from the American Express company. McDonough was driver on a wagon in which the money was consigned to the C. Perdee works and Bayuk Bros. local concerns. He disappeared March 15, and the money was missed the next day.

25,000 SIOUX INDIANS WANT TO FIGHT FOR U. S.

Kansas City, March 27.—Permission to organize the Sioux tribe into regiments in case of hostilities will be asked of the government by William Harrison, a Sioux Indian chief and lawyer, who passed through Kansas City, Kan., on his way to Washington.

He said he could recruit 25,000 or 50,000 Indians for service.

HINDENBURG LINE BATTLE STARTS

French Hammer Against New German Stand.

TEUTON DRIVE AT PETROGRAD

Russian Capital and Perhaps Moscow May Be Objectives in Most Gigantic Thrust of War Now Said to Be Developing on Dvinsk Front—Opening Attacks Repulsed, Russians Say.

London, March 27.—The battle for the "Hindenburg line" in the west is in full swing. The initiative is still with the French. The Germans are yielding with increasing reluctance, but still yielding. Teuton counter attacks are growing in number and violence, but thus far, according to the Paris war office, they have availed nothing. On the contrary, it is asserted in the Paris communique that these counter thrusts have cost the Germans heavy sacrifices.

Battering forward against the center of the La Fere-Soissons sector of the Hindenburg line, the French pushed beyond Folembray, south of the forest of Coucy, halfway between La Fere and Soissons. They are thus within reach of the forests and heights around St. Gobain. These in their hands will mean the abandonment by the Germans of La Fere and thereby the whole front called "Hindenburg line."

Must Decide Soon.

It will mean the abandonment of the valuable French coal district around Lens and the establishment of a new German front running north and south from Lason, east of Soissons, to the west of Lille.

A short time is expected to reveal whether the Teutons propose to stand on the St. Quentin-La Fere-Laon-Soissons line or are willing to retire farther to the northward. The time has come, military critics agree, when if they propose to hold their present line they cannot allow the French to advance any farther.

Wherever the Teutons endeavored to halt the French sweep by furious counter attacks they were thrown back with heavy losses, Paris asserts.

Five German aeroplanes were shot down by the French.

Hindenburg has struck on the eastern front when he generally interested me the initial blows in a drive against the heart of Russia.

Hindenburg Strikes at Russia.

Contrary to expectations, these first attacks did not come on the Riga front, but on the sector between Dvinsk and Plusk with the important strategic railway intersection, Minsk, as the evident objective.

Petrograd officially reports the repulse of both attacks. The first was launched in the region of Postavy, some fifty-six miles south of Dvinsk. It is at Postavy that the northern end of the eastern German line extends farthest into Russian territory.

The second attack, evidently a mere "feeler," was made at Parsnievitch, whence a railway runs directly to Minsk. From that city the railway extends in a straight line northeast to Moscow, 240 miles away. The advance was made by two German companies in white overalls, which shows that winter weather still prevails in the east.

Meanwhile evidences accumulate that the Teutons are collecting vast stores of ammunition and material and concentrating great forces of reserves on the front facing Riga. Some military critics believe Hindenburg's plan is to strike simultaneously against Petrograd and Moscow, Petrograd lies more than 300 miles north of the big Baltic port of Riga.

HOSIERY GIRLS STRIKE.

Walk Out at Dover When Refused Increase in Pay.

Dover, March 27.—Fifty girl employees of Paul Guenther, Inc., silk hosiery manufacturers, are on strike because their demand for a cent a dozen increase on their work had been rejected by the firm. Fifty other employees are made idle by the walkout. There are about 700 employees at the plant.

The girls made their demands Friday, and Superintendent Carl Neehe said he would give an answer the next day. Saturday Mr. Neehe told them that the firm would increase the rates on certain lines of work. The girls were particularly desirous of getting the increase on ingrained work, but Mr. Neehe said he could not see his way clear to grant this.

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GEN. EDWARD H. PLUMMER.
Ordered to Command Panama Canal Zone.

Photo by American Press Association.

PRESS LOCAL OPTION.

Republican Leaders Decide to Support Pending Bill.

Albany, N. Y., March 27.—The Hill-Wheeler bill extending local option to all the cities in the state is to be made a Republican party measure. A joint caucus of the Republican senators and assemblymen has been called for today with that purpose in view.

This line of action was decided upon at a conference of Republican legislative leaders. Senator Brown, president pro tem. of the senate; Speaker Sweet of the assembly, Senator Hill of Broome and Assemblyman Wheeler of Ontario, sponsors for the bill; Assemblyman Stiles Allen of Rochester, majority leader of the lower house, and Assemblyman H. Edmund Machold of Watertown, chairman of the ways and means committee, attended the conference.

The bill will be amended to provide for the submission of the referendum on the "wet" and "dry" question at special spring elections.

TRENTON GIRLS IN NAVY.

Enlist as Yeomen Under Secretary Daniels' Recent Ruling.

Trenton, N.J., March 27.—Miss Margaret E. Leonard, twenty-six years old, of 17 East Lafayette street, and Miss Margaret MacLane Black, twenty-five years old, of 45 West State street, enlisted at the local recruiting station as yeomen in the United States navy. They are the first women from this city to make applications under Secretary Daniels' recent ruling admitting women to such rank.

Miss Esmond is to "fit" for service as a bookkeeper, while Miss Black is equipped to act either as bookkeeper, nurse or general office assistant. They will be assigned when places are found suitable for them.

LAWYER ADMITS THEFTS.

Confesses Taking Funds From Estate of Mrs. Belmont's Sister.

New York, March 27.—Herbert Reeves, the Brooklyn lawyer involved in the failure of the Model Building and Loan Association of the Bronx, pleaded guilty before Judge May in the county court in Brooklyn to the grand larceny of $7,813.81 from the estate of Mrs. Armide P. Smith. Mrs. Smith was a sister of Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont.

Reeves acted as Mrs. Smith's attorney. After she had died and Mrs. Belmont had qualified as one of three executors Reeves continued in the same capacity. There were three other indictments against him, to which he did not plead. His total thefts were said to amount to $250,000. He will be sentenced Friday.

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Gingham and chambray — fancy stripes or in plain colors—high or low neck, short or long sleeves—2 to 8 years. Limit two.

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Regulation style, all white or with colored collars and cuffs—silk laces in pockets—6 to 10 yrs. Limit three.

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Reg. sizes; our reg. 59c..... .44
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Low neck, sleeveless. Limit 4 suits.

39 ct. Men's Silk Hose..... .27
Black, white and colors — double heel and toe. Limit 4 pair.

25 ct. Ribbons..... .18
Satin, moire taffeta, check and Dresden—millinery and sash widths, white, black, colors. Limit 10 yds.

98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses .68
To 6-year sizes—gingham, chambray —new Spring models. Limit three.

98 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses .74
Yoke, Empire or normal Waist models, finished with lace and embroidery. Limit three.

50 ct. Little Tots' Hats..... .25
Crash, with colored or checked silk crowns—pretty mushroom shapes.

$1.50 Babies' Sweater Coats..... .94
Roll collar, pockets — white, light combinations and good range of colors—to 5 years. Limit three.

$1.97 All Wool Broadcloths .87
59 and 54 inches wide—variety of Spring colors, also navy, black—exceptional quality. Limit 3 yds.

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Heavy weight—for Summer skirts, middies, coats, suits, etc. Limit 15 yards.

19 ct. Dress Gingham, 32-inch .14
Good variety of plaids for misses' and children's frocks. Limit 17 yds.

47 ct. Collars, and Collar and Cuff Sets..... .38
Plain or embroidered, organdie or voile—some lace or combined with Swiss embroidery in many styles. Limit three.

98 ct. Men's Balbriggan Underwear. .27
Shirts short sleeves — drawers double seat—well sizes.
BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR—MAIN FLOOR.

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Feather and mattress — assorted stripes—less than 2 yards.
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98 ct. Hemstitched Sheets..... .64
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14 ct. Cotton Huck Towels..... .10
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TOWELS—MAIN FLOOR.

33 ct. Women's Ex. Size Underwear. .23
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KNIT UNDERWEAR—MAIN FLOOR.

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THE MUSTACHE

The mustache is the movable feast of man's upper lip. There are five stages—and sometimes only five hairs—to every mustache. It is first a bold idea. That comes when the prospective grower smiles flat on palm and ejaculates: "I'll do it." In a couple of days the mustache is a suspicion. Then it develops into a rumor. Next thing we know it is a well-grounded report, and finally, if the perpetrator doesn't weaken, the mustache becomes an established fact. But in all stages, from bold idea to fact, it is (and we say this under pain of peeving Pete Yoder) an abomination.

"Weather or No"

If the milk of human kindness sold by the quart we'd buy a lot for some folks.—Old Man Sage.

CLIMAX TEAM WINS FROM FLEMINGTON

Some Good Work Marks Club Team Match at Up-Country Traps

The Climax Gun Club of this city won from the Flemington Gun Club in a target shoot at Flemington Saturday afternoon by two birds, Flemington scoring 233 and Plainfield 235. Eugene Wilson of the Flemington club was high, breaking 99 blue rocks out of a possible 100 in the last four single events. In the first event he broke 23 out of 25 and in the team race 49 out of 50. In the team race D. Randolph and Van Cleef of the Climax Gun Club tied for second honors, each breaking 48.

Prior to the regular events, members of the Flemington club participated in two 25-target matches. The scores were: Wilson, 24, 24; L. Mollnari, 20, 24; Walter Deats, 22, 22; Amos McPherson, 18, 19; Ira Campbell, 20, 24; J. Case, 21, 24; C. R. Parker, 22, 19; H. Taylor, 17, and Gary, 21.

The first scheduled event, 25 targets, was a tie between Deats and Wilson, each scoring 23. Wilson took the second and third events, 25 straight, but Case won the fourth and fifth events, scoring 25 in the former and 24 in the latter.

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INNER TRIANGLES LOST AT BRUNSWICK

Middlesex County Boys a Little Too Speedy for the Netherwood Lads

In one of the fastest games ever witnessed on the S. R. C. court in New Brunswick the Second Reformed Club quintet won a clean-cut victory over the fast Inner-Triangles of this city Saturday night. The visitors started off with a fast spurt and collected eight points before the home team got started. The S. R. C. boys got together and slowly cut down the Triangles' lead. At the end of the first half the score stood: S. R. C., 19; Inner-Triangles, 16. The second half was much faster than the first.

The feature of the second half was the flawless guarding of John Leppert for the Brunswick team.

The two teams will meet on the local court Friday evening, April 6.

INNER-TRIANGLES

	G.	F.	P.
Porter, f	3	0	6
Patterson, f	7	3	17
Davidson, c	0	0	0
Cartwright, g	0	0	0
Dover, g	0	0	0
Gullvery, g	1	0	2
	11	3	25

S. R. C.	G.	F.	P.
Rolfe, f	6	0	12
Battison, f	5	5	15
Garland, c	2	0	4
Feaster, g	1	0	2
Seiffert, g	0	0	0
Leppert, g	0	0	0
	14	5	33

BOROUGH PLAYERS IN PRACTICE GAME

Capt. Andy McDonough put his charges through the first practice game on Hyde Oval yesterday afternoon, the game going over a five-inning stretch.

Sid Dunning and Captain McDonough constituted the battery for the regulars, while Lafue served up for the rookies, with Runyon on the receiving ends. Neither pitcher got anything on the ball, with the result that there was a great deal of hitting by both sides. The regulars won 5 to 3.

The infield problem seems to be solved, as Ahern, Barry, Yates, Moraller and Marsh looked good in fielding practice yesterday.

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Lions	12	12	918	.500
Foxes	7	20	826	.259

The Bulls, who have been doing more or less of the pace setting in the T. A. B. S. house tourney during the present season, came into a setback last evening when the Leopards came in for the odd game. The tourney leaders, however, were handicapped by having two men absent from the line-up.

Lawton of the Leopards was the big man of the evening, breaking away with scores averaging 199 and dividing two double century scores with Tom O'Keeffe.

The scores:

LEOPARDS

				Ave
Smith	131	157	170	152
Gleason	171	150	178	166
Hines	135	161	168	154
Lyons	167	153	155	160
Lawton	193	202	192	195
	797	823	864	829

Total pins—2,489.

BULLS

				Ave
Schmidt, Lafay.	171	169	199	179
C. Miller, Lafay.	133	187	212	177
J. Clough, Es.	135	195	225	185
McNair, Lafay.	131	134	224	163
G. Clough, Es.	136	184	236	185
Wright, Es.	136	179	234	183
Southard, Orient	127	178	196	167
Erxleben, Es.	122	177	168	156
Murray, Tyrian	125	177	152	151
Ring, Wash.	124	157	144	142
Loy, Wash.	133	176	162	157
Heald, Orient	130	174	164	156
K'berger, Tyrian	127	173	220	173
Sylvester, Es.	119	172	152	147
Jenkinson, Wash.	133	172	148	151
Martin, Tyrian	123	172	148	147
Hobbitelli, Lafay.	129	172	167	156
Laing, An.	127	171	166	154
Langhans, Az.	114	171	111	132
Neunert, Orient	6	171	32	69
Cose, An.	123	171	134	143
Merrill, Orient	133	170	168	157
Hoffman, Her.	129	170	158	152
Fleminas, Orient	127	168	258	184
Stroebel, Her.	133	168	220	174
Hofman, Her.	124	168	168	153
Ludlow, Lafay.	132	167	144	147
Van Sant, Lafay.	119	167	167	151
Peterson, Her.	133	167	166	155
Van Emburgh, An.	115	162	172	150
Fyffe, Lafay.	8	167	167	114
Sottung, Orient	131	166	226	174
Dolbins, Lafay.	6	166	166	113
Dearborn, Wash.	128	165	222	172
Harsell, Tyrian	128	165	213	169
Fredericks, Orient	12	165	170	116
Mulford, Tyrian	133	165	217	172
Fowler, Wash.	14	164	167	115
Morton, An.	9	164	201	124
Lilly, Wash.	133	163	218	171
Ludwking, Her.	130	162	220	171
Dayton, An.	14	162	172	116
Everett, Az.	133	161	220	171
Rhesa, Her.	6	161	216	114
Nash, An.	3	161	161	108
Edinger, Az.	122	160	171	151
Reuter, Tyrian	124	158	177	153
Klahr, Her.	127	156	191	158
Denman, Az.	124	155	194	157
Drakee, Az.	118	151	200	156
Morris, Az.	133	150	231	171
Vail, An.	12	149	157	106
Evans, An.	20	149	147	105
Beers, Az.	8	142	176	109

PILOTS DEFEAT THE RIVERSIDES LADDIES

The Pilot five defeated the fast Riversides from North Plainfield on the Inner-Triangle Club court last night in an interesting game. The Pilots' star forward, Franklin Adam, was out of the game, so Captain Hansen and Kennedy held down the scoring positions for the home team, winning the seventh straight game for the Pilots.

The score:

PILOTS

	G.	F.	P.
Kennedy, f	3	0	6
Hansen, f	4	0	8
Cooper, c	2	0	4
J. Campbell, g	0	0	0
A. Campbell, g	0	0	0
Waglow, g	0	0	0
	9	0	18

RIVERSIDES

	G.	F.	P.
Seidel, f	1	1	3
Paoli, f	2	0	4
Feaster, c	0	0	0
Boyle, g	3	0	6
Spencer, g	0	0	0
	6	1	13

Timer, W. Morris; scorer, Hansen; referee, Carson.

LEONARD-WELSH BOUT POSTPONED ONE WEEK

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 27.—It was officially announced at noon by Dan McKetrick, manager of the Manhattan Sporting Club, that the Benny Leonard and Freddie Welsh fight scheduled to take place tomorrow night has been postponed until April 4. McKetrick said that Leonard is suffering from a slight cold and refused to take any chances. It was also stated that tickets sold for tomorrow night's battle will be good on April 4.

ANCHOR PINNERS WAY DOWN IN LIST

Local Masonic Bowlers Occupy Seventh Place in County Circuit

"Ted" Schmidt, of Lafayette, has displaced Clint Miller, his teammate, as individual leader in the Masonic League since the last records were compiled, moving up from third place and passing Johnny Clough, Essex, en route. In the advance, Schmidt brought his average up from 183.8 to 188.25 for twenty-seven games. Southard, of Orient, still stands as individual high score man with a 266 crack.

In the race for the Mahlon Morey high average trophy, Essex appears to be the favorite, as well as in high team score and in games won. The average mark of the leaders is now 903.9, and their big slam of the season, 1,060. Lafayette is trailing in second place, but as each has only two more series to roll the chances of the Rahwayans leveling the lead doesn't seem likely.

The Anchor Lodge team of this city is well down in the team standing, occupying seventh position. Laing leads the local bowlers with an average of 171.16 for the twenty-seven games, with the other Plainfield pinners following in this order: Cose, Van Emburgh, Morton, Dayton, Nash, Vail and Evans.

Team Standing

	W	L	Ave	Hs
Essex	30	6	903.9	1060
Lafayette	24	9	879.8	1007
Washington	22	11	851.9	1001
Tyrian	14	19	845.16	940
Orient	14	22	840.12	972
Azure	10	23	768.25	886
Anchor	9	18	806.11	910
Herman	9	24	812.24	894

Individual Records

	G	Ave	Hs
Schmidt, Lafay.	27	188.25	246
C. Miller, Lafay.	33	187.27	212
J. Clough, Es.	35	185.25	222
McNair, Lafay.	31	184.24	258
G. Clough, Es.	36	184.7	236
Wright, Es.	36	179.11	234
Southard, Orient	27	178.19	266
Erxleben, Es.	22	177.16	208
Murray, Tyrian	25	177.15	224
Ring, Wash.	24	177.14	238
Loy, Wash.	33	176.16	220
Heald, Orient	30	174.16	234
K'berger, Tyrian	27	173.20	251
Sylvester, Es.	19	172.15	222
Jenkinson, Wash.	33	172.8	220
Martin, Tyrian	23	172.8	222
Hobbitelli, Lafay.	29	172.6	222
Laing, An.	27	171.16	222
Langhans, Az.	14	171.11	230
Neunert, Orient	6	171.2	221
Cose, An.	23	171.3	224
Merrill, Orient	33	170	208
Hoffman, Her.	29	169.8	222
Fleminas, Orient	27	168.25	208
Stroebel, Her.	33	168.20	204
Hofman, Her.	24	168.6	211
Ludlow, Lafay.	32	167.14	211
Van Sant, Lafay.	19	167.7	191
Peterson, Her.	33	167.6	207
Van Emburgh, An.	15	162.3	212
Fyffe, Lafay.	8	167	197
Sottung, Orient	31	166.26	212
Dolbins, Lafay.	6	166.3	204
Dearborn, Wash.	28	165.22	205
Harsell, Tyrian	28	165.13	225
Fredericks, Orient	12	165.10	198
Mulford, Tyrian	33	165.9	217
Fowler, Wash.	14	164.7	186
Morton, An.	9	164.1	201
Lilly, Wash.	33	163.31	248
Ludwking, Her.	30	162.20	231
Dayton, An.	14	162.12	199
Everett, Az.	33	161.20	227
Rhesa, Her.	6	161.4	216
Nash, An.	3	161	180
Edinger, Az.	22	160.7	191
Reuter, Tyrian	24	158.17	189
Klahr, Her.	27	156.19	191
Denman, Az.	24	155.6	194
Drakee, Az.	18	151.10	200
Morris, Az.	33	150.31	192
Vail, An.	12	149.8	157
Evans, An.	20	149	147
Beers, Az.	8	142.4	176

CATCHER GIBSON REINSTATED

Cincinnati, March 27.—Catcher George Gibson, formerly of the Pittsburg team, was yesterday declared to be eligible for service by the National Baseball Commission. The New York Nationals obtained Gibson last fall when Pittsburg asked waivers on him. Gibson, however, at that time refused to join the New York team.

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Adv. R. P.

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Complete satisfaction is the verdict of all customers on behalf of Pompeian HAIR Massage.

A. B., Hotel El Paso de Robles Barber Shop, Cal.

I have used Pompeian HAIR Massage with excellent results. It is far superior to any other hair tonic I ever used.

H. P. B., Bassett, Ia.

SOCIAL CLUB WINS OVER CHAPEL GIRLS

Here's a Game With But a Single Field Basket Scored

In a fast and interesting game on the Hope court last evening the St. Mary's Social Club aggregation defeated the Chapel girls by a score of 5 to 0. Owing to the exceptional quality of guarding, the scoring column was not used to any great extent, but one field goal being recorded during the course of the evening, that one being cooped by Miss I. Peterson. Miss Gill did all the scoring for the Saints.

What was lacking in scoring was made up in play, both teams being responsible for some fast and aggressive work.

The scores:

ST. MARY'S SOCIAL CLUB

	G.	F.	P.
Miss B. Gill, f	0	5	5
Miss Green, f	0	0	0
Miss M. Gill, c	0	0	0
Miss Rhinehart, g	0	0	0
Miss McCauley, g	0	0	0
	0	5	5

HOPE CHAPEL

	G.	F.	P.
Miss Overbaugh, f	0	0	0
Miss Peterson, f	1	0	2
Miss MacMillan, c	0	0	0
Miss Marsh, g	0	0	0
Miss I. Peterson, g	0	0	0
	1	0	2

EASTON Y. W. C. A. TO PLAY CONTEST HERE

The basketball aggregation representing the Easton (Pa.) Y. W. C. A. will come to this city next Saturday to play a return match with the local association girls. The match will be staged on the Y. M. C. A. floor. The Plainfield lassies visited Easton several weeks ago on the annual trip to the Pennsylvania city and brought home the big end of the score.

The visiting delegation of ten members of the Easton association will remain in this city over Sunday, attending the local vesper services that afternoon. A special program will mark the vesper services at that time.

MANAGER CAMPBELL IS READY FOR TRIANGLES

Manager Campbell of the Y. M. C. A. second string basketball team called on the sporting editor last evening and stated that he accepted the challenge of the Inner-Triangles for a championship title series of three games. Manager Campbell desires one game on each of the home courts and a deciding contest, if necessary, on a neutral court.

The association manager would like to have a list of Brother Carson's available dates for the games as time and place for the arranging of the minor details of the games.

STENGEL SIGNS CONTRACT

Hot Springs, Ark., March 27.—Casey Stengel, the Dodgers' outfielder, signed a contract this morning. It calls for a flat salary of $3,600. Ebbets and Stengel had a conference just before the Brooklyn president left for Memphis and the agreement was reached. Stengel remained here with the excess players to practice. He will join the main squad at Little Rock tomorrow.

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CITY LEAGUE MEN BUSY WITH PLANS

Season's Schedule is Being Prepared—Umpires Wanted for Circuit—Notes

A short business session of the City Baseball League was held last evening at the home of Secretary Dan Randolph, at which time considerable business of a routine nature was transacted, including the arranging of the details of the opening games to be played, weather permitting, Saturday, April 28.

Secretary Randolph is now busy drawing up a schedule of games for the season, which call for at least twenty-one games, and possibly twenty-four. The latter number of games for each team would carry the local season well up into September, giving the Plainfield fans a full season of enjoyment by Plainfield talent.

When the schedule is complete a meeting of the league is to be called to adopt dates and for the appointment of umpires. The schedule as now being prepared will call for a late start of the season, as far as home games for the St. Joseph's Club is concerned, as the borough team has to wait upon the completion of the schedule of Saturday games of the N. P. H. S.

It is fully expected that umpires will be appointed at the next meeting of the circuit, although no applications for the jobs have been filed as yet. Applications for the jobs may be filed with the secretary any time before the next session.

According to reports from three different sources, some people are of the opinion that the Central New Jersey Baseball League is about to finish up the season before actual play has been started. These dissentant notes come from semi-official sources, although one or two of the prime movers of the circuit, when approached, said that there is still good prospects of maintaining the league intact.

Manager Randolph of the First Baptist team of the City League has followed Manager Martin of the Hopes in calling for a practice of his squad for Saturday afternoon next. Both the Hopes and the Baptists will do their training this spring at West End Oval, West End and Myrtle avenues. Manager Randolph states that he has plenty of new material this spring, and that there is little or no doubt in his mind as to his aggregation copping the 1917 pennant.

CLIMAX CLUB SHOOT

The Climax Gun Club has planned another of its popular merchandise shoots to be held at its grounds next Saturday afternoon. The events for the occasion will be started promptly at 2.30 o'clock. A full attendance of members is desired.

WESTFIELD BALL DATES GIVEN OUT

Suburban School Ball Team Has Booked Eighteen Diamond Contests

Special Correspondence:

Westfield, March 27.—From present indications the pupils of the Westfield High School will have a busy season with athletics from now on until school closes, and again when school opens in the fall. It is the intention of Instructor Stine to have a baseball team in the field that will be second to none in the county, and also tennis, track and golf teams.

The plan of Instructor Stine is to have one championship and class tennis games played on the Stanley Oval courts. Arrangements will be made to have the golf matches played on the links of the Westfield Golf Club and will be with high school teams from Newark and Orange. The track events, as well as the baseball games, will be played at Recreation Park. Instructor Stine will have charge of the track, golf and baseball teams, and R. F. Bates, principal of the high school, will be in charge of the tennis teams. No captain has been selected for the baseball team as yet, but Alfred H. Welch has been made manager. The team had a practice game yesterday, but as to who will play on the team has not been decided on, but will probably be announced April 1. The pupils were measured for baseball suits yesterday.

The schedule of games for the season has been arranged by Mr. Stine as follows:

April

14—Faculty at Westfield.
16—St. Benedict at Newark.
20—Open.
25—Woodbridge at Westfield.
28—N. P. H. S. at North Plainfield.

May

2—Battin at Elizabeth.
4—Roselle at Roselle.
9—Plainfield at Plainfield.
12—Horace Mann at New York.
16—Roselle Park at Roselle Park.
18 and 22—Open.
25—Roselle at Westfield.
28—Plainfield at Westfield.
30—Alumni at Westfield.

June

6—Rahway at Westfield.
8—West Orange at West Orange.
13—North Plainfield at Westfield.

The schedule of the events for the track, golf and tennis teams has not been made up yet, but will be announced in a few days.

Princeton Game Off

Princeton, March 27.—The baseball game scheduled for yesterday between Princeton and Colby was called off by the faculty committee "because of the international situation." Coach Clarke and his entire baseball squad are being given daily instruction in the military training course.

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Boats will operate daily from 6 A. M. to 11 P. M. On Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays until midnight. All of the roads leading from the ferry on both sides of the river are now in splendid condition.

PLAINFIELD B. & L. ASSN. RE-ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association was held last evening in the offices on Park avenue, when the report for the year was read and all officers re-elected.

The report shows that the loans on bond and mortgages were $64,055; loans on shares, $9,140; payments on shares matured $40,400 and the cash balance in the bank is $10,466. The total disbursements were $150,956. The association has been in existence for the past thirty-three years and has never lost on an investment.

Five hundred shares were taken in a new series last evening. There were eleven applications for mortgage loans, amounting to $22,500. They were referred to committees for examination.

The re-elected officers are: President, Henry Liefke; vice-president, W. A. Woodruff; treasurer, W. R. Codington; secretary, B. F. Corlell.

Auditing Committee: Clarence B. Vail, Clarence Brouard, Wm. McDermott.

Board of Directors: Henry Liefke, W. R. Codington, Herman Schwed, Louis Klein, Charles M. Doliver, E. M. Laing, Jas. P. Homan, W. A. Woodruff, Joseph C. Blimm, Peter J. McDonough, B. F. Corlell, George J. Finger.

A PARTY FOR HER BIRTHDAY

A surprise birthday party was given last evening Miss Helen Harris on her thirteenth birthday by a number of her young friends at the residence of Mrs. Robert Tunstall, her aunt, 529 West Fourth street.

The evening was spent very pleasantly in playing games, music and dancing. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock. Miss Harris received many beautiful presents.

Among those present were: The Misses Dorothy Hutter, Gladys Robinson, Marguerite Johnson, Gladys Stearns, Helen Harris, Eleanor Greene. Also Royal Banks, Japheth Banks, Joshua Smith, Courtney Smith, William Reasoner, Robert Watson and Frank Kelso.

TOES CRUSHED BY CARS

While attempting to board a moving train on the Central Railroad at Glen Gardner Saturday night, Russell Sherman, twenty-seven years old, of Glen Gardner, slipped and fell and one of the wheels passed over his left foot, crushing all the toes. He was taken to the Easton (Pa.) Hospital.

PADEREWSKI IN PLAINFIELD

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and delight the ear and brain of the amateur. It is not necessary, for that to admit any second-class compositions. The intellectual subtleties of Brahms, the noble beauties of Beethoven, the romance of Schumann, the grace and poetry of Chopin, these can give pleasure to the most varied temperaments.

Not only did the audience delight in Paderewski, but one of his party declared he felt his sympathy and showed it in his playing.

After the concert Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers and Miss Maud Van Boskerck entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paderewski and their party at supper.

The Musical Club, which introduced Paderewski to Plainfield, not only has a musical triumph laid to its door, but a financial triumph as well. Paderewski, as is his custom nowadays, gives his part of the proceeds to the Polish Victims Relief Fund. Also, a sale of dolls, dressed by Mme. Paderewski, was conducted on the stage after the concert, for the benefit of this same fund. It is hoped that the Musical Club has cleared nearly $500 as its own share of the proceeds, and this is to be divided between the Mercy Committee, the Prince of Wales Society and the Belgian Relief Fund.

TO FORM AUXILIARY TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

A meeting will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. R. S. Cavallo, 510 West Eighth street, for the purpose of forming a Woman's Auxiliary to the Home Defense League. There will be no dues and all who are interested will be welcome.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL HAVE CHARGE

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will be in charge of the mid-week service tomorrow night in the church. Miss Lora Jackson will be the leader and Miss Jane Crawford will make the address.

TO REPEAT STRANDFEST

The strandfest, or seashore festival, that was so successfully given in Saengerbund Hall last Thursday evening, will be repeated this evening. Features will be prize bowling and dancing. There will be many new attractions.

REV. E. P. LITTLE TO PREACH

Rev. Edward P. Little, of Elizabeth, will be the special Lenten preacher at the Church of the Heavenly Rest tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock.

There will be a prayer and testimony meeting in connection with the Rescue Mission in the hall on Madison avenue this evening. These meetings are always bright and cheery and a hearty welcome is extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wadley and family are moving this week from Washington avenue to their new location on Rockview avenue, North Plainfield.

CAN'T BEAT "TIZ" WHEN FEET HURT

"Tiz" for sore, tired, puffed-up, aching, calloused feet or corns

You can be happy-footed in a moment. Use "Tiz" and never suffer with tender, raw, burning, blistered, swollen, tired, aching feet. "Tiz" and only "Tiz" takes the pain and soreness out of corns, callouses and bunions.

As soon as you put your feet in a "Tiz" bath, you just feel the happiness soaking in. How good your poor, old feet feel. They want to dance for joy. "Tiz" is grand. "Tiz" instantly draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed, aching, sweaty feet.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug store or department store. Get instant foot relief. Laugh at foot sufferers who complain. Because your feet are never, never going to bother or make you limp any more. —Adv.

MISS MARY G. PECK TO SPEAK ON "THE MOVIES"

Miss Mary Gray Peck, who is connected with the National Board of Review Motion Pictures and a member of the Motion Picture Committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, will speak at the Evergreen Avenue school Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock on the subject of "Movies."

Miss Peck, who comes here under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Evergreen school, has had a wide experience in studying motion picture problems and has just completed a tour of the West under the auspices of women's clubs.

COMPANY K NEEDS SIXTY MORE MEN

Company K needs sixty men between the ages of 18 and 25 years to drill and fit themselves for the call when it comes. The oath of allegiance will not be taken by these men at this time but only if the company is called out. Each man will drill with the company and will thus be prepared for the proper time. Men are requested to call at the armory this evening from 8 o'clock.

ENTERTAINED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Miss Ariadne Becknell entertained her Sunday school class of the First Presbyterian Church, at her home on South avenue, Saturday afternoon. Games and refreshments were enjoyed. The following were the scholars who were present: Elizabeth Price, Margret DeMeza, Elizabeth Palmer, Gladys Williams, Eleanor Keenan, Margaret Keenan, Delma Stephens, Margaret Vail and Winifred Palmer.

Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles if you could believe these hot water enthusiasts.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidneys and the thirty feet of intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body, which if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood, causing headache, biliousness, attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleeplessness, impure blood and all sorts of ailments.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vastly more important to bathe on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.—Adv.

SUBURBAN TRANSIT CO. PLANS MODERN SERVICE

The Suburban Transit Company which recently changed hands has been completely re-organized and proposes to conduct an up-to-date rapid transit service between this city and South Plainfield, and beginning May 1 the daily trips will be resumed between this city and Stirling. The company now owns a large number of auto busses and is in position to maintain a schedule of runs which will meet the requirements of the public.

The company will also make special trips for parties from fifteen to fifty in number, and arrangements for the same can be arranged for at the offices at Madison avenue and West Third street. The auto busses have been put in first-class condition and a regular service is being provided between South Plainfield and this city.

CHARGED WITH INSULTING LOCAL MILITIAMAN

Charged with insulting the uniform of the United States which clothed Private Adam Miller, of Company K, Michael McCarthy, of North Plainfield, was arraigned in the city court before Judge DeMeza this morning and was sentenced to pay a fine of $5.

According to Miller, McCarthy is alleged to have said something uncomplimentary about his uniform last night. McCarthy stated that he knew Miller and in a joking way said that Miller was a disgrace to the uniform. McCarthy had been drinking.

Recently there have been a number of incidents reported where members of the local military company have been sneered at by street loafers, and since McCarthy was brought in on a charge of giving similar offense Judge DeMeza imposed the fine.

FIRE IN APARTMENT OF N. BERNSTEIN

A fire that started in a closet in the apartment occupied by the family of N. Bernstein, 306 East Front street, at 11:20 o'clock this morning was not extinguished until after $200 damage had been done to the building and contents.

The blaze had gained great headway before it was discovered. The firemen responded promptly. Chemicals were used to extinguish the flames.

THE FUNERAL OF GEORGE MILLER

The funeral of George Miller, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Miller, who died on Saturday, was held this afternoon at his late residence on Park avenue, the Rev. John F. Brock, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers. The interment was made in the North Plainfield cemetery.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT OF MISS GERTRUDE JOHNS

Mrs. H. M. Johns, of East Second street, today announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Gertrude Johns to Augustus Justice, of Trenton. The latter was formerly manager of the Ehrle Creamery on Madison avenue, and is now engaged in business for himself at East Orange. No date is set for the wedding.

RECOVERING AFTER OPERATION

Mrs. E. L. Finch, of Park avenue, who has been spending the winter in New York, with her family, is recovering from an operation, performed a few days ago.

ACTIVITIES OF NETHERWOOD CLUB

Last night about twenty-five men gathered at the parsonage of the Netherwood Reformed Church for the regular monthly meeting of the Netherwood Dutch Arms Club. The meeting was called to order by President Hughes, and turned over to the devotional committee under Claude Goned. Rev. Edward S. Ralston gave a brief talk on the thirteenth chapter of Corinthians, taking for his subject "Love."

The enthusiasm shown at the meeting was most gratifying and it will be only a short time before this club will be doing things again under its old slogan of "Netherwood First."

A motion was made that the Club give an illustrated lecture for the benefit of the younger people of the community on Saturday afternoon, April 14. Mr. Ralston was instructed to go ahead in the matter, and see that the proper facilities are provided for this lecture. It was also voted that the club give a large flag to the church. Various other matters of importance were discussed, awaiting definite information, before they are made public.

After the meeting had adjourned, Mr. Enoch, as chairman of the Entertainment Committee, with the able assistance of Mrs. Ralston, served refreshments to the members in a delightful manner.

Among those present at the meeting last night were Jas. C. Hansen, Peter Hansen, President Hughes, Claude Goned, O. P. Wahlig, John Ried, James Breslin, Arthur Keinzle, Mr. Enoch, Carl Hansen, J. R. Wooster, Albert Macquigan, Rev. Edward S. Ralston, Walter Morris and James S. Carson.

The next meeting of the club will be held on April 30.

All men of the community are most cordially invited to attend and become members of this flourishing organization.

SURPRISE SHOWER FOR MISS HAZEL ZEEK

A surprise shower was tendered Miss Hazel Zeek by some of her friends, Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. MacCook, of East Sixth street. Miss Zeek was presented with a chest of silver.

A delightful supper was served at 5 o'clock. The table was tastefully decorated, the color scheme being pink and white.

Guests were present from Bellville, Newark and Plainfield.

TO GIVE DANCE AND CARD PARTY

Plans for a card party and dance to be given on Monday night, April 23, were discussed at a meeting of the Daughters of Isabella held last night. It was also announced there will be initiation of members on Sunday, April 15, both events to be held at Columbus Auditorium. The organization has a membership of over fifty women.

AUCTION SALE TOMORROW

Robert Murray will sell by auction tomorrow, at 1:30 o'clock, a fine lot of household goods, in the large auditorium over the Gavett china warehouse, on West Front street. The goods comprise several oak and mahogany and walnut pieces, sideboards, bed-room suites, writing desks, book-cases, sideboards, parlor suites, and everything necessary for the household.

This will be the last sale in this auditorium. In the future all these sales will be held in the permanent rooms, 326 and 328 West Front street. Intending purchasers should take advantage of the sale tomorrow as it is important that everything be sold to avoid removal to the new rooms.

HOLY CROSS CHURCH ITEMS

Tomorrow evening the Rev. H. V. Darlington, of Newark, will be the preacher at the Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield. Rector Darlington is the son of Bishop Darlington, of Harrisburg, Pa.

On Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Women's Guild will hold a thimble party in the Parish House. All the women of the church are invited to attend.

The regular Lenten service for the young people will take place on Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Kidney Trouble May Cause Dropsical Swellings

Foley Kidney Pills Highly Recommended For This Condition

Dropsy, with all its signs and symptoms, including weak heart, general debility, swollen joints, ankles and limbs, headache, sleeplessness and nervousness, are all evidence of a certain kind of kidney trouble. Irregular bladder action, too frequent passage of water, and rising time after time at night, are also proof that the kidneys are not in a healthy state.

Foley Kidney Pills have handled just such cases with absolute success. They have cleared away the dropsical condition, have restored the kidneys to normal activity, and brought the sufferer to a state of sound health.

Mrs. Hattie Graham, Box 473, Battle Creek, Mich., has written fully in regard to her case. We quote only part of her letter in which she says: "I was troubled with kidney and bladder trouble that finally developed into dropsy. I had a dull pain in my back, first my ankles swelled up, and then the whole lower part of my body became bloated and swollen. I used Foley Kidney Pills and the relief was immediate, and after using them for sometime, I feel permanently cured."

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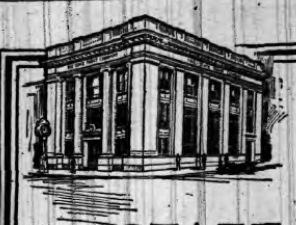

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HOW TO LIVE WELL ON SMALL INCOME

Dr. E. L. Fisk, of New York, Gives Practical Talk on Foods at High School

Practical suggestions for a daily menu that is not expensive and at the same time valuable from a health point of view were made in an address by Dr. E. L. Fisk, a director of the Life Extension Institute, of New York, before the Parent-Teacher Association of the Plainfield high school last night.

Dr. Fisk explained the menu he used in his experiment with the "rookies" of the New York police department recently, showing that there are many inexpensive dishes which can be prepared, and a family can live economically on a small income. He emphasized the importance of onions, cabbage, mush, spinach, beans, peas, carrots and oatmeal in the daily diet. He explained that oatmeal is the richest of cereals, containing many things that are necessary for health and strength.

Regarding meat Dr. Fisk said that it is not absolutely necessary for one's existence, and he would not advise the use more than once a day under ordinary conditions. Considerable stress was laid on the use of whole wheat flour and bread. Dr. Fisk said that it was a pity that so much time and expense should be expended in separating the whole wheat flour, when in reality the discarded part of the wheat was the most nutritious, containing an almost perfect food. He said that with whole wheat bread, butter and milk a child could be made strong and would enjoy the best of health. This he said was also true regarding rice. Before it is polished the grain contains a greater amount of nutriment than after the process.

Dr. Fisk urged a reasonable amount of exercise as necessary to health, adding that a person always enjoys his meals better after exercising and is in better condition to digest his food. Following the interesting talk, many of those present questioned Dr. Fisk as to particular menus and their nutritive value.

TOUR OF INSPECTION MADE BY OFFICIALS

Leaving the Courthouse at Elizabeth yesterday morning in a high-powered automobile, Lieutenant-Colonel William B. Martin, of the Second Regiment New Jersey National Guard, and Sheriff George C. Otto started on a trip of inspection of the waterfront and properties adjacent there to preliminary to the adoption of defensive measures.

It is said that Colonel Martin will be in charge of the territory between the Newark line and Perth Amboy.

None of those in authority would divulge the details of the probable extent of the defensive operations to be put in effect.

Sheriff Otto accompanied Colonel Martin for the purpose of visiting the big industrial plants within the county and swearing in some of the employes as deputy sheriffs to preserve order and to guard against any plots of alien enemies. Extra precautions will be taken at the big plant of the Standard Oil Company in Linden township to prevent any attempts at the destruction of its property. Monday afternoon Sheriff Otto went to Summit and swore in special deputies at a number of factories in that vicinity. He also will go to other sections of the county for the same purpose during the course of the week.

GOVERNMENT PLANS THIRD TANZER TRIAL

On the application of Assistant United States Attorney McDonald, Judge Van Fleet of the Federal District Court, New York, yesterday ordered the release of all of the exhibits used in the trial of Max Tanzer. Two juries that tried her on a charge of perjury in connection with her suit against James W. Osborne disagreed, but the present intention of the United States District Attorney's office is to try her again. It is likely, however, that one of the other persons indicted in the same matter may be tried first.

J. MACDONALD AND SON OPEN AN UP-TO-DATE RESTAURANT

J. MacDonald and son have just opened an up-to-date restaurant at 137 East Front street, upstairs, where they are prepared to serve regular meals. Special accommodations are provided for table boarders and private rooms are available for banquets and dinner parties. This firm formerly conducted a restaurant on North avenue for several years.

—All the newest instrumental, vocal and dance records are on sale at Mathushek's, the house of service. Mathushek will play for you. Hear John McCormack, who has charmed the continent with the wonder of his lyric tenor voice, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling, They Steal Your Heart Away," by Olcott. Clarence Whitehall sings "Take Me Back to Home and Mother," with much feeling and insight. Hear him at Mathushek's. —Adv.

GUARDSMEN URGE MORE "TEAM WORK"

Lively Discussion Opens National Defense Council's Three-Day Session

Captain Charles A. Peterson, representing Company K, and Acting Captain Daniel Runkle and Lieutenant James M. Charles, representing Troop D, First N. J. Squadron Cavalry, are attending this three-day national defense council of the National Guard Association of the United States, being held at the Seventy-first Regiment Armory, New York. The first session was held yesterday, when most of the time was taken up with a discussion of the question as to what should be done with the National Guard under universal military service.

There was a wide difference of opinion between the guard and regular army officers. There was an audience of about 1,000, composed chiefly of National Guardsmen and their friends and relatives. Practically all of the speakers urged "team work" between the National Guard and regular officers, believing that to be the only solution to the problem of securing a strong and well-organized army.

It was recommended that the country should have a peace force of at least 190,000 men in its regular army and that regiments should have a membership of 1,000 in peace and be recruited to 3,000 in war, or the war strength of the German regiments. Short term enlistments for the regular army was advocated.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY TO HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE

A company of ladies met at the home of Mrs. S. S. Carvalho, on West Eighth street this morning and formed a Women's Auxiliary to the Home Defense League.

The officers are: President, Mrs. Joseph D. Phillips; secretary, Miss Jessie K. Stevens; treasurer, Mrs. Henry Crofut White.

The object of the auxiliary is to raise funds for equipment of the Home Defense League.

CONTRIBUTORS TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following is the list of the contributors to the Home Defense League up to date:

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BIEDERWOLF CAMPAIGN CHOIR TO REHEARSE FOR MEETING

The members of the Biederwolf campaign choir will meet for rehearsal in Vincent chapel of the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening, April 3, at 8 o'clock. Reserved seat tickets will be given at this rehearsal for the Biederwolf meeting to be held the following evening in the high school. To secure a ticket every member must bring the yellow choir book which was used in the campaign, showing number given during the campaign. Every member is urged to attend.

ALFRED UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB CONCERT TONIGHT

The Alfred University Glee Club of which John B. Cottrell, Jr., of this city, is a member, will give a concert at the Seventh Day Baptist church at 8 o'clock tonight. No admission will be charged, but a silver offering will be received for the benefit of Troop 13, Boy Scouts of America.

CALLED TO NEW YORK BY ILLNESS OF HER FATHER

Mrs. Stephen H. Voorhees, of Madison avenue, has been spending several days in New York, owing to the serious illness of her father, Robert Gray. His condition is now somewhat improved and Mrs. Voorhees will probably return home tomorrow.

—Tickets for Evan Williams—Edith Rubel trio concert, Plainfield High School, April 9th, at Ideal Music Co., 150 East Front street.—Adv.

CHAPTER OF D. A. R. WILL AID COUNTRY

Patriotic Women Met With Mrs. Charles R. Banks and Heard a Good Paper

Continental Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at the home of the regent, Mrs. Charles R. Banks, 1308 Watchung avenue, yesterday afternoon, and the good attendance of many coming from distant parts of the city, two from Dunellen, and the special speaker of the afternoon, from Trenton, proves beyond a doubt that these loyal and patriotic women will do their part, should this country need them.

Four members of the chapter attended the annual conference, which was held in the barracks at Trenton, last Friday, and two gave brief accounts of their impressions and experiences.

Mrs. Edmund Wood, regent of the General David Forman chapter, Trenton, read a wonderfully inspiring paper, on the "History of the Flag," and our loyal devotion for all it stands for. As a mark of appreciation, and to express the chapter's thanks, the regent asked all present to stand and sing "The Star Spangled Banner." Mrs. Wood recited "Your Flag and My Flag."

A delightful social hour was spent, during the informal exchange of opinions, and pleasant greetings, much patriotic feeling was in evidence, and the hour of six o'clock arrived before the afternoon's pleasure drew to a close.

The Continental Chapter is planning to take up patriotic educational work for the Polish people in this vicinity.

MISS RICHARDS IN HIGH SCHOOL TOMORROW

Miss Janet Richards will give her tenth talk tomorrow (Thursday, March 29th), in the High School Auditorium, and will speak on the following subjects: "Will the War Be Offensive or Defensive Only?" and "The New Freedom in Russia."

The management is presenting each regular subscriber with a guest ticket for this talk, and it therefore is necessary to have the talk in the High school in order to accommodate the increased numbers. Subscribers who were not present at the last talk may obtain guest tickets by applying to Miss Corey, 930 Hillside avenue, tomorrow morning.

Miss Richards has consented to give an extra series of two talks, one on Thursday, April 12, the other, Thursday, April 26. Tickets for these talks may be obtained at the High school tomorrow or by applying to Miss Corey.

ANNIVERSARY OF MISSIONARY CIRCLE

The anniversary meeting of the Women's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist Church was observed yesterday afternoon in the lecture room of the church. Mrs. J. H. Buchanan presided.

Mrs. Perine, of Assam, was present and was dressed in the costume of that country. She is engaged in the mission field there and spoke interestingly of the manners and customs of the country. Mrs. Robert Gidden sang and Miss Agnes A. Cheever played the piano. The Judson Juniors had a table from which they sold baskets and candy.

Tea was poured by Mrs. H. E. White and Mrs. A. M. Harris. Mrs. George H. Batchelor was chairman of the program.

MILTON MENDEL RUN DOWN BY AN AUTO

While in New York last night and about to start for the train, Milton Mendel, of Holly Park, who was accompanied by his mother, was struck by an automobile, knocked down, and badly bruised, besides sustaining a scalp wound that required several stitches. Mrs. Mendel, who was walking with her son, happily escaped being run down.

The driver of the car stopped and taking Mr. Meadel in the car, drove to the Hudson Street Hospital, where first aid was rendered, and Mr. Mendel was able to come home. Nothing here heralled Dr. Murray, who will make further examination to determine the extent of the injuries.

THANK THEATRE MANAGEMENT

The officers of the Children's Home wish publicly to thank the management of Proctor's Theatre for the gift of two and a half barrels of potatoes which were received at the theatre at a special matinee given for children last Saturday. The admission price was two potatoes, and it was previously announced that these would be given to some charity. The needs of the Children's Home appealed to the management of the theatre and the potatoes were sent to that institution.

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COMPANY K CALLED TO THE COLORS

The First Battalion, Second Infantry, New Jersey Volunteers, of which Company K of this city is a unit, has been ordered to report to its armory at once, subject to further instructions from the Adjutant General's office.

The Second Regiment was called to the colors today by Governor Edge in response to a request from the Federal War Department.

The local militiamen, under Captain Charles Petersen, assembled this afternoon. It is the belief of the local militiamen that they will be sent to Sea Girt to join their regiment, and from there will go to some point within the State to do guard duty.

CHAPEL ENDEAVORERS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The Hope Chapel Christian Endeavor Society held its annual meeting last evening, at which reports were received and work for the coming year planned. The session evidenced the fact that considerable interest is being manifested in the work of the organization by the young people of the chapel.

The following officers and committee chairmen were elected: President, Frederick Ross; vice president, Miss Mary Mortimer; secretary, James Heron; treasurer, Miss Edith Cullman; corresponding secretary, Miss Elizabeth McMillan; prayer meeting committee, Miss Elizabeth Doig; music committee, Miss Margaret Mortimer; social committee, Miss Mary Mortimer; lookout committee, Miss Margaret Kelley and John Rummer; delegate to Christian Endeavor Union Congress, Harry D. Hart.

THE DEATH OF MRS. ABBIE DORGAN

Mrs Abbie Dorgan, the wife of the late Thomas Dorgan, of Arlington avenue, died last night after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held on Friday morning, at 8:30 at the house and in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. The interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery. The Daughters of Isabella will meet tomorrow evening at the corner of Arlington avenue and West Ninth street and will proceed to the house where the usual service of that order will be held.

Mrs. Dorgan came here from South Plainfield 21 several years ago. She leaves the following children: Mrs. F. L. Burke, Mrs. Thomas Strapp, Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey, Mrs. J. C. Hurley, Miss Elizabeth Dorgan, Thomas A. and John J. Dorgan; also these sisters, Mrs. Margaret Hickey and Mrs. Elizabeth Sheehan, of this city, and Mrs. John Connors, of South Plainfield.

GOVERNMENT TAKES AERO CO.'S OUTPUT

The Standard Aero Company has purchased for the addition of an 80x100 foot building to its present plant. It is understood that the United States Government has engaged the entire output of the company for the next three years.

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE TOMORROW

Robert Murray will sell by auction tomorrow afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, the household furniture and effects of the residence, 210 West Fifth street. This house was sold last week, and the present occupants are removing, so that the furniture will be all sold to the highest bidder and an excellent opportunity is thus afforded to purchasers who are buying household goods.

THEIR MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brokaw, of East Second street, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ethel Dorothy, to George S. Vliet, of Jersey City. The ceremony was performed on Saturday, March 10, at Elizabeth, by the Rev. L. B. McMickle.

SESAME CLUB TO MEET

The Sesame Club will meet at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning with Mrs. A. L. DeLeeuw, of 1024 Park avenue.

New Store Opens Tomorrow

The Specialty Shop, a new store specializing in Millinery, Waists and Corsets, opens its doors to the shopping public tomorrow, at 223 West Front street. Thursday, Friday and Saturday are opening days and visitors are welcome to inspect the new spring merchandise in the above lines. A feature of the shop will be the corset department which will be in charge of an expert corsetiere. Advertisement of the opening appears on another page in this issue. —Adv.

DEFENSE LEAGUE IN NORTH PLAINFIELD

Commission of Four Citizens Appointed by Mayor Smalley—Organized Last Night

A commission appointed by Mayor W. L. Smalley of North Plainfield met last night and effected the organization of a Home Defense League. Already a number of citizens have joined the league and will immediately begin such preparations as will insure adequate home defense. The committee in charge of the league consists of Andrew E. Kenney, D. Fred Angust, John I. Brower and Allan Cowperthwaite.

The commissioners in accepting their appointments addressed the Mayor in a communication as follows:

"This commission understands that it is to provide all measures of home defense. We are confident that we shall give a good account of ourselves in any emergency that may arise. Its first purpose is to organize such units of defense as may be required to protect all citizens, their property and the rights that all are entitled to and will lend every effort to that end.

"We hope that the commission will act as a stabilizer against arousing unnecessary alarm in this locality. Conditions should be viewed in a sane manner.

"During the last week or so this community has heard all sorts of stories of plots and bombs and insidious acts, which, naturally enough, point the finger of suspicion against our German-American citizens. So far there has not been an atom of truth in any of these reports, but they have aroused an almost hysterical feeling among the more timid of our population.

"We believe there has not been an act of disloyalty committed by any of our German-American citizens in this community. Admitting that there has been a dangerous pro-German propaganda, those who have promoted these infractions of our laws are not to be classed with the rank and file of any of German-Americans. We believe such an action would be spurned by them. We believe that when engaged in any such enterprise as that which we are now about to undertake we should have as many on our side as it is possible to get. Instead of arousing the hatred of people against German-American citizens we should endeavor to get them with us on the ground of loyalty to the flag of the land of their adoption.

"We believe there will be a generous and patriotic response; that we will receive a renewed expression of their fealty, and that they will realize their supreme duty of citizenship. We are confident that these thoughts must not dismay us or dampen our ardor in preparing against untoward acts; that we must take all precautions to secure the protection of life and property and be ever alert in the hour of possible trouble."

The commission has arranged for enrollment of members and a place for drilling, which will be announced later, at which all members will be expected to be present. A competent drill sergeant will instruct. An appeal for funds will be made.

Blanks for membership application will be ready for distribution tonight and can be obtained from any member of the commission, or at the tax collector's office in Borough Hall, North Plainfield.

In an interview with a Courier-News reporter this morning Mr. Kenney said:

"It is a regrettable fact that all kinds of wild rumors involving German-American citizens have been going the rounds for the past week. Everyone should remember that the German-American citizens have quite as much at stake as any other citizens, that they came here to escape the military service prevailing in Germany for the past forty years, and although racial ties may have awared their sympathies to the land of their birth while she was at war with other nations, when it comes to warring against the United States it is my opinion that their loyalty will be second to none.

"I say that as one who yields to no man in devotion to this nation and its ideals, and since I have always tried to live up to the ideals of true Americanism, free from bias of any sort, I must accord to my fellow citizens of German descent credit for the same degree of loyalty and shall not take from them the credit that is their due until they have done something which no longer entitles them to that consideration.

"Those who criticise in a general way the German-Americans should bear in mind that they place condemnation upon an entire section of our population, solely upon the basis of what some paid propagandist may say or do and which I feel sure is not endorsed by German-Americans as a whole. I repeat that many German-Americans will join the Home Defense League of North Plainfield. They have a right to do so and should as an answer to those who perhaps without intending to do so have called into question the loyalty of those who have sworn allegiance to this nation."

FOUR NEW JERSEY REGIMENTS HAVE NOW BEEN CALLED OUT

By United Press:

Washington, March 28.—Four more National Guard regiments were called to the colors today. These include the First West Virginia, Seventy-fourth New York, and Second New Jersey.

Trenton, March 28.—The Second Regiment was ordered out by Secretary of War Baker today. Governor Edge received a message calling out a third regiment at noon. The First and Fifth were called out Sunday.

The Second Regiment headquarters are in Trenton.

PRESIDENT'S PLANS FOR WAR STRENGTH

By United Press:

Washington, March 28.—President Wilson has taken all the steps within his power to bring the army to its maximum man-strength for the present. He may later ask Congress that the maximum be raised to 100,000 men.

He still has several ways open wherein he can bring the land-forces to greater strength although the belief is that he will get his main increase by asking for volunteers, or by having Congress pass a compulsory training law. The means whereby a larger army could be obtained are:

Increase of the militia from $150,000 men to full strength, 450,000:

Increase of the army from 120,000 to war strength, 170,000, by bringing company units to their entire quota.

Increase of the army by adding at once all the annual increments designated by the last army bill. This would give 275,000 to all.

Call for volunteers.

Have Congress pass a universal service measure which could be shaped to furnish 500,000 men.

Military men say that as plans are now shaping the War Department is considering its enlargement measures on the idea that "the bitterest struggle this nation has ever known may be our part."

These men say the country ought not be misguided in its view that real war, and not merely police work, must sooner or later be the portion of the big force which will probably be demanded of Congress next week.

GERMAN MENACE SPEEDS RUSSIA'S REORGANIZATION

By United Press:

Petrograd, March 27.—The menace of a German drive into Russia is serving to accelerate tremendously the reorganization of democratic Russia.

Extraordinary efforts have been made to apprise troops at the front of the exact condition under which Russia slipped from the bonds of autocracy into a democracy, as well as of the provisional government plan for the future.

The minister of the interior is bending every effort to speed up the output of munitions. Supply factories and other governmental agencies are centered on the rapid transportation of these supplies to the front. Entire confidence is expressed here of Russian troops being able to withstand German assaults.

THOUSAND BRITISH SOLDIERS FOUND DEAD ON FIELD

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin (by wireless), March 28.—Only minor fighting has taken place on both sides of the Somme and the Oise rivers during the past twenty-four hours, the war office reported today.

The corpses of about one thousand British soldiers were found on the battlefield between Agincourt and Morchies, between Bapaume and Cambrai, after the fighting on March 26, the official statement said.

Near La Fere the French suffered heavy losses in an unsuccessful effort to advance.

In Champagne, south of Ripont, French trenches were captured. The capture of 200 French prisoners in Champagne was reported.

North of Rheims and in the Argonne French troops that entered German trenches were driven out.

GERMAN FOOD SUPPLY IS OVER-ESTIMATED

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 28.—German Food Dictator Adolph Batocki admitted to the Reichstag main committee that there had been an overestimate of the amount of Germany's food supply.

He was quoted in commenting on the seriousness of the food situation that the restrictions placed upon the consumption of bread were inadequate. He insisted, however, that they be the best that could be formulated under the circumstances.

The quantity of supplies for the people, he said, has been insufficient under the present regulations, and it would be necessary to draw upon the reserves of cattle. As to increasing production, he said that is impossible, on account of lack of labor, and the inefficiency of transportation facilities.

DANISH WEST INDIES BECOME OURS SATURDAY

By United Press:

Washington, March 28.—The Danish West Indies will be formally taken over by the United States Saturday, when the Danish flag will be lowered and the American flag raised over St. Thomas. At the same time the $25,000,000 purchase price will be paid by the United States to the Danish minister at Washington.

LAUGHFEST AT PROCTOR'S

Tomorrow and Friday at Proctor's Theatre the management are going to present "Skinner's Dress Suit" taken from the famous Saturday Evening Post stories of the same name. Theatres all over the country have been showing this comedy feature at 50c prices but here the usual prices will prevail. A comedy that will make you cry and ache with laughter.

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KAISER'S CONDITION SERIOUS WITH WORRY

By United Press:

Berne, Switzerland, March 28.—Kaiser William is suffering from a mild form of diabetes and is undergoing treatment at Homburg, according to wireless dispatches received here today.

His physicians are said to have given assurances that with careful treatment they can effect a cure, but worry is said to be retarding the Kaiser's recovery.

PRESIDENT WHIPPING MESSAGE INTO SHAPE

By United Press:

Washington, March 28.—With the arrival of Col. E. M. House at the White House, President Wilson is probably whipping his message into shape. It promises to be the longest address the President has delivered to Congress. (Other details on another page.)

NEW YORK TO HAVE A MILITARY CENSUS

By United Press:

Albany, March 28.—The Assembly today passed Senator Robinson's bill providing for a military census of the State. The measure carries an appropriation of $150,000.

MORE SOLDIERS' GRAVES LOCATED

Comrade Stone, of Elizabeth, was present at the meeting of Winfield Scott Post last evening, and told the members that he had located several more soldiers' graves in this county. Hitherto these graves have not been marked, but they will be marked on Memorial Day. Comrade Stone is in charge of the graves of all soldiers in Union county.

—For Easter — Dainty printed cards at Brower's, 311 Park avenue, next to Telephone office, also engraved devices and cut outs. Open evenings.—Adv. 3-26-3t

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AGED RAHWAY MAN IS FOUND DEAD

Rahway, March 27.—Ernest Mintel, aged 76 years, of 217 West Grand street was found dead in his room at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning and the police are investigating as to whether the aged man met death by accident or suicide. The gas jet in the room was turned on full and the room was full of gas.

Mr. Mintel had been in poor health some time and was feeble. When the body was found Dr. J. S. Young was summoned and found that he had been dead too long to warrant the use of the pulmotor. While the police think the case may be one of suicide, there is a possibility that he accidentally turned on the gas and was unable to turn it off before he was overcome. Detective Sergeant James Thompson notified County Physician F. W. Westcott, who will view the body this afternoon.

Mr. Mintel had been a resident of Rahway many years. He is survived by one brother, Charles Mintel, of Campbell street, and four sons, Ernest Mintel, Jr., with whom he made his home, William, James and Leonard Mintel, all of this city.

SECOND U. S. CAVALRY ORDERED OUT

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 28.—By the order of the War Department a squadron of the Second Cavalry stationed at Fort Myer, Va., was ordered out yesterday to guard the highways and railroad bridges.

SOME FACTS ABOUT RABBI WISE

Rabbi Stephen Wise, who lectures here on April 2, for the Jewish war sufferers, was born little more than forty years ago in Budapest, Hungary. He received his preparatory education at the College of the City of New York, 1887-1891, and was graduated from Columbia College, School of Philosophy in 1892, receiving the Doctor's degree at Columbia in 1901.

After varied activities in New York and Oregon, he became the founder and leader of the Free Synagogue in New York in 1907 and has ever since been exercising influence in the religious, civic and industrial life of the city and nation. His addresses and sermons are widely reported in the press throughout the country.

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COLGATE MUSIC CLUBS TO GIVE CONCERT HERE

Next Tuesday evening, April 3, the Colgate Musical Clubs, of Colgate University, of New York, will give an evening of entertainment of a musical variety in the Plainfield high school. This concert is being conducted by the P. H. S. Boys' Athletic Association which organization feels extremely fortunate in being able to have these renowned clubs of one of New York's finest colleges.

The combined clubs, number, including the manager, assistant manager and director, about 45 men, the glee club being composed of 24 men and the instrumental club of 18 men.

The work of these musicians from the New York State College is even more commendable and creditable this year than in previous years.

During Tuesday evening the glee club will render several song numbers accompanied by the instrumental club, besides the single numbers which will be rendered by each of the clubs. Professor W. H. Boerner directs the vocal club and Professor Robert G. Ingraham is responsible for the achievements of the mandolin and other instrumental clubs of the college. Professor Boerner will accompany the glee club Tuesday evening. James J. Nason, of Gouverneur, N. Y., is leader of the glee club and Byron W. Shimp, of Washington, Pa., is the leader of the instrumental club. The former sings bass with the glee club while the latter leader will accompany the instrumental club as pianist.

After the concert Van Eps' Trio, of Plainfield, will furnish dance music until 1 o'clock a. m. Tickets are being sold by high school students and should be exchanged at Miller's Drug store at the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street, for reserved seats.

"THE HOODOO" A CURE FOR BLUES

"The Hoodoo," the three-act comedy which the young people of St. Joseph's church are preparing to give on Wednesday evening, April 11, in St. Joseph's Hall, gives every promise of being a great success. The members of the cast have held numerous rehearsals under the able direction of Miss Mary O'Connor and the participants have shown great histrionic ability.

The cast of characters is as follows: "Brighton Early," Earl Moran; "Amy," his fiance, Miss Esther Regan; "Malachi Meek," W. B. Mead, Jr.; Mrs. Perrington Shine," his daughter, Miss H. A. Bryniarski; "Gwendolyn Perrington Shine," Miss Frances Newman; "Mrs. Ima Clinger," Miss Theresa McCullough; "Mrs. Spigot," Miss Anna McGinnes; "Doris Ruffles," Miss Margaret Moran; "Dodo De Graft," Miss Ann Veronica Daly; "Miss Longnecker," Miss Maria Murray; "Aunt Paradise," Miss Elsie Moulton; "Angelina," Miss Marjorie Barry; "Mollie," Miss Nora Bergen; "Eupepsia," Miss Katherine Newell; "Billy Jackson;" Harold Mead; "Hemachus," Edwin Sullivan; "Dan," Frederick Greene; "Professor Spizzot," Alfred Sebold.

During the intermissions vocal and instrumental selections will be rendered and a social time will follow the performance.

Tickets can be purchased from any member of the cast or at the doors on the night of the performance.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school Thursday night.

The West End Boys' Club is to meet in the high school gym tonight.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Bryant and Franklin schools Thursday afternoon.

The sight reading class (music) will begin its spring term in the high school Thursday evening.

The Aero Club will meet both Wednesday and Thursday evenings in the high school manual training room.

MARS SPURS CUPID TO TWO WAR WEDDINGS.

New York, March 28.—Donald Story Stewart, a private in Company L, Seventy-first New York Infantry, and Miss Ida Kramer Ettinger were to have been married Nov. 1, 1916. But, unknown to their friends and families, they changed their plans when the president ordered the Seventy-first to mobilize.

Private Stewart asked for an hour's furlough from the armory. Miss Ettinger asked for an extra hour from the downtown office where she is a stenographer.

So with Stewart in his uniform they went to the marriage license bureau, made out their license and were made one by City Clerk Scully. Two clerks were witnesses.

It became known today that Miss Lucy Kules of Little Ferry, N. J., and Private Frank Blair of Company G, Fifth New Jersey, who were to have been married next month, were married last Monday at Hackensack. The mobilization orders hastened their wedding.

STATE CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES AID

Three-Day Session to be Held at Montclair, Beginning April 29

Completion of the program for its three-day session has been announced by the State Conference of Charities and Corrections, which will convene April 29 at Montclair. As has been told, the general theme will be "Community Problems." There will be discussion of housing and health in various localities, the delinquent or dependent child, and the subject of public or private relief.

At the opening session Sunday, April 29, which will be held in the First Congregational church and will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. Lewis S. Thompson, of Red Bank, president of the conference, Governor Edge is expected to speak on the State's responsibility in solving certain of these problems. Allen T. Burns, director of the Cleveland Foundation, will tell how to get results.

Monday morning, in Unity church, where most of the other sessions will be held, the problem of "Child Welfare" and how to prevent delinquency and dependency will be discussed from the angles of the home, the school, and the court. Robert L. Fleming, of Jersey City, will act as chairman and prominent New Jersey workers will take part in the discussion. Monday afternoon "Health and Housing" will be dealt with, and a constructive program will be offered as to what should be done by means of laws and otherwise to correct some of the existing evils. W. L. Kinkead, president of the New Jersey Housing Association, will act as chairman.

Monday evening, April 30, "Social and Health Insurance" will be discussed by Dr. Royal Meeker, United States Commissioner of Labor, formerly professor of economics at Princeton, and Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman, statistician of the Prudential Insurance Company. Robert Lyon Cox, of Montclair, third vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, will be the chairman.

Tuesday morning, May 1, "Family Problems" will be the topic for consideration, with Henry L. De Forest, of Plainfield, as chairman. Porter R. Lee, of the New York School of Philanthropy, will speak on "The Essentials of a Community Program With Respect to Family Problems." Miss Ruth Taylor, director of the Department of Child Welfare of Westchester county, New York, will tell how that public agency is solving these problems. Various New Jersey workers will tell why it is necessary in the investigation that precedes the treatment of family problems to consult the family's relatives, employers and church; also with schools, medical agencies, etc.

The final session of the conference will be held on Tuesday afternoon, May 1, and there will then be a discussion of the immigrant problem. At this session the business of the conference will be transacted.

CHURCH SOCIETY TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE

A one-day rummage sale will be held on Thursday of this week in the new store, corner of West Front street and Madison avenue, conducted under the auspices of the Woman's Society for Christian work of the Seventh Day Baptist church. The store has been filled with donations and many bargains will be offered by the committee.

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N. P. H. S. NOTES

The Sophomore Class met this noon and discussed plans for a class entertainment to be held in the near future.

Miss Elizabeth Schumacher, '18, gave the morning recitation at the chapel exercises this morning. Miss Schumacher favored with "When Her Beau Comes to Call."

Louis K. Hyde has kindly consented to allow the baseball team the use of Hyde Oval for another year. The team is very fortunate in obtaining such a good field for athletic purposes and are indebted to Mr. Hyde for this kind offer.

Principal Earley announced this morning that a Boy Scout troop will be formed in this high school if the necessary amount of boys decide to join the troop. The purpose of this troop has not been announced as yet but it will most likely be attached to the Ambulance Corps of the United States in case of war.

The Junior Play Committee have announced that ten prizes will be offered for the best posters advertising their annual play, "The Elopement of Ellen," which will be presented on the evening of May 4. The first prize for the best poster will be two reserve seats and the other nine prizes will consist of general admission tickets.

Edward Crone, P. H. S., spoke to the high school at the chapel exercises this morning about the entertainment the Boys' Athletic Association of Plainfield High school will hold on the evening of April 3. The association has secured the Colgate Glee Club to entertain that night and Mr. Crone this morning issued a special invitation to our students to be present. Tickets may be had from any of the P. H. S. students and from Miller's Drug store on Park avenue. They are selling for 50 and 75 cents. Dancing to the music furnished by Van Eps' orchestra will follow the entertainment.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

Oberlin and Dartmouth colleges have sent large framed pictures to Principal Albert Earley. They will be used to decorate the corridors. Mr. Earley has also received a bronze shield from Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y. The shield contains the coat of arms of the institute.

At the chapel exercises this morning Miss Marion Chandler of the Senior class gave a delightful rendition of a well-known poem, "Why Not?" Wilfred Diplock of the Junior class recited "We 'Ope We Done Well." Donald Moran of the same class closed the speaking with the selection, "The High Cost of Taters."

At the exercises yesterday when Supervisor D. Fred Aungst announced the decision of the Board of Education to close the school next week, he was greeted with a prolonged applause by the happy students. Mr. Aungst also announced that the essays on "Temperance" would be required of all classes as a part of their English work with the exception of the Seniors who are at present up to their necks in work which must be finished this month.

Principal Albert Earley awarded the prizes offered by the Boys' Athletic Association for best posters describing the play that the association will present on the evening of April 12 in the Plainfield high school auditorium yesterday. In commenting on the excellent showing made by the art students of Miss Howell's class, Mr. Earley said that it was a most difficult task for the judges to select the two best posters because all the others were of a very high standard. In announcing the winners, Miss Mary Buchanan of the Junior class and Marian Blair of the same class who captured first and second prizes, respectively, Principal Earley congratulated all those who took part in the contests and expressed the desire that the enthusiasm shown would continue in future contests. The judges were: Miss Duchesne, of the English department; Mrs. Curtis, of the German department, and Principal Earley.

R. L. MEERMANS ACTING SECRETARY OF Y. M. C. A.

Robert L. Meermans, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., has been made acting general secretary of the association in the absence of A. O. Estes, who was obliged to give up his work for the present owing to a nervous breakdown. There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the association within the next week when future plans will be discussed.

MACHINE GUN FOR BAYONNE

Bayonne, March 28.—The Bayonne Home Guard, which has been organized with 300 volunteers, and which is expected to number 1,000 by the end of this week, has received a machine gun mounted on a motorcycle from Robert B. Jennings, one of the guard. It was one of several which were to have been shipped to South America and was purchased by Mr. Jennings.

Mayor Pierre P. Garven has been named as commander in chief of the guard. The work of drilling the "rookies" will be in charge of military men. Among the recruits are Civil War veterans, men who served in the Spanish-American war and members of the National Guard. The volunteers are to be uniformed and armed.

WILL DEBATE ON MINIMUM WAGES

In St. Michael's Hall, Belleville, on Friday, April 20, Frederick W. Greene, Edwin L. Sullivan, and Joseph Gallagher, representing the St. Mary's Literary Society, will debate the "Minimum Wage" question with the debating club affiliated with St. Michael's church. Paul H. Burns, of this city, will act as chairman of the debate, and the judges, who will all come from Hudson County, will be selected by Justice McAdoo. In Ridgefield Park on Sunday, James Smith, of Elizabeth, and Joseph Gallagher, will talk on "Prepa[illegible]ess."

RETURNING TO PLAINFIELD

Mrs. James Strappe and daughter Kathryn, who are being treated by a New York specialist for nervousness, are improving and expect to return to Plainfield by the end of the week.

Miss Margaret Strappe is visiting friends in Brooklyn and feels much better. All three suffered a shock owing to Mr. Strappe's death.

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LINCOLN QUARTET IN WASHINGTON SCHOOL

A delightful musical program is to be presented in the auditorium of Washington School on Friday evening when the Lincoln University Quartet of Oxford, Pa., is to appear under the auspices of the Dunbar Club. Lincoln University is the foremost college for colored men in this country. Many of the great leaders of the colored race have received their higher education at this famous institution.

The quartet is composed of representative young men from the student body, each one of whom possesses a voice of unusual sweetness. One member of the quartet is an accomplished pianist and another will entertain during the evening with readings from the works of Paul Lawrence Dunbar.

The young men are to be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. C. Anderson who has been instrumental in bringing the quartet to Plainfield.

Every one will be made welcome at the concert on Friday evening and it is expected that a large audience will be present to enjoy the rich, rare melody of one of the best colored quartets in this part of the country. A small fee will be charged at the door to cover expenses.

The program will be: Instrumental selection, Milton Selden; quartet, "Remember Thy Creator"; reading—from Dunbar, U. S. Young; vocal solo, W. K. Saunders; quartet, (Parks), "Old Black Joe"; reading (Dunbar), U. S. Young; quartet, "While My Lady Sleepeth"; piano selection, Milton Selden; quartet, "Over The Ocean Blue"; reading, U. S. Young; vocal solo, J. P. Young; quartet, (a) "Perfect Day," (b) "Hail Lincoln."

MARION LAWRENCE COMING TO PLAINFIELD

When in Chicago last February, one of the Sunday school workers of this city gave an invitation to Marion Lawrence, the International general secretary, to visit Plainfield. This invitation has been accepted. A committee was appointed to arrange the details and at a meeting held Monday evening the committee decided the following arrangments:

Mr. Lawrence is to be here Sunday, April 22. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a general mass meeting will be held in the Trinity Reformed Church at which Mr. Lawrence is to speak, and in the evening at 7:45 o'clock a union service of all Sunday school workers is to be held in the First Baptist Church.

The subject of Mr. Lawrence's address at that time is to be "The Challenge of the Sunday School."

Mr. Lawrence is, without doubt, the foremost Sunday school man of this country. There is probably no one in the work better known throughout the United States than he is, and probably no one who has more demands upon his time than he has.

It is an especial privilege that has thus been accorded the Plainfield people and it is expected that at both of these meetings there will be a larger audience than can be accommodated in the churches.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Unity Lodge, K. of P., will hold its anniversary session tomorrow evening. A special program has been arranged by the members.

The fourteenth anniversary of Mt. Sinai Lodge, No. 71, I. O. S. and D., of Samaria, will be held at Nonpareil Hall, St. Mary's avenue, tomorrow evening. Venable Brothers' orchestra will furnish music.

The cabaret held by Salaam, No. 3, Court of the Orient, in Elizabeth, last Saturday night was attended by many local Jr. O. U. A. M.s. It was largely attended. It is reported that the next social affair of the O. D's will be held in this city.

The three local Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., are moving this week to their new quarters at different places about the city. The first to leave the Jr. O. U. A. M. hall was Plainfield Council, the members moving to Coward Hall on Monday night following the meeting. On Friday night Somerset Council, No. 104 will move to the K. of P. hall, Franklin Council, which is the lessee of the hall, will move to the Jr. O. U. A. M. club house, East Front street, on Saturday night at the expiration of the lease. The furniture that is left in the old lodge room will be disposed of at auction on that date.

DEVELOPING THE BRONSON TRACT

The "Bronson tract," located at corner of West Front street and Jefferson avenue, is being rapidly developed by its owner, Jacob J. Schwartz, a local realty promoter.

Already three modern six-room houses have been erected and more are contemplated. The tract is centrally located, the Union line cars passing the property.

MEXICO TODAY AND YESTERDAY

Miss Ada B. Talbot will deliver a lecture in the Plainfield High school tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, on "Mexico, Yesterday and Today," under the auspices of the Board of Education. The lecture is free to all, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing this talented speaker and writer.

FUNERAL OF MASONIC OFFICIAL

The funeral of C. D. Lipscomb, past worshipful master of the Colored Grand Lodge, F. and A. M., of New Jersey will be held at Union Baptist Temple, Atlantic City, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Lipscomb died at his home in Atlantic City on Monday after a long illness.

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Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 28.—Adj.-Gen. Barber has issued an order to the brigade, regimental, battalion, company, squadron, troop and battery commanders, authorizing them to permit the use of armory facilities by civilian organizations desiring to drill should they be needed for war purposes.

This order confirms the announcement made some days ago that societies like Leagues for National Defense, Home Defense Guards and similar organizations might have this privilege.

KERSHAW AND RUNYON FOR SURROGATE

It was learned today that William Kershaw, of Somerville, will seek the Republican nomination for Surrogate in Somerset county this fall. Isaac P. Runyon, of North Plainfield, has also been mentioned in connection with this nomination, but has thus far refused to say whether he will be a candidate or not, although his many friends are pressing him to enter the race.

FASHION SHOW FREE TO PUBLIC

The merchants of Plainfield have contributed liberally to the Fashion show that will be conducted tomorrow evening at the local Y. W. C. A. rooms. The display will open at 7 o'clock and continue until 10 o'clock. It will be free to the public. There will be shown the distinctive modes in trimmed and tailor hats, dressed goods, foot wear, etc. Everybody is invited to come and have a look. The dressmaking class of the Y. W. C. A. will be in charge of this affair.

CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

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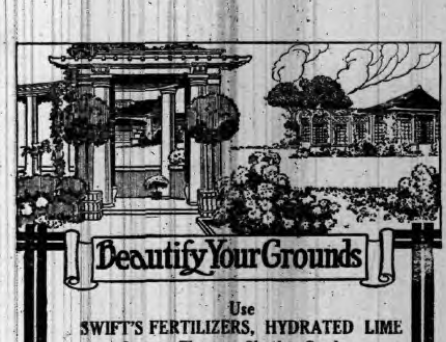

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MUSIC DEPARTMENT TO MEET IN NEWARK

The Music Department of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs will hold a meeting Saturday, March 31, at 2:30 p. m., in the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark. August Zanzig of the Ethical Culture School in New York, will speak on "The Mission of Music in Modern Life." After the address a short musicale will be given.

Members of the Plainfield Musical Club are cordially invited to attend, and to extend the invitation to their friends. The meeting is open to all who are interested in the subject.

DECISION FOR MENDEL

In the District Court here today a judgment for $142.21 was awarded to Herman Mendel, against Carman and Sophie Knosko, for rent alleged to be due on the premises, 1227 East Second street. Harvey Rothberg appeared as counsel for Mendel.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 28.

German attacks checked at Verdun, near Malancourt.

British cruiser Cleopatra sank a German destroyer in the North sea.

Great Britain answered the American protest against the seizure of securities in the mails between Holland and the United States, upholding the action "to strike at German credit."

Two Years Ago Today.

Russian Black sea fleet bombarded Turkish forts at entrance to harbor of Constantinople.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1917.

PERSONAL NEEDS ARE NATIONAL NEEDS

From the cradle to the grave most of our time is spent in some protective or precautionary act. We oppose hunger with food, cold with heat, the rain with the roof, the burglar with the bolt, fire with water, and so on down the line. But while every individual daily defends himself by all these protections and precautions a large body of individuals is now protesting against the Government defending the nation against ills which threaten it. Advocates of non-defense are self-arraigned and condemned, for they deny to the nation the very protection they give to themselves.

BEETHOVEN DIED NINETY YEARS AGO

Ninety years ago, yesterday, Ludwig von Beethoven, who is to music what Shakespeare is in poetry, died during a terrible thunderstorm. He was born in Bonn, Germany, probably on December 16, 1770, but the date is uncertain as documentary evidence is wanting.

His compositions were 138 in number, and comprised all the forms of vocal and instrumental music, from the sonata to the symphony, from the simple song to the opera and oratorio. In each of these forms he displayed the depth of his feeling, the power of his genius; in some of them he is said to have reached a greatness never approached by his predecessors or followers.

PERTH AMBOY FUGITIVE CAPTURED IN BOSTON

Perth Amboy, March 28.—John J. McDonough, wanted here on a charge of stealing $8,900 intrusted to him as a driver for the American Express Company, was captured Saturday in Boston, according to a telegram received by Chief of Police P. J. Burke. McDonough has been missing ten days. The money taken belonged to Bayuk Brothers, tobacconists, and the C. Pardee Works, tile manufacturers. McDonough's home was in Sewaren. Several years ago he was implicated in a highway robbery.

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It was learned today that there is a possibility of the old fire alarm whistle being set up at one of the local industrial plants to be used in connection with the Home Defense League should an emergency arise.

The Defense League has perfected its organization and is now engaged in practice and drills twice a week. The thought has occurred to the authorities that it would be wise to have some means of signalling the members in case they are required at any time day or night.

The cost of putting up the whistle and the apparatus that goes with it, is now receiving the consideration of the Mayor and Councilmen. It is said that the cost will be in the neighborhood of $500. If it is decided to restore the whistle, this cost would probably be defrayed by popular subscriptions which are now being solicited on behalf of the league.

That there should be some definite means of calling the members of the league into action is recognized by all, but the best method of doing so has not yet been determined.

It is expected that the matter will be settled before the end of the present week. If the whistle is not restored, it is probable that one of the church bells will be used for this purpose.

PERSONAL

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W. J. Henderson, of the New York Sun, in commenting upon Evan Williams' singing last season, said: "Mr. Williams reads a song as an elocutionist would read a poem; every syllable is perfectly intelligible." Mr. Henderson is known as one of the severest critics in America, hence it is worth while to read that he says: "Williams has completely mastered the art of natural singing. In all his delivery there is a big communicative enthusiasm, wholesome and invigorating. His production of tone is a lesson in the art."

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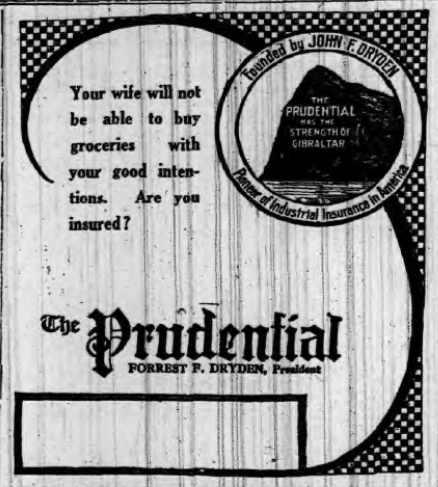

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Care of the Teeth

cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear lest the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least, twice a year should not be neglected.

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REVISING INSURANCE RATES ON SHIPPING

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 28.—A complete revision of insurance rates on coastwise shipping is being made by officials of the Treasury Department today. The Advisory Council of the War Risk Bureau is considering the question of slightly increasing the present rate.

SCHOOL TEACHER FOUND DEAD

Mrs. Sara J. Price, a school teacher in New Brunswick for 32 years, was found dead yesterday by a neighbor who noticed that she stayed home from school. Mrs. Price apparently died of a sudden attack of indigestion. During the long period of her teaching she had never missed a day from the school.

DIED AT LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. Ida Peters, of 40 Maple avenue, died this morning at Muhlenberg Hospital. The deceased had only been a resident of the borough for a short time. Her husband survives.

Commercial Problems Growing Out of War Conditions

A Non-Technical Explanation of the Big Questions Confronting Business Men at This Time

By SAMUEL WANT

The Sovereignty Of American Business.

Whatever else may be true in connection with the status of neutrals during war between other countries, the present war has at least settled the proposition that neutrality is no longer a guarantee of freedom of intercourse in international commercial relations not directly concerned in the war. The world sentiment in favor of the least possible interference with neutral commerce during war, expressed in many conventions and other international declarations, has proved impotent in the face of the actual or supposed necessities of the warring nations in the preservation of their national existence. The Declaration of Paris, the Hague Conventions of 1899 and 1907, and the International Naval Conference of 1909, are only some of the outstanding declarations of international purpose indicating a world recognition of the right of neutral commerce to untrammeled freedom of action except in so far as it would tend to directly assist the military or naval forces of one of the belligerents.

While these various international conventions have not been formally acceded to by all of the powers of the world, there has been a general acceptance of their fundamental principles; but throughout the present war the declarations from belligerents on both sides of the conflict have constituted a series of repudiations and rejections of all accepted safeguards in favor of neutral commerce.

The world has entered upon a period of the sovereignty of belligerent might over neutral right. It is for the American people to say whether American business is to be thus stifled, and American commercial interests crushed, as a part of the furtherance of offensive or defensive operations upon the part of nations with which we are at peace.

A point has been reached in international affairs where the business interests of neutral countries must assert themselves. A great force in this direction has been created by business men and statesmen of this country, supported by the declarations of a number of the prominent statesmen of the nations of the world, including those now engaged in the European conflict. The nature of this great movement, its relation to American business, and the thinking which American business men can lend a hand in the assertion and enforcement of their rights, will be outlined in succeeding articles.

CENTRAL POWERS' SUBJECTS MAKE RUSH TO LEAVE CHINA

By United Press:

Tokio, March 28.—Availing themselves of what may be their last opportunity to cross the Pacific until the end of the war, sixty subjects of the Central Powers took passage on the liner China, due at San Francisco. All but four boarded the vessel at Shanghai.

Since early in the war Teuton subjects have been able to leave China only aboard American steamers and the possibility that China might be the last American liner to leave Chinese ports before war between Germany and the United States and possibly war between China and Germany, caused a record number of Germans, Austrians, Turks and Bulgarians to take passage at Shanghai.

FIRE IN MINE IS EXTINGUISHED

Special to Courier-News:

Butte, Mont., Mar. 28.—The West Colusa mine, of the Anaconda Mine Copper Co., which was forced to suspend for several shifts in consequence of electric power wires starting fire in the shaft, resumed yesterday, the blaze having been extinguished.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

Arrived this morning:
S. S. Bjornefjord, from Santos.
S. S. Bellegrand, from Callao.
S. S. Evelyn, from Rio Janeiro.
S. S. San Giorgio, from Genoa.
S. S. Pinzon, not given.
S. S. Chesapeake, from Baltimore.
S. S. El Sol, from Galveston.

PONDS MAY INSTALL GUNS AT PLANT FOR PROTECTION

While the plant of the Pond Machine Tool Works in this city is now heavily guarded, it is said, that the company has made arrangements to install several machine guns at the plant as a further protection to the property.

The company has a large number of orders to fill for the Bethlehem Steel Company, and it is reported that it is also doing work for the Pratt and Whitney branch of the concern at Hartford, Conn.

ACTIVITIES OF SPECIAL AID

Branch of National Society Has Many Industries and is Rapidly Gaining Members

The membership and activities of the Plainfield Branch of the National Special Aid Society are increasing rapidly. The society now numbers upwards of 800 members and new names are being added daily. The headquarters on East Front, are constantly busy answering questions of inquirers, supervising the sewing, receiving the materials and instructing members in the making of surgical dressings. Everything made is kept for the use of the base house of the hospital if one is established here, as the officers feel sure it will be. If not the supplies will be used for the soldiers wherever they may be.

The headquarters have been donated for two months and all the furniture and equipments have been given for the use of the society. One donator, whose name is withheld for the present, by request, has built a large house and turned it over in its entirety for the use of the society in case of emergency. Several people have offered four and five beds at their homes.

Among the departments in which citizens are asked to aid are the following: Agriculture in all its branches, clerical service, manufacturing and mechanical work, personal and domestic service, professional service, public service, transportation and trades. There are three classes in first aid, a motor squad of forty members is being taught; translators have offered their services in German, French and Italian languages; many girls of eighteen years and over have agreed to become munition makers and several women have declared themselves ready to conduct trolleys in case the men now conducting should enter the army or navy.

RAILROAD PLACING EMBARGO

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 28.—On account of an accumulation of freight at Galveston, the Southern Pacific Company has announced the placing of an embargo on all goods northbound routed via Morgan line steamers. Shipments intended for the use of the United States Government are excepted. As soon as conditions at the Southern port becomes normal the restrictions will be abolished.

YALE MEN TO FLY.

Twenty-nine to Study Aviation at West Palm Beach.

New York, March 27.—Twenty-nine fliers of the naval coast patrol, all Yale men, will leave Wednesday for the aviation training camp at West Palm Beach, Fla., for six weeks of flying. All of the expenses of the trip will be met by Henry P. Davison of J. P. Morgan & Co.

The expedition is a reward for the good work done by the Volunteer Aerial Coast patrol, Unit No. 1, with the "mosquito fleet" in the maneuvers last fall. This unit was organized through the aid of Mrs. H. P. Davison. John Hays Hammond, Rear Admiral Peary, Alan R. Hawley and Henry Woodhouse.

MORGAN AIDS ARMY.

Lends $1,000,000 Without Interest to Pay For Supplies.

New York, March 27.—J. P. Morgan & Co. by a timely loan of $1,000,000 without interest to satisfy the claims of government creditors has prevented the business of supplying the needs of the army from coming to a standstill.

Payment for government supplies was stopped March 5 by failure of congress to pass the army appropriation bill. One contractor for 1 a $250,000 coming to him, but the government had no funds. Another business man to whom the government already owed $20,000 wrote across the face of a requisition for flour:

"We will do no more business with the government until it pays its bills."

SEVENTY DEAD PURDYS EVICTED FROM CEMETERY.

New York, March 27.—Seventy bodies of members of the Purdy family of Port Chester who died during the last hundred years were moved from the family burying ground in auto trucks to Greenwood Union cemetery in Rye. Thirty were reinterred.

Living members of the family tried vainly to prevent the removal of the bodies by injunction, but failed to find a judge. The removal was made by direction of George Clark of New York, who recently bought the Purdy estate.

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Our resources and facilities are such that applications for loans on business places and on one-, two- or three-family houses receive the prompt attention of the

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"Since my son Richard was born, 3 years ago, our house has never been without Father John's Medicine. It relieved Richard of a severe attack of whooping cough and we have found it has no equal for coughs and colds. It has been used in my family for many generations. (Signed) Frank Priede, 913 W. 32nd street, Chicago, Ill.

Remember, Father John's Medicine has had sixty years' success for colds, coughs, throat troubles and as a tonic and body builder.

STORM WARNING ISSUED

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 28.—The Weather Bureau today ordered storm warnings displayed on the Atlantic coast, from Sandy Hook to Eastport, Maine.

TAKING OUT BIG LIFE INSURANCE

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 28.—H. P. Davison, of J. P. Morgan Co., is contemplating taking out an additional $1,000,000 life insurance. Mr. Davison now carries $1,000,000 insurance and is doubling the amount. The policy is to be written by the New York Life Insurance Co., but will be distributed with several other companies. Harold Pierce will have charge of writing the policy, he having insured J. P. Morgan recently for $2,500,000.

METUCHEN CHEMICAL COMPANY INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation for the Acme Dye and Chemical Company, with its principal office on Durham avenue, Metuchen, have been filed at the Middlesex county clerk's office, the agent being Emil W. Blomain. The authorized capital stock is $100,000, divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of $100 each.

SHIP ARRIVALS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 28.—Steamers arrived this morning: Lenape from Jacksonville; Herman Frasch from Sabine; Rushire from Newport News; Rosetti from Avanmouth; Alban from Norfolk; Jefferson from Norfolk.

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The Original
Nourishing
Delicious
Digestible
Safe Milk

Horlicks Malted Milk

For Infants, Invalids and Growing Children. The Original Food-Drink For All Ages.

Rich Milk, Malted Grain Extract in Powder. Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price.

NO TIME LOST IN MOBILIZING

The new Federal call for National Guardsmen found New Jersey prepared. Where there was confusion last June, when the summons came for Mexican border service, there was complete order today in the mobilization of two of the State's regiments, the First Infantry of Newark and the Fifth, with headquarters in Paterson and companies in Montclair, Orange, Passaic and four Bergen county communities. Things moved quickly and quietly, for plans had been made in detail. The spring was wound, the cogs were clean and in mesh, the hands were set and President Wilson's call set the pendulum swinging.

The men of the regiments responded to the call in a most matter-of-fact manner. It was merely a case of putting on their uniforms and reporting to the armory instead of at their regular place of business, and they answered the call for military service quite as casually as if they were going to their civilian task. Where swarms of toiling men covered the floors of the armories last June, tugging at tentage and hauling heavy army wagons, little groups of them tossed basketballs and indoor baseballs today, waiting for orders from commanders who were confident that an hour at most would suffice to accomplish things that required days before the guardsmen had the training they gained in the tour of duty at the border. —Newark Evening News.

YACHT CLUB FINDS WAY TO DROP KAISER AND PRINCE

New York, March 28.—The Atlantic Yacht Club has found a way to oust Emperor William of Germany and Prince Henry of Prussia, both of whom have been honorary members for several years. The club's constitution provides that before a member may be dismissed he must be given an opportunity to defend himself against charges.

The directors of the club have decided that the rule will not be broken if they notify the Emperor and the Prince by publication that they are to be dropped from the rolls. If neither of them replies within ten days they will be declared no longer members.

"DAUGHTER OF THE GODS" AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

A—POPULACE OF THE MOORISH CITY BEFORE THE PALACE OF THE SULTAN IN WILLIAM FOX'S MILLION DOLLAR PICTURE BEAUTIFUL "A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS." B—ANNETTE KELLERMAN, THE WORLD'S GREATEST SWIMMER, WHO IS THE STAR IN "A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS." C—ONE OF THE DANCING GIRLS WHO LEND BEAUTY AND GRACE TO THE SULTAN'S COURT.

At the Plainfield Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday

"A Daughter of the Gods," the William Fox $1,000,000 picture beautiful, featuring Annette Kellerman, will be shown at Plainfield Theatre tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, March 29, 30 and 31, matinee daily. For the colossal undertaking Mr. Fox built a city, with all modern improvements, that accommodated a resident population of about 20,000 persons, taking over an entire island at Kingston, Jamaica.

To create the effect of a mountain torrent he diverted the natural course of a river. For the war camp, a range of hills was razed to the level of a plain upon which 10,000 armed supporters of the Mad Sultan, with their tents and horses, were given shelter. These instances give a faint idea of the large and unusual undertakings found necessary in the production of this beautifully attractive and thrilling picture.

WHAT NEWSPAPERS MUST NOT PRINT

Regulations for the guidance of the press of the United States in handling news in the present emergency, which have been framed by the State, War and Navy departments and approved by representatives of the principal press associations, have just been made public.

They set forth that no information should be published which would tend to disclose the military and naval policies of the United States Government. No information should be published which tends to disclose movements or employment of armies, fleets, movements of vessels, departures of merchant vessels, assignment or movement of groups or individuals, of officers and men of the army or navy, transportation of mails, supplies or munitions.

It is further requested that no information be given as to designs, inventions or test or distribution of implements of war, concentration of military or naval supplies or location of such, activities in or about arsenals, fortifications, army posts, naval bases and radio stations, publication of any maps, diagrams or photographs. No moving pictures should be displayed which are of military or naval value. Any doubtful matter should be submitted to the authorized representatives of the department concerned. It is requested that no information, reports or rumors attributing a policy to the Government be published.

The above regulations shall not be enforced in any matters officially given to the press by properly authorized officials.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backachy or have Bladder trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive; harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Adv.

BEDINI'S BIG NOVELTY SHOW HERE NEXT MONDAY

What is heralded as the fastest fun show of the season, comes under the name of "Puss-Puss," a Parisian novelty, to the Plainfield Theatre next Monday. Jos. Bedini, most prominent of all English mimics, is the producer of this rollicking play.

There is Mlnni Harrison, ingenue, Pam Lawrence, dainty little soubrette; Harry Jackson, a Hebrew comic; Charlie Mac, an English eccentric, and one time partner of Charlie Chaplin; George Brooks, juvenile; Al Ricardo, a ventriloquist with modern ideas; Toots Davis and Ewd. Stafford, a team of unequaled merit, and a long list of others, who are bound to keep the audience in a roar of laughter.

The "Ignatz Pluto Troupe," burlesquing a groupe of Arabian acrobats and a travesty on the latest New York success, "Very Good Eddie," will be two of the spectacular features of the show. The famous "Kitten Chorus" is one of the most enchanting novelties.

WILLIAM FARNUM AND GAIL KANE AT PROCTOR'S

By special request from those patrons who were unable to attend the performance at Proctor's yesterday the management has retained William Farnum today in "The Price of Silence." He appears as a United States Senator in a fighting mood for what he thinks is right. A William A. Brady production "The Red Woman," also appears today with Gail Kane as the Indian Maid, a part that reveals the remarkable versatility of this popular screen artist.

Tomorrow and Friday appears the big comedy photoplay success "Skinner's Dress Suit," that scored a triumphant success at the Rialto Theatre, New York. In its film form it is more interesting and laugh-provoking. It is clean, wholesome and exceedingly funny from beginning to end and is in decided contract to the many sex photoplays now before the public. In addition tomorrow, Julius Steger appears in a soul-stirring dramatic Metro production entitled "The Stolen Triumph," and on Friday in addition to "Skinner's Dress Suit," Marie Doro is seen in her latest Paramount vehicle "The Lash." These remarkable programs are presented at the Proctor regular prices.

Skinner's Dress Suit Evening

NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Bridgeton, N.J.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sweep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedies to all women as I have used them with such good results."—Mrs. MILFORD T. CUMMINGS, 332 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N. J.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 9, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. at the Council Chamber, No. 147 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the following improvements of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide the funds therefor by the issuance of the collection of assessments for benefits to property for the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, started in 1916 and still in force:

North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Before receiving said proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to open and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided any such parties shall choose to be then and there present, and after such opening will award the prices and terms upon the estimates of the Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of materials required, and the work to be done, is as follows:

4,300 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,420 lin. ft. plain concrete curb; 11,520 lin. ft. concrete curb with cushioned bars; 2,400 square yards wire-reinforcement on concrete foundation; 2,400 cubic yds. reinforced concrete foundation; 10,750 lin. ft. 6-inch expansion joints; 12,300 lin. ft. 12-inch expansion joints; 24,620 lin. ft. 24-inch expansion joints; 46,000 sq. ft.-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 4 catch basins; 4 inlet connections; 470 lin. ft. concrete drains; 1 flushing basin.

Copies of the specifications and forms of Proposal Information for Bidders, Contract Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 141 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each item, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvement."

Dated March 15, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield on the second day of March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 147 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday, April 9, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, No. 147 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce in the presence of the bidders of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and will make proper record of the prices and terms upon the bids of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

3—19-121

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the construction of a new, East Section to the Boulevard, Mendhamsville and Tow Hill Springfield in the County of Union, with Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete base.

Estimated amount of surface pavement required, 27,722 square yards.

Of foundation, 27,722 square yards.

Bids will be received at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at the office of the Board, on the 2nd day of April 2, 1917, at 2:30 p. m. and opened and read immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders or their agents who may choose to be present.

Plans and specifications prepared by the County Engineer and copies of the Standard Specifications for Roads, have been filed in the office of the said engineer, Elizabeth, N. J., and in the office of the Clerk of the Board at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be seen and examined by bidders during business hours.

Bidders will be required to submit a copy of the specifications and form of proposal to the engineer in proper manner and to deposit with their bids a certified check for ten per cent. of the amount bid, payable to the order of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, which will be filed and not returned.

Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and received by the Board of Chosen Freeholders in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of the bidder on the outside, addressed to the Board at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and at the hour above named. The standard proposal form is subject to certain conditions, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

Administratrices.

1—5, 9, 12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30

DR. M'CREA CHOICE FOR CONFERENCE

The selection of a successor to the late Rev. Dr. Jonathan M. Meeker, for many years president of the Centenary Collegiate Institute, Hackettstown, will be one of the most important matters to be discussed at the sixtieth annual meeting of the Newark Methodist Episcopal Conference which convened at Halsey Street Church, Newark, today. There is an impression that Rev. Dr. George G. Vogel, district superintendent of the Newark district, can get the appointment to the place if he is willing to relinquish his present duties prior to the expiration of his term of appointment.

In case Dr. Vogel is made president of the Hackensack institution, only one man is suggested as his possible successor as district superintendent and that is Rev. Dr. Abel C. McCrea, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church, this city, but now with Emory Church, Jersey City. Dr. McCrea was one of a number of men mentioned earlier as an aspirant to succeed to the presidency of the institute. It is stated, however, that Dr. Vogel has not been an aspirant for the place, yet he is known to stand high in the favor of Bishop Luther B. Wilson for his ability as an administrator.

BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP APPOINTS ROAD OVERSEERS

Twenty-three road overseers have been appointed by the Bedminster Township Committee, in Somerset county. For road purposes this year $2,600 will be available. The Bedminster Township Committee has applied to the Somerset Board of Freeholders for county aid under the Chapman act in the repair of the Pottersville-Gladstone road. The committee has asked for $1,000.

ELIZABETH NUNS' HOME BURNS

Elizabeth, March 28.—Fire, believed to have been caused by a defective chimney flue, damaged the second floor and attic of a frame building in Ripley place, near Second street, Sunday, which was occupied by Sisters of Charity who teach in the parish school of the Church of SS. Peter and Paul, nearby.

The nuns were attending services in the church at the time. The loss is estimated at $2,000. The building was formerly used by Lithuanians as a place of worship.

CONSTIPATION—HEADACHES—BILIOUSNESS

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c and mail it to Foley & Co., 2843 Sheffield avenue, Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for bronchial and lung troubles, with cough; Foley Cathartic Tablets, a wholesome and thoroughly cleansing cathartic for constipation, biliousness, headache and sluggish bowels. You can try these three excellent remedies for only 5c. Weiss' Boro Drug Store.—Adv.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10:00 a. m. on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Straus Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River, Meeks Point, Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The work of bridge to be constructed is the Straus Trunnion Bascule bridge, with Riveted Steel Superstructure thereto and other work connected therewith, in the Union County Road System.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete and in place, two safety gates as specified on sheet 27 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the latter.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and deductions from the specified work according to the following:

12. Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(4) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(5) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $500.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check must be drawn to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any of all bids as may be deemed for the interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work as a whole, offering only in time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications the entire work must be completed within nine months from the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2.

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which shall not be more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

3—12, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30 4—2, 4

ADMINISTRATRICES' NOTICE

Estate of John Darling, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administratrices of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

ELIZABETH DARLING,
LIZZIE D. LOWRY,
MABEL D. STOUT,
Administratrices.

ASA F. RANDOLPH, Proctor.

3—14-oaw-9w Fees, $11.10

ANSWER THE ALARM

Plainfield People Should Not Delay.

If your kidneys are inflamed,
Don't stand around and do nothing.
Like a fire it will soon be beyond control.
You will get the alarm in time—
Backache, or dizziness or disorders of the urine.
Heed the warning.
Give your kidneys a rest by living more carefully.
Use Doan's Kidney Pills to help stamp out the cause.
Profit by a Plainfield woman's experience.

Mrs. James Elliott, 1621 W. Front St., Plainfield, says: "I had a dull ache through my kidneys that bothered me constantly. When I stooped, the pains in my back were sharp and piercing. I also had frequent dizzy spells that blurred my sight. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief in a short time and they soon cured me of this trouble."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Elliott had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

WELLS CREGAR FINED $10 FOR AUTO SPEEDING

Elizabeth, March 28.—Seven men are under arrest here on charges of stealing automobiles and three machines in which they were riding are awaiting their owners.

Early Monday morning Patrolman Cochran heard shots fired in Whitfield avenue. He found that two Hillside policemen were pursuing an automobile, so he jumped into a car nearby and joined in the chase. In Rahway avenue he perceived another automobile approaching in the opposite direction at a high rate of speed, so he gave up the chase and stopped the approaching car. It contained William Kennedy, Stephen Jablowsky and Andrew Peterson, all of Perth Amboy, and as their story aroused the suspicion of the policeman they were taken to the police station. Peterson, it is said, admitted that the machine had been stolen from Peter Krueger of 280 Smith street, Perth Amboy. The Hillside officers were successful in their pursuit, catching the autoist, Wells Cregar of Plainfield, who was fined $10 on a charge of speeding.

The other autos were recovered Friday and Saturday. Robert Thomas Ensor of New Haven was arrested Friday, and the automobile which he is said to have admitted stealing is owned by Dr. O. Lung of New Haven. The third machine, which was recovered Saturday, is owned by Miss Mary Eyer of 1200 Fifth street, Wilmington, Del. Percy T. Hall, sixteen years old; Edward A. Rush and George Weaver, all of Wilmington, have admitted stealing the car, the police say. They and Ensor are in the county jail awaiting extradition.

PREPARATORY SERVICE AT WATCHUNG AVE. CHURCH

This evening services preparatory to Communion service will be held at the Watchung avenue church. On Sunday next communion service will be observed at this church.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY

To Samuel M. Reasoner:

By virtue of an order of the Court of Chancery of New Jersey, made on the day of the date hereof, in a certain cause wherein Della M. Reasoner is petitioner, and you, Samuel M. Reasoner, are defendant, you are required to appear, and plead, answer or demur to petitioner's petition on or before the 12th day of April next, or in default thereof, such decree will be taken pro confesso, and the cause shall think equitable and just.

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Estate of Maria F. Gardner, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the twenty-sixth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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Estate of Sarah Bird, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Albert C. Stebbins, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as executor of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demand against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

ASA F. RANDOLPH,
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WILSON CONFERS WITH COL. HOUSE

President Still Undecided on War Call Form.

CONGRESS IS READY TO ACT

Leaders Have Practically Arranged Plans For Prompt Co-operation Along Any Line Administration Decides Upon—Discuss Proposal of Placing Big Money Credits at Disposal of the Allies—United States Has Huge Wealth Ready.

Washington, March 28.—Upon the events of the next few days will depend the recommendations which President Wilson will make to the war congress which convenes in extraordinary session here Monday.

After the president had threshed over the international situation with his cabinet and with Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, ranking Democrat of the foreign relations committee, it was stated that the president still has an "open mind" as to the exact course to be followed. He received all of the suggestions his advisers would offer, but did not commit himself as to what legislative proposals he would favor. He likewise discussed with the cabinet, the preparedness activities of the executive departments and the plans for mobilizing all of the resources of the nation for war purposes.

It was regarded as significant that Colonel E. M. House, Mr. Wilson's confidential adviser, should come here as the president sought to fix the attitude of the United States in the German controversy. Colonel House is expected to remain as a White House guest for a week or more.

Today it was plain that the momentous message which the president is expected to deliver to the new congress one week from today will not be prepared until just before it is delivered. He will frame the address with the full record before him and after full discussion with all of his advisers.

Congress Getting Ready.

Meantime congress leaders will form tentative plans to act promptly and effectively along any line the president may suggest. Chairman Flood and Democratic members of the foreign affairs committee have begun preparation of tentative resolutions to meet any suggested action. These included a measure declaring war against Germany without further equivocation, a *resolution declaring the existence* of a state of war and placing the resources of the government behind the president to meet the situation and a resolution indorsing the president's armed neutrality program and providing for complete preparedness.

The first of these resolutions is the least likely to be proposed. Both administration and congress leaders believe the responsibility for a declaration of war should be placed on Germany. Either of the other two resolutions, however, would make plain the nation's determination to protect its rights and would be accompanied by legislation placing adequate financial and military power behind the president.

Big Credit For Allies.

Congress leaders also discussed the proposal that the United States place at the disposal of the entente allies a vast credit, thus backing up the entente campaign with the enormous financial resources of this country. This proposal will undoubtedly be taken up tomorrow by the Democrats of the house ways and means committee.

In this connection it was pointed out that the foreign securities now held in the United States might be easily vastly extended in amount without danger to American financial institutions.

In a preliminary report on the call for national banks on March 5 the comptroller of the currency states the foreign bonds held by national banks were $230,000,000, or but little more than 2 per cent of the total resources." This was the first time that a bank statement has made any reference to holdings of foreign securities.

Huge Financial Resources.

The statement likewise pointed out that resources of the central reserve and reserve city banks on March 5 was more than $230,000,000 than ever before and greater by $480,000,000 than the resources at the last call, Dec. 27. The bank report ended with the significant statement that the resources of all national banks exceeded by more than $5,000,000,000 the combined resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Banks of Italy, Spain, Norway and Sweden, the Swiss National bank, the Bank of Japan, the Bank of Denmark and the German Reichsbank. Out of this vast sum will come the funds which the United States will use to prosecute its part in the impending war, whether it be used to finance the entente powers or to supply military and naval forces.

It is looked upon as significant that Senator Hitchcock discussed the senate situation with the president rather than Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the foreign relations committee. Senator Stone has not visited the White House since he led the fight which killed the president's armed neutrality resolution in the senate in the closing days of the last congress. Senator Hitchcock is expected to take charge of the administration foreign relations legislation in the upper branch.

No Bethlehem Steel Hotel.

Mays Landing, March 28.—Recent rumors that the Bethlehem Steel company is considering the erection of a big hotel at Somers Point for the accommodation of its guests and officials were denied by men connected with the corporation. The company, it was announced, has no intention of building hotels in connection with its operations in this county.

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For Milton-Sayre and Scranton—8.45, 9.45 a. m., 5.44 p. m. Sundays—2.19, 10.57 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
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For Atlantic City—8.42, 8.56 a. m., (11.59 Saturdays only), 5.12 p. m. Sundays—8.56 a. m., 5.12 p. m.
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TEUTONS DEFEAT RUSSIANS.

Hindenburg Drive to Moscow Launched With Advance on Minsk, Experts Believe—Gas Attack Drives Slavs From Trenches—British Capture Two More Villages In Face of Desperate Fighting In Their Section of France.

London, March 28.—The fate of the "Hindenburg line"—St. Quentin-La Fere-Laon—still hangs in the balance. Fresh advances by the French, however, spell a grave menace to its retention by the stubbornly counter attacking Teutons. The British also made new progress, but of less important strategic value.

To the French fell, after a furious battle, the important village of Coucy-Le Chateau, halfway between La Fere and Soissons. Thus the French wedge between these two key positions was considerably extended. Berlin admits the abandonment of this ground, saying that the German rear guards, after inflicting losses upon the French, "gave way before a threatening outflanking movement."

Hardest Test Coming.

General Nivelle's troops are now facing the supreme test in this region. In front of them lies the formidably fortified terrain protecting Laon. The German guns are emplaced on extremely high ground, which dominates all the surrounding territory.

The advance which carried Coucy-Le Chateau is described by the French war office as a "brilliant night attack," and it is added that the village was energetically defended.

The battle between St. Quentin and La Fere continues a deadlock. Here the Teutons are fighting with the utmost tenacity and have been able thus far to hold their ground.

The British have taken two additional villages, Equancourt, ten miles southeast of Bapaume, and Longatesnes, three miles northwest of Roisel. These gains went a long way toward straightening out their new front. The new progress was made in spite of bad weather conditions.

Berlin officially admitted the abandonment of Roisel village to the British, "after repeated unsuccessful advances."

Germans Break Russian Line.

Following up their "feelers," the Germans on the northern end of the battle line in Russia made their first actual attack of importance against the Russians and, according to official admission from Petrograd, succeeded.

The advance was launched from Baronovichi, on the Brest-Litovsk-Minsk-Moscow railway, in a northeasterly direction toward Minsk. After a first attempt had broken down in the Russian barrier fire the Teutons with the use of gas broke through the Muscovite positions and forced the latter to fall back, taking more than 300 prisoners and considerable booty. The positions won are on the west bank of the Shara river.

"The first attack," says the Russian official report, was "repulsed, but a second, accompanied by a discharge of asphyxiating gases, obliged our troops to fall back in an easterly direction."

Drive For Moscow.

The Teuton attack in the sector lends new strength to the theory that Hindenburg plans an offensive in the direction of Moscow with Minsk the immediate objective.

Simultaneously with the operations in the Baronovichi region the Germans are constantly putting out "feelers" farther northward around Smorgon, where another railroad leads directly to Minsk. The report speaks of successful raids here. Lively artillery activity is displayed by the Germans besides at Baronovichi in the region of Postavy, the foremost point of the German lines in Russian territory in the north.

The Russians on their part made vigorous attacks on the Teuton lines in Volhynia west of Lutzk and in Galicia near Brzezany and north of the Tarnopol railroad. All these attacks were repulsed with "heavy losses," Berlin asserts.

The Berlin official statement contains the usual mention of Field Marshal von Mackensen's front. This is taken to dispose of the unofficial report that the field marshal has gone to Turkey to undertake a complete reorganization of the sultan's armies.

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King Christian X. has formally bidden his former subjects in the Danish West Indies farewell, wishing them "a happy future" under the United States flag. He issued a formal proclamation thanking the residents of the islands, now sold to the United States, for their "centuries of loyalty."

MACKEYS OFFER HOSPITAL TO U. S.

Red Cross Accepts 500 Bed War Unit Gift.

New York, March 28.—The first important contribution to the United States government from a private source, to be devoted to the furtherance of war time efficiency—one of the finest gifts of the kind, in fact, ever received by the government—is announced at Roosevelt hospital. Clarence H. Mackay and his mother, Mrs. John W. Mackay, who resides in Paris, have just made a joint gift of a completely equipped hospital base unit of 500 beds for service either in this country or abroad.

The hospital, which will be known as the Mackay unit, has been accepted through the National Red Cross. Through the patriotic generosity of Mr. Mackay and his mother, provision has been made for a staff of twenty-two surgeons, seventy-five nurses, 150 orderlies and others necessary to operate such a unit.

The organization of the Mackay unit has been pushed along with so much speed and thoroughness that it can be placed at the service of the United States as soon as needed.

Dr. Charles H. Peck, one of the surgical chiefs of Roosevelt hospital, has been selected as director of the unit. Dr. James J. Russell has been made chief of surgical service and Dr. Rolfe Floyd chief of medical service. Their surgical and medical staffs also have been chosen, together with oral surgeons, pathologists, Roentgenologists, ophthalmologists and aurists, anesthetists and a staff of nurses, which will be headed by Miss Mary L. Francis as chief nurse.

INTERNED GERMANS AT FORT.

Prisoners From Liners Reach Georgia From Philadelphia.

Atlanta, Ga., March 28.—Four hundred and eleven officers and men of the Kronprinz Wilhelm arrived here late today. The interned officers and men of the Prince Eitel Frederick were sent to Fort Oglethorpe.

The sailors made no attempt to escape during the trip. The officers and men refused to give their parole, *but declare that they would not try to escape.* They did this, it was said, in compliance with orders received from Germany, which have not been canceled.

HIGH COST OF HEATING GETS FIRST REAL BLOW.

New York, March 28.—The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company has announced that after April 2 the price of egg, stove and nut coal will be cut 40 cents a ton.

This is the first intimation that the big companies would reduce coal prices this spring. Because of the abnormal condition of the coal trade the announcement was a surprise to the trade.

METHODISTS IN CONFERENCE

Newark Body Opens In Annual Spring Session.

GIRLS' SCHOOL BIG THEME.

Presidency of Centenary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown Likely to Go to Dr. Vogel—Need For Strong Administrator to Bring Institution to a Higher Educational Standard Recognized.

Newark, March 28.—Affairs of the Centenary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown will have a prominent place in the discussions of the sixtieth annual meeting of the Newark Methodist Episcopal conference, which convened at Halsey Street church, this city, today. *Largely the discussion will have to do* with the possible successor to the late Rev. Dr. Jonathan M. Meeker, for many years president of the institution.

Many of the ministers believe Rev. Dr. George G. Vogel, district superintendent of Newark, could be appointed *to the place if he were willing to relinquish* his present duties prior to the expiration of his term of appointment.

Rumors of the probable selection of Rev. Dr. Robert Johns Trevorrow, president of Drew Seminary For Young Women at Carmel, N. Y., were circulated some time ago. Coupled with these was the report of the possible merging of the New York institution with that at Hackettstown, the sale of the Carmel property and the transfer of the proceeds as an endowment for the Hackettstown institution.

Although it is admitted that Dr. Trevorrow was considered, the prospect of a merger of the two institutions is characterized as hardly probable. Opposition to such a move has been forcefully though unofficially stated by members of its board of trustees.

Rev. Dr. Abel C. McKee, pastor of Emory church, Jersey City, is mentioned as Dr. Vogel's successor in this district if he is made the Institute head. He is one of a number of men mentioned earlier as an aspirant to succeed to the presidency at the institute.

While it is known that Dr. Vogel has not been an aspirant for the place, he is known to stand high in the favor of Bishop Luther B. Wilson for his abilities as an administrator. The argument advanced as weighing large in the possibility of the Newark superintendent's selection is the confidence which the influential men of the conference have in him and his success in past charges in developing all of the resources of the field.

START ENGINEER COMPANY.

New Guard Unit Is Being Organized In Newark.

Newark, March 28.—By direction of Adjutant General Charles W. Barber, Lieutenant Colonel George M. Buttle of the First regiment has taken preliminary steps toward the organization of an engineering company in Newark and vicinity. County Engineer Frederic A. Reimer, formerly first lieutenant of Battery A, has begun active work of organization.

New Jersey will have to supply two companies of engineers to help make up the deficit of fifty-two companies of engineers of the national guard of the country, which is a shortage of 850 officers and 10,000 enlisted men. The officers of the engineering company must be graduate civil engineers, and the enlisted personnel will be picked on the vocational adaptability plan, because this branch of the service is possibly the most intricate and specialized in the war establishment fabric.

AUSTRIAN ENVOY LOSES HOPE.

Count Tarnowski Is Considering Return to Vienna.

Washington, March 28.—Count Tarnowski, designated Austrian ambassador to the United States, has practically given up hope of being received here in his official capacity. He is already contemplating returning to Vienna.

Baron Swiedinek, the Austrian charge, called at the state department to ascertain among other things whether there was any likelihood of German-American hostilities being averted. He did not appear encouraged when he left.

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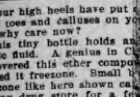
Don't hurt a bit! Cincinnati man discovers drug that works wonders—No humbug! Never let a corn ache twice.

Your high heels have put corns on your toes and calluses on your feet, but why care now a bottle of freezone?

This tiny bottle holds an almost magic fluid. A genius in Cincinnati discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Small bottle of freezone like here shown can be had at any drug store for a few cents. Never limp or twist your face in pain again, but get a bottle of freezone and apply a few drops on your tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so shriveled and loose that you can lift it off with the fingers.

Just think! You get rid of a hard corn, soft corn or a corn between the toes, as well as hardened calluses without suffering one particle. Freezone is magic!

Genuine freezone is sold only in these tiny bottles packed in a round wood case. Don't accept it unless it is in a round, wood case.—Adv.



THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TO-NIGHT

BY MRS. FAWCETT

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THE CLOCK AND PUSSIE

The Kitchen Clock was so full of laugh that it almost fell off the shelf, for it knew that in another minute it would strike 12, and then it could talk, but best of all it would frighten puss.

Pussie was at that minute on the shelf in the pantry with her head in the bowl of cream, and when the clock struck the first stroke of 12 it did so with a loud bang, and off the shelf fell Puss and the bowl, too.

"Why didn't you frighten a body to death?" asked Pussie, as she came out of the pantry.

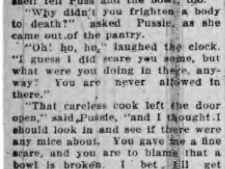
"Oh! ho, ho," laughed the clock. "I guess I did scare you some, but what were you doing in there, anyway? You are never allowed in there."

"That careless cook left the door open," said Pussie, "and I thought I should look in and see if there were any mice about. You gave me a fine scare, and you are to blame that a bowl is broken. I bet I'll get blamed for it."

"Funny it happened to be the bowl that held the cream for breakfast," said the clock. "What were you doing on the shelf looking for mice? They are usually in the closets under the shelves."

"That is all you know about it, Mr. Clock," said Pussie. "You sit up there high on the shelf and think you know it all, but you never leave this room, so you are not as smart as you think, for very little of the world can be seen from your shelf, let me tell you."

"It is better than running around, getting into trouble as you do, Miss Pussie," said the clock, "and just for that I will not tell you something you would be glad to know, for I could tell you how to keep out of trouble, but I'll just let you find out for yourself now."



"You do not need to tell me, Mr. Clock. I am much smarter than you are. I do not need a stupid old fellow like you who never gets out in the world to tell me, who sees everything and goes everywhere, anything, for I know it all."

"We'll see who hears the most, you or I," replied the clock. "I can tell you more about what is going on in this house than you know, even if you do run about. I hear a lot in this kitchen that everybody would like to know."

"Well, I'll leave you to fix it up with cook in the morning about the cream," said Pussie. "Of course, she will know you did not do it because you never leave the shelf."

Off went Puss to the cellar, where she knew there was a place she could crawl out of doors, and the next morning she came in the door; hearing cook's angry words, she ran out again, but not before the clock ticked out: "Thief; thief!"

That clock is an old tell-tale, as well as a disagreeable old thing, said Pussie, running out into the yard.

About dinner time Pussie came slyly in the kitchen and the cook called out: "Here she is!"

In came the master with a stick and showing Pussie some feathers, he gave her a smart cat with a stick across the back.

"I'll teach you to eat my chickens," he said, giving her another thinking with the stick.

"Give her one for me, she ate my cream last night, and then broke the bowl," said cook; "how she got in is more than I know."

"I'll give her one more chance," said the master, "and the next time she touches one of my chickens out she goes for good."

Pussie ran under the stove and curled herself up, but the clock ticked loudly, and Puss knew it was all meant for her to hear.

"You're a thief; I knew it I knew it!" ticked the clock, and Puss stood it as long as she could and then ran out.

That night when everything was still the clock struck 12. Puss had crawled in through the place in the cellar and was waiting for the clock to speak when the midnight hour should strike.

"What are they going to do with me if I catch another chicken?" asked Pussie.

"They said something about a box and a sponge, and putting you in the box," said the clock. "Master said it would not hurt you, you would only go to sleep, and they said they would bury the box in the yard."

"Well, they won't have to because I am never going to touch a chicken again or steal the cook's cream either; I have turned over a new leaf," said Pussie, "and I want to thank you for telling me and tell you also I am sorry I was so disagreeable the last time I talked with you, because you do know a lot about what is going on even if you never leave the shelf."

"Oh, that is all right, Puss," said the Clock. "I know you are a very wise puss or you never would have turned over a new leaf. I am glad to know you are going to be a good puss and not be put in a box."

Tomorrow's story—"Mr. Fox in Trouble."

FINLAND TO TAKE ACTION ON RUSSIAN REGIME

Special to Courier-News:

Stockholm, March 28.—The Finnish Parliament will meet on April 4, when it will take official action for Finland on the new Russian regime. The whole of Finland has become quiet.

HIDDEN PUZZLE

MARIA BARRIENTOS AS "JAKME."

Find another singer. REBUS.

Name of a president.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

Upside down, nose at elbow.

Harrison.

MRS. D. S. BARRY HOME FROM SANTO DOMINGO

Mrs. David Sheldon Barry, Jr., formerly of Plainfield, who since her marriage several months ago to Lieutenant Barry, U. S. N., has been in Santo Domingo, where the latter was stationed, arrived in this city last night to visit her father, William Palmer Smith, for a time prior to going to Washington. Lieutenant Barry is expected to reach Washington soon, he having been delayed for a time.

Mrs. Barry came home on the steamer Algonquin, and when the report was received recently of the sinking of another boat of the same name it caused great anxiety among relatives and friends of Mrs. Barry.

She was delighted with the climate of Santo Domingo, but there were many other natural conditions there which did not appeal to her and she says that she is glad to get back to this part of the country.

Owing to the present crisis Lieutenant Barry will not know of his future plans until he reaches Washington.

NAVY OFFERS UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR MEN

Roland Story, brother of Frank Story, of this city, who after a service of twenty years in the U. S. Navy, is now working in one of the Government munition plants in Philadelphia, was in Plainfield Monday calling on friends. Mr. Story is now on reserve and is subject to call for active service in case of emergency.

During his long service in the navy he visited all parts of the world. He was a gunner's mate and was on the Battleship Brooklyn under Admiral Schley at the battle of Santiago. He also had considerable experience as a diver. Mr. Story says that the navy offers exceptional opportunities for a young man, who, beside securing good training, has a chance to see the world.

Russell Story, the son of Frank Story, went to New York yesterday to enlist in the U. S. Army. If accepted he will be assigned to one of the companies in a New York regiment.

CHICAGO FIGHTING WHITE PLAGUE

By United Press:

Chicago, Mar. 28.—This city's battle against the Great White Plague, will be won within ten years of the present decrease in deaths continues.

This announcement was made today by Dr. John Dill Robertson, city health officer. Decreased consumption of alcoholic liquors, the Sunday closing law, the activities of the city's milk supply and a general hygiene education campaign have made marked inroads against the yearly toll of tuberculosis, Dr. Robertson said.

"We are reaping the reward of persistent propaganda against the disease," said he. Insanitation, communicable methods of disease, public drinking cups, promiscuous spitting, bad housing, too much liquor and not enough out door life have been fought."

CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—calomel, castor oil or cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who belong to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

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Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, you should use them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent Physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for ordinary use in almost every family." It is sold in this city by Weiss' Boro Drug Store.

NURSE AND DOG HERO.

Mrs. F. L. Wanner, With Red Cross Dog Flixx.

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Flixx, the canine hero of the French war front, is to the United States recuperating after his work in the trenches where he is credited with having saved the lives of more than 10 wounded French soldiers by bringing first aid to them. He is now at Hempstead, N. Y., where the photograph was taken.

MME. BRESCHKOSKAYA.

She Is Hailed as "Mother of Russian Revolution."

Photo by American Press Association.

Mme. Catherine Breschkoskaya was one of the first victims of Russian tyranny to be liberated as a result of the revolution which she has preached since she was seventeen. She was imprisoned in Siberia for her appeals for democracy in the former empire.

LADY AUTOIST SHOULD PAY FOR THIS

A lady automobilist drove her car into the fence surrounding the Friends' Meeting House in Watchung avenue today, thereby breaking the fence. She got away before the police could learn her identity. The Friends express the hope that she will at least offer to pay for repairing the fence. It is a moral obligation which should be met.

SAY GERMANS ARE NOT CROSSING INTO MEXICO

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 28.—Reports to the War Department from officials on the Mexican border do not confirm the reports that a large number of Germans are crossing from the United States to Mexico. Immigration advices agree with the army statements.

TO TEACH GIRLS TO SMILE

New Brunswick, March 28.—A class in smiling is to be one of the features of the new Girls' Community Club here, according to an announcement made by Miss Sarah O. Whitlock, who will be the instructor. Miss Whitlock is a teacher in the public schools there.

On the theory that a smile will send a person much farther on the road to success and happiness than a frown, Miss Whitlock will demonstrate the various kinds of plain, fancy and even ornamental smiling. It was said, and the girls will be required to obtain a certain percentage of proficiency in examinations.

THROUGH THE WICKET

Friendship Degree Lodge, Daughters of Rebecca, at its regular meeting last night, enjoyed a euchre party. Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was not largey.

WOMAN A FRENCH ATTACHE

Mlle. Jeanne Tardy First of Sex to Hold Position.

Paris, March 28.—M. Metin, undersecretary of the ministry of finance, has appointed Mlle. Jeanne Tardy as an attache in his department.

This will be the first time in the history of France that a woman has held such a position. Mlle. Tardy holds university degrees in letters and law.

IMPORTANT REHEARSALS FOR "THE LAND OF MYSTERY"

The principals for the comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," to be given on April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks, will hold an important rehearsal tomorrow night and there will be a rehearsal for the chorus on Friday night. It is urged that every member of the cast will be present.

ANOTHER RELIEF STEAMER REACHES ROTTERDAM

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 28.—The commission for relief in Belgium, 120 Broadway, announced this afternoon the receipt of a cable stating that another relief steamer had arrived in Rotterdam, passing through the German blockade unmolested.

YOUNG ELOPER DIES SUDDENLY

Phillipsburg, March 28.—C. Howell Warner, fourteen years old, only child of Mr. and Mrs. John Warner, 9 Hudson street, died yesterday. On March 13 the boy, in company with Pearl Wisner, 15 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wisner, of 125 Morris street, ran away from home.

They were located in Philadelphia Sunday and brought home by detectives Monday. The boy was taken ill Monday.

Coroner P. F. Haggerty suggested that the death may have been due to shock because of the arrest. He had suffered from rheumatism and it may have attacked his heart.

WAR CRISIS HASTENS KISSEL-EATON WEDDING

Miss Mary Warren of Hillside avenue, will be one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Ina Alice Kissel, daughter of Rudolph H. Kissel, and Henry Taft Eaton, which will take place Saturday at the Church of the Holy Communion, Sixth avenue and Twentieth street, New York City, and, among the guests will be a number of Plainfielders. Rev. Dr. Mottet, rector of the church, will officiate.

The wedding date was set for May 5, but because Mr. Eaton has applied for a commission in the army and expects a call to war at any time, arrangements were made to have the ceremony performed on Saturday.

The bride's attendants beside Miss Warren will be her sisters, Mrs. James E. Miller and the Misses Eleonora and Barbara Kissel. Frederick Eaton, of Concord, Mass., will be his brother's best man. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the Kissel home on Park avenue, New York.

GERMAN SOCIETY REPEATS STRANDFEST

The members of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein repeated their "Strandfest" or seashore festival last night at Saengerbund Hall, with much success. The same decorations were used and the members carried to the strains of Scott's orchestra.

The biggest attraction was down stairs where the alleys which have just been improved were used. There was prize bowling and many took part. The new pins made it hardly impossible to roll up big scores. The lady's highest honors went to Mrs. Remmer, and the gentleman's highest award to Adam Muff.

BROTHERHOOD MEN TO GET BACK PAY LATER

New York, March 28.—A number of minor points still remain to be decided before some 380,000 Brotherhood conductors, engineers, firemen and trainmen receive the back wages from January 1 due under the application of the Adamson law. The committee of railroad managers and brotherhood representatives which have been arranging a basis for the application of the law took a recess yesterday until some time in April.

Elisha Lee, chairman of the National Conference Committee of Railway Managers, said that the conference had agreed upon a tentative schedule. If any differences arise as to the application of the law, he said, they will be left to a board by each of eight—four from each side.

WATCHUNG COUNCIL TO ERECT LARGE FLAG POLE

Watchung Council, Knights of Columbus, met in the Columbus Club, West Front street, last night and elected Thomas F. Carty, a trustee, to succeed John H. Coyle. The council also decided to erect a thirty-foot flag pole in front of the club house and to raise an American flag on Memorial Day, May 30th. On this occasion there will be a program of patriotic songs and addresses. The Easter Ball Committee reported progress.

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MISS JEANNETTE RANKIN.

Candidate For Speaker of the National House.

Photo by American Press Association.

"The lady from Montana" has not yet arrived in Washington, but her friends in the capital have informally nominated her as either an independent or a compromise candidate for the speakership if there is a contest for that office.

BORO HOME DEFENSE LEAGUE DESIRES FUNDS

The undersigned commissioners of the Home Defense League of North Plainfield recently appointed by Mayor W. L. Smalley request the citizens of the borough and others interested in the welfare of the borough to subscribe funds necessary for carrying on the work of the league.

The object of the league is to act as a stabilizer in the community and to protect all loyal citizens, whether of American or foreign birth, as well as their property, against any possible contingency.

Subscriptions will be received by the State Trust Company of Plainfield.

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March 28.

CHANGES IN RESIDENCES AND LOCAL BUSINESS

Chief Marshal George Weiss of the Borough, moved today to his recently purchased house on Belmont avenue.

The Demarest house on Somerset street will be occupied on April 1 by Oscar Schweitzer, of Watchung avenue, North Plainfield. H. C. Reynolds and family are to move to a house on Grandview avenue.

Leander Stryker and family will move on Saturday from Manning avenue to the Chittenden place.

Richard Walters, the barber, has leased his new store, 25 Somerset street, to the Grand Union Tea Company. Mr. Walters will move his shop to the vacant store a few doors from his present location.

RAPAUME TOWN HALL WRECKED BY EXPLOSION

Special to the Courier-News:

Paris, March 28.—An explosion believed to be accidental has wrecked the town hall at Rapaume. It is feared that the Arras deputies, Briquet and Tallandier, have been killed. The ruins are now being searched for their bodies.

SPRING THAW HALTS WAR

Special to the Courier-News:

Berlin, March 28.—A spring thaw all along the eastern front from the Baltic to the Carpathians has made big fighting actions impossible, says the War Office today. The booty captured by the Germans on the Schischara River has been increased to twenty mine throwers and eleven machine guns.

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THIS IS SAD

A man has no time to be decent to his wife. He gets up early in the morning with a grouch and has to leave before it does. Consequently, he has no time to be decent to her in the morning. He arrives at the office feeling fine—and he continues to feel fine until long in the afternoon when his duties begin to grab and fag him. By the time he gets home at night he is disgruntled for the evening. Thus he has no time to be decent to her in the evening. On Sunday he is too worn out with the work of the week to do anything but eat and mope. The average man has plenty of good disposition, but no time to practice it on his wife.

"Weather of No"

Beware of secret tips! A man can lie just as well in a whisper as he can out loud.—Old Man Sage.

LOCAL WOMEN WIN OVER MANVILLE'S

Columbian Bowlers Do Some Good Work at Bound Brook Alleys

The Columbians, a bowling team of young women of this city, visited the Bound Brook alleys last evening, where they lined up against a similarly constructed team from Manville, the locals taking the entire set of games. Miss Doyle, of the Queen City team, took the honor members of her team by surprise, and the gallery by storm as she rolled up a score of 162 in her last game, maintaining an average of 133.

The locals did some good bowling throughout the evening, showing marked improvement over a number of their previous games.

The scores:

COLUMBIANS

				Ave
Miss Doyle	106	131	162	133
Miss McAfee	97	125	93	105
Miss Schuck	119	116	120	118
Mrs. Arfold	99	137	97	111
	421	509	471	467

Total pins—1,401.

MANVILLE

				Ave
Miss Oliver	85	76	76	79
Miss Perrine	85	92	83	87
Miss Bunting	95	115	85	98
Miss Hadaeck	84	70	85	79
	349	354	329	344

Total pins—1,032.

PRACTICE SHOOT TONIGHT

Attention, Rifle Club members. Mid-week practice shoot this evening at Company K armory at 8.15. In keeping with the times of preparedness, would it not be advisable to turn out to this practice? Beginners are invited to the shoot. Other citizens of Plainfield, not members of the club, but interested in the welfare of their country, are urged to come out tonight, participate and file their applications for membership in the organization.

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COX, OF CRANFORD, WINS C. N. J. FIRST INDIVIDUAL HONORS

Bound Brook Team Takes First Team and High Pins for Thirty Frames Honors—Westfield and Somerville Also In On Prize List

Final official figures and averages of the Central New Jersey League were given out by Secretary Firstbrook this morning, disclosing the fact that the Bound Brook team secured a corner on the bulk of the prizes of the circuit. The Bees secured the top rung of the race ladder, just half a game ahead of Westfield aggregation, which in turn finished just a half game ahead of Somerville in third place. Each of these teams receive prizes for landing in their respective places.

The Bees also copped the prize for rolling the largest number of pins for thirty frames in the course of a single evening. The Bound Brook five waited for their last series of the season to establish this record, taking this honor in the same evening in which they defeated Somerville for the leadership in the Up until that evening Somerville was holding down second place and Westfield first place. The figure of high pins for thirty frames set out that evening by the Bees was 2,838.

During the course of the same series of games Wall of the Bees set up the same honor for the individual bowlers, taking the prize which went along with the honor. Wall set up a record of 626, just four pins ahead of the record set up by Cox of Cranford earlier in the season. Neiman of Cranford in twelve games rolled had a record of 619 for thirty frames.

The race for individual average honors was as tight as the team race for first, second and third honors. Cox, the lad who secured second scored great work with the Roselle Casino team in the Union County League, took the first honors in this title with a season average of 185.6 for twenty-four games rolled, rolling consistently throughout the season. Ehmling of the Westfields came second with an average of 184.13, and Roller of Somerville third with a season figure of 182.16.

The initial season of the Central New Jersey Bowling League may be taken as a complete success from every angle, although a number of kinks appeared in the running debate during the course of the year. Three sets of games were lost by the forfeit route, Roselle forfeited a series each to Somerville and Cranford and the latter forfeited a series to Bound Brook, all during the latter part of the season.

Officers of the league were as follows: President, H. T. Ferry, of Westfield; vice president, George Gates, of North Plainfield; secretary-treasurer, Walter L. Firstbrook, of the Courier-News.

Louis Roller, of Somerville, and George Ehinger, of Bound Brook, both close followers of the indoor sport, were largely responsible for the formation of the circuit last fall, being ably assisted by Frederick Noble, of Roselle Park; F. E. Cox, of Cranford; George Ogden, of Westfield, and George Gates, of the borough.

The following are the complete figures and averages of the league as given out this morning by Secretary Firstbrook:

Final Team Standing

	W	L	HTP	Ave
Bound Brook	19	11	2838	876.28
Westfield	18	12	2697	867.16
Somerville	17	13	2763	874.17
N. Plainfield	16	14	2743	865.22
Cranford	13	17	2765	881.7
Ros. Park	9	21	2650	845.23

Individual Averages

	G	HTP	Ave
*Tuter, Cran.	4	583	194.1
*Netman, Cran.	12	619	187.3
*Allen, West.	3	560	186.2
Cox, Cran.	24	622	185.6
*Joamby, Cran.	3	555	185
Ehmling, West.	30	618	184.13
*Koechlin, B. D.	19	545	184.8
*Morton, Ros. Pk.	19	581	183.8
*Sandusky, Som.	3	550	183.1
Roller, Som.	29	612	182.16
Perry, Som.	6	597	182.4
Reiff, Cran.	6	577	181
Gates, N. P.	30	580	180.7
Wall, B. B.	30	626	180
Winkler, Ros. Pk.	11	557	180
Mathews, Som.	12	587	179.10
Stabile, Som.	29	596	179.6
Kirkman, Cran.	3	537	179
Tobin, West.	30	558	178.12
Carl, B. B.	27	576	178.1
Montross, West.	21	595	177.15
Koehler, B. B.	27	609	177.6
Falcara, Cran.	15	564	176.4
Snyder, B. B.	18	597	175
Jones, Cran.	24	559	174.23
Hobbs, Ros. Pk.	8	504	174.5
Meunzenbach, N. P.	26	575	174.4
Connolly, N. P.	15	597	174.1
Voorhees, N. P.	29	557	173.6
Vail, N. P.	15	542	173.4
Ehinger, B. B.	21	543	172.13
Schearer, Ros. Pk.	18	515	172.12
Terry, West.	13	535	172.1
Worth, West.	27	543	172.7
Suter, Cran.	18	589	171.16
McKenzie, N. P.	9	537	171.7
Ekstrom, Ros. Pk.	12	566	171.4
Langhans, Ros. Pk.	14	523	171.1
McCarthy, Som.	15	538	170.8
Paul, Ros. Pk.	16	538	169.5
Vliet, Som.	18	542	168.17
Rielly, Som.	15	546	168.8
Dill, Cran.	12	551	168
Koons, West.	26	536	167.13
Hall, N. P.	23	546	166.2
Schenck, Som.	9	523	165.5
Graham, B. B.	11	536	165.1
Zimmerman, B. B.	3	496	165.1
Jonap, N. P.	3	496	165.1
Warsinski, Cran.	6	506	163.3
Fenton, N. P.	6	513	162.3
Schindler, Ros. Pk.	6	517	162
Halsey, Cran.	6	504	161.1
Argon, Ros. Pk.	5	472	151
Haush, Som.	3	444	148
Klass, Cran.	3	442	147
Clarkson, Ros. Pk.	3	436	145
MacLaughlin, R. P.	3	420	140
Weir, Ros. Pk.	3	283	139.1

*Did not participate in sufficient number of games to be eligible for prizes.

BOROUGHITES BOW TO DUNELLEN BOWLERS

Dunellen pinners proved a little too speedy for the Jewish Club boys last evening, taking the odd tilt of a series of three games. Voorhees, a brother to the imperial pinner, did the stunt of the evening, coming through with an average of 187.1, while Huff copped the high score honors with a marking of 225 in the sandwich game.

The scores:

DUNELLEN

				Ave
Backe	170	161	167	166
Smith	142	187	141	156
Parker	114			114
Huff		225	131	178
Prouveyer	148	136	137	140
Voorhees	212	164	186	187
	786	873	762	807

Total pins—2,431.

ST. JOSEPH'S CLUB

				Ave
Miller	142	136		138
Scholler	162	159	146	155
Connolly	97		154	125
Ferraro		184	166	175
Vitilli	172	146	199	172
Gates	178	198	153	176
	751	826	828	801

Total pins—2,405.

Miss Bramble At the Shore

Miss Clementine Bramble, of East Seventh street, Netherwood, is registered at the Hotel Traymore, Atlantic City. Miss Bramble is a senior in Plainfield H. S. and captain of the Red and Blue basketball team. She led her team to 12 victories out of 14 games. The trip to the shore was made by automobile. She will be away about two weeks.

Practice Rifle Shooting

New Brunswick, March 28.—As a part of the preparedness movement rifle shooting contests will be held through the co-operation of the Rutgers Athletic Association and the cadet corps of the college. It is also being planned to form a varsity rifle team to enter intercollegiate contests.

RIVERSIDE TEAM ENDS SEASON WITH VICTORY

The Riverside Five closed a very successful season yesterday afternoon by defeating the Mt. St. Mary's quintet for the second time in two weeks, 52 to 7.

Larry Paoli and Joe Seidel, the forward mucanneers of the borough five, led the bombardment with 12 and 9 double-deckers, respectfully.

The Riversides hung up a string of ten victories and no defeats as the season's record and number among their victims such teams as the Hope Chapel Juniors, Grace Church Choir and Evergreen Avenue School.

Yesterday's scores:

RIVERSIDE FIVE

	G.	F.	P.
Paoli, f	12	0	24
Seidel, f	8	0	16
Taylor, c	6	0	12
Cannon, g	0	0	0
Blair, g	0	0	0
	26	0	52

MT. ST. MARY'S

	G.	F.	P.
Oakes, f	1	0	2
Matteran, f	1	1	3
Hamilton, c	1	0	2
Hamilton, g	1	0	2
Gribonsgby, g	0	0	0
	3	1	7

Referee, Miss Hollis; umpire, Miss Leary; timer, Feaster.

MESSRS. GATES-VAIL, YOUR CHALLENGE IS ACCEPTED

The challenge by George Gates and "Quaker" Vail, of this city, to bowl a series of home-and-home games with "Pete" Koechlein and Sandford Snyder, of Bound Brook, has been accepted. The latter two trimmed Mathews and Roller, of Somerville, in a series and will anish the second half of another series with the same team at Bound Brook Friday night.

All that remains now to satisfy the Plainfielders' desire to meet the Bound Brook duo is to get in communication with Peter Koechlein, care Ehinger's Bowling Academy, Bound Brook.

THE NIMRODS ARE NOW IN TRAINING

State's Fishermen Are Preparing for the Opening of Trout Season

SUNDAY IS THE DAY

Sleepless nights and dreams of the coming trout fishing season affect many a country boy just now, and some of the city folks as well. The great metropolitan outre of the fishing game takes place next Sunday. April's fool day it might be to some, but to the angler it means a spell in the country wading a favorite stream in search of the elusive speckled trout, with a fly rod and a worm as weapons. There is no law against Sunday fishing in New Jersey. There is in Pennsylvania.

Trout fishing in New Jersey is no longer a joke. A few years ago, when the State was paying toward the maintenance of a hatchery that never existed, it was, indeed, foolish to spend time and money searching for trout that never existed. All that has been changed now and today the angler can look forward to the coming open season with more than a degree of certainty as the trout are in the streams to be caught. The only drawback that can be anticipated will come from the condition of the water, which is unusually high because of the great amount of snow and ice that accumulated in the mountainous districts.

That the coming season will be the best that has happened in years is a prognostication based on facts. Systematic stocking of the waters with matured fish has been carried on by the members of the Board of Fish and Game Commissioners for four years, and the work is now yielding. Ten millions of trout have been liberated in that time, and through efficiency in handling them, as well as knowing when and where to place them in the water, wonderful results have followed. Many streams have been visited during the past three weeks by men who usually get their bearings before the season opens. Reports from them show that the fish are searching for food. Rainbow trout measuring fourteen inches have been seen hiding behind rocks ready to dash at the first moving object that appeals to them. One party of three anglers spent an entire day along the banks of the Musconetcong river, looking for signs of trout, and they returned well satisfied with what they saw. So it has been with many others. Reports from the southern section of the State, especially Monmouth county, where the streams have been free of ice for a month, are encouraging, while as far south as Atlantic county, where the trout are new comers, the anglers are making great preparations for the coming season.

Hunterdon county boasts of what are sending out literature relating to the fact that the catching of trout in their neighborhoods is becoming an annual event, while far off Sussex, not to be outdone, is sending out word that the ice on the streams is breaking up fast and by the end of the week it will have disappeared entirely. Warren county has many fine trout streams filled with the fishiters direct from the hatchery at Hackettstown, while Morris county claims to have received more than its share of ten-inch fish this year. Passaic county, Union county, Bergen county and Middlesex county streams have been well stocked, and the work will be completed until next Friday, when the wardens will be withdrawn from the work to watch for anglers who grow impatient for a chance to wet a line and venture forth to take a chance before the season opens.

Many local anglers will go to Monmouth county on the opening day, as the streams are about down to their normal spring capacity. Brook trout have been placed in the following streams of Monmouth: Yellow brook, Pine brook, Rockhochson brook, Tintern Manor brook, Willow brook, Englishtown brook, Sunset brook, Beaver brook, Manalapan brook, Manee brook, Hornerstown brook, Pelays brook, Prospertown brook, Weigel brook, Metuchen brook, Milltown brook, Rock brook and Arrowsmith brook.

Middlesex county—Mill brook, Green, Indian Spring brook, Bashing Ridge brook, Sage brook, Silver Lake brook, Helmetta brook, Jamesburg brook, Metuchen brook, Milltown brook, Weston's brook, Parsons' brook, Beaver Dam brook, Pow-wow brook, Pigeon Swamp and Saw Mill brook.

Union county—One of the best streams in this county was polluted last fall and thousands of rainbow trout killed. It is the Rahway river at Hoodwood mills and therabouts, and new stock has been placed in there. The other streams in the county are Ash brook, Reformatory lake, Rahway water works, and Green brook.

CHECKER CHALLENGE

Thomas Timbo, erstwhile resterateur of North avenue, well known in sporting circles in Plainfield and vicinity, is now looking around for those whom he may devour at the checker board. Timmie has recently secured some well earned victories over John Sullivan and John Powers, both of North avenue, and Tommie is now desirous of meeting other opponents who may wish to pass away an evening or two at the indoor sport.

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N. P. H. S. SCHEDULE WILL BE HARD ONE

Borough Boys Have Twenty-six Diamond Dates on Their Books

The North Plainfield H. S. baseball team will begin its season April 14 at Morristown, with Morristown H. S. as its opponent. Captain McDonough's players will tackle the hardest schedule the borough schools has had in several years, several new teams taking the places of a number of former opponents.

Among the new teams to be played are Pennington Prep, East Orange and Ridgewood High. Several dates are pending with New York high schools, and Manager Lowrie is almost sure of arranging a series with Horace Mann High of East Side High School.

With the present schedule, unless a recruit pitcher is unearthed in the borough, some heavy work will fall on the shoulders of Sid Dunning, who will most likely start as regular boxman for the Canaliers.

The schedule follows:

April

14—Morristown at Morristown.
15—Seton Hall Prep at South Orange.
18—Pennington Prep at Pennington.
19—Kearny H. S. at Hyde Oval.
21—Ridgewood H. S. at Ridgewood.
25—Carlton Academy at Summit.
26—Summit Prep at Hyde Oval.
28—Westfield H. S. at Hyde Oval.

May

1—Bernardsville at Bernardsville.
2—High Bridge H. S. at Hyde Oval.
5—Rutgers Prep at Hyde Oval.
8—East Orange H. S. at East Orange.
11—West Orange H. S. at West Orange.
12—Bernardsville H. S. at Hyde Oval.
14—Horace Mann (pending).
19—Plainfield H. S. at Parker Field.
22—Somerville H. S. at Somerville.
26—Seton Hall Prep at Hyde Oval.
26—Morristown H. S. at Hyde Oval.
30—Alumni at Hyde Oval.

June

2—Plainfield H. S. at Hyde Oval.
6—High Bridge H. S. at Hyde Oval.
9—Plainfield H. S.
12—Somerville H. S. at Hyde Oval.
14—Plainfield H. S. at Westfield.
15—West Orange H. S. at Hyde Oval.

BOROUGH MAIDENS IN OUTDOOR GAMES

N. P. H. S. Girls Are Planning Hiking Club and Regular Baseball Team

The Girls' Athletic Association of North Plainfield H. S., at a meeting yesterday decided to organize a hikers' club. The clubs will soon begin training and has already planned a hike through the wilds of Watchung and Warrenville for next week.

Not content with this line of endeavor, the girls have organized a baseball team and have been holding practice just above Hyde Oval during the past week. Prospects for a good team are promising, as several aspirants for places on the nine are well known for their baseball ability.

Tess McCullough was burning them across the pan Wednesday afternoon and Elsie Wyckoff showed up well on the receiving end. Marion Blair and Lillian Spencer are trying out for the keystone sack, with Nora McDonough, Helen Spencer, Marjorie Chandler and Marion Chandler going after the other infield positions. The outfield was rather sparsely settled in Wednesday's practice, but Rosana McDonough and Mary Clark showed some surprising ability in sailing down the high ones.

The girls have already received two challenges—one from a Newark high school and the other from the West Orange All-Stars, managed by Joe Byrne, well known in this city as a basketball referee.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SHOULD BE TIGHT

Race in Junior Organization Expected to be Fast From Present Indications

This season's journey down the American League schedule should be fully as productive of sensations as was last year's gruelling finish. No less than four clubs are due to be in the fight and the balance is such that the issue probably will not be decided until the season is in its closing month.

Detroit looks to be one team which will bear watching. The Chicago White Sox are strong, the Yankees, re-fitted with good arms and legs, must be counted in, and it would be folly to suppose that even a change in managership could keep the wonderful Red Sox from making an awful bid for the Ban Johnson bunting.

The Tigers have been due to win a pennant for several seasons. Just one thing has hampered them. Correct the faults in the Detroit pitching staff and there will be a baseball club that will tear its way through anything. Imagine a team making six and seven runs a day, only to see the opposition come through with just a few more. The offensive power of such a grand machine is lost in the inability of pitchers to hold the opposition to a few runs. With two good pitchers Detroit should win a pennant, for its stickmen are able to produce the runs.

The same thing might be said to hold good for the White Sox, but there are good pitchers there. The fault isn't wholly with the hurlers. The hitters are there to make the runs, and for a great part of the time the pitchers are there to do the holding. Comiskey's twirlers lost themselves last summer in the heat of the race and there is no reason why they should not return. The White Sox need a first baseman, and they need him bad. If Gandil can come through the White Sox will develop a dangerously well-balanced team.

The Yankees are dangerous, but hardly enough so to be voted a spring pennant. They need more experience as a team and a trifle more steadiness in the pitching staff.

The Red Sox will supply the entertainment for the season. The champions comprise one of the best balanced and best defensive teams thrown together for many years. If the crack doesn't come this year it will be hard to keep them out of another world's championship. A great deal depends on Jack Barry's ability, but the team is so constituted that if it holds together most any one could drive it to a flag.

TABS AND KNIGHTS TO BATTLE AT SOMERVILLE

After weeks of waiting, the long-delayed game between the Tabs of this city and the Knights of St. John of New Brunswick will be staged Saturday evening. The game has been booked for the Armory court floor at Somerville, a neutral floor. The only thing which will now prevent the contest will be the declaration of war, in which case the armory will be closed.

The Tabs have had a very successful season this year, having lost but a pair of games. The Knights have also been enjoying prosperity, being the runners-up in the Middlesex county championship race, losing out only after dropping come hard-fought games with the Riversides of Perth Amboy. In the series between the Tabs and the Knights each have one game, and something ought to break in the play Saturday evening.

In order to accommodate the large number of rooters who are expected to accompany the locals, a special car will leave the trolley station at 7 o'clock. Dancing will follow the game, music to be furnished by a five-piece orchestra from New Brunswick.

SCHOOL LEAGUE IS THE LATEST HERE

Six Teams Entered in Baseball Circuit for City's Future Stars

Plainfield is to have a Public School Baseball League this spring according to announcements made this morning by officials of the Public Recreation Committee. Six teams, representing the Irving, Evergreen Avenue, Jefferson, Grammar, Washington and Whittier schools, have entered the circuit and are now preparing for the opening games.

The league opening has been set down for Tuesday afternoon, April 10, and will be continued through to Saturday, June 9. While such a circuit as this is something of an innovation for this city, there appears to be no reason why the project should not be successful. Similar circuits are staged in other cities each spring, giving the youngsters an amount of proper outdoor exercise and creating in them a school spirit which can hardly be developed in any other way.

Crescent Oval and Hope Common, two fields which have served many years as Meccas for budding baseball stars of the Queen City, will be used for the majority of the games. While both fields have been discarded for some time by the Senior teams of the city the junior teams of various parts of the city seek the old spots for their games, evidently for the purpose of obtaining proper atmosphere for the diamond battles.

The complete schedule follows:

April—10, Irving vs. Evergreen; 12, Grammar vs. Jefferson; 14, Washington vs. Whittier; 17, Jefferson vs. Irving; 19, Grammar vs. Whittier; 21, Evergreen vs. Washington; 24, Jefferson vs. Whittier and Grammar vs. Washington; 26, Grammar vs. Evergreen and Irving vs. Whittier; 28, Washington vs. Irving and Evergreen vs. Jefferson.

May—1, Irving vs. Grammar; 3, Whittier vs. Evergreen; 5, Jefferson vs. Washington; 8, Jefferson vs. Grammar; 10, Evergreen vs. Irving; 12, Whittier vs. Washington; 15, Irving vs. Jefferson; 17, Whittier vs. Grammar; 19, Washington vs. Evergreen; 22, Evergreen vs. Grammar; 24, Whittier vs. Jefferson; 26, Irving vs. Washington; 29, Jefferson vs. Evergreen; 31, Whittier vs. Irving.

June—2, Washington vs. Grammar; 7, Grammar vs. Irving; 9, Washington vs. Jefferson and Evergreen vs. Whittier.

FARMERS PUT WARREN COUNTY ON DEER MAP

Dingman's, N. J., March 28.—Farmers in this section are preparing an appeal to the State authorities at Trenton for some relief from deer, said a son of the soil here yesterday. The animals are more plentiful than ever this spring and are so tame and bold that even kitchen gardens are not safe from them.

They eat with domestic cattle and are uncontrollable. They eat the vegetables in cold frames and hotbeds, which it is needful to leave exposed at this time of the year. They are also destructive of the winter wheat and forage on fields of this section, not only eating it but trampling it into the soft earth. They also eat the cover crops and the crops which are sowed for fertilizing.

"Dr. L. B. Smith, of Bushkill, Pa., recently went to the home of Mrs. Sarah E. Langart on a professional call and found six deer eating the crops on the place and no end about to drive them off. When one attempts to drive them they do not go far, being too tame."

PERSONAL

John T. Hazelton and family of Somerville, moved yesterday to this city.

Mrs. Bert Scott, of North avenue, Cranford, is a patient in Muhlenberg Hospital.

Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, who recently underwent an operation, is slowly convalescing at her home in the borough.

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DORGAN—On Tuesday, March 27th, 1917, Mrs. Abbie Dorgan, widow of Thomas Dorgan.

Funeral from her late home, 945 Arlington avenue, Friday, March 30th, at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock, interment in St. Mary's Cemetery. 2-28-21

FRAZEE—On Monday, March 26, 1917, Katherine Skillman, wife of Whitney Frazee, in her 41st year.

Services at her late residence, 715 South avenue, Thursday, March 29, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside Cemetery. 3-27-2t

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WARNINGS BY FISKE, WOOD AND ROBERTS

Americans should weigh carefully the recent utterances of two men whom they have trained to find out and tell them what the United States needs to assure its safety, and who should be above suspicion of any other motive than a patriotic desire to see their country at all times prepared to defend itself with the least expenditure of blood and treasure. Said Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske:

It is very unfortunate that the American people do not think there is any danger at all of attack by enemies. Our trouble is ignorance. The American people do not realize their danger any more than does a baby on a railroad track.

Said Major-General Leonard Wood:

War is coming as sure as God is in heaven and the sun shines in the sky. Give our American boys a sporting chance. Don't let them be food for powder. If we prepare ourselves against any possible foreign invasion and get out of this state of unpreparedness we may never need to use the gun on our shoulder. We are now wholly unprepared, and there is not a War Office in Europe that does not know it.

For years the people of the British Empire reviled Lord Roberts and called him Jingo for preaching in their ears warnings identical with these. But they have been paying for more than two years a butcher's bill which might have been avoided had they been able to show to an aggressor whose only right is might a military machine thoroughly organized by universal military training. Certainly Belgium, Serbia and Roumania would not have been trampled under the iron heel had Britain been prepared. The American people have the opportunity to learn by observation. Will they insist on learning by experience?—New York Evening Sun.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS FORM ORGANIZATION

The Electrical Contractors' Association was organized last night. George Graves was chosen president; Thomas Harding, secretary, and George Ord, treasurer.

The purpose of the organization is to foster the interests of the electrical trade and to participate in a "wire your house" campaign which the Public Service Corporation will launch in the very near future.

Those present at the meeting were: H. H. Apgar, William H. Pope, Edward Kyle, George Graves, A. M. Higgins, W. A. Reynolds, George Ord, A. V. Searing, Jr., Thomas C. Harding, George Andrews, John Lake, James Ellis, T. G. R. Ward, Jr., and Joseph Edgar. The association will meet again tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Noted Missionary Dead.

Atlantic City, March 28.—Word has been received here of the death at Lakewood, Fla., of Mme. Mountford, a missionary and lecturer known to thousands of church people throughout Pennsylvania, New Jersey and other eastern states.

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CAPTAIN W. A. MOFFETT.

He Will Cruise on Lakes For U. S. Navy Recruits.

Photo by American Press Association.

Captain Moffett, who is commandant of the Great Lakes Naval Training station at Chicago, has organized a motorboat recruiting flotilla which will visit every port on the lakes to seek young men for the navy.

M'DONOUGH IS CHARGED WITH THEFT OF $8,900

Perth Amboy, March 28.—John J. McDonough was brought here Monday night from Boston to answer to a charge of stealing $8,900 from the American Express Company of this place, which had employed him as a driver. The money had been consigned to the C. Pardee works and Bayne Brothers, local concerns. When Detective J. A. Huff found McDonough in custody of the Boston police he had made out a statement showing where and how he had spent nearly $6,500 of the stolen money. The first night after leaving Perth Amboy McDonough spent in Newark, going there by taxicab from South River.

The fugitive made his way to Boston spending money wherever he stopped after the style of "Butch" McDevitt, the Wilkes-Barre "millionaire for a day." His prodigality led to his arrest by the Boston authorities. In Boston he gave $20 tips to chauffeurs and a $60 coat to one who complained of being cold while driving McDonough.

About $2,400 was turned over to Huff with the prisoner and the money will be returned to the express company.

GLASS BOY FOUND, HE SAYS

Mrs. Charles L. Glass, of No. 13 Lienau place, Jersey City, has received the second telegram she has received from Kensett, Ark., inquiring about the reward of $500 offered for the return of her son, James Douglass Glass, who was four years old when he disappeared at Greeley, Pa., on May 12, 1915. Mrs. Glass said she expected to receive a letter and photograph on Monday or Tuesday next which H. E. Watson telegraphed that he had sent from Kensett.

Mr. Glass had not replied to the telegram, she said. It was possible, Mrs. Glass said, that the boy at Kensett was her missing son, but she feared it was another of the many false clues she had received. The telegram indicated a dispute as to whether the Sheriff or some other person at Kensett would be entitled to the reward.

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NEW IRISH CRISIS, DILLON'S WARNING

Hint of Easter Uprising Unless Home Rule Comes.

London, March 28.—Premier Lloyd George's government received a grave warning in the house of commons that the Irish question must be settled quickly or serious events will follow across the channels. John Dillon, Nationalist, demanded a statement from the government as to whether an announcement of its plans will be made before another Easter recess. He referred to the government's declaration that it had decided on its own responsibility to effect a settlement and added: "I feel bound from a deep sense of responsibility, having regard for Ireland's situation, to warn the government that if it allows Easter to pass without an indication as to whether it is in earnest regarding that declaration difficulties will arise which in all probability will make the situation worse than before."

Mr. Dillon also complained of the greatly increased stringency of the censorship during the last six months. The newspapers, he charged, were being directed how to influence the opinions of their readers and had received orders to suppress certain news.

M'ALL ASSOCIATION DOES GOOD WORK

The American McAll Association, which represents the Mission Populaire Evangelique in France, is doing a novel work for the French people in evangelistic and social service.

The new situations caused by the war have been met by relief enterprises of many kinds, chief among which are eight workrooms in Paris for women and girls; soup-kitchens at Nantes, Rouen and Desvres; organized work for women in Marseilles and other cities. In different stations the Mission's halls have been turned now into hospitals, now into soldiers' reading-rooms, and in the absence of the men, groups of women have organized civic associations for the closing of saloons and the betterment of social conditions in general. The Mission's agents are serving as chaplains at the front, both in the army and navy, and the Paris Committee has now undertaken to provide for as many war orphans as possible. Clothing and food are sent to the soldiers and prisoners and testaments, pamphlets and books to the French prisoners in Germany.

The Director-in-Chief writes, that he recently sent to over eighty Protestant Chaplains of the army boxes containing such articles as knives, electric lamps, pipes, clothing, preserves, soap, towels, etc., for distribution to the soldiers to whom they were ministering, bidding them inform each soldier that these little gifts were an expression of the sympathy of their American friends.

Contributions, needed more and more as the war continues, may be sent to Mrs. A. R. Perkins, Treasurer, at the Bureau of the Association, 1710 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

SOMERVILLE MAN TO ADDRESS G. O. P.

The New Brunswick Republicans will celebrate the victory of the Republican party in Middlesex county at the last general election at a banquet at the Mansion House, that city, Thursday, April 12.

C. Raymond Lyons is chairman of the committee on arrangements. Among the speakers will be ex-Governor Edward C. Stokes and the Hon. Fred Pope, of Somerville.

While the affair is to be conducted principally for New Brunswick Republicans there will be a number of guests from this county and State.

ROUMANIANS OFFER SERVICES TO AMERICA

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 28.—Governor Walter E. Edge today made public a letter which he has received from the Rev. Father D. C. Ludacu, of this city, chairman of the Executive Board of the Roumanian National Committee, in which the services of the Roumanian people in the United States are offered to the Government in the event of war with Germany.

"After a consultation with the officers of the Roumanian Commission at New York," says the writer of the letter, "I am authorized to say that in the present difficult circumstances the Roumanians residing in the United States want to co-operate with those who are inspired with the most high principles of humanity.

"The Roumanians in this country number about one hundred thousand, fifty per cent. of whom have served in the army for at least three years. These men will be organized into regiments or foreign legions which will serve the cause of the United States with the highest satisfaction."

Governor Edge has turned the communication over to Adjutant General Barber.

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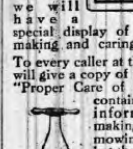

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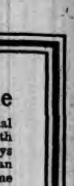

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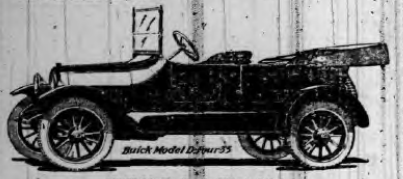

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Commission Announces that Owing to Large Number of Applicants Those Not Regular at Drills Will be Dropped

The Home Defense League met for its second drill at the Evergreen Avenue School last evening. The men showed the result of the first evening's drill and there was great improvement in the linement and marching last night. After going through the drill in company time, the men were taken out of doors and put through a stiff half-mile run. On coming in they were all measured for uniforms which will be ready in the course of a week or ten days.

The commission is preparing a list of fifty men from applications on file for recommendation to Mayor Calkins for appointment as a second unit. The Mayor in all probability will send the names in to the Council next Monday evening; and the appointees will be expected to appear at the Evergreen Avenue School Wednesday evening of next week at 8 o'clock for the purpose of being sworn in and measured for uniforms.

The commission wishes it understood that it is selecting applicants for appointment with the idea of choosing men from all classes and also from the various geographical districts of the city. It is deemed important to have men chosen from all parts of the city. In view of the large number of applications constantly coming in, the commission will probably find it necessary to make a rule dropping from membership in the league men who are not absolutely regular and prompt at the drill on Wednesday evenings and at target practice when assigned. As there are more applications than can be accepted, it is deemed unfair to keep men out of the league who are willing to give up all of their engagements in order to maintain strict military regularity in the organization, when places might be provided for them by requesting those who cannot be regular to withdraw. At present there has been little sign of irregularity, the members of the first unit being enthusiastic in their work, but the announcement is now made early so that it may be known before others sign the agreement promising strict regularity.

With regard to finances, a large amount of money must be raised to thoroughly equip and drill as many as two hundred men and the finance committee hopes that people of the city will appreciate this fact.

So far the contributions have been generous, but the committee is anxious that the movement will be in all respects a popular one. Nearly two thousand residents of Plainfield within a few days have subscribed their names to the National Government; and it is a part of the National defense for localities to take reasonable precaution to safeguard their local interests. The committee hopes to receive a large number of small contributions from the signers of the letter recently sent to the President of the United States. Contributions from $1.00 down to 10 cents will be acceptable. Let everybody give a little, according to his means, and have his name added to the roll of those in Plainfield who are willing to help in this work. As that is necessary is to step into the Plainfield Trust Company any day and make your contribution direct to Mr. Hubbell. Names but not amounts will be announced through the press.

Y. W. C. A. PLANS FOR TENTH ANNIVERSARY

The Young Women's Christian Association of this city will be ten years old in April, having been organized in 1907. All the various clubs and classes as well as the association as a whole are planning parties, banquets and celebrations of all kinds. The first event of the month will be an anniversary vesper service on Sunday afternoon, April 1, at 4 o'clock. Mrs. G. K. Swinburne, a member of the National Board of the Y. W. C. A. will speak on "Anniversaries and Their Significance." Mrs. F. G. Mead, who was president of the association for eight years, will lead the meeting.

Miss Irma Good will be the soloist and it is hoped that all the friends of the association, new and old, will attend and help make this service one of thanksgiving for the ten years of continued and increasing usefulness of the association in Plainfield.

THE NEW YORK SUNDAY AMERICAN

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GUARDSMEN GET ORDERS TO MOVE

Capt. Peterson Directed to Take Company K to Elizabeth Armory

MEN READY FOR SERVICE

Telegram Received from Department of the East Requesting Information as to Whether Company Was Mobilized

Following a telegram received from the Department of the East at Governor's Island, early this morning, requesting Captain Charles A. Peterson of Company K, to state whether his command was mobilized and ready to move, orders were received by the captain at noon directing him to prepare to move the company to the Elizabeth Armory this afternoon. Upon the arrival of the guardsmen at the county seat further instructions will be given.

It will probably be late this afternoon before the company leaves Plainfield as Captain Peterson must first arrange for the transportation of the men and this will require a little time. The orders to go to Elizabeth came from the Adjutant-General's office at Trenton. The regular members of the company are equipped and ready for service and the recruits, if accepted, will have to get their equipment later.

Nine recruits appeared last night and were listed to wait the surgeon's examination. The recruiting will go on intensively, with the expectation of adding about thirty men.

The company, except the guard, was dismissed last night at ten o'clock until eight o'clock this morning. The guard consisted of Sergeant De Camp and Privates Charles H. Bauman, Ernest S. Bird, Joseph Kirch, David Laing, Adam A. Miller, Herbert H. Reynolds and Edward H. Weaver.

The new army pack will be issued today, also three suits of underwear and two pairs of shoes to each man.

Until orders giving disposition of the company are received there will be extensive drilling in close order indoors, and in extended order out of doors.

QUEEN CITY HOTEL TO BE RE-OPENED SATURDAY

J. A. Staats, proprietor of the Queen City Hotel, who has been making extensive repairs and improvements at the hostelry during the past few weeks, announced today that the hotel will be opened Saturday afternoon, from which time he will be glad to see his old friends and any new ones. The building has been completely overhauled and renovated and made modern in every detail.

RHODE ISLAND RED ON THE RAMPAGE

The peace and quiet of Craig place were somewhat disturbed Tuesday when the Rhode Island Red rooster of Sewer Inspector Jim Walker's flock of thoroughbreds got loose from his moorings and started on tour along West Front street. From the footprints along the highway Inspector Walker and his sleuths followed the bird through Grove street, then out to Front street, where for a time they were foiled. The bird was finally located where it sought seclusion in the vestibule of a Front street church, listening attentively to the doctrines that were being expounded.

The chase was a hard one and the incident was the cause of Walker not being able to show up at the pinochle contest that night.

MR. AND MRS. C. A. REED ARE HOME FROM FLORIDA

Corporation Counsel and Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Woodland avenue, returned yesterday after a sojourn of several months in Florida. They both enjoyed the delightful climate in the South. Mr. Reed spent a great deal of his time on the golf links playing his favorite game.

ELECTS OFFICERS

At a recent business session of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Temple Baptist church, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Edward Simon; vice-president, Miss Bessie Carson; secretary, Miss Grace Baker; treasurer, Charles Post; corresponding secretary, Fred Reed; social committee, Harry Woodruff; prayer meeting committee, Charles Gutzinger; lookout committee, Bertram Smith; temperance and good citizenship committee, Mr. Boyd; music committee, Miss Verna Stewart; flower committee, Mrs. Frank Stewart; missionary committee, Miss Curtiss.

ALFRED COLLEGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Glee Club Organization Gave Program Last Night at Seventh Day Baptist

The Alfred, N. Y., College Glee Club made its annual visitation to our city last night, giving a splendid program of entertainment at the Seventh Day Baptist church. The string club, quartet and readers were frequently applauded, and the recitationists, Messrs. Clausen and Murdock, were repeatedly recalled. Two students, John H. Cottrell, Jr., of this city, and Milton F. Randolph, of New Market, are members of the club.

The program presented was as follows:

Part I—College songs, Glee Club; Winter Song, Glee Club; reading, Katherine and Petruchio, Burtis R. Murdock; Ukulele Medley, String Club; Song of the Armorer, Glee Club; vocal solo, Bedouin Love Song, Ray W. Wingate; Hangin' Out De Gloes, Glee Club.

Part II—Up the Dawn, quartet; Honey, I Wants Yer Now, Glee Club; reading, Harold C. Clauses; Drink to Me Only, Glee Club; Ukulele Selection, String Club, Comrades in Arms, Glee Club; Alma Mater, Glee Club.

Following the entertainment a reception took place, the members of the club receiving a royal welcome from those present.

The affair was given under the auspices of the Boy Scouts of the local Seventh Day Baptist church. Theo. O. Davis was in charge of the program. The club is on its Easter vacation trip and left today for Pleasantville, where the concert will be given tonight.

SAFETY COMMITTEE DISCUSSED PLANS

At Meeting in Trenton Calkins Urged Passage of Census Law

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, March 29.—Plans looking toward the stimulation of recruiting for the National Guard, the formation of home guard organizations in the different communities in the harnessing of all the industries within the confines of the commonwealth into one big organization for the making of clothing, food and other supplies for troops, were some of the topics discussed here yesterday at the organization of the New Jersey Committee on Public Safety. The committee includes within its scope the 700 municipalities in the State, and Mayor Thomas L. Raymond, of Newark, by reason of his election as chairman of the executive committee, is virtually head of this body.

At the suggestion of Mayor Calkins, of Plainfield, the organization effected, went on record as favoring passage by the Legislature when it holds its final session here tomorrow, a bill providing for the registration of all subjects or citizens of a foreign power, should the United States go to war with that power. Mayor Calkins pointed out that a similar bill is pending in the New York Legislature. It requires the aliens affected to appear before designated city officials and register from time to time. In addition boarding house proprietors are required to report new arrivals.

MORE MEN WANTED FOR ENLISTMENT

The members of Company K are distributing circulars to able-bodied men informing them of the opportunity to enlist in the services of the country and inviting them to apply to the armory at 320 West Front street, this city, where applications will be received for recruits.

A SURPRISE PARTY FOR HIS BIRTHDAY

A surprise party was given in honor of John W. Beattie, of West Front street, last evening on the occasion of his birthday. It was a complete surprise to him, as Mrs. Beattie, who had made the necessary arrangements for the affair, took particular care that no advance information was given out. The evening was pleasantly spent, as there was an abundance of talent among the guests present.

The features were the playing of solos on an English concertina by Mr. Beattie and the selections played by Mrs. Lauritzen on the pianola.

A collation was served at a late hour and the company before going to their respective homes wished the host many happy returns of the day.

UNITY LODGE TO ENTERTAIN

Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, will give an entertainment, social and dance in its rooms tonight. It is expected that William D. Quick, of Somerville, supreme representative of the order, and William Newcorn, of this city, will be present and make short addresses.

ALL READY FOR WAR RELIEF MEETING

Judge Newcorn States Many Contributions Received—Describes Conditions

Arrangements are progressing satisfactorily for the big Jewish War Relief meeting to be held in Columbus Auditorium on Tuesday night, April 3. Previous to the meeting a luncheon will be given in honor of Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, of New York, who will be the principal speaker.

Judge Newcorn, chairman of the meeting, announced this morning that the members of the committee of arrangements will be invited to attend the luncheon to Rabbi Wise. He also stated that he has received a number of sympathetic communications from local residents with donations inclosed for the relief of the Jews in the war zone.

"The appeal which we are making at this time," said Judge Newcorn, "is for the relief of people whose sufferings cannot be imagined by anyone in this land of peace and plenty. Rabbi Wise, of New York, who recently returned from the war zone, describes scenes that seem almost incredible to any but those who are actually in touch with the situation.

"When one sees old men and women famished with hunger and half clad, others with one arm or one leg missing, children with their eyes put out, others too ill to raise their heads, and no food or medical attention to relieve their suffering, it furnishes a reason for alms giving stronger than has ever been presented before.

"These people have had no part in causing the war. They have been the peaceful non-combatants driven from place to place by the hosts of war and suffering untold hardships in their flight to places of safety.

"Love thy neighbor as thyself," is one of the mandates given to Moses on Mount Sinai, and every man, woman and child who believes in the teachings of Jesus, who practices the form of worship of the Old Testament, are perforce obliged to heed that injunction, and to show their love in a practical way by giving such as they can afford from their bountiful store.

"The people of Russia and Galicia a few years ago were not in want. They had sufficient to maintain themselves comfortably, but the scourge of war has effected a complete change. The American people have been asked to do much in the way of giving relief. There is no one else to ask under the present circumstances.

"One dollar will help to feed a hungry body, to still the cry of a famished child or nourish back to strength those now weak and emaciated condition has made them the prey of sickness. We hope to get $10,000 in Plainfield and trust that this hope may be realized."

Those who have contributed to date are: M. M. Mamot, A. C. La Bequeaux, C. N. Sebring, Murray Burtis, H. J. Manning, James Parker, Wolf Ox, I. H. Case, Dr. C. M. Anderson, M. C. Van Arsdale, Chas. Clark, Elliot T. Barrows, Florence Tweedy, E. L. Bonny, W. M. Wherry, Walter B. Lang, Carrie A. Parker, D. H. Barrows, John H. Abbott, Dr. E. G. Read, Hyman Adelberg, Mrs. Fannie Bauer, N. Meyers & Son, Wm. Sandford, Walter Temple, I. P. Runyon, W. O. Taylor, J. W. Davett, G. H. Goddard, Mrs. Fred W. Wallace, Mrs. W. B. Forbes, Mrs. Hummel, T. O. Deane, J. Van Mater, Emma McGee Joy, D. C. Ivins, J. A. Fass, W. T. Kauffman, Nelson Y. Hull, Rev. C. S. Schenck, George P. Mellick, George M. Holstein, Rev. Father Bogan, Leo Slonim, J. H. Jewett, Dorsey W. Hyde, H. A. Pope.

WAR DEPT. PLANS TRAINING CAMPS

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 29.—The War Department today announced that no less than twenty-five civilian training camps would be organized between June and October. In the Eastern department, four camps will be organized at Plattsburg, New York, the first from June 2 to July 1, the second from July 2 to August 5, the third from August 11 to September 9, the fourth from September 15 to October 14. Six camps will be maintained in Central department, five in the Southern department, and three in the Western department.

NEW RAILROADS FOR JAPAN

Tokio, March 29.—The Imperial Railroad Board is contemplating the construction of 28 new railroads in Japan. They will total 1,135 miles and will cost the Japanese people $19,583,000.

Auto Auction Next Saturday

Unusually large assortment desirable cars sold to highest bidders, cash or deferred payment. Thompson Auto Co.—Adv. 3-24-6t

EDWARD L. MORRIS DIES IN BROOKLYN

Former Councilmen and Well Known Citizen Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis

Edward L. Morris, aged 83 years, whose death occurred at his home, 772 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, on Tuesday, following a stroke of paralysis, was a well-known resident of Plainfield for twenty years prior to 1890, in which year he returned to Brooklyn, where he spent his early life. Mr. Morris while living here was a member of the city council, served on the board of fire commissioners, was active in fraternal organizations, especially the Royal Arcanum, and was also a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church.

Mr. Morris was born at Eltontown and after going to Brooklyn engaged in the coal business which he continued practically up to the time of his death. He was known as the veteran of the New York coal trade and more recently had acted in an advisory capacity in the interest of the trade in general. Prior to his fatal illness he had suffered several paralytic strokes and after a time was able to resume business.

Mr. Morris is survived by two daughters and a sister. The funeral will be held at the late home at 2 o'clock tomorrow morning and the interment will be in the family plot in Hillside cemetery where Mrs. Morris was buried a number of years ago.

PLATTSBURG MEN FORM ORGANIZATION

Plans Approved for Active Campaign, Including Illustrated Lectures

The Plattsburg men of Plainfield met in the High School building last evening at 8 o'clock and organized by electing J. Wilson Foster president and D. Fred Aungst secretary. Plans for recruiting men were laid.

Each man pledged himself to enroll at least four men. The movement embraces the Junior Camp, which will be held at Pine Island. A publicity committee was formed with D. Fred Aungst as chairman, and C. H. Frost, Alan Stevenson, Hamilton Wilmerding and C. W. T. Overton.

Evarts Tracy, a major of the Reserve Corps, gave an interesting talk on the Officers' Reserve Corps. Major Tracy offered to give a lecture on "Plattsburg," illustrated with 2,000 feet of moving picture film.

Mr. Aungst said that he had already booked several engagements to give stereopticon talks on camp life. A mass meeting will be held, giving these talks.

An army officer will be secured, if possible, to talk on the Plattsburg and Plum Island plan. Preparations are being made for 50,000 men at the camps this year. Plainfield will certainly send her quota, it is believed.

EVAN WILLIAMS SINGS HERE ON APRIL 9

The Plainfield Dental Society has arranged a concert for the benefit of dental patients in Muhlenberg, to be held in the Plainfield high school on the evening of Monday, April 9, when Evan williams, the celebrated Welsh tenor, will sing. He will appear with the Edith Rubel Trio.

Tickets may be secured at the Ideal Music Co., 150 East Front street. Mr. Williams comes with a world-wide reputation won by his glorious voice and sincere manner. He will be warmly received as he has been everywhere this season. The program will embrace several songs made famous by the great tenor.

COLUMBIANS TO HOLD PRAYER SERVICE

The members of Watchung Council Knights of Columbus will meet at the corner of Ninth street and Arlington avenue at 8 o'clock tonight and will go from there to the late home of Mrs. Abbie Dorgan where the usual prayer service will be held.

PACKAGE RECOVERED THROUGH COURIER AD

A package of valuable silk that was lost a few days ago in this city has been returned to the owner by the finder, who saw the advertisement of the loss in the columns of this paper.

PARK CLUB EASTER DANCE

Invitations have been issued for an Easter dance to be held by the Park Club on the evening of April 12. It is expected that this will be largely attended by the younger as well as many of the older members of the club.

BERLIN MAY TRY TO PACIFY GERMANY BY OFFERS OF PEACE

By United Press:

London, March 29.—German Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg may strive to stave off a growing sentiment for democratizing Germany, by a new peace proffer today. At the least he is expected, according to rumors, to announce sweeping reforms in Germany's governmental structure, permitting more active participation by the people.

PRESIDENT WAITING NEXT DEVELOPMENTS

By United Press:

Washington, March 28.—President Wilson is holding up judgment on some vital details of his war message to Congress pending developments of the next few days.

The German Imperial Chancellor, von Bethmann-Hollweg, is expected to speak in the Reichstag today, giving an outline of Germany's future course in the conduct of the war and possibilities of her making peace. At the same time the effectiveness of armed neutrality as illustrated by the safe passage of armed American merchantmen to England has created a strong impression here. It is shown that not only is Germany not attacking these liners, but there is an absence of the usual Teutonic bombast about American liners "escaping only by accident."

There are some who believe that with the great preparedness movement now in full swing in the United States the President may, while presenting a bristing front to Germany, still hold out an appeal to all nations to talk reason before the United States is forced by circumstances not of her own choosing, to get into the war. The preponderance of official opinion, however, is that the President is all through exercising patience toward Germany; is convinced that a state of war exists, and will so declare to Congress, asking that every means be taken to bring the great war to a speedy and successful end.

MR. BRYAN STILL BELIEVES IN HIS GRAPE JUICE NAVY

By United Press:

New York, March 29.—"As one who expects to live up to a citizen's duties if war comes," William J. Bryan wired the United Press:

Miami, Fla.: To the Members of Senate and House, Washington, D. C.:

"Exercising a citizen's right of petition, I appeal to you the dispute with Germany has passed beyond the domain of diplomacy. The metropolitan press, which tried to prevent the re-election of the President and failed, undismayed by a popular verdict of more than half a million people, now seeks to lash the country into a fury and urges the Government to take part in the European conflict."

Bryan asked the Senators and Congressmen that before "you take blood upon your hands to consider first that the wrongs which you would punish, cruel and unjustifiable as they are, are not intended primarily against this country, but are the acts of desperation.

Second, "that our land is not threatened with invasion, but that we are asked to go 3,000 miles to fight."

Third, "that we have not the excuse to go to war that European nations had. They had no machinery for peace. We have a peace plan offered by this nation to the world and now embodied in thirty treaties with three-quarters of the population of the globe."

GREAT UNREST AMONG THE GERMAN PEOPLE

By United Press:

London, March 29.—Not only is the Franco-British advance after the retreating Germans on the western front going too fast to suit the Teutonic plans, but there is great unrest at home among the German people. Dispatches from Holland today report efforts of the leaders to quiet an undercurrent of sentiment for greater power for the people by sudden decisions at once to grant increased powers to the voters.

FRANK LENT DIED THIS MORNING

Frank Lent died this morning at his home on South avenue in the 71st year of his age after an illness of two weeks' duration. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Mr. Lent was born in New York and came here a few years ago. He was a printer. Of a business in New York City. He leaves his wife, one son, Edwin, and a daughter, Miss Florence Lent; also a brother, Edwin, and a sister, Miss Ella Lent.

CONTRIBUTORS TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following is the list of the contributors to the Home Defense League up to date:

George P. Mellick, Stuart H. Patterson, T. J. Mumford, John M. Whitten, W. T. Kaufman, Wilbur H. Rogers, S. S. Carvalho, C. C. Burlew, Jr., C. D. Burke, A. M. Harris, Chas. B. Eddy, J. Herbert, Case, H. J. Cochran, Wm. L. Lockwood, Henry E. Bether, Leighton Calkins, Adam C. Hill, David G. Weems, O. T. Warring, E. T. Barrows, E. W. Hedges, E. J. Patterson, J. S. Schuyler, E. F. Cals. Cox, W. F. Austin, Charles H. Detweiler, Harry H. Pond, A. A. Tilney, R. F. Murray, Edw. H. Ladd, Jr., R. F. R. Huntemann, Harry Lee, Clifton Wharton, Jr., J. C. Gilbert, J. L. Matthews, F. W. Ireder, D. H. Rowland, George McGrew, W. S. Tyler, C. B. Tyler, George M. Holstein, Percy H. Stewart, Thomas H. Leggett, Fred. J. Hughes, Walter H. Veysey, Edward G. Read, S. Doull Miller, William Newcorn, H. M. Knott, Frank G. Carter, E. Schloss, W. Schloss, L. W. Randolph, W. R. Causbrook, Kandy Shope, A. J. Gavett, L. M. Booth, Henry Nicolay, W. R. Cock, Robert Rushmore, Ladies' Auxiliary, Mrs. George Babcock, Miss Helen Hyde, Miss May Shreve.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Head, of Mountain avenue, Scotch Plains, announce the engagement of their daughter, Beatrice Ruth to Adelbert A. Whitford, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Whitford, of Dunellen.

PLAINFIELD LEAGUE OF PEACE TO MEET

A meeting of the Plainfield League for Peace will be held in the auditorium of the Plainfield Public Library Saturday night at 8 o'clock. An officer of the league says:

"In view of the fact that the great contribution which the United States can make to civilization during the present war is the championship of neutral rights and the advocacy of an international organization of guaranties of future peace. The subjects to be considered at this meeting will be the possibility of a conference of neutrals, to clarify and unify the neutral attitude and of urging the President to appoint a joint high commission of inquiry and conciliation." The public is invited to attend the meeting.

OVERHEATED STOVE SETS HOUSE ON FIRE

An overheated stove in a kitchen of the house occupied by W. S. Nelson, at 658 South Second street, set fire to the building at 4.17 o'clock, yesterday afternoon. Before the firemen put out the blaze damage was done amounting to $500. The blaze was extinguished with chemicals.

LECTURED IN HIGH SCHOOL

Former Mayor L. V. F. Randolph this morning delivered before the history classes of the High school the third and last of his course of three lectures on the "Making of Italy."

These lectures have been enthusiastically enjoyed by the students and at the close a hearty vote of thanks was given the lecturer.

A SON BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawk are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a ten-pound boy, who came yesterday afternoon. Mother and child are doing well.

—New Packer House, Perth Amboy, N. J., Peter Bloemsma, son, formerly of Plainfield, proprietors. Dancing Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 9 to 11:30 p. m.—Adv. 3-27-1m

Weather Generally Fair Easter Week

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LEGISLATURE WILL STAY OPEN

War Likely to Prevent Formal Adjournment.

MAY REMAIN TILL OCTOBER.

Work Will Be Completed by June, but National Crisis Makes It Desirable to Keep Organization Intact In Case of Necessity—Long Recess During Summer After Regular Business Is Disposed Of.

Harrisburg, March 29.—Prospects are good for a late session of the legislature. The imminence of war is the principal cause and ajournment may not be taken until October.

The actual work of the session will close between May 15 and June 1, according to present plans. One or more recesses will then be taken until about the end of October, when final adjournment will be taken.

The revenue raising measures and the general and other appropriation bills will be rushed through the legislature in the hope of a recess being taken about the middle of May. Instead of adjourning sine die, however, the legislature will simply take a recess and will be in a position to be called into active session at a moment's notice without much extra cost to the state.

The revenue raising measures will not make their appearance until after the general appropriation bill is introduced in the house Monday night.

At the same time the report of the economy and efficiency commission, which has been working for sixteen months on a program for reorganizing the departments and bureaus of the state government, is expected to be made public. The report, according to advance gossip, contains some startling recommendations.

The general appropriation bill, together with the special appropriation measures, will provide for a total of less that $71,000,000, according to Chairmen Buckman and Woodward of the appropriations committees of the senate and house respectively. Two years ago a total of $67,500,000 was appropriated.

The revenue raising bills, which will be introduced late next week at the earliest, include the following:

A tax of 5 per cent on the value of coal and coke prepared for sale.

A tax of 2 per cent on the value of oil and natural gas at the well.

A tax of 1 mill on all stock of manufacturing concerns.

A tax of 5 per cent on direct inheritance.

A tax of 1 mill on real estate.

A tax upon the sale of tickets for all theatrical performances.

These measures in the aggregate would increase the annual revenue of the state by between $12,000,000 and $13,000,000. All of them, however, are not expected to be passed.

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READING COAL CO. CUTS PRICE OF COAL

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Coal dealers say they believe all other producing companies will follow the lead of the Philadelphia & Reading, notwithstanding earlier predictions that, on account of unusual conditions this spring, the customary reduction would not be made.

VERDICT FOR THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY

In the District Court here yesterday, Judge Crane awarded judgment to the Standard Oil Company, for $95 against the Ford Taxi Company, of Fanwood. The suit against the Taxi Company involved Katie Ford, John W. Ford, Jr., and George Estelle. The evidence showed that Katie Ford was not in the partnership, but that she had loaned the money to her son and Estelle to start the business. Judge Crane decided there was no cause for action so far as she was concerned and granted a judgment against John W. Ford, Jr., and Estelle. Harvey Rothberg was counsel for the Standard Oil Company.

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CONFERENCE LOYAL TO THE PRESIDENT

Methodist Ministers Send Telegram to Wilson at Opening of Annual Session

Soon after the opening of the sixtieth annual session of the Newark Methodist Conference in Halsey street church, Newark, yesterday, there was a unanimous declaration of loyalty to President Wilson and the country, the former being assured of the entire support of the conference in a telegram sent to him over the signature of Bishop Luther B. Wilson, who is presiding at the session.

There was another demonstration when Rev. Warren P. Coon, chaplain of the First New Jersey Infantry and pastor of Grace Memorial church, Kearny, appeared. This led the bishop to remark: "Newark Conference has always been at the front in all good things throughout its history."

Supplementing these outbursts, the conference, on motion of Rev. Dr. W. C. Shodgrass, formerly of this city, authorized the appointment of a committee on the state of the country. Its duty will be to keep in touch with current events and suggest action by the conference.

Organization of the conference was completed with the re-election of Rev. Dr. Bloom, as secretary; Rev. Dr. Frederick C. Mooney, of Elizabeth, statistician, and Rev. Dr. Warren R. Neff, Hoboken, treasurer. These officers appointed the following assistants: Secretaries, Rev. Austin E. Armstrong, Flemington; Berryman H. McCoy, Paterson; Geo. P. Dougherty, Newark; Mr. Coon, Charles R. Barnes, Hoboken, and J. M. Versteeg, Bayonne.

Statisticians, Rev. Whitfield C. Timbrell, Stony Point, N. Y.; Harry P. King, Califon; John H. E. Schultz, Jersey City; Norman P. Champlin, Stanhope; James K. Easley, Sussex; K. K. Quinby, Irvington; T. Stuart Molyneux, Caldwell; Levi B. McMickle, Elizabeth.

Treasurers, Rev. J. W. Ryder, Rahway; C. S. Hunt, Mountain View; David O. Cowles, Jersey City; F. W. Hindenberger, Hilton, and R. L. Leurich, Milford, Pa.

The annual memorial service for clergymen who died during the year was held. Rev. Dr. Charles R. Barnes, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Hoboken, delivered the address.

CAPSTICK RECOVERING FROM ILLNESS

Congressman John H. Capstick, of this district, who has been confined to his home suffering with a cold, is improved. He hopes to attend the special session of Congress next week

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Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The "Fashion Show" under the auspices of the educational committee of the association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to see the exhibits of leading Plainfield merchants and also the work of the classes at the association. Refreshments will be served.

The association orchestra will celebrate its first birthday with a party to be held tomorrow night. All young women who play a musical instrument are invited to join this organization which meets for practice every Friday night.

The basketball team of the Easton Y. W. C. A. will be the guest of the Plainfield team Saturday night. There will be a game at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock. The visiting team will stay over until late Sunday afternoon, attending the vesper service at 4 o'clock

PUBLICLY APOLOGIZED FOR INSULT TO FLAG.

Norwich, N. Y., March 27.—Clarence Utter, a young American, who tore down the United States flag from a public building here and tore it up was made to publicly apologize, purchase a new flag and hang it back on the building.

Nearly 2,000 people witnessed the event, many coming from nearby towns. Many school children were dismissed and several factories closed down for the occasion.

D. FRED AUNGST TO GIVE LECTURE TO RED MEN

Manitonomo Tribe, No. 118, Improved Order Red Men, at its meeting last night conferred the chief's degree on twenty candidates. Next Wednesday night there will be class adoption of twenty-five candidates. An invitation has been given to the initiatory team of Milltown Tribe. This is one of the best teams in the State.

Upon invitation of the local tribe, D. Fred Aungst, principal of the North Plainfield High School, will give an illustrated lecture on "Preparedness" at the tribal hall Wednesday night, April 11, when views of the Plattsburg camp will be shown and Mr. Aungst will tell of his experience there last summer.

AT PROCTOR'S today you will see a picture concerning Mr. Skinner and His Clothes.

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Quaker and Hecker Oats, 3 pkgs.	28c
Broken Macaroni and Spaghetti, per lb.	10c
Best Rolled Oats, 6 lbs.	28c
Yellow and White Meal, per lb.	4½c
Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs.	25c
Hotel Astor and Hecker's Rice, 3 pkgs.	25c
Fancy Head Rice, 4 lbs.	25c
Federal Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 pkgs.	25c
Hershey's Cocoa, ½-lb. can, 15c; 1-lb.	29c

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LEGAL NOTICES.

An Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FURTHER ADDITION TO THE SYSTEM OF SEWERAGE ALREADY CONSTRUCTED IN THE CITY OF PLAINFIELD, NO. 18.

WHEREAS, There has been constructed in said city a system of sewerage and such action is relative thereto has from time to time been taken as is set forth in the preambles to the ordinances of said city entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the construction of an addition to the said system of sewage already constructed in the City of Plainfield," approved November 6, 1897, to which preamble reference is hereby made for greater certainty; and

WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Common Council the public good requires that a further addition, as hereinafter described, to the system of sewerage already constructed, should be now constructed in and for said city under the provisions of the Act in said preambles referred to, and the Common Council has so determined and does hereby so determine; therefore,

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Common Council doth hereby direct and order that a further addition to the system of sewerage already constructed under said Act and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, be constructed in and for said city under the provisions of the Act of the Legislature above referred to, with all the appurtenances necessary to complete the same, of such dimensions and material and according to such plans as the Common Council may hereafter direct, in and through the following described streets, avenues, property and rights of way, namely, Watchung Avenue, referred to in this ordinance as the

Front Street, North, from Jefferson Avenue 625 feet; and,

Madison Avenue, from West Front Street to West Second Street; and

West Second Street, from Park Avenue to Central Avenue.

Adopted by the Common Council March 19, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 21, 1917.

LEIGHTON CARKINS, Mayor.

Attest:
JOHN J. CARROLL, City Clerk.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Estate of Charles E. Westervelt, Deceased

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Twenty-eighth Day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, Administratrix, c. t. a., of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

ROBERT PEEL,
ADA F. WOOLEY,
Administrators with the will annexed.

It is requested that claims be presented to Clarence D. Meyer, Frederick W. Yates, attorneys for Administrators, No. 141 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

3-29-6aw-6w Fees, $11.10 3-22-12t

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to Establish the Curb Lines on Watchung Avenue from East Fifth Street to East Fourth Street," of which is subjoined to this notice, has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time, and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and will be for the purpose of the Common Council to adopt such ordinance at the regular session of the Common Council to be held in the Council Chamber, No. 125 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at eight o'clock p. m. on Monday, the ninth day of April, A. D. 1917, between the hours of seven, at which time and place prior to the consideration of said ordinance, all persons interested may be heard before the Common Council with reference to the proposed ordinance.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE CURB LINES ON WATCHUNG AVENUE FROM EAST FIFTH STREET TO EAST FOURTH STREET.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the curb lines of Watchung Avenue, from the northwesterly line of East Fifth Street to the southeasterly curb line of East Fourth Street, West Watchung Avenue, be and they are hereby established as follows: Said curb lines shall be parallel evenly at right angles from and parallel with the established center line of said Watchung Avenue.

Section 2. That the northeasterly curb line of said Watchung Avenue as herein ordered to be widened, shall be connected with the present curb line by a curve having a radius of curb not less than five (5) feet long.

3-23-3t

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 125 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

3-23-12t

LEGAL NOTICES.

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 9, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, No. 125 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, N. J., at which time and place it will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collections of assessments for benefits," as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the work to be done, is as follows: 1,560 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,820 lin. ft. concrete curb; 11,820 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel corner bars; 1,296 sq. yds. vitrified pavement on concrete foundation; 28,850 sq. yds. cement concrete pavement; 26,750 lin. ft. ½-inch expansion joints; 11,280 lin. ft. ¾-inch expansion joints; 11,650 sq. yds. covering fabric; 1,025 lin. ft. 15-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 9 inlets; 9 12-inch inlet connections; 870 lin. ft. concrete header.

Plans may be examined and forms of Proposal, Information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications obtained at the office of the undersigned, 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and for the curb to reject or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

3-23-12t

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

Estate of George Henry Frost, Deceased

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as Executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

FRANCIS WILLOUGHBY FROST,
CHARLES HAMILTON FROST,
Executors.

DeMEZA & CRANE, Proctors
124 Park Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

3-29-6aw Fees, $11.10

LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary E. Westervelt, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the Twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, as Administrator of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

RICHARD H. BROKAW,
Administrator.

It is requested that claims be presented to Frederick W. Yates, attorney for Administrator, 34 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.

3-29-6aw-6w Fees, $11.10

THE DEATH OF MRS. MARY VALARDI

Mrs. Mary Valardi, the wife of Saivan Valardi, of Filmore avenue, died this morning in the thirty-fifth year of her age. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning in St. Mary's church and the interment will be made in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. Valardi was born here and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Sharkey. She leaves, besides her husband, one son and two daughters, Michael, Theresa and Margaret, and two sisters, Mrs. Josephine Dolan, of Newark, and Mrs. Agnes Stewart, of Scotch Plains.

CHARLES SEBRING RETURNS

Former Sheriff Charles Sebring, of North Plainfield, has returned home after enjoying an extended trip along the east coast of Florida, where he visited friends at St. Augustine, Jacksonville, West Palm Beach and Miami.

The North Plainfielder, in his travels along the Florida coast, sprung something of a novelty in advertising his home town by having a string of films run off in the motion picture theatres, showing views of Plainfield and the surrounding territory. Sheriff Sebring stated that he was so busy meeting of his old time friends that he had little or no time to go fishing.

FINED $5 IN BOROUGH COURT

James Pasco, of Cottage place, was fined $5 in the Borough Court this morning. Pasco was implicated in a street fight on Saturday with Wm. Rush.

"GREENBROOK PARK" IF YOU PLEASE

That is the New Name for the Sewage Disposal Plant

Hereafter when the citizens of Plainfield, North Plainfield and Dunellen have occasion to refer to the place where the sewage of these towns is disposed of, they will please refrain from saying the "disposal plant" but instead will say "Greenbrook Park." It's more euphonious, you know; at least, that is the way Councilman Hylan, of this city, one of the members of the trunk sewer operating committee, put it at a meeting of the Joint Sewer Commission, last night.

Mr. Hylan is strong for the aesthetic, even when it comes to a sewage disposal plant, and he has won the other members of the commission to view the plant from an artistic standpoint, so they all refer to the place on the Darling farm as "Greenbrook Park."

That name, said Mr. Hylan, conveys the impression of a pleasant place. A report which Mr. Hylan read later covering the activities of the operating committee disclosed the fact that $225 has been appropriated for shrubbery and aromatic plants, whose sweet fragrance will play upon the olfactory senses of those who find themselves within the zone occupied by the disposal plant.

It is the aim of the operating committee to remove the impression that the disposal plant is in any sense a nuisance. As a matter of fact, it is a highly organized chemical laboratory, where scientific disposition is made of the waste of three communities. It is a very interesting place to visit, but only those who have business there can obtain admittance.

The operating committee's report showed that the plant has been operated for three months and that no odors have arisen. Considerable difficulty was experienced with meters at various points on the trunk line during the winter months, but this has been remedied and no further trouble is anticipated.

The cost of operating the plant for the past three months, exclusive of salaries, which are a fixed charge, was $797.66. This cost is apportioned between the three municipalities upon the following basis: Plainfield, 94 per cent., and Dunellen, 2 per cent. The cost falls the heaviest upon Plainfield at this time because the other towns have only a few house connections. As soon as all connections have been made the cost to Plainfield will be decreased.

At the present time Plainfield has 4,432 connections; North Plainfield, 236, and Dunellen, 88.

The commission will meet in the future on the fourth Tuesday in June, September and December. For the purpose of relieving the members of the operating committee alternate members of that committee were appointed last night. They are: Levis M. Booth, Plainfield; Marston Buttfield, North Plainfield; Robert Craig, Dunellen.

Councilman Charles S. Smineck presided over last night's meeting in the absence of permanent chairman Francis J. Blatz.

P. H. S. NOTES

A meeting of the senior class of the City High School was held this afternoon in the lecture room.

The High School Cadet Corps will hold their weekly drill tomorrow afternoon under the command of Captain John Brandeth, of the U. S. Reserve Corps. Further elementary drilling will occupy some of the two and a half hours of military training. Last Friday the corps was divided up into squads with temporary corporals in charge of each squad.

Easter vacation will commence tomorrow, Friday, March 30, and continue throughout Holy Week. In former years Easter vacation has started on the Monday after Holy Week, but will begin a week sooner this year.

The heavy firing of the big guns on Sandy Hook has been felt in the *High School for the past few days.* Two days ago the windows in the building rattled considerably, causing the attendants to think that an explosion occurred near the school.

Strong odors of something disagreeable floated about the school yesterday, and those who have not studied chemistry thought probably that bad eggs had been stored in the building somewhere. Chemistry students, on the other hand, had been preparing hydrogen sulphide gas which escaped about the school, which has an offensive odor.

ARGENTINE EMBARGO ON CORN AND OATS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—A press cable from Buenos Aires says that the Argentine Minister of Agriculture has asked the President to broaden the recent decree prohibiting exports of wheat, so as to cover corn and oats.

NO OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 29.—Secretary of State Lansing has no confirmation from The Hague that Minister Brand Whitlock is to be held incommunicado under a news quarantine, which Germany believes to be necessary.

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18224—10-in. 75c—Love Will Find the Way Reed Miller
A Picture of Dear Old Ireland Charles Harrison

18233—10-in. 75c—Somewhere in Dixie James Reed—J. F. Harrison
Silver Bay " James Reed—J. F. Harrison

18241—10-in. 75c—Baltimore Centennial March Conway's Band
Victor Herbert)
Patrol of the Scouts (E. Boccalari) " Conway's Band

74511—Home, Sweet Home John H. Payne—Henry R. Bishop 12-in., $1.50

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Chickens, alive, lb.	30c	Swift's Dixie Bacon, lb.	21c
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ANNUAL MEETING OF HOPE CHAPEL CHANGED

The annual congregational meeting of Hope Chapel, originally called for next Wednesday evening, April 4, will be held on the following evening, Thursday, instead, owing to the Biederwolf meeting to be held at the High school auditorium. The full Week of evangelistic services planned for the chapel every evening next week, beginning Sunday evening, and continuing through Friday evening, will be conducted without any interruption, except for the annual meeting.

BRITISH GAIN A VICTORY OVER TURKS

Special to the Courier-News:

London, March 29.—The British have gained another victory over the Turks in Egypt, acording to a statement issued by the War Office today, which says: "We engaged 20,000 Turks at Wady Ghuzzeh. South Ghazzeh, inflicting heavy losses upon the enemy, and capturing 900 of them, including the general commanding the division, and his entire staff. We also captured four guns."

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Economizing, by substituting the cheaper grades of meat and vegetables in place of the more costly ones, can be accomplished by the housewife, if she knows how, so that the family will be none the wiser.

One of the reasons why food bills are so much higher now than they were in our mother's time, is because many of the present day housewives are not willing to take the time to prepare and "dress up" the simpler foods, so that they will be both appetizing and palatable.

The use of fireproof ramekin dishes, casserole preparations and individual molds and compote dishes will often present the plainest ingredients in attractive form, and if it has been carefully cooked and delicately seasoned, these less expensive foods will quickly become popular favorites.

In the following tested recipes will be found formulas for making several of these dishes and the prudent housewife will find them all worthy of a trial:

Poached Eggs With Spinach

This is sufficiently hearty to serve as the main course for luncheon or supper. Boil two quarts of well washed spinach in just sufficient water to prevent scorching. Then drain and press through a ricer. Put it into a saucepan with one tablespoonful of cream, pepper and salt to taste and one teaspoonful of butter. Reheat and divide the vegetable puree into small, buttered baking dishes. Make a depression in the center of each, place in this a poached egg, dust the yolks of the eggs with black pepper and serve immediately with hot buttered toast.

Hot Hamburg Roast

Chop finely one pound of round steak and add two or three rounded of beef marrow (taken from the hind leg bone), a small slice of minced green pepper, one teaspoonful of grated onion, half a teaspoonful of salt, the beaten yolk of one egg and one-quarter of a cupful of soft bread crumbs, that have been soaked in cold water and then wrung dry in a piece of cheesecloth. With the hand, mix all the ingredients together very thoroughly, and care must be taken to mix the bread and marrow evenly through the meat. Press the whole into a compact roll of equal thickness through out. Put a slice of salt pork on the meat rack, set the roast on this, put a second slice over the meat and set to cook in a very hot oven. After six minutes, reduce the heat and let cook about fifteen minutes longer. The roast should be brown on the outside and pink at the center. Serve with a rich, brown gravy.

Peanut Scrapple

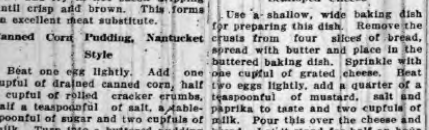
Sift together a cupful of cornmeal, half a cupful of fine grits and a scant teaspoonful of salt. Then scatter gradually into one quart of fast boiling water. Stir until smooth and turn into the upper part of the double boiler to cook for two hours. (The fireless cooker is also excellent for this purpose). Now add three quarters of a pint of shelled and chopped peanuts, pour the mixture into a greased mold and mold in an oblong pan. When firm, unmold, slice and fry in hot bacon dripping until crisp and brown. This forms an excellent meat substitute.

Canned Corn Pudding, Nantucket Style

Beat one egg lightly. Add one cupful of drained canned corn, half a cupful of rolled cracker crumbs, half a teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar and two cupfuls of milk. Turn into a buttered pudding dish, mix well and bake nearly an hour in a slow oven.

Scalloped Cheese

Use a shallow, wide baking dish for preparing this dish. Remove the crusts from four slices of bread, spread with butter and place in the buttered baking dish. Sprinkle with one cupful of grated cheese. Beat two eggs lightly, add a quarter of a teaspoonful of mustard, salt and paprika to taste and two cupfuls of milk. Pour this over the cheese and bread. Let it stand for half an hour and bake in a rather hot oven for twenty minutes.



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MR. FOX IN TROUBLE

Mr. Fox knew where there were some fat hens, and he did not let the grass grow under his feet getting there, for he knew that old Reddy Fox knew about them, too, for old Reddy was the one that told Mr. Fox where they were. The moon was shining, but every little while he would hide his face behind a cloud, and Mr. Fox looked and thought how much more accommodating he was than usual, for when Mr. Moon hid Mr. Fox could creep nearer to the place where the fat hens were roosting.

He was just running around the barn when out came Mr. Moon very brightly, and Mr. Fox dodged behind a barrel.

While he was waiting for Mr. Moon to hide again he smelled something that pleased him and poked his nose close to a bucket that stood near. He had just decided that there was meat in the bucket and pushed the cover off with his nose when the moon went behind the cloud again, but Mr. Fox decided that he would have meat and get the hens later, so he pushed his head into the bucket.

When he tried to take his head out Mr. Fox found he was held fast, but he ate the meat and didn't worry for he felt sure he could rid himself of the bucket by shaking it off.

But he shook and shook, and then he banged his head about; still the bucket held him fast and Mr. Fox forgot all about the fat hens and started to run for home.

But of course he could not see, and bang he went into the barn. He ran on a little farther, and bang he went against a big rock which knocked poor Mr. Fox over, and he rolled down the hill bumpety, bump, bump.

He picked himself up. He was very much frightened now, for he was having a hard time to breathe, but he ran on in the direction for home, as he thought, but instead he was going toward Reddy Fox's house.

Now, Reddy Fox was a pretty wise fellow, and he waited until he thought the moon would not be shining so brightly. He didn't think Mr. Fox would think of going out before either, but there were enough hens for both, and Reddy thought he would get Mr. Fox to go ahead, and so if there happened to be a trap or anything unpleasant, Mr. Fox could get it and Reddy would have a chance to escape.

Just as Mr. Fox picked himself up after rolling down the hill Reddy Fox came along the road, and when Mr. Fox ran he ran right into Reddy Fox coming around a turn in the road.

Bang he went into Reddy, and over went Reddy and Mr. Fox, too, and Reddy Fox, thinking some horrible animal had attacked him, began to scratch and kick and bite, as they rolled over on the ground.

The bucket by this time had been bumped about so much that it broke just as Reddy Fox gave an extra hard kick at Mr. Fox, and in a second up sat Mr. Fox, rubbing his head and looking around in a wild manner.

"Was that you?" asked Reddy, looking at Mr. Fox in the greatest surprise.

"What in the world did you have on your head? I thought you were some horrible wild beast. Where have you been?"

But to all these questions Mr. Fox made no reply. He only stared straight ahead and held on to his head.

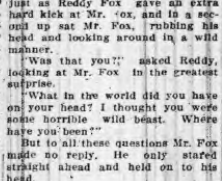
The rim of the bucket was still about his neck, and Reddy Fox jumped up and tried to pull it off.

"Where did you get this?" he asked. "It looks as if you would have to wear this for a collar for some time."

Mr. Fox took hold of the rim and looked up at Reddy. "I can breathe with this, but I was almost suffocated with that thing over my head. Where is it? Did you take it off?"

"Why, you broke it hanging about," said Reddy Fox, "but where did you get into this trouble."

Mr. Fox was feeling better by this time, and his thoughts came more readily.



"Oh! I had a terrible adventure," he said, for he did not want Reddy to think he had been after the fat hens without waiting for him.

"I was just walking along the road thinking you might come out early when something big and furry and with a mouth full of fire and teeth as long as spikes came up behind me and banged that dreadful thing over my head. Oh! it was terrible. I could not see, I could not breathe and I bumped into things as I ran, and I have been almost killed, Reddy, that is what has happened to me. I am going home."

Reddy Fox scratched his head and thought for a minute. "If this dreadful creature came up behind him how did he see how it looked?" thought Reddy. Then he looked at Mr. Fox and saw that his face was all smeared with something that looked like fat meat.

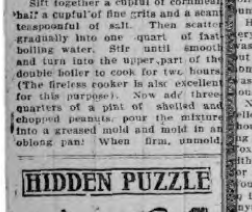
"Aren't you hungry?" he asked Mr. Fox.

"Not very, I feel so tired I guess I won't go with you tonight," answered Mr. Fox. "I am going home."

Reddy Fox watched him out of sight and then he looked at the remains of the bucket. "I think Mr. Fox ate his supper under difficulties," he said. "I am afraid he tried to butwit me and got caught.

"Next time I think he will wait for me and not be so greedy."

Tomorrow's story — "The Ugly Blanket."



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SUFFRAGISTS NOT TO SEEK VOTE AT PRESENT

Passage of a constitutional suffrage amendment will not be urged on Congress in its special session by the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association, it was announced by the association's president, Mrs. Edward F. Feickert, of this place, in addressing a meeting of the Equal Suffrage League, of Elizabeth on Tuesday. She added that the league would not, however, attempt to retard the efforts of other suffrage organizations.

One of Mrs. Feickert's hearers objected that suffrage for women was important enough to be considered no matter what other questions arose. The speaker said she would gladly go without the vote forever if it was in the best interest of the country. She said the suffrage organizations of the State would willingly do Red Cross and other relief work to prove they do not wish the right of suffrage without being willing to share in its responsibilities.

The Legislature's defeat of the suffrage measure was the main theme of Mrs. Feickert's talk. She condemned Speaker Schoen for his "steam roller" tactics, dwelling particularly on his refusal to hear the plea of Assemblyman Dolan, of Hudson, at the hearing given the measure.

ENGLISH WOMEN SMOKE IN OFFICES SINCE WAR BEGAN

London, March 29.—Women in England who smoke outnumber their American sisters possessed of the same weakness. One sees in the restaurants as many who smoke as who do not. It remained for the war to remove the next to last restriction. They are now smoking while at work in at least one London office. The last restriction will go when they are seen smoking in the streets.

Male army clerks always have been permitted to smoke while at work. Falling heir to many of the clerks' jobs, the women have fallen heir to the habit also. The only regulation prescribed is that they must not smoke before 11 o'clock or after 3 p. m.

FOR THE GARDEN

Washington, March 29.—The Department of Agriculture figures a family of four needs these seeds to keep it in fresh vegetables for the summer: A pint each of snap, wax lima and bush lima beans; ½ ounce of early cabbage, 1 ounce of carrot, 1 packet of cauliflower, 1 of celery, ½ ounce of cucumber, 1 packet eggplant, ½ ounce of kale, packet of parsley, ½ ounce of parsnips, 1 ounce of salsify, ½ ounce of summer squash and ¼ of an ounce of Hubbard squash.

FIRE DESTROYS COTTON

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—Between 500 and 600 bales of cotton were damaged by fire, water and smoke early this morning in a fire which took place in Dock Store No. 29 of the American Dock Company at Tompkinsville, S. I.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Peter Floersch, formerly of Plainfield, but now of Perth Amboy, has been visiting former Mayor and Mrs. Newton B. Smalley of the borough, for a few days.

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COMMUNITY MOURNS VIRGINIA GUNIARDO

The funeral of Virginia Guniardo, the little girl of eleven years of age who was killed on the tracks of Central Railroad of New Jersey on Monday, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her parents, on Cottage place. The funeral was unusually large and the flowers attested the love in which the child was held. The interment was made in St. Mary's Cemetery. An Italian band from Newark accompanied the funeral from the house to the grave.

Miss M. A. Phillips, of the Charity Organization, has sent the following kindly appreciation of the child:

Virginia

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

This community is infinitely poorer through the loss of the little girl whose life ended so tragically on the railroad tracks Monday. Virginia Guniardo, with lovely eyes and such eager sympathies, was the "Little Mother of Cottage place." Her quick hands and feet, her nimble tongue, equally rapid in Italian or English, were at the service of every one who was in need. Was there a new baby to be entered at the clinic? Virginia knew the way to the Charity Organization Society office and was there before school hours. Was there shoeless, coatless children on the block home from school because of clothing needed? Virginia knew where coats and shoes, old to be sure, but fit for one last service, might be borrowed. The little naked ones, so clothed, were marched in broken ranks under Virginia's generalship to the Babcock building where still better shoes and coats might be obtained and the little army marshalled home again, the general, triumphant, bearing bundles.

How could it have happened? Why was this dear little girl in that place of peril and how could her bright eyes have failed to see the approaching train? She must have been on some high errand bent, intent upon her goal and, as ever, regardless of herself. Either she sought to rescue some child whose danger alone she saw or else absorbed in some service for others, picking up coal, perhaps, for her particular friends, a fatherless family of seven, she was sacrificed. Everyone who knew her feels the loss.

M. A. PHILLIPS.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—Steamers arrived this morning:

S. S. Ottar, from Cardenas.
S. S. El Rio, from Galveston.
S. S. San Marcos, from Galveston.
S. S. Nordaljern, from Cebarnca.
S. S. H. M. Whitney, from Boston.
S. S. Hulda Maersk, from Cuban ports.
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MAYOR CALKINS URGES ENLISTMENTS

Troop D and Company K Need Large Number of Men

At a meeting of the Mayors of the State held in Trenton yesterday Mayor Calkins was appointed a member of the sub-committee on National Guard. The Mayor presented a resolution calling on the President and Congress for legislation on the general principle of universal training and service. It was unanimously adopted and forwarded to Washington.

As requested by the Governor, the Mayor stated this morning that he wishes to urge men of serviceable age help on the recruiting of the National Guard up to full strength. This is one of the vital needs of the hour. Men are needed for Troop D and Company K. The Mayor believes they can be found willing and eager to serve their country, provided the means is found to guarantee dependent families against want and suffering while bread-winners are serving their country. To that end he will, at the proper time, request the Volunteers' Auxiliary of Plainfield and North Plainfield, which was organized last summer, to continue its organization and work for the purpose of looking after the families of men from this community who go to the colors.

RUTGERS COLLEGE TO RAISE $100,000 IN NEW BRUNSWICK

New Brunswick, March 29.—A campaign is to be started at a dinner April 19 by Rutgers College to raise $100,000 in this city toward the $1,000,000 endowment fund, to be obtained during the college's 150th year.

The plan is to conduct the work of soliciting among the alumni and friends of the college in the same way as the Y. M. C. A. campaign was run here. There will be a number of teams, each with a captain, and cards will be issued daily giving the names of persons to be visited. E. J. Hockenbury, of Harrisburg, Pa., with a score of stenographers, is now at work on the cards.

INVESTIGATING ATTEMPT TO BURN HALL AT CALIFON

Califon, March 29.—Officials are investigating an attempt, made late Saturday night to burn Burd's Music Hall in Main street. The fire was discovered by a passerby, who gave an alarm. The fire was extinguished after several weather boards were charred.

It was learned a quantity of waste had been taken from an axle box of a car on the siding at the local station, placed against the rear of the building and then set on fire.

JAPANESE WARSHIP SUNK BY GERMANS

Special to the Courier-News:

Vancouver, B. C., March 29.—A Japanese warship has been sunk in the Pacific by a German raider, according to a despatch from Tokio today. The name of the warship was not disclosed.

GEORGE DRAKE HELD INSANE

New Brunswick, March 29.—In lunacy proceedings conducted here yesterday before Clifford I. Voorhees and W. H. Quackenbos, named by Chancellor Walker, and a jury, George Drake of the firm of Drake Brothers, local dry goods merchants, was declared of unsound mind. He had an equity of $6,000 in the real estate and stock of the firm and $15,000 on deposit in three banks in this city, Morristown and Trenton. No guardian has yet been named. Leroy Drake, a cousin, applied for the court inquisition.

BRITISH BARK TORPEDOED

Special to the Courier-News:

Washington, March 29.—The British bark Neath was torpedoed by a German submarine, March 27, according to a despatch received today from Consul Frost. The U-boat gave no warning and the British vessel carried no guns. There were two Americans on board, but all members of the crew were saved.

TRADE EXHIBIT FOR RAHWAY

Rahway, March 29.—Arrangements have been made by the Board of Trade to hold an exhibition of merchandise manufactured in Rahway in the Y. M. C. A. building, from May 4 to 12. The retail trade committee recommended establishing a black list of those who do not pay their bills. This was taken under consideration by the board.

FELL UNDER TRAIN

Perth Amboy, March 29.—While trying to board a train on the Raritan River Railroad here yesterday morning Gerard Serantano, of this place, an employe of the Parlin plant of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., fell under the wheels. His left arm was so badly crushed that it is thought it will be necessary to amputate it.

LA TOURAINE ARRIVES SAFELY

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—The French liner La Touraine, according to a cable received at the local office of the company has arrived safely at a French port. The vessel left this port on March 17.

WILLIAM HARDWICK DIED IN ERIE, PA.

Special to the Courier-News:

Buffalo, March 29.—William Hardwick, aged 69, president of Erie, Pa., Engine and Union Iron Works, and former Mayor of Erie, and whose only child, Mrs. Albert MacDonald, resides in Plainfield, N. J., died yesterday of hemorrhage of the stomach, at his home, 301 West Ninth street, Erie, Pa. He had been ill for several months, but not until recently had he been confined to his bed. His wife, and brothers and sisters were at his bedside when the end came, and his daughter in Plainfield was immediately summoned to Erie.

He was born December 1, 1847, in England, coming with his parents to Erie when five years old, and since then residing in Erie. When eleven years old he left school, becoming machinist's apprentice, and rose rapidly to foremanship, then to superintendency.

In 1879 he commenced a career as manufacturer, being partner with Frank F. Cleveland, in the organization of the engine and boiler manufacturing firm of Cleveland & Hardwick which fourteen years later was incorporated as the Erie Engine Works, with the deceased as president and general manager.

In 1890 the Union Iron Works was established by the Erie Engine Works, to provide boiler departments for two other concerns.

In 1878 he entered politics, and was elected to the Common Council. He served on the select council seven years.

Later he was chosen a member of the School Board and in 1891 was appointed a member of the Board of Water Commissioners, and was president during four of his seven years on that board. In 1902 he was elected mayor of Erie, serving one term. In 1900 he was selected as McKinley and Roosevelt's Presidential elector. He was a member of various lodges and associations.

On October 13, 1866, he married Mary Fuller, who survives. The funeral arrangements are not completed.

MISSIONARY FIGHTS JAP STUDENTS

By United Press:

Tokio, March 29.—The Rev. J. M. McCaleb, an American missionary from Boston, is in the midst of the quarrel with his Japanese students here today over the divinity of Christ.

When one of the students declared that Jimmu Tenno, Japan's first emperor, was even greater than Jesus Christ, Dr. McCaleb took issue with him.

The students, angered, passed a resolution demanding that the missionary leave the country.

Dr. McCaleb, who came here 25 years ago and has operated independently of any mission, refused to go; and also objected to the students raising their national flag over the school on Kigensetsu Day, explaining that it contained the element of ancestor worship.

"Why should my consist?" said Dr. McCaleb today, "the students went ahead and raised the Rising Sun. One student openly told me the occasion was not only ancestor worship, but that Jimmu Tenno, who is supposed to have ascended the throne 660 years before Christ was even greater than Christ.

"This put me, a Christian, in a very embarrassing position and I took issue with him. The government is back of me and I stand pat."

PROPOSE ORGANIZATION OF COLORED Y. M. C. A.

For the purpose of organizing a colored Y. M. C. A. in Plainfield, a mass meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Washington school on Darrow avenue. This organization has been in contemplation for several months under the direction of a special committee, William D. Murray, president of the Y. M. C. A., who is much interested in the movement, will be one of the speakers.

It is proposed after the organization is completed to allow the colored men to continue their activities at the school buildings throughout the city which work has for some time been carried on by the Recreation Committee.

NO APPREHENSION AS TO THE LINER ORDUNA

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—Officials of the Cunard Line are not apprehensive as to the safety of the steamship Orduna, notwithstanding press reports from London telling of an inquiry made in Parliament as to the recent loss of a Cunard steamer which gave rise to rumors that the vessel referred to was that liner. The officials here feel that the vessel has been held up by the severe sales that rage in the north Atlantic at this time of the year or has taken an out-of-the-way course.

EARNINGS OF UNITED CIGAR STORES

Special to the Courier-News:

New York, March 29.—United Cigar Stores of America reports for the year ended December 31 last: Surplus for year, $673,842, against $322,050; final surplus, $2,739,334, against $2,065,491 in 1915.

TOP HOGS PRICES HIGHER

Special to Courier-News:

Chicago, March 29.—Prices for hogs were at a new high record today when tops sold at $11.25. The market was strong, 10 cents higher than yesterday's average.

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WILL SUSPEND RATE INCREASES

Railroads Must Justify Them to Commerce Board.

Washington, March 29—Suspension pending investigation of all increases in freight rates proposed by the railroads in their forthcoming applications for a general advance appears to be the course which the Interstate Commerce Commission will follow when the various railroad groups file their proposals.

Such suspension, it was indicated, would be for a period not to exceed sixty days, during which the commission will undertake a comprehensive inquiry into the reasonableness of the railroad's demands. Hearings will be held and shippers, commercial and civic organizations, state and utilities commissions and others interested will be heard.

Eastern railroads, it is understood, virtually have abandoned their plan to have the proposed increase of 15 per cent go into effect without investigation by the commission and will content themselves with period of suspension limited to thirty days.

The commission is understood to have been prepared for an application to advance rates sufficiently to reimburse the roads for additional wages paid under the Adamson law, but almost totally unprepared for petitions asking for a sweeping advance in all rates based on other grounds as well.

Before a general advance could be authorized, it was said authoritatively, the railroads must show in unmistakable manner the justification for such action.

TUBERCULOSIS IN ARMY.

National Association to Combat Situation Which Europe Faces.

New York, March 29—To ascertain the country's equipment to combat tuberculosis among the soldiers in case of war the council of National Defense has requested the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis to make a complete survey of the situation.

The survey will endeavor to list facilities of the country for the treatment and care of soldiers, prisoners and interned civilians who may become victims of the disease and to insure the use of such precautionary and preventive measures as may save American troops from a disastrous spread of tuberculosis.

Dr. Herman M. Biggs, New York state commissioner of health, chairman of the committee carrying on the survey, has just returned from France, where at the request of the French government he has made a study of the conditions in the army which have arisen as a result of the spread of tuberculosis. The other members of the committee are Dr. George M. Kober of Washington, a former army surgeon, and Dr. Charles J. Hatfield, executive secretary of the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

NEW U. S. ATTORNEY.

F. G. Caffey Succeeds H. Snowden Marshall at New York.

New York, March 29.—Francis G. Caffey has been named United States attorney for the southern district of New York to succeed H. Snowden Marshall.

Mr. Caffey is a member of the law firm of Clark, Breckenridge & Caffey, with offices at 61 Broadway. At present he is solicitor to the department of agriculture.

He was born in Alabama forty-nine years ago. He graduated from Harvard university and the Harvard Law school. He came to New York city in 1902 and soon became a partner of John C. Breckenridge.

Mr. Caffey is a veteran of the Spanish-American war, in which he was a lieutenant of the Third Alabama infantry.

PLAINFIELD STUDENT HONORED AT PRINCETON

H. B. Hoskins, of this city, a senior at Princeton, was among the students elected this week to membership of the Princeton Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Society. There were twenty-one seniors and seven juniors taken into the society for high scholastic standing.

OTTO KAHN TAKES OUT HIS PAPERS

Otto H. Kahn, banker, of New York and Morristown, who was a regular exhibitor at the Plainfield Horse Show for several years, was one of thirty-nine who took out naturalization papers in Morristown, yesterday.

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LENT—At his residence, 1118 South avenue, on Thursday, March 29, 1917, Frank Lent, in his 56th year.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

DORGAN—On Tuesday, March 27th, 1917, Mrs. Abbie Dorgan, widow of Thomas Dorgan.

Funeral from her late home, 945 Arlington avenue, Friday, March 30th, at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery. 2-28-2t

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THROUGH THE WICKET

Plainfield Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will hereafter meet on the first and third Mondays of each month. The council has leased Coward Hall for its meeting place.

Following its business meeting last night Plainfield lodge, No. 627, I. O. B'rith Abraham, held a whist party at the hall on East Front street. The affair was attended by the members and their wives.

LEGISLATURE DECIDES NOT TO ADJOURN

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 29.—The new prospect of war with Germany will likely result in the New Jersey Legislature not adjourning sine die to-morrow evening, thus interfering with the plan of the Republican leaders to have this session end in March. The Senate and House of Assembly will return tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock to receive and act on the appropriation bills and to consider any messages that Governor Edge may send to them.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Young People's Society of the First Baptist church of New Market will lead the service in the Rescue Mission Hall, on Madison avenue, this evening. There will be good singing and everybody will be heartily welcomed.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Dyckman Winckler, of Grandview avenue, came home yesterday from Muhlenberg Hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 29.

Italians reported recapture of heights at Gorita, lost to the Austrians on the 26th.

German made progress in an attack at Malancourt.

Two Years Ago Today.

General von Kluck, German hero of Belgium to Paris march in 1914, was wounded by French shrapnel fire in Lorraine.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1917.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Fashion experts of Paris and London, whose slightest whim can distort the waists and shapes the hips of the weaker sex of the British Isles, Europe and points west, have made a momentous announcement for the coming springtide. Ladies' waists are going to be worn as natural. Busts are coming down. Steep effects and steam roller fronts are going into the discard. No longer need milady ape the hour glass or sigh with envy at the very sight of a figure 8. For the first time in many moons the well-dressed woman can be fashionable and comfortable at the same time. Nature and fashion are reconciled.

It is claimed that the army has many guns for which there is no ammunition, but it is considered that this is offset by the large quantities of ammunition for which there are no guns.

The gloom that prevails in a college at the lack of battery talent is not at all relieved by any scholastic triumphs that may have been achieved during the winter.

It is surprising how enthusiastic the audience becomes about the star's acting when she displays the latest Paris clothes.

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PEOPLE'S FORUM

Hats Off to McSorley

Editor Courier-News:

Commenting on Policeman John Kelly's marksmanship with a pistol, while it is fair shooting, I beg to inform you that we have a man named McSorley in our borough that breaks with a pistol clay targets thrown from a trap. This man does not measure by feet, but by yards. He is a direct descendant of "Rain-In-The-Face," the noted Sioux Indian warrior.

P. S.—Who did Owen Roe O'Neil ever lick?.

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WILL SPEAK ON MEXICO IN HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

Miss Ada B. Talbot will deliver a lecture in the Plainfield High School this evening, under the auspices of the Board of Education, on "Mexico, yesterday and today as an inside view of our difficult neighbor." The lecture will be free.

SAYS BODY IS A POISON FACTORY

Urges everyone to drink glass of hot water before breakfast.

Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken day after day into the alimentary canal a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not completely eliminated from the system each day, becomes food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels. From this mass of left-over waste, toxins and ptomaine-like poisons are formed and sucked into the blood.

Men and women who can't get feeling right must begin to take inside baths. Before eating breakfast each morning drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash out of the thirty feet of bowels the previous day's accumulation of poisons and toxins and to keep the entire alimentary canal clean, pure and fresh.

Those who are subject to sick headache, colds, biliousness, constipation, others who wake up with bad taste, foul breath, backache, rheumatic stiffness, or have a sour, gassy stomach after meals, are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store, and begin practicing internal sanitation. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on the subject.

Remember inside bathing is more important than outside bathing, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing poor health, while the bowel pores do. Just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Encouraging reports of the past year's work together with the election of officers and discussion of plans for the future, comprised the principal business at the annual meeting of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church held in the chapel last night. The reports showed a total membership of 615, which includes the cradle roll, beginners, primary, junior, intermediate and home departments, as well as fifteen officers and thirty-five teachers. During the year there was an average attendance of 265 and twenty members united with the church. Miss Jessie L. Holt, the Sunday school visitor, reported that she had made 660 calls in the interest of the school.

It was stated that following an experiment with the graded school plan it was decided to continue it up to the intermediate department, including the juniors, in which it has proved satisfactory. Jesse Lounsbury, who was assistant treasurer last year, resigned to become teacher of a Bible class and this office will be abolished. The officers chosen for the coming year are as follows:

Superintendent, F. O. Dunning; assistants, Robert H. Radford and Miss Jessie L. Holt; secretary, Frederick L. Palmer; assistant, William Sexdeni; treasurer, William G. Smith; superintendent beginners' department, Mrs. George A. Ballantyne; superintendent primary department, Mrs. Leslie Bond; superintendent junior department, Mrs. George N. Karner; superintendent intermediate department, Miss Jessie L. Holt; superintendent home department, Rev. Lewis Bond. Following the business of the evening there was an informal social time with an exchange of ideas regarding Sunday school and church work.

SETTLEMENT OF CLARK ESTATE RECOMMENDED

In accordance with the recommendations of a report filed by Herbert W. Knight, special master, with Vice-Chancellor John H. Backes, Mrs. Maria S. Clark and William M. Clark, widow and son of William A. Clark, who was a resident of Plainfield, will have the latter and the other heirs of the late Amos Clark, for many years a New Jersey Congressman, because of the failure of William A. Clark to account in full for his father's holdings.

The special master found that for a period of six years prior to the death of Amos Clark in 1912 the younger Clark, who died a year after his father, failed to account for money and property to the extent of $16,342 up to the time of his death, and his heirs, complainants in the Chancery action, will receive that amount, plus interest, or $66,013.45. The defendants were executors for William A. Clark and they filed an answer, saying that the latter had given a complete accounting of the estate.

Amos Clark was prominent in Union county and had large holdings in Elizabeth, Cranford and Westfield. He built the Rahway Road in Elizabeth. His death occurred in Boston. His estate was valued at approximately $200,000. Those who will benefit under the ruling in Chancery are Mrs. Elizabeth L. Webb, of Boston; Samuel A. Clark and Alfred H. Clark, who live in this vicinity.

LOCAL HARDWARE CO. GOES INTO BANKRUPTCY

The standard Hardware Store, of East Front street, of which Isidore Walevelsky, formerly of Elizabeth, was the proprietor, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday and Alfred E. De Costa, referee in bankruptcy, named Harvey Rothberg, of this city, receiver for the concern. The assets are reported to be $4,000 and the liabilities $1,500.

The bankruptcy proceedings were instituted following a judgment obtained by Goldenbloom, of New York, who later brought a suit on the judgment in this State.

Mr. Walevelsky has been ill in a sanatorium for some time and it is said that the family has been under heavy expense by reason of this fact. The bankruptcy proceedings will prevent Goldenbloom & Co., from being preferred creditors and the concern will have to come in for a pro rata division of profits from the sale of the business.

RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Lincoln school tonight.

Boy Scouts will use Bryant school auditorium Friday evening.

The night school men's gym class is to meet in the high school gym tomorrow evening.

The Saurer Band is to have a rehearsal in the Washington school gym Friday evening.

The sight-reading class in music is to start its spring work in the High school tonight.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Irving school and a Guild of Play in the Stillman school Friday afternoon.

The ladies of this city are again reminded of the public swimming class which meets in the high school pool every Friday evening, Miss Marian Snyder is in charge to give any instructions needed. This is a splendid chance to learn how to swim or to enjoy the sport.

An entertainment is to be given in the auditorium of the Washington school Friday evening by the quartette of the Lincoln University of Oxford, Pa., under the auspices of the Dunbar Club. The public is invited to attend. A small fee of admission will be charged.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING AT BETHEL

The officers and members of Bethel Chapel met last evening in annual business session and following a brief devotional service, heard reports from the various departments of work.

The pastor reported a roll of 146 members. During the year there were 22 additions to the church, five removals and four deaths. Various auxiliaries all reported substantial increase in membership. Features of the chapel work were the better systematization of reports from departments, creation of new committees, and the pastoral week-day instruction for children of the church, in the catechism and poetical Christian service. The prospects for the new church year include raising funds for the proposed new addition, and methodical missionary work, both for the church boards and for local charitable purposes.

The voluntary offerings of church and Sabbath school were $635, and the amounts raised by the auxiliaries, $508, making a total of $1,143 raised for the present fiscal year ending March 31. This includes the following special gifts to the church:

The Circle of Earnest Workers, $100 to the current church expenses, and $100 to the new building fund; The Men's Club, $60 toward the new seating of the church; The Christian Endeavor Society, $50; The Adult Guild, $11.23 toward the new choir platform; The Knights of Pythias, $12.

Following this initial report of the year's work, the complete report of income and expenditure with balance will be made public after the annual church meeting of the Crescent Avenue church, of which Bethel Chapel is a branch. The officers and members of the chapel are greatly encouraged over the past year's work and are hopeful for a yet brighter future.

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THE FUNERAL OF MRS. WHITNEY FRAZEE

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine Skillman Frazee, the wife of Whitney Frazee, who died on Monday, was held this afternoon at her late residence on South avenue, the Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of the Watchung Avenue Presbyterian church, officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and there were many beautiful flowers.

During the services the hymns "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Will there be any Stars in my Crown," were sung by Miss Etts Raybert.

The bearers were: Anthony Parousbek, Robert Goulliberg, Carl Goulliberg, Thomas Burns, William O'Loughlin and Frank Manchester. The interment was made in Hillside cemetery.

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New Beets	Wax Beans	Fresh Tomatoes
Spinach	Head Lettuce	Romaine
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FOR SALE—1913 Overland runabout; first-class condition; fully equipped; reasonable. "Buyer," care Courier-News. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, just overhauled, to quick buyer $100. "C. N.," care Courier-News. 3-28-29-31; 4-2

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WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Two or three rooms with conveniences, in borough, location near Somerset street preferred. "G. M." care Joe Church, 89 Somerset street. 3-23-6t

ELDERLY gentleman wishes to rent permanently clean, moderate priced furnished room with family of adults in private house, with all improvements; have reference. Address "Confidential," care Courier-News. 3-27-2p

WANTED—Farm with or without house; must not exceed $1,200. E. Lindgren, 260 Pacific street, Brooklyn, N. Y. 3-29-3t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 3-23-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small black purse, containing $2.35, near Netherwood depot, six o'clock last night. Return to 1316 Columbia avenue, or 'phone 1004-R. 3-29-2t

FOUND—Watch and chain. Owner may have same by identifying property and paying for ad.

TO LET—ROOMS

TO LET—Two good sized rooms, unfurnished, for light housekeeping, all improvements. 420 Madison avenue. 3-27-3t

THREE large connecting rooms; improvements; adults. 511 East Second street. 3-29-2t

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for drug-gist. 12-26-tf

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FOR RENT—Fine store, in Somerville. Inquire 87 West Main street, Henry Reimer, Somerville, N. J. 3-29-6t

FOR RENT—Brick building, 25 feet by 40, two floors, suitable for light manufacturing or auto repair shop, on Fourth street, near Park avenue. Apply B. Mann, grocer. 3-29-3t

FOR RENT—50 acres of land in North Plainfield. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 3-27-tf

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Mrs. Smiley will be in Plainfield to exhibit her beautiful Madeira, Filet, Imported Linens, Baby Dresses, Crepe de Chine Kimonos, Lingerie, etc., at Importers' Special Prices. Shown at residences. Now booking appointments. Write C. M. Smiley, 152 Audubon avenue, New York City. 3-29-3t

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

YOUNG MAN, 23 years old, with five years' office experience, also one year's experience in machine shop on structural steel, desires position, preferably out of doors. Address "R. T. S.," care Courier-News. 3-27-3t

WANTED—Draftsman on structural steel work; steady employment. Gilbert Grant Co., North avenue and Berckman streets. 3-27-3t

CHAUFFEUR, 4 years' experience wishes position in shop or on truck; do repairs and willing. "Chauffeur," care Courier-News. 3-27-5t

GARDENER open for engagement; thorough experience in all branches under glass and out-doors. "T. H. M.," care Courier-News. 3-29-3t

CHAUFFEUR wishes a position, private family; good driver; ten years' experience; practical automobile mechanic. Address Box 61, care Courier-News. 3-29-2t

GARDENER and handy man desires steady position by the week; good reference. 39 De Kalb avenue. 3-27-3t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1897-M. 11-9-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. **Meaning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park.** 4-29-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. A. Clement, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

$1,500.00 ON first mortgage, city only. 'Phone 2598-J. W. F. Wilson. 1-13-tf

WILL BUY your second mortgage for cash; state particulars and price wanted. "R. S." care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

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MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Limberger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MULFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-28-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FLAT TO LET—Six rooms, new house, all improvements. 572 Arlington avenue. 3-24-6t

FOR RENT—Five-room flat, West End, city; water, toilet and gas; $15.00. Address "S. B. W." care Courier-News. 3-28-2t

TO LET—Five-room flat with bath, 155 East Fifth street, corner Watchung avenue.

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

RESPECTABLE woman wants washing home. 220 East Fourth street. Smith. 3-28-4t

LADY would like position as housekeeper, care of invalid or light housework. "W. K." care Courier-News. 3-29-2t

COMPETENT laundress wants washing at home. 433 West Fifth street. 3-27-3t

YOUNG colored girl desires day's work; references. 112 Washington street. 3-29-2t

YOUNG LADY desires position as switchboard operator and general office assistant. Address "S. O." care Courier-News.

WANTED—Position as nurse or companion to elderly lady by person with experience; paralytic or infirm preferred to. Address "Companion," care Courier-News. 3-27-3t

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MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $18, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 210 Watchung avenue, Plainfield. 5-18-tf

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WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 202 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

BARBER WANTED — Steady work. 93 West Main street, Somerville. 3-23-6t

GARDENER.—Experienced man wanted two days a week, all season, in North Plainfield. Address, stating experience and wages wanted "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-24-tf

MAN WANTED—Preferably one who can drive Ford delivery car. Jos. W. Gavett. 3-28-tf

A WIDE-AWAKE able bodied man to handle furniture. Apply to Miron & Lifson, 134 East Front street. 3-28-4t

WANTED—Grocery clerk, with experience for store work and to solicit orders. Apply R. H. Runyon, corner East Fifth and Richmond streets. 3-28-tf

WANTED—A man on a small country place to take care of garden, horse and to drive and make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely sober; best references required. Address "Man," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

WE HAVE openings for a few intelligent men to learn inspector's trade and assembling; steady work. Apply 1 to 3 p. m., Bosch Magneto Company. tf

WANTED—One second cook and one dishwasher; MacDonald's, 133 East Front street. 3-28-2t

CARRIERS WANTED for Sunday news wagon routes. Apply Manus, 151 West Front street. 3-28-2t

WANTED—Young man about 18 years of age. Apply E. A. Laing, 149 West Front street. 3-28-4t

BOY WANTED—INTELLIGENT WHITE BOY, ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO DELIVER ORDERS ON WHEEL AND BE GENERALLY USEFUL AROUND DAIRY. APPLY PLAINFIELD MILK & CREAM CO., 112 WATCHUNG AVENUE. 3-26-6t

WANTED — A good carpenter. Twin Fall Mill, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-27-3t

MEN (100)—Ammunition plant, $2.80 for 7½ hours; boarding accommodations. Call all week and Sunday. No strike. 104 Halsey street, Newark.

WANTED—Salesmen, grand opportunity for several widewake men. Call or write Sterling Tire Corporation, 333 West Front street. 3-29-2t

CAREFUL man wanted to supervise outside construction work. "A. D." care Courier-News. 3-29-2t

HANDY MEN wanted. International Motor Co. 3-27-4t

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothborg's.

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

WANTED TO BUY — Meeting chairs, pool table and piano. Maksyn, 353 East Third street. 3-23-6t

HOUSE WANTED with improvements, about six rooms, near station. 'Phone 2483-J. 3-27-1m

WANTED—50 posts, 7 to 8 feet long. 1200 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1639-W. 3-28-4t

WANTED — Good coal burning hover. D. H. Bey, Park avenue, R. F. D. No. 1. 3-29-2t

INTERNATIONAL Correspondence set of chemistry books; must be in good condition; state price. Address "Books," care Courier-News. 3-28-3t

WANTED TO BUY—Some second-hand doors; give particulars. Address "Doors," care Courier-News.

WANTED TO BUY—Twin baby carriage, good condition. Carl Schnabel, P. O. Box 518, Dunellen, N. J. 3-29-2t

WANTED—Light one-horse farm wagon. Address "Wagon," care Courier-News. 3-28-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Good farm horse. A. D. Macaulay, Westfield avenue, corner East Fifth and Richmond streets. 3-28-tf

R. I. RED Barred Rock White Orpington settings, $1.00. 864 Clinton avenue. 'Phone 1550-W. 3-27-1m

PUBLIC SALE—Friday, March 30, 1917, on farm occupied by A. T. Hageman, Mountainside Manor, near Westfield, situated on county road, leading from Springfield to Scotch Plains: Fine team of farm horses, sound, kind and true; grey horse, 8 years old; brown mare, 9 years old; excellent workers and drivers; 2 sets heavy double harness; 1 set of single harness, saddle and bridle, market wagon and phaeton, several-blue sulky plow, Oliver plow, Acme harrow, spike tooth harrow, 2 Plant Jr. cultivators, lime and fertilizer distributor, mower, Deering hay rake, hay rack, wheelbarrow, scoop scraper, platform scales, beans and peas, Planet Jr. seed drill, iron Acme cultivator, whiffletrees, neck yokes, grass scythes, briar hook, axes, grindstone, potato forks, rakes, forks, hoes, shovels, chains, wedges, hay cutter, new De Laval cream separator, churn, 40-qt. milk cans, pails, spray pump, sprinkling cans, 4 A-type Colony houses, hog troughs, feed bins, boxes, crates, barrels, hog rings and ringer, knives, scraper, etc., wire fencing, 100 locust posts, rye straw, corn stalks and manure, one set chain Buff Orpington fowls. Sale will begin at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms cash. John C. Cooper, auctioneer.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Buff Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1245 George street. 2-27-1m

SPLENDID White Wyandotte cockerel and six fine pullets, $12.00; Buff Orpington cock, $2.00. Marshall 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-28-2t

FOR SALE—Small barn and gas range, cheap. 1655 South Second street. 3-28-2t

AUCTION SALE—On Saturday, March 31, at 1 o'clock sharp, at 112 East Front street, Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, 100 chairs, dining room chairs, dining room table, 400 yards carpet, Grand piano, flat top desk, stoves, set of fudge forms, furniture, and other articles will be sold without reserve. W. A. Schorb, auctioneer. 3-28-3t

FOR SALE—A large antique-sideboard for sale. 96 Jackson avenue, North Plainfield.

LARGE hot air furnace, brickset Thatcher, tubular. Can be seen in cellar, 20 Rockview avenue, Price $25. 3-28-3t

FOR SALE—Cut-under surrey, rubber tires, nearly new. Apply 224 West Front street. 3-29-6t

FOR SALE—Cedar wood for fences, arbors and rustic work. John Mobus, City. 'Phone 2528-J. 3-23-1m

FOR SALE—Chicken coop, 10x14. 412 West Second street.

BILLY, a 50-in. strong, gentle pony, one of the handsomest in this vicinity; harness, trap and dump cart to fit. $150.00. 1200 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1639-W. 3-28-4t

FOR SALE—A gas dome and gas heater, the two for $5; good condition. 241 Somerset street. 3-29-2t

FOR SALE—Chickens, R. I. Red yearlings, all laying, weight 5 to 6 pounds. 39 Steiner place. 3-29-3t

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FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

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FOR SALE—Beautiful Shetland pony, 5 years old; harness and one-seated runabout; pony white with brown markings; very gentle and up but trots. Inquire Edmund Rushmore, 167 Sycamore avenue. 3-29-3t

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ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements, 125 North avenue. 3-1-3m

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FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

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FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 3-28-3t

FOR SALE — Four-apartment house; bargain. Box 64, care Courier-News. 3-28-4t

FOR SALE—New seven-room house, with all improvements, near Netherwood station. "Netherwood," care Courier-News. 3-28-2t

MUST SELL 7-room house, all improvements, price $2,200. P. J., care Courier-News. 3-25-6t

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TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

FOR RENT—Two small houses, Mountain View Terrace, Dunellen, 7 rooms and bath; all improvements; refined white borders; rent, $28 and $27.50; water rent extra. 'Phone Dunellen 2882. 3-23-6t

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 614 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply R. Linke, 227 West Front street. 3-22-tf

TO LET—Small house, rear of 214 West Second. Apply Frank Linke, 227 West Front street. 3-27-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, all latest improvements, from April 1st, $25.00. D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-27-tf

TO LET—New 7-room house on Stirling road with one acre of ground. Telephone 2059-R. 3-28-3t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water; over ½ acre of land, 130 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 8 minutes' walk from Bound Brook depot; will sell very reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-tf

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TO LET—8-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willever street; 6-room house, 266 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 611 Sachar place. 3-27-1m

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ACREAGE 3 to 20, brook, fruit, with or without house, suitable for nursery, truck poultry, near Bound Brook. Address Box 11, care Courier-News. 3-27-5t

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WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Experienced waist draper, also errand girl, at 431 West Sixth street. 3-26-tf

WANTED — Girl for general housework, 132 East Ninth street. 3-27-tf

WANTED — Cook, white, with good references. Apply 444 Stelle avenue. Tel. 981. 3-27-tf

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WANTED—On or before April 15th, experienced girl for general housework; family of two; references required. Mrs. J. H. Howell, 29 Myrtle avenue. 3-28-4t

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TUBERCULOSIS THINNING
RANKS OF AMERICAN INDIAN

By United Press:

Washington, March 29.—The fast thinning ranks of the Indian are seriously threatened with the scourge of tuberculosis, according to the office for Indian affairs—official guardian for more than 300,000 members of the red race today.

Prevention of the spread of this dread disease, which is more prevalent among the Indians than any other race, is occupying most of the office's time. Trachoma, an eye disease, is the next most serious affection among Indians. Uncleanliness and alcohol are blamed. A campaign of education to curb the two evils has been started.

PRINCETON NEGROES OFFER THEIR SERVICES

Princeton, March 29.—Colored inhabitants of the town have sent a message to President Wilson pledging their support to the country in any national emergency which may arise. There are about 400 negroes of fighting age here. A request has been made to the War Department by these negroes to send an officer to Princeton to drill them.

President Hibben of Princeton University will address a mass meeting of colored men in the First Presbyterian Church tonight.

The message sent to the President reads: "We, the undersigned negro citizens of Princeton, conscious of the impending danger that threatens our country, pledge and offer you our services to be used to assist and maintain the honor of our country. If, in your judgement, the detailing of an officer here to better prepare us for the same should be warranted, we pledge him our hearty support."

PARLIAMENT CLOSES ITS BOX WITH PUBLIC ONES

By United Press:

London, March 29.—Parliament, after long and solemn deliberation, has decided that the bar in connection with the House shall close at the same hours that public bars close. The result is expected to be some inconvenience, causing certain members to take a drink before making a speech, instead of after, as has been their custom.

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Sundays—8.02, 8.39, 9.57, 10.39, 10.43, 11.54 a. m., 1.12, 1.54, 2.46, 5.13, 6.28, 8.47, 9.46, 9.58, 10.39, 10.48 p. m., 1.20 a. m.

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WOLF VON IGEL
Accused as Paymaster In Plot to Bom' Ships.

Photo by American Press Association.

The former employee of the German embassy was named at the trial at New York of six men accused of making fire bombs to be placed on allied merchant ships as having been the paymaster in the plot. Von Igel is now in Germany.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE FOR ENGLAND

Premier and Ex-Premier Urge Plan In House.

London, March 29.—Premier Lloyd George and ex-Premier Asquith made *declarations in the house of commons* in favor of woman suffrage. Mr. Asquith moved the adoption of a plan for the reform of the parliamentary franchise, in which the following program was recommended:

"A certain measure of woman suffrage, six months residence or the occupation of business premises to be the only qualification for voting; redistribution of seats, proportional representation in large urban areas, all elections to be held on one day."

Premier Lloyd George said he welcomed the recommendation in favor of woman suffrage. Other reform measures also were approved by the premier, who said that in the opinion of the government it would be a national waste if the results of the recent conference at which the reforms were outlined should be thrown away. He favored a generous extension of the electoral franchise by reducing to three months the period for qualifying for voting and by assuming the qualification of every soldier and sailor.

The premier, paying a very warm tribute to woman's work during the war, especially the devotion, courage and zeal of women munition makers, said that when after the war the nation came to recast the whole industrial fabric to give women no voice therein would be an outrage.

FUND FOR RED CROSS.

Milwaukee Club Will Give 10 Per Cent of Season's Profits.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 29.—President A. F. Timme of the Milwaukee association baseball team announced that he would give 10 per cent of the *profits of his club this season* to the Milwaukee Red Cross to assist in equipping a base hospital of 500 beds, the donation being contingent on the event of actual warfare.

He asked President Hickey of the American association to suggest that other owners in the association take similar steps.

FRENCH BATTER GERMAN FLANK

Teutons Counter With Attack In Champagne.

BOTH SIDES CLAIM SUCCESSES

Spring Thaws Reported to Be Blocking Proposed German Drive Into Russia, as Roads Are Seas of Mud, Making Military Movements Impossible For Several Weeks—French Deepen Their Wedge Into Hindenburg Line.

London, March 29.—The French hit hard on the left flank of the Hindenburg line and succeeded in considerably deepening their wedge, taking important positions south of the formidable St. Gobain forest, where the Teutons are expected to make their stand.

The Germans on their part struck sudden blows in the Champagne, which, according to Berlin, were successful. Three hundred French soldiers were taken prisoners.

The German war office report records "lively firing activity" in the Champagne and on the west bank of the Meuse, Verdun front. It announces a success on the Anglo-German front near Croiselles and northeast of Bapaume, giving no details, however.

Claims Heavy Allied Losses.

The center of the Hindenburg line fronting St. Quentin still holds firm. Berlin asserts that heavy losses were inflicted both on the British and French.

In a violent engagement on March 20, when the British took the battered village of Lagnicourt, the British losses, according to the German war office, were particularly heavy.

"The successful manner in which our troops there are accomplishing their task," says the statement, "is illustrated by the fact that between Lagnicourt and Morchies about 1,000 British dead were counted."

On the same day a belated German official report says eleven entente aeroplanes were shot down by the German fliers. Dunkirk was again bombarded from the air, fires being observed by the raiders.

"Between the sea and the Carpathians," says the Berlin war office report, "the spring thaw has begun, which makes the more important military activities impossible."

Mud Halts Drive.

Thus an official dampner has been placed on the enthusiastic expectations of a wide section of the German press that has been heralding a drive to Petrograd or Moscow or both. For the present, at least, no offensive in the east is to be looked for. The earliest date that farreaching operation can be undertaken is set for the middle of next month, and the thaws may not allow them until the beginning of May.

Capture by the Teutons of a strongly intrenched place in the Ural valley on the Mojlavian front was announced by Berlin, as were minor raiding enterprises. One hundred prisoners and some booty were netted by the attack. Russian counter thrusts failed.

SMITH FOR CONGRESS.

Tammany Secretary Named to Succeed M. F. Conry.

New York, March 29.—Thomas F. Smith, secretary of Tammany Hall since 1895, was nominated by the Democratic county committee from the Fifteenth congress district as the Democratic candidate in the special election which will be held April 12 to select a successor to the late Representative Michael F. Conry.

Mr. Smith has been prominent in politics since he became connected with Tammany Hall and was referred to by Richard Croker as "Tammany's indispensable man." The Fifteenth is the district in which Mr. Smith resided when he first entered politics, and as it is overwhelmingly Democratic his election is regarded as certain.

PAY TO LEAVE CANADA.

Head Tax of $8 on Travelers to United States Discussed.

Toronto, March 29.—A head tax of $8 on all travelers entering the United States from Canada said to be under consideration by the Dominion government, was discussed at a meeting of Canadian railway officials at Niagara Falls.

The tax will become effective after May 1, it is understood. The money is to be refunded on the traveler's return to Canada.

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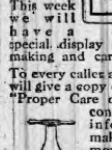

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JAMESBURG OFFICIAL OBJECTS TO TIME CLOCK

Jamesburg, March 29.—Resignations from five borough offices and one county office have been submitted by George Bender. He was borough marshal, lamp lighter, janitor of the borough hall, delinquent tax collector, truant officer and constable. Mr. Bender quit on the borough installed a time clock for him to punch.

Besides the foregoing list of labors there were odd jobs that carried no titles. Mr. Bender was subject to calls twenty-four hours a day and received $55 a month for his services. He has obtained an appointment as manager of Stokes Cottage at the State Home for Boys, and will report April 3. The resignations will be acted upon at a meeting of the Common Council Monday.

ROBBED BY AUTO BANDITS.

Party of Three Held Up and Relieved of Valuables.

Pittsburgh, March 29.—Henry Jamison, Charles King and the latter's wife, while riding in a motorcar on the Three Degrees road, near Valencia, were held up on a bad curve and robbed of $400 and several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry by two masked bandits.

After the robbers had stripped their victims of all money and valuables the latter were forced back into their automobile and told to drive on.

BUILDERS WORK BY SEARCHLIGHT

Two powerful lights shed their radiance on the carpenters and others last night who are at work on the addition to the Standard Aeroplane factory on North avenue.

Work on the new addition is being pushed as rapidly as possible so as to have the building ready for the war orders that are on hand for more air machines. The electricity for the searchlights is furnished at the Standard plant, and the work on the new addition will continue night and day until the contract is completed.

PERSONAL

Harry Dunn, of the Standard Aeroplane Co., was at Mineola today in the interest of the concern.

Retired Officer Offers Services.

Chester, March 29.—Among prominent men here who are volunteering is Captain William C. Brindle, a retired naval officer. He commanded the steamship St. Louis as an auxiliary in the Spanish war as a transport and for a time to cut rubies. Captain Brindle had several narrow escapes when the St. Louis was bombarded by Spanish forts.

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SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN ON.

Thirty Weeks' Drive For Referendum Begun by Women.

New York, March 29.—The 1917 campaign for votes for women in New York state is under way. With an enthusiasm that took no account of the dismal weather outside, more than 1,000 women started in Acolian hall a campaign that is to continue with increasing fervor for thirty weeks.

"Thirty weeks from tonight!" was the slogan of the meeting. Mary Garrett Hay insisted that they work strenuously until election day had arrived.

Speeches were made by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, Mrs. Norma De R. Whitehouse, Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter and Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton.

Examined Same Man Twice.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 29.—Twin brothers, one having a glass eye, presented themselves for enlistment in the army here, and both were passed before it was discovered that the examining officer had examined the same man twice.

DECLARATION OF WAR DRAFTED

Congress Leaders Ready For Action of President.

WILL RUSH MONEY FOR ARMY

Wilson and Advisers Now Deciding on Exact Form Recommendation to National Legislature Will Take—Joint Resolution Reciting Germany's Hostile Acts Against United States Expected to Follow Address by the President.

Washington, March 29.—With every agency of government rolling toward preparedness for impending war President Wilson and his advisers today devoted themselves to the task of fixing the administration policy to be submitted to congress in extraordinary session next week.

While the White House was shrouded in secrecy and the president made no announcement, administration officials said immediate and decisive action has been decided upon. The sole question now remaining is, what form that action shall take and how it shall be taken.

The exact form of the recommendations which the president will make to congress in his war address were considered as Colonel E. M. House, the president's closest adviser, went over th international situation in detail with the chief executive.

There is a general feeling in administration circles that the German crisis will be disposed of by a joint resolution of congress reciting German violations of American rights and declaring that the nations have brought about the existence of a state of war between the two nations.

Thereafter the activities of the congress will be devoted to placing at the president's disposal all of the means and authority necessary to successful prosecution of hostilities.

War Declaration Drafted.

Active steps to meet the president's recommendations when they are made were taken by conferences of congress leaders. Chairman Flood of the house foreign affairs committee and other Democratic members of the committee made an exhaustive digest of former war declarations and framed a tentative resolution declaring the existence of a state of war.

They took up in conferences the problem of furnishing the "sinews of war." The first routine business to be taken up will be the passage of the army appropriation bill, which failed in the closing days of the last session. It would provide $270,000,000 as then framed, but emergency additions now necessary will bring the total up to probably double that amount.

The mobilization of the financial resources of the nation will be taken up by the house ways and means committee as soon as the house is organized. President Wilson and his advisers are at work on a financial program which may include the extension of American credit to the entente allies, while the United States is making ready for actual participation in the war.

Labor to Be Mobilized.

The tremendous power of organized labor in the United States has been placed solidly back of the government by the authorized spokesmen of millions of American men and women workers to aid in the speedy execution of the military and naval program.

Unreserved support of the American Federation of Labor is pledged through its executive heads, and farreaching plans were initiated for the mobilization of labor to meet a state of war. Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, and other labor leaders in conference with department chiefs laid plans to muster all the additional labor strength that may be needed to augment the forces at work in navy yards, arsenals and other factories of the government as well as in private plants engaged in turning out supplies for the government. Steps were taken to immediately ascertain the nation's labor resources through the thousands of local labor unions of the federation.

Secretary of Labor Wilson called the conference. He said after it adjourned:

The purposes of the conference were to find ways and means to prevent overlapping of efforts in mobilizing the resources of industry for the support of the government. We are planning to work together so that where help, male and female, can be quickly located for the navy yards, arsenals and other factories of the government and for any private plants working on supplies for the use of the government; second, to ascertain the fitness of skilled workers and where they best can be employed, and third, to smooth their way to the work where they are needed.

Pressing need has developed especially for workmen in the mechanical trades, and it is proposed that the Civil Service Commission shall abandon the tests for such applicants and examine them only for physical and mechanical fitness.

The Civil Service Commission, through its 3,000 boards of examiners in twelve districts, will conduct special examinations for available field forces of the bureaus of immigration, naturalization, labor statistics and other subordinate branches will not as examiners in the absence of regular officials of the commission.

TO TRACE "PARROT FEVER."

Health Officer of Reading Asked to Investigate Deaths.

Reading, March 29.—Dr. Charles Roland, city health officer, was asked by state health officials to investigate reports of numerous cases of the "parrot fever" from Williamsburg and Scranton.

Dr. Roland learned that the first three cases reported here have been increased by the breaking out of many others. Mexican parrots sold here several weeks ago are supposed to have spread the germs of what are first described as typhoid, but now seems to be a severe form of influenza.

CAMPHOROLE GIVES IMMEDIATE RELIEF

Opens Up Clogged Nostrils. Vanishes Colds in Head and Catarrh Like Magic

It soothes and relieves catarrhal deafness and head noises.

Drives out congestion without apparatus, inhalers, lotions, harmful drugs, smoke or electricity. Do not treat your cold lightly; this is pneumonia season. If you have cold in head, pain in chest; or sore throat send to nearest drug store and get a jar of Camphorole, and watch how quickly it will relieve you.

Physicians recommend Camphorole for colds and catarrhal affections of the nose and throat, bronchitis, coughs, asthma, stiff neck, sore muscles, lumbago, stiff joints, headache, frosted feet rheumatism, cold in muscles, neuritis, hay fever; applied in the nose will check development of cold and often prevent pneumonia. At all druggists, 25c and 50c jars.

Camphorole TRADE MARK 25¢

CATARRH SUFFERERS

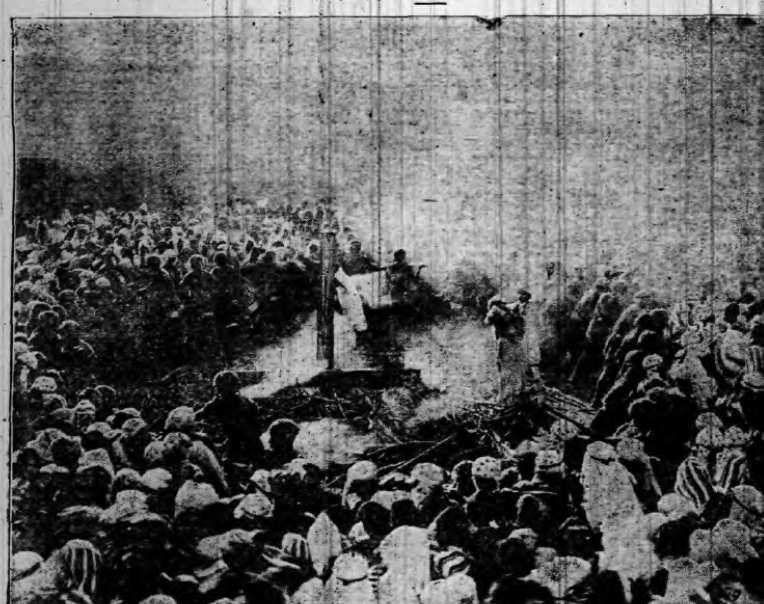
Here's a right-to-the-point remedy for catarrh, head colds, clogged nostrils, etc., that surely works like magic. No stomach dosing, gargles, sprays or greasy ointments—you just breathe it.

L. W. Randolph and other leading local druggist who sell a lot of Hyomei every year say they will refund money to any customer of theirs who buys it and fails to get relief.

As you inhale this pure, wholesome medicated air you can almost feel its tonic healing effect taking hold—soothing the swollen, inflamed membranes and tissues, opening up the air passages, clearing out the head and nose and throat.

It allays the inflammation, stops the poisonous secretions, destroys the germs which cause catarrh or money back. A safe harmless, pleasant, guarantee remedy which any druggist can recommend.—Adv.

"DAUGHTER OF THE GODS" AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE



WNITIA" RESCUED FROM BURNING AT THE STAKE IN WILLIAM FOX'S MILLION DOLLAR PICTURE BEAUTIFUL, "A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS."

Tonight, Tomorrow and Saturday at the Plainfield Theatre

"A Daughter of the Gods" will be shown here at Plainfield Theatre today, tomorrow and Saturday, matinee daily, featuring Annette Kellerman, who grew from a puny child to an athlete a young woman by swimming in the sea on the coast of California. She will appear in scenes showing mermaid life, interior of the sultan's palace, the bath of beauties of the harem, and the multi-colored battle scene before the burning of the Moorish capitol.

It is sincerely hoped that an invention shall be made which shall serve to perpetuate such valuable ribbons of film as go to make up "A Daughter of the Gods." Imagine our own delight if we were given to see the original models of the Venus de Milo, the Apollo Belvedere, the Winged Victory and other standard examples of antique art, in natural out-of-door action in, and about the ancient groves, the temples of old Greece.

If one or two thousand years from today the descendants of what are now American school children could be shown the film that was produced simultaneously with a year of the great European war, it would throw considerable intimate light on the progress attained in the twentieth century. Who can say but what in two thousand years America will be the Greece of antiquity?

"SKINNER'S DRESS SUIT" AT PROCTOR'S TODAY

"Skinner's Dress Suit," appears at Proctor's today and to morrow. It is a picturization of Henry Irving Dodge's story, a clean, wholesome comedy drama entirely different from the many sex and problem plays now before the public. It is the kind of a picture that one member of a family will see and upon coming home will urge the rest of the family to see it. It abounds with laugh-provoking situations. Attend today and avoid last minute crowds tomorrow.

In addition today, Metro offers Julius Steger, the famous dramatic star, in "The Stolen Triumph." In addition to "Skinner's Dress Suit," Monroe Marie Doro appears in "The Lash," one of her most successful of her many photo-play vehicles.

On Saturday Blanche Sweet appears in "The Storm," Emmy Wehlen in "Vanity," and The "Katzenjammer Kids" in a cartoon comedy.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of the coming week Norma Talmadge appears at Proctor's in "Panthea," the huge Rialto Theatre, New York success.

BIG NOVELTY SHOW COMES HERE MONDAY

Jean Bedini's Big Novelty Show, and better than the attraction which "Puss-Puss," will be seen at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, April 2, big ...ered such a big hit last season. ...e's never a dull moment in a Be...dini production. From the start it is life, laughter, pep, speed and kaleidoscope of pretty girls, clever comedians, dances and pretty costumes; it is said to be the most expensive show on the road in this particular field of amusement.

Al Ricardo, burlesque's premier ventriloquist, who plays the character of a Jew; Davis and Stafford, are without doubt the best blackface singers and dancers on the American stage today; they will be remembered from their last season's many song, "In The Jail House Now," which they will sing again, besides some new ones, while the chorus called "Kittens" are the pick of the show world.

Jean Bedini always has a surprise for his patrons in the way of special features. This season he has a double header, the "Ignatz Photo Troupe" and a travesty on the New York latest success, "Very Good Eddie."

Minni Harrison with Puss-Puss

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FRIDAY, AS USUAL, BARGAIN DAY AND THE

Last Friday of the Great Spring Sale

ALL DEPARTMENTS ALL SECTIONS

A DECIDED EASTER SHOPPING OPPORTUNITY

$16.74 and $17.74
Women's & Misses' Coats 13.74
Poplins and serges—various models in all the new shades—belts—medium size detachable silk collars. Alterations free.

$31.74 Women's and Misses' Coats.....25.00
Velour, Bedford cords, poplin, serge, gaberdine, all newest shades—fitted, semi-fitted and gathered effects—belt, large collars (instead of detachable)—buttons and pockets—lined throughout or half lined. Alterations free.

Suits for Women and Misses 22.50
Tartan—navy or black—loose coats—fancy pockets—pearl button trim.

Serges—navy, black, tan and other shades. Many strictly tailored styles—fitted with narrow side pockets—other styles in spring colors—Copenhagen, gold, Spring green, rose, blue and black—many styles, some with pleated panels, others with sash belts—all sizes.

Stylish Extra Size Suits—serges or poplins, some braid trimmed—excellently tailored and made in odd sizes as well as half sizes to insure exact fit—sizes to 52. 27.75
Alterations free.

$17.98 Misses' Spring Suits..12.50
Nobby serges—navy, black, gold and black—also misses' sizes in worsted checks—some models—women's 36 to 46—misses' 14 to 18 yrs.
Alterations free.

Women's Suits.....21.50
In serges, broken checks and poplins—some with contrast cloth collars, others with pongee top collars—satin or cloth lined throughout—belts, button trimmed—all new styles—navy or extra sizes—in plain colors.
Alterations free.

Women's and Misses' Suits..27.75
Taffeta—in navy, blue and black—pleated coats—a bit longer—sash belts—some with collars.

Serges—in new blue, gray, plum and navy—some in Norfolk styles—some blouses, some with belts and pleated panels—others are effective deep cuffs.

Wool Poplins in vivid sport shades—loose coats—large pockets—outstanding styles—all sizes.
Alterations free.

Our Special Pleated "Veriama" Dress".....12.85
For Women and Misses.
Serge—some Tu-tone—newer and Better Values in This Group Each Day.
Alterations free.

$14.98 Women's and Misses' Taffeta Dresses.....10.75
Green, navy, Copenhagen, gray and black—satin blouse—new spring models—some sizes, 32 to 42—misses' 14 to 16 yrs.
Alterations free.

Taffeta and Crepe de Chine Frocks
For spring and misses'—five or six very distinctive new Spring styles—semi-Empire—pleated styles—some with coatee effects—large collars—bulging pockets—white Georgette collars and sleeves and fancy buttons—smart in new ways. Special 15.57
Alterations free.

$2.98 Silk and Cotton Crepe Kimonos.....2.37
Semi-Empire, many pockets with corded shirrings and tiny ruffles—pleated and ruffle on neck and sleeves.

94 ct. House Dresses.....75
Lawn and gingham—gray, blue, lavender and pink stripes—also navy in black and blue stripes—well made—contrast collars—sizes 36 to 46.

39 ct. Women's Drawers.....30
Tucks and ruffs of embroidery.

98 ct. Crepe de Chine Camisoles.....68
Yokes of fancy lace and ribbon—odd lots.

98 ct. Women's Nightgowns...67
Nainsook, cambric, muslin—round, V or high neck in various models.

28 ct. Women's Petticoats...63
Regular or extra sizes—ruffs of wide embroidery or rows of fancy lace.

$1.34 Misses' Princess Slips. 1.00
Yoke of wide filet lace—shoulder straps, ruffles with two rows of lace to match—sizes 16 to 18 yrs.

49 ct. Children's Drawers.....37
Cambric—finished with embroidery, insertion and edging—1 to 12 yrs.

$2.50 Corsets.....1.54
Long top—medium bust—embroidery trimmed.

$5.00 Corsets.....2.35
Fancy materials—medium bust—long hip—sizes 19 to 25.

$1.24 Women's Sateen Petticoats.....72
Black and colored—pleated or tailored flounces, fitted bands—all sizes.

$6.29 Linen Lunch Sets.....4.74
Heavy quality linen—round patterns—wide hemstitched hems—one cloth and half dozen napkins.

15 ct. Full Bleached Cotton Huck Towels...10½
Hemmed — wide colored border—floral design.

69 ct. Extra Heavy Bleached Turkish Bath Towels.....58
Extra heavy bleached—hemmed—white borders.

32 ct. Turkish Towels.....23
Bleached, fine absorbent — hemmed and wreath for initial—wide colored borders.

38 ct. Huck Towels.....25
Unbleached—hemmed and hemstitched or with damask borders.

17 ct. Dish and Roller Toweling .13
Corded borders.

$1.58 Linens—90-inch.....1.44
Heavy weave—oyster white.

69 ct. White Ramie Linens.....52
44 inches wide—for sports skirts, suits, dresses—excellent wearing qualities.

$26.98 Fine Seamless Velvet Rugs....19.94
Rich designs on cream and rose grounds—9x12 ft.

Small Garden Sets.....8
6-piece—spade, rake and hoe—wooden handles.

$9 ct. Holland Window Shades, .83
8x8 ft.—assorted colors.

$1.94 Ready-to-Wear Hats...1.26
Straw and satin combinations—black and colors.

$1.87 Untrimmed Hats.....92
Milan, Milan hemp and high lustre straw—newest styles—black and colors.

$3.74 Untrimmed Lisere Hats, 2.87
Large and small—new shapes. Trimmed free if materials are purchased here.

79 ct. and 95 ct. Wreaths....50
Roses, violets—single or in clusters—all colors.

85 ct. Roses, Pansies, Daisies and Wreaths.....36
In all the new Spring colors.

$4.98 Crepe de Chine and Crepe Georgette Blouses..3.75
Frill or double breasted styles—white, flesh, pastels, maize.

$2.98 White Voile Blouses...1.95
Embroidered fronts, with dainty fine tucks—filet lace insertions and trimmings.

$1.98 White Voile Blouses...1.36
In various styles—tucked or lace trimmed.

White Drill Smocks.....1.85
Plain and colored collars, cuffs and pockets in sports materials, blue and gold and other striking combinations.

Middies.....92
Hand smocked, white with collars trimmed—red, white with or without effects, or Copenhagen, gold and rose, with white collars.

59 ct. Women's Silk Gloves...46
Double tipped—single finger tips—black or white.

78 ct. Silk Gloves—16 Button Length.....54
Double finger tips—black or white.

$1.53 Women's One-Clasp Washable Cape Gloves.....1.07
Tan and ivory shades—also white doeskin.

55 ct. Women's Fibre Silk Hose .39
Black, white and colors.

39 ct. Men's Silk Hose.....27
Black, white and colors—double heel and toe.

$3.98 Boys' Suits—8 to 17 yrs. 3.15
Single breasted styles—cheviots, in checks and stripes.

$1.50 Boys' Trousers.....1.28
Cheviots, worsteds, tweeds, medium or dark twill and mixtures, herringbone stripes & fancies—7 to 17 yrs.

49 ct. Boys' Blouses.....37
Light, medium and fancy percale, with yoke—attached collars—8 to 15 years.

49 ct. Boys' Caps.....38
Four spring styles and many mixtures and combinations—also checks—taped—full crowns.

$4.98 Boys' Spring Suits...3.85
Cassimere, cheviot semi-Norfolk models—pinch back—patch pockets and cuffs—knee pants—serviceable linings—3 to 17 years.

$5.98 Boys' Norfolk Suits...4.55
Cheviots and homespuns — brown and gray, in stripes, twills and mixtures—pinch or yoke back—flap or patch pockets—some have two pairs of trousers—9 to 18 years.

49 ct. Rompers.....38
Gingham and chambray — fancy stripes and checks—also in white—short of long sleeves—1 to 4 years.

39 ct. Boys' Blouses.....27
Light and medium striped and figured percales—collars attached—3 to 15 years.

$1.94 Girls' Tub Dresses....1.54
Spring styles in plaid gingham or chambray—6 to 14 years.

98 ct. Middy Blouses.....65
Regulation style, all white or with colored collars and cuffs—silk ties—pockets—4 to 20 yrs.

$1.49 Little Tots' Fine White Dresses.....1.00
Yoke, Empire and waisted styles—lace and embroidery trimmed—sizes 1 to 6 yrs.

69 ct. Little Tots' Dresses....50
Yoke, belted and waisted models—lawn, nainsook, linelle—sizes to 6 yrs.

98 ct. Little Tots' Tub Dresses, .62
To 6-year size—gingham, chambray—new Spring models.

98 ct. Little Tots' White Dresses .74
Yoke, Empire or normal waist models, finished with lace and embroidery.

50 ct. Little Tots' Hats.....25
Crash, with colored or checked silk crown—pretty mushroom shapes.

$2.87 Little Tots' Spring Coats 2.25
Checks, large or small, all colors and fancy mixtures—also stripes—2 to 6 yrs.

$3.95 Babies' Handmade Afghans.....2.94
Two-toned effects in especially soft, fine yarn — white — white and blue and white and pink.

$1.50 Babies' Sweater Coats...94
Roll collar, pockets — white, light combinations and colors—to 5 yrs.

94 ct. Chiffon Cloths.....72
All colors and black and white—40-inch—good draping qualities for frocks, blouses, tunics, etc.

47 ct. Chiffon and Lace Veils. .37
Light and dark shades.

10 ct. Women's Handkerchiefs, 8
All pure linen, ¼-inch hem.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs... 7
Value .10 and .15.

23 ct. and 28 ct. Neckwear...18
Collars embroidered on voile, organdie—also Swiss—some lace collars included.

47 ct. Collars, and Collar and Cuff Sets.....36
Plain or embroidered, organdie or voile—some of lace, or combined with Swiss embroidery in many styles.

23 ct. to 29 ct. Ribbons—yd. .16
Moires, taffetas, satins and Dresdens—odd lengths and remnants.

25 ct. Ribbons.....18
Satin, moire, taffeta, cheer and dresden—millinery and sash widths—white, black, colors.

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COURIER-NEWS WANT ADS BRING QUICK RESULTS

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

COMPANY M MOBILIZING

The order received yesterday afternoon by Captain G. V. W. Voorhees to have Company M mobilize found all but eleven of the 77 members on hand in the Armory within several hours following the call.

Those who did not respond were either out of town or could not be reached.

Efforts are being made to recruit the company to one hundred members. It is expected that there will be little difficulty to get twenty-three more members.

The guardsmen will not be required to sleep at the armory. At least not until further orders.

Secretary William S. Woodruff is endeavoring today to have the Merchants' Association make Old Glory prominent over all the business places. The spirit of the day is being felt keenly by the entire community and everything is being done to aid the authorities in every public matter.

Award Hose Contract

The council on Tuesday night voted to award to the New Jersey Car and Rubber Company the contract for 1,000 feet of fire hose, the cost to be $800.

Death of Mrs. Hardgrove

Mrs. William Hardgrove, wife of Borough Councilman Hardgrove, died early today following a long illness.

John Newberry had a foot crushed yesterday while in the employ of the Central Railroad at Raritan. He was removed to his home in Elizabeth.

The "father and son" dinner of the First Reformed church will be held tomorrow night. The sale of tickets will close today.

Postmaster William Maxwell and P. P. Cron witnessed the matinee performance of "The Century Girl" yesterday.

Borough Clerk James B. Varley administered the oath of office to several special marshals this morning.

The Home Defense Committee will meet tomorrow night to further plans for its work.

A. H. Popkins was a New York visitor yesterday.

NORTH BRANCH

Regular preaching services will be resumed in the Reformed church Sunday. Rev. Louis F. Sauerbrunn returned yesterday from Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon T. Stryker and Abram DuMont, of New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William E. DuMont at North Branch Depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huff will entertain the North Branch Pinochle Club at a dinner at their residence on the Ridge April 6.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bird, of Lyons, and Mrs. Mary Humphrey, of Morristown, are guests of F. H. Eick, near Lamington.

Oscar Haver, of New York, is the guest of former Freeholder and Mrs. William E. Haver at North Branch Depot.

Leroy Rinehart, of Bound Brook, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philip A. Rinehart, near North Branch Depot.

Mrs. William Duyckinck, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Duyckinck, near here.

E. B. Lever, of Newark, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Beatty.

FLEMINGTON

The sunday school of the Kirkpatrick Memorial Church of Ringoes has elected the following officers: Superintendent, George W. Cherry; assistant superintendent, Wallace Wilson; secretary, Katherine Setzer; treasurer, Marcia Holcombe; organist, Magdalen Young; assistant organist, Hazel Hill.

The Sunday school of the Locktown Christian Church has elected the following officers: Superintendent, Lester B. Sherman; assistant superintendent, Fred Addis; secretary, Elizabeth H. Smith; assistant secretary, Mary Taylor; treasurer, Ethel M. Barrick; librarian, Norman Sherman.

Miss Magdalen Young and Miss Mary Strimple will attend the meeting of the Missionary Society at Lawrenceville today, representing the Westminster Guild connected with the Ringoes Presbyterian Church.

Quakertown amateur thespians will present the plays entitled "The Country Doctor" and "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments" in P. O. S. of A. Hall Tuesday night, April 10.

Flemington Lodge No. 94, I. O. O. F. has elected the following trustees: Howard Sutphin, Charles C. Voorhees, Peter Huyler, C. S. Alvater and Alfred Houser.

Harry Van Horn, conductor of the Flemington branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is seriously ill at his home here.

Mrs. Harry Davis of Three Bridges is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher of Sunnyside.

WHITEHOUSE

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. ELIZA DECKER

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza J. Decker, age seventy-eight years, wife of the Rev. Sylvanus D. Decker, former pastor of the Methodist church in East Whitehouse, was held this morning at her home in Frenchtown and was largely attended. Burial was made at Bloomsbury.

Mrs. Decker had been in poor health for some time and died Monday from a complication of diseases. Her husband is a retired minister, who up to a few years ago, had preached continuously for forty-two years, most of the time in churches of Hunterdon county. Since his retirement the couple had resided at Frenchtown, where they owned a home.

When Mr. Decker was pastor of the church in East Whitehouse he and Mrs. Decker celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding at the parsonage September 16, 1907.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Decker leaves three children, the Rev. Dr. Everett Drummond Decker and Mrs. Addie J. Creveling, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Frederick H. Decker, of Frenchtown.

At the meeting of the Board of Education of Readington Township Monday afternoon at Whitehouse Station a number of architects will present plans for the proposed new central school for East Whitehouse and Whitehouse Station.

Game Warden John J. Park, of Whitehouse Station, has just received 100 ring-necked pheasants from the State game farm at Forked River and is now busy distributing them throughout Hunterdon county.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen K. Large, of East Whitehouse, arrived home yesterday from a visit of two months to the South and Mrs. Henry T. Jones at the parsonage of the Reformed church at Coeymans, N. Y.

Manning F. Coddington and family have moved from near Pottersville to the former Samuel Van Syckle farm, near East Whitehouse, which they recently purchased.

Mrs. George Dilley, of Whitehouse Station, was called to Quakertown yesterday because of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Martha Trimmer, who has pneumonia.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the New Germantown Lutheran church will be entertained next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. D. Conover.

Mrs. Roger R. Hall, of New York, arrived yesterday at her country place, Lambert's Lodge, near East Whitehouse, to spend several weeks.

William Karlsen and family have moved from Lebanon to Kenyil, where Mr. Karlsen is employed as section boss on the railroad.

The Rev. Albertus C. Van Raalte, of Lynden, will preach at both services in the Reformed church at Whitehouse Station Sunday.

Miss Ida M. Lindsley entertained the Whitehouse Station Five Hundred Club last night at her residence at Dreahook, near here.

George Mattis, of Lebanon, is working at the blacksmith trade in the shop of John Vander Voort at Whitehouse Station.

Walter H. Parsons, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Duyckinck, near Lamington, for a few days.

Miss Esther Lindabury, of New Germantown, is visiting Mrs. Frederick Van Derveer in East Whitehouse.

Mrs. William T. Hoffman is ill of grip at her home at Whitehouse Station.

WATCHUNG

Everybody in this vicinity is hoping that Plainfield will re-establish the old fire whistle, in case of calling out a defense the whistle can be heard twelve miles away as plainly as on the city streets.

The Christian Endeavor meeting for next week will be held on Friday evening, April 6, instead of April 4, so that all C. E. members can attend the Biederwolf reunion.

John Hermann was the leader of the Christian Endeavor meeting held last evening in the Wilson Chapel. The topic was "The Saloon—The Foe of Society."

Mr. Lowenbrad, of Long Island, has purchased the Muller bungalow at South Stirling and will reside there with his family.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education will be held Friday evening in the Watchung school.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Beeching, of Stirling road, have returned from a three months' stay in Florida.

BOUND BROOK

HUBERT SUYDAM BORO' COLLECTOR

Hubert Suydam has been elected Borough Collector to succeed J. J. Maier, who resigned at the March meeting three weeks ago. Councilman Belli and William Carr were candidates for the office. Mr. Belli received three votes as did Mr. Suydam. Mayor Robinson favored Mr. Suydam, who was therefore appointed.

The new collector has his offices in the Voorhees building, practically the same place as former collector Fuller had his offices. Mr. Suydam is a member of the firm of Reed & Suydam.

Elect Officers

The following officers were elected Tuesday by the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church: President, Miss Addie Tappen; vice-president, Mrs. George Y. Wyckoff; secretary, Miss Margaret Boyle; treasurer, Mrs. C. J. Culp; secretary of literature, Mrs. P. W. Shaw.

Miss Minor Banks, of Hernando, Mass., is the guest of Miss Gladys Herbert, who is spending the spring vacation from her studies at the Shipley School, Bryn Mawr, Pa., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Herbert.

Rev. H. H. Gifford, Ph. D., of New Brunswick, will be the Lenten preacher at St. Paul's Episcopal Church tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Carrer have leased the "Anchorage," the Anthony Tall place along the Mountain.

Mrs. William Haelig is spending some time in Washington, D. C.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Fire Co. to Hold Show and Dance

On Friday evening, April 20, the Middlesex Volunteer Fire Company will hold a minstrel and dance in Washington Hall. The committee has been successful in making arrangements with the Sauter Minstrel of Plainfield, to play here on that evening. The Sauter Minstrels were recently presented in the Plainfield High school auditorium before a crowded house and won the popular approval of all who attended. The troupe will also bring with them the Sauter Band, Stuart's Orchestra, of Plainfield, will furnish dance music. Arrangements are also being made with the Spicer Traffic Company to make special trips from Plainfield to the hall to accommodate a large number of Plainfielders who are expected to attend.

Suspended Sentence

Frank Kravatsky was arraigned before Judge Kaine in the local court on Monday evening on a charge made by Joseph Kiely for having the latter's wheel in his possession and on a charge preferred by his wife for non-support. Judge Kaine administered a severe lecture to him and suspended his sentence on the grounds that if he were sent to the county jail in New Brunswick for thirty days the family would have to rely on the Township for support. Kravatsky promised to do better in the future. The local saloons were notified not to sell him any liquor.

Mrs. Nathan Snyder and children, Alice and Lillian, have returned from a few days' visit with Mr. Snyder's mother, Mrs. N. Snyder, of Phillipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pickering returned Monday afternoon from a few days' visit with relatives in Scranton, Pa. The trip was made by automobile.

Mrs. William Lant, of New Market, recently spent a day in this place visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harris, of Brookside avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sandhers, of Lehigh avenue, are entertaining Mrs. Sandhers' mother, Mrs. Wienmyer, of Mauch Chunk, Pa.

Miss Leitth Switzer, of Plainfield avenue, recently entertained Miss Margaret Miles, formerly of this place, but now of Plainfield.

Mrs. Albert Soper and daughter Marie returned from a visit with Mrs. Soper's daughter, Mrs. George Schenk, of New Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey have been entertaining Mrs. McCaffrey's brother, John McCaffrey, of Plainfield.

Anthony Dean, of Plainfield, recently spent a day visiting Mrs. Mary McDonough, of Lehigh avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Shrope who has been ill at her home for the last week is reported as much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kaine, of Lakeside avenue, are entertaining Owen McGraw, of Sugar Notch, Pa.

Miss A. Mitchel, of Lansdown, spent yesterday with her sister, Miss Mary Mitchell.

Miss Ruth Boss recently spent a day visiting friends in Perth Amboy.

ANNANDALE

A committee of members of the congistory is canvassing the congregation of the Annandale Reformed Church advancing the every-member payment plan of financing the church.

Frederick Yawger will move tomorrow from the farm of Sheriff John W. Sharp, near Annandale, to a farm in Round Valley.

Joseph C. Apgar of Annandale was taken yesterday to the German Hospital, Philadelphia, for an operation.

James Astle returned yesterday to Annandale after visits in Paterson and Bethlehem, Pa.

Miss Lulu Sweazy of Lebanon is visiting Miss Nellie Sutton of Annandale.

WESTFIELD

CONGREGATIONALISTS CALL A PASTOR

The Rev. William W. Coe, of Northfield, Mass., who has been filling the pulpit of the Congregational church since January as a supply, was at a meeting of the Congregational church and society held last night in the parish house extended a unanimous call to become the regular pastor of the church. The call came as a surprise to the Rev. Mr. Coe, as he had not been a candidate, but was simply acting as a supply until a pastor could be secured. Before the meeting a committee of the church had walked on him and got his consent to accept the call.

The Rev. Mr. Coe was born in Middleport, O., and was graduated from the McCormick Theological Seminary in 1895. He was pastor of the Second Presbyterian church in Seattle, Wash., for several years. From there he went to Winona, Ill., where he remained for a short time. He then went to Cory, Pa. For seven years he was assistant pastor of the Madison Square Presbyterian church in New York, of which Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst is the pastor, and has his hearty endorsement. He has a wife and one daughter, who is a student in the Western College for Women at Oxford, O.

Ever since the Rev. Mr. Coe has been preaching here the members of the church have been much pleased with him, and while the call was a surprise to him it was not to the congregation. The church has been without a regular pastor since May 1 of last year, when the Rev. Dr. Samuel Lane Loomis, who had been pastor for several years, resigned.

Measles Postpone Operetta

The operetta, "Billy in Japan," which was to have been given in the Playhouse Wednesday evening, April 11, has been postponed on account of the numerous cases of measles which have developed in the town. The operetta will be given about the middle of May. Rehearsals have already commenced and will be resumed about May 1. Among the cast will be Jack Elliott, Mrs. Saunders, Harold Crittenden, Elizabeth Ingalls, Gladys French, Edward Sisserson, Gladys and Lillian Bradfield, Margaret Dietz, Ruth Hubert, Edna Pearsall, Helen Newman, Waldmere Cooper, Katherine Randolph, Mrs. Donald Pearsall and Dorothy Dietz.

Fire on South Avenue

The fire department was called out about twelve o'clock last night to a fire at the home of Joseph Bonnett, of South avenue, near the Garwood line. The fire was discovered by the night watchman of the plant of the Continuous Casting Company, Garwood, who turned in the alarm. The department responded quickly and soon had the fire under control but the roof of the house was destroyed and the damage is estimated at $1,000. The fire is believed to be of incendiary origin.

Among those who have joined their companies in the National Guard who have been called are Ferris Pearsall, Nathaniel H. Hort, George Davis, Charles Gordon, Percy A. Clark and John Carberry. Pearsall belongs to the Second Regiment, Gordon to Company C of the Second Regiment, Davis to the First Regiment in Newark, Hort and Clark to Company K of Plainfield.

The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Warren L. Hoagland, of Phillipsburg, are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Martin, of Prospect street. The Rev. Mr. Hoagland was a former pastor of the First Presbyterian church and has a number of friends here.

The second ladies' night of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Clinks will be staged in the Playhouse Wednesday evening, April 11. The entertainment committee promises a fine program.

The Rutzers Glee and Mandolin Club will give an entertainment in the auditorium of the high school Saturday night under the auspices of the Bible Class of the Congregational church.

The "poverty dance" under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association of the McKinley School will be held in the assembly room of that school tomorrow night.

Miss Elda Fink entertained the members of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church at her home on Walnut street yesterday afternoon.

The K. B. Society of St. Paul's church is rehearsing a two-act comedy, which it expects to present the first part of May.

W. J. Taylor and family, of Westfield avenue, have returned from Florida, where they spent several months.

Rev. H. St. G. Burrill, of Holy Cross church, Plainfield, will preach in St. Paul's church tomorrow night.

Mrs. H. A. Hirsh, of New York will spend the week-end with Miss Carrie Dawes, of Central avenue.

H. Fay Bardwell, of Benson place, will leave Monday for a two weeks' business trip in Philadelphia.

Mrs. James Chilton, of First street, has returned from a visit to her brother in Philadelphia.

Mrs. L. H. Phelps, of First street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Washington, D. C.

C. S. Bellows, of Sinclair place, will leave Saturday for an extended business trip in the West.

P. J. Windfield, of Lenox avenue, has returned from a vacation of several weeks in Maryland.

Charles H. Adams, who has been quite ill at his home on Clark street, is slowly recovering.

H. T. Terry and family, of North Euclid avenue, are planning to move to Los Angeles, Cal.

C. E. Pearsall, of Carlton road, has returned from a week's vacation in New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller, of the Boulevard, are spending a few weeks at Beaufort, N. C.

H. L. Abrams, of Prospect street, is able to be out again after a severe attack of grip.

Arthur Albert and family have moved from Downer street to Central avenue.

DUNELLEN

FLAG RAISING HERE TOMORROW

Old Glory will swing to the breeze in front of the First Presbyterian Church, this place, at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The occasion will be an old fashion flag raising at which the pastor, the Rev. Ernest R. Brown, will preside. The speakers for the occasion will include some of the Borough officials, members of the Board of Education. Two of the oldest Grand Army members will have the honor of raising the flag to its position between the trees in front of the church. School children will sing patriotic airs. The public is invited to be present at this affair.

Will Hold Old Time Dance

A local committee consisting of T. F. Voorhees and A. Russell will hold a social and old time dance at Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall on Friday evening, April 13. Music will be furnished by Naylor's orchestra.

The Rev. Dr. Ramsey of the local M. E. church is attending the Methodist conference at Newark. I. J. Stites, a member of the official board of the local church, will attend the laymen's session at Newark tomorrow.

The advance grades of the Dunellen schools are studying the works of English authors as a guide for style and diction in expression of the English language. The favorite author being studied is Shakespeare.

This evening at 8 o'clock there will be a meeting of the Men's Forum of the Methodist church at the home of W. W. Gliddes, of Linden avenue, to consider matters of special and important concern.

David K. Hamblin and family are moving to Roselle, having recently disposed of the property here to Edward Boice, who will retire from farming and take up his residence in the borough.

The Rev. Dr. E. S. Jamison is attending the sessions of the Newark conference being held this week in the Halsey Street Methodist Episcopal church in Newark.

O. M. Webber moved this week into the Johnson house on Second street. H. S. Titsworth and family have rented the house vacated by Mr. Webber.

Carl Marx, formerly of the Middlesex Aniline Co., has moved to Scarsen, where he has secured a similar position as chemist with a firm at that place.

Milton F. Randolph, of New Market, a student at Alfred University, sung with the Glee Club of that institution at Plainfield last night.

The borough schools will hold a short Easter vacation this year, closing Thursday, April 5, and opening Monday, April 9.

Councilmen Robert Craig, Richard Ryan and Gastner were present last night in Plainfield at the joint sewer commission meeting.

News items of interest for this column may be left at Campbell's store, corner of North and Lincoln avenues.

Miss Mona Roskell and Miss Alice Hoffman spent the fore part of the week in New York city.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold a social Thursday afternoon of next week.

Excavations for improvements to the Gallagher property, Washington avenue, have begun.

Charles Wrage has been ill with throat trouble during the past day or two.

Mrs. Charles S. Day, of New Market, has a slight attack of tonsilitis.

J. C. Melville is about to take up his residence in British West Indies.

SCOTCH PLAINS

The all-day meeting of the Foreign and Home Missionary Society was held in the parish house yesterday. This being the yearly meeting, reports from the officers were read, and all showed the society to be in a flourishing condition. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. A. D. Heslop; vice-president, Mrs. John Hatfield; secretary, Miss Laura Bornman; treasurer, Mrs. George Dunn.

The annual parish meeting of the Baptist church will be held next Monday evening. Owing to the heating system at the Baptist church being out of order, the meeting will be held in the parish house. After the meeting there will be a social hour and refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Seits have returned to their home on Long Island after visiting at the home of Mr. and Miss Bornman, of Westfield road.

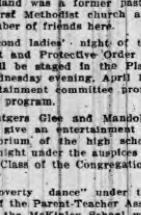
A. G. Stevens, of Front street, has purchased a new Ford automobile.

FANWOOD

The complaint that Peter Ritter, of South avenue, is bringing against M. W. Tracy, of Westfield, which is one of reckless driving, as Tracy, Ritter claims, collided with his taxi on South avenue Tuesday morning, April 13, turning it over, will be given a hearing before Recorder Charles Sheelen tomorrow evening in Fanwood Hall.

The debating team of the Eighth Grade of Fanwood township school No. 1 is anxious to further assert its ability to use the logical form of argument and stand prepared to enter in contest with any team of its calibre.

A meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Bible Class was held at the home of Mrs. John H. Thompson this afternoon. Miss Elizabeth Hopkins, of the New York Bible and Training School, led the teaching.



Care of the Teeth

cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. This done there need be no fear but the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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"They Fit Well Around the Neck"

Now that Spring has come with all its wonderful golden sunshine and desire to cast all work aside and take a nice, long tramp out into the country where leaves are green and flowers are beginning to bud forth, the eye has turned to dislike everything that reminds us of the cruel pangs of Winter, and to blossom forth ourselves in our new Spring garb. And Easter is but ten short days ahead, or hardly that! It is a little bit too cold yet, however, to go out in dresses without coats, and of course the Winter coats have been duffed. So this season—like every other Spring season—will be primarily one of suits! Suits plain, suits fancy, suits sport and suits dressy—but suits.

Neckwear, therefore, will be better this season than it has been in a long time, because a Spring suit will not be complete without that little needed finishing touch to collar and cuff, to soften and relieve.

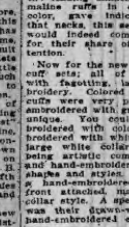
For the benefit of those who are seeking the latest and best in the neckwear line, I might reveal the wonders that were shown to me in advance, on the first floor of the Altman & Co. Fifth and Madison Avenues building, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Streets.

First of all, the new Jersey Cloth coats with large sailor collars. I had never seen them before. But I knew that they would be in excellent taste this Spring, for was not Jersey Cloth the very popular black and white cloth in taffeta, with cuffs to match. Another style could be worn plain or low, finished off with tiny pockets. Separate collars and cuffs will be striped affairs, and some of them with hand-work, could be worn by those who did not like the coat effect. The prettiest style for a blue serge suit was a black and stripe combination.

Another new feature of Spring will be the fancy girdles, and Altman's offer two distinctive styles; one the shaped girdle of soft silk, hand-made, and the other a straight style which slips two or three times around the waist and ties where ever you wish.

All sorts of wonderful guimpes in batiste and net were shown us the latest importation from Paris; to dress up a suit when one did not intend to take off one's coat at a luncheon or afternoon "tea dansant," some were monk collars (with the collar front and back), some had plaitings, and an odd style was made of hand-embroidered net with a triple collar.

One unusual model even had a square yoke neck with a collar covering the back, which could be worn high by itself or with a black moire ribbon, or else could simply fall loose. A pretty flesh-color net lawn was hand-embroidered and bruided. You could find plaiting, tucks and malines ruffs in every color, gave indication that necks this season, would indeed come in for their share of attention.



Now for the new French collar and cuff sets; all of them hand-made and hand-embroidered. Dots were unique. You could get white embroidered with colors, or colors embroidered with white, in batiste. The large white collars were exquisite, being artistic combinations of ties and French knots, with all kinds of shapes and styles. A new piece was a hand-embroidered collar with a front attachment made in the shawl collar style. A specialty of Altman's was hand-work collars with hand-embroidered edge.

Very popular, of course, will be the Georgette collars. Very pretty ones were seen; hand embroidered and fringed with a real lace edge, while there was no endless variety of embroidered real filet. Very stylish will be Georgettes embroidered with dots of all colors. Net and Georgette combinations are good, too, with embroidered borders.

Altman's have a variety of "mesh" collars, in colors and in white, in fine and in two-toned valies in all shades. As for separate cuffs to match in colors to match your hose; blazers, hats or whatever you wish, for a short wear. The so-called broad "student's tie" of Crepe de chine was shown in thirty-six different colors, so you could match almost anything.

In fact, at Altman's I found every style and every color made in collars, fronts, guimpes, waistcoats and collar and cuff sets. What more could you wish?

Milady Carryle

AMATEUR WIRELESS ORDERED SILENCED

Secretary Redfield Puts Ban on All Outfits.

Washington, March 29.—Suspension of all permits for the operation of amateur wireless outfits, with or without sending equipment, has been ordered by Secretary of Commerce Redfield as a precautionary measure in view of the present crisis.

In addition, secret service agents, neutrality agents and agents of the department of commerce are keeping the strictest kind of watch upon outfits already licensed and in searching for unlicensed apparatus.

While the few known wireless outfits with sending equipment are carefully censored, there has been constant danger that without the knowledge of the officers of government information might be picked up by wireless operators and utilized in unfriendly quarters.

The possibility of a chain of small wireless installations with small radius sending equipment with which groups of hostile aliens in various parts of the country could be kept in touch with each other and act in concert also has been considered. In the event of a declaration of war it is probable all sending apparatus licensed by the government will be shut down and prohibited.

HOTEL MAY LOSE LICENSE.

Parkesburg Owner's Case Now In the Hands of Court.

West Chester, March 29.—The fate of H. Parke Gable, proprietor of the Parkesburg hotel, whose license was under fire all Tuesday in court here in proceedings to revoke his privilege to sell intoxicants, is now in the hands of the court.

The testimony was completed for both sides. It is possible a decision may be handed down immediately by the court not only upon the proceedings, but upon the application of Gable for license for the year starting April 1. There is no remonstrance against the latter.

Market Reports.

FLOUR—Firmer; spring patents, $8.90@9.10; winter straights, Pennsylvania and western, $8.60@8.90; Kansas straights, $8.80@9.00.

BUTTER—Strong; receipts, 8,424; creamery, higher than extras, 43½@44c.; creamery extras, 42 score, 42½@43c.; firsts, 39@40c.; seconds, 36@38c.

EGGS—Strong; receipts, 17,067; fresh gathered, extra fine, 23½@23½c.; extra firsts, 22½@23c.; fresh gathered firsts and lower grades, 20½@20¾c.; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western henery whites, fine to fancy, 24@26c.; nearby henery browns, 23c.

CHEESE—Irregular; receipts, 6,134; state, whole milk, held, specials, 17½@17¾c.; do, average fancy, 16¾@17c.

POTATOES—Live; prices not quoted. Dressed, very firm; chickens, 19@26c.; fowls, 18@24c.; turkeys, 23@24c.

POTATOES—Steady; Bermuda, late crop, $4.50@5.00; Virginia, late crop, bbl or bag, $2.50@3.75.

CABBAGES—Steady; Florida, red, crate, $3@4.

IN FIELD OF SPORTS

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HAIRCUTS

A haircut is one of the few indignities that bald-headed men don't have to suffer. It's a habit, the haircut is, among men (with densely populated heads. But it is no ordinary habit. It's a habit a man has to hire another man to practice to him. There are fashions in haircuts as in everything else. The old-fashioned haircut circled the base of a man's brain and stopped. But today it goes on down the back of his neck to see what his collarbone's doing. Generally speaking, the haircut is a misfortune. If it wasn't for haircuts we could abolish barbers.

"Weather or No"

Every man is a success, even if it is only as a failure.—Old Man Sage.

WHY KILBANE IS NOT POPULAR IN THE EAST

A short time ago Johnny Kilbane came East to fight. He was matched with a young lightweight before a Syracuse, N. Y., club, and he agreed to allow this man to enter the ring weighing 133 pounds, but when it came weighing time and the young opponent of the featherweight champion hopped on the scales weighing 137 pounds Kilbane refused to fight. The crowd went wild when it got this news and a young riot was in progress in a very short time. The club officials waxed indignant. In fact, everyone had a brick, and he aimed at Kilbane's head.

A few days later a well-known fight fan came out with the statement that Kilbane had gone wrong in his declaration not to meet a man who weighed almost ten pounds more than himself. "Any man," he said, "featherweight or no featherweight, who challenges Freddie Welsh for the world's lightweight title and agrees to let that champion come into the ring weighing 135 pounds should not be afraid to meet a comparatively unknown man who weighs 137 pounds."

Now this flash fan may have been at the ringside during the should-have-been Syracuse fight, and he may not. If he was there was an excuse for his complaint, although it was a lame one. But it is a certainty that he didn't take into consideration the fact that this youth may have been a very hard hitter, one capable of putting over the sleep wallop on Kilbane's chin. Welsh, as is well known, long ago lost the habit of knocking out his opponents. He never even bruises most of the men he meets.

Whether Kilbane was right or wrong it is a brass-riveted cinch that he did the best thing to protect what little reputation is left him in a New York ring. Criticisms of the kind the fight fan made are the very things which have discounted Kilbane's ability here. Whenever New York gets to the point of accepting Kilbane at his real worth, which is almost his weight in gold, it will see some good fights—something it does not see when Freddie Welsh and some of the other high-priced lads get into action.

SCOTCH PLANS TO HAVE A BALL TEAM

Joe Alberts Behind Movement to Revive National Pastime at Suburb

Spring is here and Scotch Plains is now talking of the baseball prospects for the coming season. Joe Alberts, one of the old-timers from the hamlet in the baseball line, is leading the various gabfests on the subject, and Joe is of the opinion that the Plains can again produce a team of a worth-while make-up.

Alberts has already managed to interest a number of those who were back of the team a few years ago, and it is now thoroughly believed that the revival of the national pastime in the nearby suburb will have a full-fledged team on the field again. From present indications, the Park avenue field, just opposite the schoolhouse, will be used for all home games, although no lease has been secured on the field as yet.

It is expected that a meeting of all interested in the project will be called by Mr. Alberts in the course of the next week or ten days, at which time the whole question will be taken up. The date for the meeting will be announced later.

Scotch Plains was a thriving baseball burg up to about three or four years ago, when the "big show" gave way to the junior teams of the village. The Plains had a strong team in the days when the old rivalry between Westfield, Scotch Plains and this city was at its zenith. After that spell, however, interest waned in all the three towns, Westfield being the first to drop its representative team. For several years Sunday ball prevailed at the Plains, but as to whether this feature will be developed this year, or whether the proposed team will limit itself to Saturday ball, is still somewhat of an open question.

RIFLE CLUB SHOOTS TO BE CONTINUED HERE

President D. G. Atwood of the Plainfield Rifle Club, announced this afternoon, that the team shooting under the auspices of the organization will be continued at Company K Armory on the regular nights, despite the mobilization of the local militia boys. The going away of Company K will mean the re-organization of one or two of the teams, but it is not expected that this will not hold up the work to any great degree.

The arrangements for an outdoor range is progressing favorably, and it is expected that a site will be secured in the course of the next week or ten days. The team shoots on the indoor range, however, will be continued until further notice, as members will have to qualify in order to be able to shoot on the outdoor range.

President Atwood promises further announcements concerning the work of the organization for publication on Saturday's sporting page.

Cornell Captain Elected

Ithaca, N. Y., March 29.—Arthur W. Mellen, Jr., of New York City, has been re-elected captain of the Cornell baseball team of 1917.

WESTFIELD BOYS HAD GOOD SEASON

Suburban Basketball Aggregation Splits About Even on Victories and Defeats

The Westfield High School basketball team completed its season by scoring 506 points, the same number as scored by its opponents. Seventeen games were played, of which the Westfielders won eight and lost nine. The season opened with Roselle Park December 1, the Westfielders losing by a score of 35 to 23. Westfield lost seven games before luck changed. With each defeat the individual work of the players and of the team became better and a winning streak started, during which Perth Amboy, Cranford, Linden, Roselle Park, North Plainfield and West Orange were defeated.

The locals had the distinction of scoring more points against Horace Mann than any other team during the entire season. The team started its season with no place to practice and had only one man who played in the previous season. The new material, however, developed into a fast team. Many of the teams met by the locals were heavier and more experienced. H. A. Stein, of Plainfield, the popular coach, did admirable work with the boys and has laid the foundation for a very fast team next season.

In the scoring department, Stevens, at forward, was the leader, amassing a total of 174 points, of which eighty-eight came via the 15-foot mark, and the rest from the floor. Barry, also a forward, was runner-up with sixty-two field goals and twenty-three fouls, which gave him a sum of 147. Coen, at guard, dropped in thirty baskets. Others who played this season were Johnston, guard; Riley, forward; Hauman, centre; Jesperson, centre; Davies, forward; Wright, guard; Townley, guard; Dix, guard, and Sisserson, guard.

Among the teams which took the measure of the locals were Battin High School of Elizabeth, Alumni, South Side H. S. of Newark, Plainfield H. S. (twice), Horace Mann H. S. and North Plainfield H. S. The faculty was defeated and the West Orange team conquered Westfield in two other games played.

GIRLS' LAST GAME

The Hope Chapel girls' basketball team will close its season tonight when it will line up against the Comrade Club on the court of the Netherwood Reformed church. The Chapelites took the first game between these two teams several weeks ago and expect to duplicate this evening.

A BOUT FOR DARCY

New Orleans, March 29.—Les Darcy, of Australia, and Jeff Smith, of New York, will fight 20 rounds to a decision here May 4, according to the announcement last night of a local promoter. The bout will be advertised for the middleweight championship of the world.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL'S TEAM SUCCESSFUL

Have Record of Twenty-three Victories and Five Defeats on Courts

The Grammar School basketball team won its last game of the season yesterday from the Grace Church Choir Boys of this city by the score of 21 to 16. Mowen led in the scoring for the Grammar School team, while Wright led for the losers.

The score:

	P.	G.	F.	P.
Lambert, f		3	1	7
Brancati, f		1	0	2
Randolph, c		2	0	4
Mowen, g		4	0	8
Adelman, g		0	0	0
McCusker, g		0	0	0
Spicer, g		0	0	0
		10	1	21

GRACE CHURCH

	G.	F.	P.
McKay, f	1	0	2
Wright, f	3	0	6
Elliott, f	1	0	2
Horn, c	1	0	2
Shepherd, g	0	0	0
Angleman, g	2	0	4
	8	0	16

Referee, Starry; timer, Johnson.

The Grammar School boys have had an exceptionally good season, having won twenty-three of the twenty-eight games played. An excellent type of team work was developed by the aggregation, which enabled them to go through the season in such a successful manner.

The school lads ran up a total of 768 points for the season as against 336 secured by their opponents.

The complete record for the season is as follows:

	G	S	Opp.
Wardlaw School	2	6	15
Y. M. C. A. Juniors	1	5	8
Rutgers Prep	1	4	14
Ros. Pk H. S. Seconds	1	5	17
Y. M. C. A. Juniors	1	6	11
Cranford H. S. Freshmen	1	8	7
Wardlaw School	1	2	20
Ros. Pk H. S. Freshmen	1	3	6
Hope Chapel	1	9	18
Rutgers Prep		9	5
Somerville H. S. Freshmen	2	2	15
Linden H. S.	1	3	4
P. H. S. Freshmen	1	2	10
Somerville Cadets	2	1	24
Ros. Pk G. S.	1	4	5
Cranford H. S. Freshmen	1	0	5
Somerville Monarchs	1	5	4
Garwood G. S.	1	3	6
P. H. S. Freshmen	1	4	3
Westfield H. S. Freshmen	2	3	26
Garwood G. S.	1	1	24
Ros. Pk H. S. Freshmen	1	2	9
Linden H. S.	1	2	6
St. Mary's	1	3	5
Roselle Park G. S.	1	4	8
Westfield H. S. Freshmen	1	2	8
Hope Chapel	1	5	25
Grace Church	1	2	21

RICKEY IS RESTRAINED

St. Louis, March 29.—Judge R. E. Cave of the Circuit Court issued a restraining order last night preventing Branch Rickey, former business manager of the St. Louis American League Baseball Company, from acting as president of the St. Louis National League Company or from entering the employ of the latter company.

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TUCKABATCHEE CLUB NOTES

The first indoor tennis practice was held by the club players during the course of the past week, the next to be held tomorrow evening. All members interested in quoits, chess or tennis are invited to be present.

The club officers would be pleased to hear from chess players of Plainfield and vicinity who would be interested in a simultaneous match with an expert. Address the club at 306 East Sixth street.

The most recent of the matches in the club chess tourney resulted as follows: H. Brandt, 2, vs. 1, Hand, 0; H. Todd, 1, vs. H. Brandt, 1; A. Brandt, 1, vs. H. Todd, 1; H. Todd, 1, vs. G. Bryan, 1.

The standing of the tourney is as follows:

	G	W	L	PC
A. Brandt	8	7	1	.875
S. Gore	4	3	1	.750
H. Brandt	6	4	2	.667
H. Todd	10	6	4	.600
G. Bryan	8	4	4	.500
L. Hand	6	2	4	.333

NOTES FROM P. H. S.

A rehearsal of the Senior play, "Mr. Perrerchon's Journey," was held yesterday afternoon.

A meeting of the High School Glee Club, which was recently organized, was held in the auditorium yesterday after school, instructor of music of the Plainfield schools C. L. Lewis led the club members in singing songs which will be appropriate for the Easter exercises.

The High School track team had a practice yesterday afternoon and is now preparing to enter several big athletic meets which are due soon.

The following ushers will report for duty next Tuesday evening, April 3, for the musical concert which will be given by the Glee and Instrumental Clubs of Colgate University in the auditorium. Dandy afterwards to music furnished by Van Eps' orchestra: Door, Percy Stelle and Mac Fullerton. Orchestra, S. Wright McAneny, Jr., Rufus Searles, Russell Tomlinson, Wallace Zimmerman, August Frankie and S. Leonard Lewis. Balcony, Leon Liddeck, Marten McDonough, Irving Manley, William Egel, Harold Condict, Louis Sturkweather will be in charge. Lewis Zeek, chief.

At a meeting of the new Oracle Board, which was held last Monday for the purpose of appointing an Oracle staff for next year, the following were elected: Editor in chief, Howard Stelle; assistant editor in chief, Chester Sours; literary editor, Harold Loizeaux; school editor, Mac Fullerton; Boys' Athletic Association reporter, Monroe O'Donnell; Girls' Athletic Association reporter, Miss Cornelia Lyle; exchange editor, Miss Esther Loizeaux.

A hiking club has been recently organized by a number of girls of the school who seemed interested in having such a club. Prominent among these was Miss Florence Ryder, president of the G. A. A. Board of Directors, which organization pushed the move through to make it a success. Miss Ruth Elliot, of the high school faculty, will take charge of the girls on their hikes and will coach them in their undertakings.

The next meeting of the Alpha Literary Society will be held April 9 in the auditorium. The following program has been made out by Chairman Harold F. Biddle: Declamation by Miss Mary Coulter; oration by Paul Geary; declamation by Miss Elsie Cullinan; oration by Moses Glaser; declamation by Miss Anna Hastings; oration by Edward Crone; declamation by Miss Cora Hofer. Debate on the question, "Resolved, that the school play, rather than class plays, should be given." The affirmative debaters will be led by Morris Kline and supported by Miss Mabel Jones and Maurice Kuzman, while Lewis Krinsky will lead the negative team with Miss Florence Alexander and Miss Fanny Mann.

A meeting of the Plainfield High School American Red Cross Relief Society was held yesterday afternoon. The girls were taught how to properly bandage a wound besides receiving instruction as to how to efficiently dress a wound.

ACTIVITIES OF COMPANY K

Members of Company K have been within call for some time past, and the company appeared on duty recently at the laying of the cornerstone of the new city hall.

On Friday night last, a detail was to exemplify the military idea at the lecture given by Ian Hay, in the Plainfield High School. These men were Corporal Adam Miller, Mechanic Frederick H. Bowe, Jr., Corporal Ferris Pearsall, Privates Alex. Campbell, John Millwater and Harold Willard.

WESTERN UNION GRANTS EIGHT HOUR DAY

New York, March 29.—The Western Union Telegraph Company, at a meeting of the executive committee at 195 Broadway, yesterday, decided to put the basic eight-hour day into effect in its service after May 1, wherever practicable. Of the 45,000 employes in the country, about 25,000 working in what are exclusively Western Union offices will benefit by the order and receive the same pay they now get for nine hours' work. Overtime will be paid for at one-eighth of a day's pay an hour.

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PRICE TWO CENTS

ARCHITECTS FILE A PROTEST

Say Adoption of Anti-Shingle Ordinance Will Retard Building

MUST USE SHINGLES IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

Without Them Colonial Design Cannot be Carried Out in the Construction of Houses and Bungalows

A communication signed by a large number of architects, builders and real estate agents has been filed with the Common Council protesting against the adoption of a shingle roof ordinance. The communication is as follows:

"Understanding that a resolution is about to be introduced to your honorable body *recommending* the passing of an ordinance prohibiting the use of shingles on the roofs of dwellings hereafter erected in the city of Plainfield; we, the undersigned architects, builders, real estate operators and property holders, firmly believing that such an ordinance would be detrimental to the growth and beauty of our city would respectfully ask that, if you deem such an ordinance necessary, which we do not, it shall at least be restricted to cover only that portion of the town lying within a reasonable distance of the railroad and if necessary extend the fire zone for the following reasons:

"1. That shingles and slate are the only two standard materials used for dwelling roofs and it would be practically impossible to use slate on dwellings of the bungalow, rambrel roof, Colonial and other types of the low effect type and carry out the necessary architectural effect required to make houses of this class attractive and desirable. Therefore, many people who desire to use this design of architecture would be unable to do so and in many cases not build at all if they were unable to carry their ideas.

"2. If the houses of the above architecture could not be erected it will necessitate the building of unattractive, stereotype class of houses which will soon detract greatly from the beauty and attractiveness of our city.

"3. Try to imagine how some of the beautiful residences in this city would appear with slate roofs on them. Take, for example, the handsome residence of Mr. Hodi, on Stelle avenue; Mr. Dumont's home, on Stelle avenue; the thatched roof effect on the residence of George A. Bowman, Evergreen avenue, and a hundred other handsome residences throughout the city that would be absolutely ruined from an artistic as well as an architectural viewpoint.

"4. A slate roof is naturally a conductor of heat and is therefore very undesirable for this reason and practically unbearable to live under.

"5. Slate or other non-combustible materials are more expensive than shingles, thus raising the cost of building which is now almost prohibitive.

"6. Absolutely no better fire insurance rate is obtainable for private frame dwellings with non-combustible roofs as dwellings in all cities in the *State of New Jersey* are rated as a class and the rate is determined by the equipment and size of the fire department and the water supply.

"7. We do not recall during the past fifteen years where any private dwelling located on lots restricted to a frontage of fifty feet or more were ever seriously damaged by a fire burning on adjoining property.

"Furthermore, you will agree with us that an unattractive house can't command the rental nor will it *sell as readily* as an attractive one. Therefore, values of real estate would be decreased and the tax valuations would be reduced accordingly. With the resolution as proposed, every property owner in this city who has a shingle roof will be forced at the end of fifteen years, even though the roof be in good condition, to absolutely rebuild the entire roof of the house, because to carry the additional weight of slate roof, heavier rafters will be required. Besides this, a roof will have to be entirely boarded before slate can be applied. In other words, a large majority of the home owners in the city would be required to spend not less than $600 to comply with the ordinance.

"We feel confident that upon consideration of the proposed resolution you will see the disastrous effects it would have on the entire community, from a monetary, an artistic, an architectural and a taxable standpoint, and we feel confident you will give this letter your favorable attention and support our appeal."

OFFENSIVE OR DEFENSIVE WAR

Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., Discusses Question

She Strongly Advocates National Preparation Against Attacks From Within or From Without

Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., gave the tenth of her "talks on current events" in the High school auditorium yesterday afternoon before a large and representative audience. She said that she was delighted at the opportunity of speaking in the auditorium of a public school for she had long advocated the use of such buildings as civic centres, and this was the only city in which she had seen her idea carried out so far as to have been invited to make use of a public school for the purpose of giving one of her addresses on current events.

Miss Richards asked her audience to clearly understand that she was no advocate of war, but her attitude throughout her address was that she advocated full preparation against all attacks from within and from without. She did not believe for a moment that it was the policy of this Government to send troops to Europe to engage with the entente *allies against* the Central Powers. The ententes had specifically said that they did not desire our troops on the field, they would be more in the way than an asset to the entente armies. What they did hope was that this country would give them the far better help of arms, munitions, food and loans. This would amount to scores of real and bloodless contribution.

If ours is to be a defensive war then this country must defend herself against shelling and bombardment; the coast must be defended and the navy be brought up to full strength. To defend ourselves will prove a big task. According to the information she had received, our airplanes are not up-to-date, the batteries are poor and she had heard them termed "junk," and our submarines were unsafe. Washington feared conditions in Mexico more than elsewhere. The border was practically undefended. The forts were built a thousand miles from everywhere and the unpreparedness is so general that everyone she had spoken to had shown disgust. There was absolutely no excuse for the condition of things in this country. There is here all the wealth and all the true patriotism that a country could hope for or desire.

BANDAGES WERE NOT MADE HERE, SAYS MRS. WALLACE

Report that has been given considerable publicity in New York and *Philadelphia newspapers* to the effect that Red Cross bandages sent to Philadelphia had been found to contain ground glass, and that they were sent from some New Jersey town, possibly Plainfield, Mrs. F. W. Wallace of the National Special Aid Society, upon learning of the report, made a personal investigation and she stated today that she could say with a great deal of confidence that the bandages were not made in Plainfield.

Mrs. Wallace explained that at a recent meeting of the National Special Aid Society, a report of the above-named character was heard and frequently afterward she continued to hear the rumor which led to her investigation.

PHONE EMPLOYES IN SIGNAL CORPS

Local men employed by the New York Telephone Company as well as *elsewhere are being organized into* Reserve Signal Corps units. Applications for enlistment are included in folders describing the plan and guaranteeing certain considerations to be shown by the company to those who enlist which are being distributed.

It is said that one company will be recruited from employes of this State, but just what geographical divisions could be made had not been decided. All applications for enlistment must be entered in the New York office of the company by April 5.

Fashion Shop News Makes Its Debut

Vol. I, No. 1, of a very dainty little "news" paper appeared in yesterday's issue of the Courier-News and was replete with splendid Easter offerings of exquisite waists in all the modish and superb colorings of the season. The Fashion Shop which specializes in women's blouses is gaining rapidly in favor with Plainfield women. The beautiful display in the Fashion Shop window is worth going to see.—Adv.

ALL DENOMINATIONS ARE INVITED

Judge Newcorn Requests Them to Hear Rabbi Wise at Columbus Club

An invitation has been extended to the ministers of all religious denominations in this city, North Plainfield, Dunellen and surrounding towns, to attend the Jewish War Relief meeting in Columbus auditorium on Tuesday night, when Rabbi Wise will be the principal speaker.

The ministers of all denominations are also requested to extend the invitation to the members of their congregation.

Rabbi Wise is one of the most prominent lecturers in the country and his presence is sought for wherever an effort is being made for the political, civic, or social well-being of the people.

Judge Newcorn this morning announced the following list of contributors to the war sufferers fund which were erroneously omitted from the list published yesterday: Alvah W. Ten Eyck, Elizabeth B. Forster, Eugene M. Cave, F. W. Iredell, Duncan W. Taylor, Mrs. W. R. Faber, A. B. Jones, Thomas L. DeMeza, H. A. Vroom, Milton Knapp, Nathan S. Wardner, H. M. Case, Frank S. Martin, A. J. Gavett, William H. Shotwell, Morris Israel, Percy H. Stewart, Charles S. Smtnck, Dr. Edward S. Kranz, Nat Levy & Co., R. H. Barnard, D. F. Dugan, Dr. Raphael Yood, Kallinan Rothberg, Hon. John H. Capstick, Louis Rosenthal, Mrs. Titsworth, Solomon Mann, J. J. Freed, Benj. M. Bernstein, Irving Kunzman, Mrs. Albert Zerega, Mrs. J. Kirtland Myers.

VERDICT FOR $5,276 GIVEN JAS. NASH, JR

Vice Chancellor Backes Decides Important Suit as Outcome of Deal

Vice-Chancellor Backes in the Chancery Court, Trenton, on Wednesday rendered a verdict of $5,276 to James Nash, Jr., of West Front street, this city, in the matter of Samuel Polkowitz against James J. Nash, Jr. The suit was the outcome of a real estate transaction made by James J. Nash in 1905, conveying a large tract of land in Perth Amboy.

In October, 1902, one Daniel Hallahan, grandfather of James Nash, Jr., made a deed of property to James J. Nash in trust for the latter's son, which property was to be held by him for the benefit of the son. In 1905, Samuel Polkowitz purchased this property from the trustee, but failed to obtain the consent of James Nash, Jr., for such sale. Last October Samuel Polkowitz filed a bill in Chancery to quiet his title and to terminate any interest which James Nash, Jr., might have in the property, claiming that the sale by the trustee to him gave him a good title to the property.

James Nash, Jr., through his counsel, Martin B. Stutsman, filed a counter-suit claiming that he was still the owner of the property regardless of the sale by the trustee.

Vice-Chancellor Backes in filing his conclusions sustains the contention of Mr. Stutsman that title was still in James Nash, Jr., and ordering Polkowitz to pay the sum of $5,276 to the latter within thirty days for interest in the property.

So far as known this is the only case on record in the State covering this novel situation and it is said Mr. *Stutsman has established a precedent* for future guidance for which he was commended by the court.

Polkowitz was represented by Counsellors Leo Goldberger, of Perth Amboy; John P. Kirkpatrick, of New Brunswick, and Prosecutor Joseph Stricker, of Middlesex county.

BOROUGH TEACHER TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL

Mrs. Julia M. Bensing, principal of Somerset school primary department, was taken seriously ill yesterday on an Arlington avenue car when going to school. A physician was summoned to the school and took her home in a taxi. Mrs. Bensing resides with Dr. Samuel B. Howe, who is well known in this city and in Newark, as head of the Department of History.

QUEEN CITY HOTEL TO OPEN TOMORROW NIGHT

Owing to the great amount of work yet to be done to complete the hostelry, J. A. Staats will not be able to open the Queen City Hotel until 5 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. He had planned to have everything in readiness for the opening earlier in the afternoon, but this was found impossible.

Auto Auction Next Saturday

Unusually large assortment, desirable cars sold to highest bidders, cash or deferred payment. Thompson Auto Co.—Adv. 3-24-6t

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

26th Chapter on Early Settlers in This Vicinity From Date of Land Purchase

FROM 1684 TO 1784

This Article, Written by O. B. Leonard, of This City, Gives Interesting Details of Laing Family

This is the twenty-sixth article on the early settlers in Plainfield, written by Oliver B. Leonard, of this city. It gives some interesting details of the Laing family and of the quest of the Von Ohls after long-forgotten treasure:

1703—Survivors of William Laing—1733

A full list of the descendants of *William Laing*, the second son of John Laing, Sr., 1670-1698, is not in possession of the writer. William's older brother, John Laing, Jr., 1675-1725, had by far the larger following. The marriages of William's children, as noticed before, was among promiscuous families, and

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ANNUAL FAIR FOR CHILDREN'S WARD

Extensive Plans for a Delightful Afternoon at the Hartridge Auditorium

Tomorrow afternoon the annual fair for the Children's Ward of the Muhlenberg Hospital will be held in the Hartridge School auditorium from three o'clock until half after six.

It is the ambition of the pupils and teachers of the school to feel that they can assure the ward each year $400, which they know is the equivalent of the income at 5 per cent. of $8,000. This is spent for the support of two beds. All that is made in excess of the $400 is spent on the ward in various ways, as each need is presented to the pupils for their consideration. This year they are especially eager to make all that they possibly can, and are working with even more enthusiasm than usual.

The Seniors and Juniors who usually have the candy and flower table have divided, the Seniors taking the candy and the Juniors the flowers. The third grade academic will serve refreshments on the stage of the auditorium. The first and second grades academic will sell handkerchiefs and stockings and school peasants. The sixth and seventh grades elementary are exceedingly ambitious. At their joint table will be found all sorts of lovely things for wear; fancy work, and gardening outfits that they have themselves painted. The fourth and fifth grades are prepared to supply dolls and their belongings to children of all ages. As imported dolls are found with great difficulty, they will sell American babies of great charm and fascinating costumes. The first and third grades are rather secretive about their plans, but bird houses and Easter toys and grab bags and balloons have been mentioned. Miss Shaw and the boys are planning a Midway downstairs, with bowling and games and many surprises.

Those who have visited the fairs in the past know that Miss Tennant has an Oriental booth, the making of which involves numerous visits to Japanese stores and consequently and much labor, and that she makes wonderful purchases and can offer exceptional bargains in lovely articles.

The pupils thank all their mothers and fathers and all the former girls and the mothers and fathers, and all the good friends who have been helping them for the past two weeks, and also all the new friends who will come tomorrow and help to increase the fund for the sick babies of Plainfield.

SCHOOLS CLOSE TODAY

The public schools of this city and borough closed this afternoon for the Easter vacation and will be reopened on Monday, April 9.

THE NEW YORK SUNDAY AMERICAN

next Sunday (April 1st) will contain a feature article of great interest to all residents of Plainfield and vicinity. To make certain of getting your paper, please give your order in advance to your newsdealer.—Adv. 3-29-3t

PRINCIPALS FOR "LAND OF MYSTERY"

Talented Artists Chosen for Leading Parts in Opera to be Given by Elks

Announcement was made today for the first time of the names of the principals of the new comic opera, "The Land of Mystery," to be given at the Plainfield Theatre, April 10, 11 and 12, under the auspices of the Plainfield Lodge of Elks. Those who will take the leading parts are all well known and will insure a finished performance. There will be a cast of 400 people in the opera.

The cast of principal characters is as follows:

Cornelius Vanderocks, American, William J. Tallamy, Madhamhidhad, priest of Madura, B. F. Tallamy; Loori-O-Yam-Yam, Hindu fakir, Joseph S. Martin; Willie Steele, a ne'er do well, Charles Krueger; Otto Koppel Steele's Dutch companion, Benjamin Dodwell; Nosh, Hannah Vanderock's valet, Harry C. Blimm; a gnome, Edward Bennett; Karamust, head Nautch girl, Miss Juliette Brancati; Rishu Lant, temple singing girl, Miss Bessie Gunselman; Ipshon Kan, a Nautch, Miss Grace Harding; Mary Swift, a newly-made heiress, Miss Sadie F. Lee; Aphrodite, a chemical product, Miss Edna Mantz; Topsy, a black chemical product, Mrs. W. P. Hadley.

The entire production will be in charge of the authors, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Stelling. The opera is filled with clever situations and beautiful scenes and an abundance of comedy.

UNITY LODGE CELEBRATES

Music, Addresses and Dancing Marks Completion of 34th Year of Lodge

The attractive program of vocal and instrumental music, addresses and dancing marked the thirty-fourth anniversary of Unity Lodge, No. 102, Knights of Pythias, held in the lodge rooms last night. The affair was largely attended by members and friends of the lodge. The program of the evening was in charge of Frank Putnam as master of ceremonies.

The address of welcome was given by William Newcorn, of this city, at the conclusion of which he introduced William D. Quick, of Somerville, supreme representative of the order, who gave an excellent address on the principles of the organization.

The balance of the program was presented by the musical Stewarts, George B. Charlton, who sang several popular selections, and athletic "stunts" by Englar and Van Orden, all of which was greatly enjoyed by the audience. Then followed dancing, music for which was furnished by Squires' orchestra. Later in the evening refreshments were served.

Unity Lodge was organized March 22, 1883, with twenty charter members, ten of whom have died since that time. Seven of the charter members are still living: L. B. Woolston, Allen Buckle, Joseph F. Sheppard, John Coty, Thomas Colleen, Horace S. Martin and Edward N. Sebring; all members of Unity Lodge, except Mr. Colleen, who joined Perseverance Lodge, No. 74.

The first chancellor commander was Horace J. Martin and the present one, *Henry C. Gudebus.* The lodge prospered from the beginning with a good class of members, as the roster will show. It will show many who have served the public efficiently, past and present, as mayors, councilmen, city judges, district court judges, assemblymen, sheriffs and also in North Plainfield as borough officers, as councilmen and volunteer firemen.

The lodge is now enjoying much prosperity after an existence of thirty-four years. The gain in membership during the past year was twenty-two. The lodge has also had one grand chancellor, Eugene V. Cornish, who served many years. At the time of his death he was grand keeper of records and seals, which office he conducted in an efficient manner. His son, Victor Lorton, is now a member of the lodge.

SERVICES AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

Rev. Franklin J. Clark, of New York, will be the special preacher at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning at the Holy Cross Episcopal church. Russell D. Bliss, of the School of Canterbury, New York City, will sing "The Palms" as a solo. The three hour service on Good Friday will be in charge of Rev. Dr. Watkins, of New York City.

Automobile Auction

at Thompson Auto Co. tomorrow at 2 p. m. See further particulars in advertisement on page 6.—Adv.

BERLIN MEMBER SAYS PRUSSIAN SYSTEM MUST BE ABOLISHED

By United Press:

Amsterdam, March 30.—For the first time since the war began a note of doubt about Germany's future has crept into Reichstag speeches, according to dispatches today from Berlin.

Member Spahn was quoted as saying in debate after Hollweg's speech yesterday, that he "hoped Germany was prepared to fight a new and powerful foe." The Socialist member, Noske, bitterly censured Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's Mexican-Japanese scheme against the United States and declared the "Prussian system of government must be abolished."

HOLLWEG CLINCHES WAR QUESTION FOR U.S.

By United Press:

Washington, March 30.—Only active war was talked here generally today. German Chancellor von Bethman Hollweg in the Reichstag yesterday clinched the idea.

President Wilson and his cabinet booked for a late afternoon session were expected to shape the last details for entry of the United States into the world-conflict in some form to be decided by Congress.

Hollweg, considered defiant, weak, and misleading in his argument, yesterday, swept aside all doubt in the minds of international experts, that President Wilson will make a forceful demand on Congress for America to play a full part in the war. That Hollweg had made a poor case for himself and his nation was the view on every hand.

President Wilson today passed up his usual morning golf game and worked all the morning in his study. It is understood he is putting into tentative form a rather complete draft of the message he will deliver to Congress on Monday. He excluded himself to all callers today. (Other details on another page.)

FOOD SHORTAGE IS THE CRY IN CHICAGO MARKETS

By United Press:

Chicago, March 30.—The food supply of the nation is in danger was the cry in the Chicago meat and grain markets today. Alarming reports poured into the market from the great winter wheat field of Kansas and Nebraska. They told of drought and of the plowing up of thousands of acres of winter wheat in consequence.

Live hogs at the stock yards today sold as high as $15.50 per hundred, a jump of 25 cents over yesterday, and an advance of 40 cents in the past two days, a record for all time.

Another grave menace to the nation's food supply is the labor shortage, already acute, and now made critical by calling out the National Guard in the agricultural States. The high price of all feeds also threatens.

State agricultural societies and officials are co-operating on the feed question, and advancing seed to farmers who are unable to buy on the market. The demand still is greater than the visible supply.

CONTRACTS GIVEN FOR ANTI-SUBMARINE NETS

By United Press:

Washington, March 30.—A contract for one hundred steel cable anti-submarine nets was awarded by the Navy Department today to a Philadelphia company. The nets are to be of 12 foot mesh, 1,500 feet long and 34 feet deep. The deliveries will begin in three weeks with ten nets a week thereafter.

GERMANY HAS COUNTED ON WAR WITH U. S.

By United Press:

Berlin, March 30.—"We would not be surprised at such *developments, because we have counted on* the possibility for months, but we are prepared to be pleasantly surprised," declared the Lokal Anzeiger, today, in commenting on the possibility of war with the United States. (Other details on another page).

RAISE ALL THE FLAGS MONDAY NEXT, APRIL 2

By United Press:

New York, March 30.—Mayors of 215 cities have been asked to start movements for country-wide flag display from sunrise on Thursday next, April 2, the day Congress convenes, American Defense Society announced today.

TO ORGANIZE DEFENSE FOR PANAMA CANAL

By United Press:

Washington, March 30.—A board consisting of Lieut.-Col. Harding, Canal Zone Governor; Major Oliver Edwards and Commander Cone was appointed by the War Department today to consider the advisability of organizing the canal civil employes for the defense of the Panama Canal.

Y. W. C. A. FASHION SHOW WELL ATTENDED

The "Fashion Show," which was held at the rooms of the Young Women's Christian Association last night, proved to be a great success. More than one hundred people visited the show during the evening and admired the fine display of goods which had been sent there for exhibition by many of the leading merchants of the city.

The association orchestra added interest to the occasion by presenting a program of popular selections, and later in the evening refreshments were served. The association plans to give another "Fashion Show" in the near future.

PRAYER SERVICE OMITTED TONIGHT

The evening service, announced for tonight at the Park avenue church, will not be held.

Members of the church are asked to *spend a brief period at 8 o'clock* in their own homes, simultaneously engaging in Scripture reading and meditation.

Assumes Charge of Millinery Dept.

Miss Carolyn McVey has accepted a position with the New York Store at 203 West Front street, and will assume complete charge of their millinery department, which will have her personal attention. Miss McVey has been identified in this line of work in Plainfield for a number of years, and enjoys a wide acquaintance.—Adv.

FRANKLIN COUNCIL INITIATES BIG CLASS

A class of forty candidates was initiated into the first and second degrees of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., last night.

It was also the occasion of the final meeting in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, the council will relinquish its lease of this place on April 1. Franklin Council will move to the new headquarters on East Front street holding the first meeting on April 5th. The Uniformed Rank will also meet at this new location.

Tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock Auctioneer Schorb will sell considerable of the furniture in the Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall.

VERDICT FOR WEBER

In the District Court yesterday a verdict of no cause for action was rendered by Judge Crane in the suit brought by Henry Weber against Jacob Pashin. Martin B. Stutsman represented Weber.

Recovering from Illness

Mrs. O. T. Waring, of Park avenue, is recovering from an attack of bronchitis and hopes to be out again soon.

—New Packer House, Perth Amboy, N. J., Peter Floersch & Son, formerly of Plainfield, proprietors. Dancing Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 9 to 11:30 p. m.—Adv. 3-27-1w

A. E. FORCE & CO. "THE WHITE STORE"

Three Essentials for Your Easter Toggery

HATS, SUITS and SHOES

We have never had a better line to select from or prices so low to meet the popular demand, which is an important factor, considering high cost of material and labor. See window display and be convinced.

SUITS

Just the kind you want for Easter, in all the newest shades and materials of this season. Beautifully lined. Prices—

16.50, 18.75, 22.50, 25.00

We now have an extensive line of

COATS

which, in style and fabric, differ from anything thus far shown. Prices—

12.98, 16.50, 20.00, 25.00

SATURDAY SPECIALS

We Will Place on Sale

100 SKIRTS

Just received from the different manufacturers and specially prepared for Saturday's Sale. About 35 styles to choose from in all the new and latest materials. Sizes 23 to 36 inch waist bands. Length 35 to 42 inches. Special $5.00

Watch for This Opportunity. We Have Made a

Special Purchase of WAISTS

And will put same on sale Saturday morning on a large table at the entrance of our store. This is positively the greatest value offered this season. Hundreds to choose from. These Waists are up-to-the-minute in style and materials. Sizes 36 to 48. Special 95c

EASTER MILLINERY

Attractive Stock of Everything Needed

Buy here where assortments are large and prices right. Where style and quality are foremost and Fashion's every demand fully realized as well as insuring becomingness that has been one of the leading features of this department. Millinery Salon, Second Floor.

NEW EASTER SHOES FOR WOMEN

Women's Shoes in White Glazed Kid, white ivory sole and covered Louis heel. Price $9.00

Women's Shoes in White Buck Lace, with white ivory sole and white leather Louis heel. Price $6.00

Women's Shoes in White Buck Lace, white ivory sole and white leather low heel, wing tip. Price $6.00

Women's Shoes in Gray Kid Lace, with gray cloth top, with gray covered Louis heel. Price $8.50

Women's Shoes in Dark Brown Kid Lace, welted sole, leather Louis heel. Price $7.00

Women's Shoes in Gray Buck Lace, welted sole and leather Louis heel. Price $6.00

J. A. FASS

140 WEST FRONT ST.

Women's and Misses' Suits

$15.00

A most desirable and pleasing assortment at this popular price and of unsurpassed value.

Materials include Wool Poplins, Men's Wear Serges and Novelty Cloths, in all the season's most approved styles, all the popular high colors and staple shades.

See First Page, Second Section, for Extraordinary Saturday Specials.

Rothberg's Advertising and the Clothes

The only trouble with us right now is that we're apt to talk in bunches—we have so many things to say and we are so uncertain where to begin.

But just by way of whetting your appetite, you can take it from us that if there's one store in Plainfield today which doesn't show the woolen shortage, Rothberg's is it.

From the range of weaves and color schemes in these Spring Suits and Topcoats you would think the war was over and that normal conditions once more obtained in the woolen market.

And after all, that is the greatest test of this or of any other store today—the ability to make good in the face of the greatest economic hardships in the history of clothes.

More tomorrow—But come in today.

Spring Suits $15 and upwards

STYLISH SR RELIABLE

ROTHBERG'S

"THINGS MEN WEAR"

206 W. Front St.

The Sample Shop's Easter Specials —IN— Skirts & Dresses Come in Tomorrow

A Vast Assortment of the Very Latest Models in Skirts and Dresses at

ASTOUNDINGLY LOW PRICES

DRESSES

Of every description that sell regularly in many stores at from $10 to $35.

OUR PRICES

$5 TO $18

SKIRTS

Every style in Skirts for Woman or Miss. Values that are out of the ordinary. Priced from

$2 TO $10

We give you manufacturer's prices and by specializing on Skirts and Dresses we can give you a greater selection and at a cost to you that will convince you that this is the place to buy.

THE SAMPLE SHOP

314 Watchung Avenue

At the Trolley Station.

Deagan Dinner Chimes

Are among the finest obtainable. All tones harmonize and discords are impossible. Their soft, mellow and musical tones must be heard to be appreciated.

J. W. GAVETT

318 West Front Street

Stuart's Spring Footwear

For Women

The new Models in Women's Shoes for the Spring and Summer Seasons are certainly beautiful!

Never before have we shown so many handsome Styles in any one Season!

In both High and Low Cut Footwear there are any number of Choice Creations! Styles that are different! Styles you will like.

It is almost useless to attempt a general description. We've too many features that deserve prominent mention.

See Our Windows

You'll be interested in the new Colonials, Pumps, Sandals, Slippers and in our fine line of new White Shoes.

Stuart's Shoe Shop **215 W. Front St.**

NEW MURRAY HILL POSTMASTER

The location of the Murray Hill postoffice was changed Wednesday from the office of the Murray Hill Coal Company to the store of Harry G. Young, just across the Circle. Mr. Young has been made acting postmaster, succeeding Mrs. Elizabeth M. Rusk, who resigned and who desired to be relieved April 1. Mr. Young's present appointment is to be until the appointment of a permanent postmaster can be made.

RESCUE MISSION NOTE

The Rev. E. I. Case will preach in the Rescue Mission Hall, Madison avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock. There will be a brief and bright service, to which all are cordially invited.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

PROGRAM OF CONCERT BY COLGATE CLUBS

The Plainfield H. S. B. A. A. is making final arrangements for the concert which will be given by the Colgate Musical Club of Colgate University, of New York, next Tuesday evening at 8.15 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Van Epp orchestra has been secured for dancing after the concert.

The program is as follows, subject to change:

Part I—Alma Mater and campus songs, Glee Club. Quartet, Messrs. Bushby, Watkins, Birchard and Mason. American Patrol, from Meacham, by Instrumental Club. Medley, Glee Club. Piano solo, W. H. Russell. Character sketches, M. J. Hayes. Song, "Invictus," Hahn, Glee Club.

Part II—Serenade from "Pierne," Instrumental Club. Open number. Serenade to Juanita, from Joubert-Spicher, by combined clubs. The Unstrung Quintet, Messrs. Adams, Bartholomew, Bogarko, Buchanan and Bushby. Broadway Potpourri, arranged by R. G. Ingraham, Instrumental Club. "Star Spangled Banner," Key, combined clubs and audience.

PASS AS BRIDGE INSPECTORS

Trenton, March 30.—The Civil Service Commission has announced that the following candidates passed the examinations for inspector of the division of bridges and grade crossings of the Public Utilities Board:

Morton W. Muttenlock, 170 Grove street, Montclair; John A. Williams, Camden; Harry W. Mizell, Phillipsburg; Oliver Newmark, Belmar; Charles J. Folk, Phillipsburg, and James Strello, Long Branch.

BELL-ANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

Three favorites among the new Victor Records

Caruso's

powerfully dramatic aria from Samson and Delilah in which the mighty Samson, imprisoned, beseeches the Lord to pity his wretchedness. One of the most gorgeous records in all Caruso's long list. His voice vibrant with emotion, the great tenor expends himself in the masterly music of Saint-Saens.

Victor Red Seal Record 88581
Twelve-inch, $2.00

McCormack's

delightful singing of the happy song, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling." A winning expression of the sunny side of the Irishman's heart by the great singer whose art and nature qualify him best for such a song.

Victor Red Seal Record 64631
Ten-inch, $1.00

Lambert Murphy's

rendering of two attractive songs, one an admirable love lyric, "The Miracle of Love," and the other a most popular musical comedy number, "Mother," from the Broadway success, "Her Soldier Boy."

Victor double-faced Record 45111
Ten-inch, $1.00

Ideal Music Co.

150 EAST FRONT ST.

EASTER APPAREL

JUST seven more days before Easter to complete your holiday shopping. You cannot afford to put off any longer buying that new Easter Hat or Suit, Coat or Dress, Blouse or Gloves. Tomorrow is the best day for it. The Tepper Store is radiantly ready with everything you need, and can outfit you in record time.

Each day has seen the arrival of fresh, spic span goods, which we have constantly added to our already splendid assortments. Our ready-to-wear sections are now at their best, and will present tomorrow, for your unrestricted choice, the latest style conceits and modes of the day.

Many New Styles Offered in Smart Suits for Easter

New, not only in this store, but newest designs to be seen in the fashion centres. This is an exceptional collection because we have embodied in them models which the best dressed women will enthuse over.

The best and most wantable colors, and the highest grade workmanship is embodied in these Suits. Some of them are in the new sports effects, trimmed with novel pockets and new stitching; others are dressy or tailored models, made in most cases with large collars and belts.

All the materials that have received favor this Spring is included in our assortments. Serges, Gabardines, Poiret Twilles, Vigeraux, Jersey Cloth, and an assortment of novelty checks and mixtures in the wanted shades of gold, chartreuse, apple green, copen and navy blue and black.

$16.95 to $40.00

The Season's Smartest Offerings

These Dresses for Easter

To see these dresses pictured is to want them, and to see the actual garments is to find them so irresistible that you will without doubt desire at least two or three for your spring and summer wardrobe.

There are many styles for street, sports, afternoon and evening wear. Those most popular are the Georgette Crepe combined with fancy striped taffetas. There are also dresses of silk crepe de chine or plain georgette.

All the wantable shades, such as navy, copen, chartreuse, apple green, sand, rose, etc., are included. Prices $15.95 to $50.00.

Attractive Coats for Easter

Smart styles, splendid materials, in the popular colorings are here in a large variety. There are coats that are lined, partly lined, while others are unlined. Smart looking models, some of which are neatly belted, others have novel style pockets. Fashioned from popular materials such as gabardines, covets, Polret twilles, serges, wool velours, chamois velours, etc., in green, gold, chartreuse, copen, tan, navy and black. Prices range from.....$8.50 to $49.50

Easter Jewelry

Will Go Far in Attaining the Desired End.

Your new Easter Suit or Dress will look doubly attractive when set off by a dainty piece of jewelry. For it's the little things that count. They will be the finishing touches—the most important touches—to your new Easter outfit.

Very attractive values are offered for tomorrow in this section, such as

Solid Gold Lavalieres With solid gold chain, and set with genuine diamonds—the kind we sell regularly at $5.50, for tomorrow, special $2.49

Solid Gold Neckchain, with Locket or Cross; regular price $2.50; for tomorrow $1.39

Pearl Necklaces — Special 50c

And Now for a Pretty Blouse

You have your suit, you have your hat, now you want a fancy little waist to go with them. Let this Tepper store give you a helping hand in the selection of a waist. Our assortment of Spring Blouses is charming as never before, with a wonderful variety of the newest and most up-to-date style ideas in the beautiful new color harmonies that combine most satisfactorily with the colors of the suit and dresses worn this spring.

From the simplest voile waist to the most elaborate creations you will find here, at prices that will surprise you.

More Pretty Hats
ADDED TO OUR EASTER COLLECTION

Brand new ones, reflecting the latest style tendencies. Every woman should see them, for they are as pretty as we have shown this spring.

It is just the sort of showing that many women have been waiting to see before purchasing their Spring millinery. The charming styles will have your approval as quickly as the modest prices that we set on all these hats.

Leghorns, Chin-Chins, Mushrooms, Sailors and High Crown effects are included in lisere straws, Bangkoks, hemps, milan, etc. All the new shades of the season are represented in this collection.

Spring Neckwear
An Important Asset to Your New Easter Outfit

This section is showing styles to meet every individual desire. Collars of the newest and most novel style ideas; collars in the finest and most popular materials; collars in shades that will combine splendidly with the new suits and dresses. These are featured in hosts of styles that will win the approval of the smartest dressers. Prices range from .....50c to $2.98

GOTHAM SILK HOSE

All shades for Spring wear are represented in this assortment, also black and white. Some have clocking. All silk hose, or lisle garter top, double toe, high spliced heel. Price $1.10, $1.65, $2.25.

Are the Children Ready for Easter?

The youngsters' joy on Easter day springs largely from the thought that they are smartly dressed for then, if ever, comes the keen desire to be certain of looking their best. The children's section of this store is always alert to the necessity in realizing the little one's fondest dreams. From the little things to the most important dress, we prefer our loyal help.

Bring the Children Here. We Are Ready!

Boys' Easter Suits

An assortment resplendent with new suits for boys is now awaiting your selection. Nobby suits in the pinch backs, belted and Norfolk models, are here, in serges, checks and assorted mixtures. The sizes range from 6 to 18 years. Prices $3.98 to $12.98.

Boys' Hats

A splendid assortment of hats to match the coats, suits and reefers for boys. The assortment is complete and includes every wantable size, shape and color.

Juvenile Coats

Pinch backs, belted and French models, with side slit pockets on some; serges, mixtures, checks and coverts. In sizes from 2½ to 8. $1.98 to $9.95.

Girls' Coats for Easter

The models that are most popular are in the empire, box-pleated and loose back effects. These are being shown in velour checks, French serges, all wool velours, silk poplins, etc. The most wantable colorings of the season are represented. Prices $1.98 to $18.95.

New Millinery for Girls

Beautiful new hats just arrived—hats of all shapes for children. Simple models and models that are very elaborate. Sedate shades or very highly colored models. Inexpensive, as well as more costly models are here to enhance the beauty of our present collection. The prettiest we've shown in some time. Come and see them tomorrow, and get the first choice. Prices 50c to $8.95.

Men!
Dress-up for Easter

Easter Sunday, the day of universal dress-up throughout the country. For your choice we present unquestionably the best assortment of Shirts, Neckwear, etc., to be found in Plainfield. Tomorrow is the best time to buy your Easter needs, for the values offered here are particularly exceptional.

A New Assortment of

Shirts at $1.00

Shirts that give good wear, service and satisfaction, styles of the hour for the man of the hour, regardless of his years. All popular patterns and stripes are included in shades to suit any man. Sizes for everybody.

For Every-day

A Shirt at 39c

From the point of value-giving these shirts "take the prize." Soft and laundered cuffs are here, in patterns and colors for every man.

Silk Lisle Hose—Gives splendid wear; a variety of shades 20c

Men's Neckwear—The newest and most up-to-date pattern and coloring ideas included in our present collection. Prices.....25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, $1.00

More For Your Money at

Tepper's

PLAINFIELD ~NEW JERSEY~

BULLET GOES THROUGH P. R. R. CAR WINDOW

New Brunswick, March 30.—The Philadelphia and New York express train on the Pennsylvania Railroad, due here at 11:51 o'clock Wednesday night, was fired upon by an unidentified person, between Trenton and Princeton. The train was speeding along at fifty miles an hour, when a bullet crashed through one of the car windows directly over the top of the heads of two men sitting in the seat beside the window. The right ear of the man immediately next to the window was filled with pieces of glass.

The train did not stop. The railroad authorities are investigating.

George T. Mallet of 204 Redmond street, this city, occupied the second seat from that where the bullet struck the window.

ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH OF TYLER

Yesterday was the 127th anniversary of the birth of John Tyler, tenth President of the United States. The earliest of his American ancestry was Henry Tyler, of Shropshire, England, who came to this country and settled in Middle Plantation, Va., in 1652. John Tyler was the son of Judge John Tyler, some time Governor of Virginia. He was vice president with William Henry Harrison.

On the death of President Harrison, in 1841, Tyler succeeded him. In 1845 he was succeeded by Polk and spent the remainder of his life in retirement. He died January 18, 1861.

BLISS HOME NOT YET OFFERED

Bernardsville, March 30.—Mrs. Walter P. Bliss denies that she has offered the use of her big country home here to the Government for convalescent hospital in case of war with Germany. Mrs. Bliss says she thought the Government was not ready to receive such offers. A persistent rumor to that effect was in Bernardsville yesterday. Mrs. Bliss said it must have started from the fact that she had said that in case of war she would offer her home. She said that people of Bernardsville would undoubtedly do something, but at the time, was unable to say in which direction they would lend their energies.

MAY ESCAPE HANGING; THERE'S NO PLACE TO HANG

(By United Press)

Spokane, Wash., March 30.—Because there is no place in which to hang him, Edward Mayberry, half breed Indian, probably will escape the death sentence imposed for the murder of Alice Vivian on the Colville reservation last August.

President Wilson granted Mayberry a 30-day respite so his lawyers could appeal from the sentence, on the ground that it could not be legally carried out in the State of Washington, where capital punishment is barred. This respite will expire a week from Sunday.

The woman killed by Mayberry was alleged to be his wife. He said the shooting was accidental. As it occurred upon federal government property, United States Judge Rudkin went ahead and condemned Mayberry to death, in spite of Washington's law against executions. The original hanging date was Jan. 19.

Mayberry obtained a postponement until March. Then it was necessary to find a place inside the State boundaries and yet not under State jurisdiction where a gallows could be legally erected. The federal building was deemed United States territory and plans were made to hang Mayberry on the roof. His lawyers objected and demanded a ruling by the treasury department. Mayberry remained calm and carpenters began measuring off a place to build the scaffold.

The treasury department ruled that the plan was illegal. President Wilson granted Mayberry a reprieve to April 13, at which time he will be imprisoned for life, likely.

JAPAN PREPARES TO GAIN CONCESSIONS AT TSINGTAU

By United Press:

Tokio, March 30.—Much conjecture is being made here today as to how much Japan will add to her already large interests in China as a result of the war, but Baron Hayashi, Japanese Minister to Peking, here to confer with his government, does not hesitate to make it plain Japan is preparing to ask China for a large concession at Tsingtau, the colony seized from Germany.

"Japan can dispose of the Shangtung railway without waiting for the peace conference, and it is absurd to doubt that this railway line will not come under Japanese influence," Baron Hayashi told the newspaper men.

"Japan will also ask China to agree to the establishment of a Japanese concession at Tsingtau," he continued. "But whether other foreign countries will be permitted to establish settlements at Tsingtau, as in other Chinese ports, is a question which I cannot discuss now."

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Marmalade—Pappy's true fruit sweet sugary large jars; reg. 25c goods 22c
6 jars $1.25

Plums—Royal Scarlet Egg Plums in heavy syrup; No. 3 tins 25c
½-doz. $1.40

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Grape Fruit—Large, heavy juicy fruit. Saturday Special at 5 for 25c

—Seed Potatoes—

Early Maine Potatoes, selected for their fine quality and sure to give excellent results. Varieties consist of Early Rose, Bovine Early, $10.50 sack; Irish Cobbler, Green Mountain, Sir Walter Raleigh, $9.75 sack.

Coffee—Our own blend, consisting of the choicest Coffees grown, blended in such a way as to give a most fragrant and delicious cup of Coffee to the user; lb. 32c
5 lbs. $1.50

Jams—Wiggitt's Premier; large jars true fruit jam; jar 25c
Dozen assorted $2.20

Cheese—Amere Brand Cream and Roquefort combined, making a most delightful 'spread' for crackers; pkg. 15c

Peas—Premier Run of Garden, medium size, tender and sweet; No. 2 tins 16c
½-doz., 85c; dozen $1.75

Shrimps—Royal Scarlet, wet pack fancy Shrimps; small tins, each 12c
Large tins, each 23c

Olives—Royal Scarlet fancy, large, crisp Olives; Queens or Stuffed; regular 25c value, 2 jars 45c

Soap—B. T. Babbitt's; good, hard, seasoned cakes—
100 cakes $4.35

Fruit Department

Fresh Strawberries	Grape Fruit	Cal. Oranges
Pineapples	Malaga Grapes	Yellow Bananas
Red Bananas	Table Pears	Florida Oranges
Winesap Apples	Spitzenberg Apples	Rome Beauty Apples

Vegetable Department

Fresh Asparagus	Green Peas	Lima Beans
Green Beans	Cauliflower	Egg Plant
New Beets	Wax Beans	Fresh Tomatoes
Spinach	Head Lettuce	Romaine
Endive	New Beets	New Carrots
New Cabbage	Spring Onions	Cucumbers
Radishes	Brussels Sprouts	Celery
Oyster Plant	Mushrooms	Rhubarb
Green Peppers	Cress	Spanish Onions

Special for Saturday
Chambray House Dresses Reg. $1.25 and $1.50 value At $1 all sizes

YOU ALWAYS PAY LESS AT
ROSENBAUM'S BAZAAR
115-117 WEST FRONT STREET

Special for Saturday
Boys' 65c Khaki Pants 50c sizes 6 to 17

Easter Suits, Dresses, Coats, Millinery
Specially Reduced for Saturday
Children's Dainty Confirmation Dresses at Moderate Prices

Special on Easter Suits

25 New Models, all wool Poplin, embracing the newest shades as well as black and blue, exquisitely lined with newest Spring silks. All sizes, 16 to 44. Very special

16.50

We ask you for your own advantage to see this Suit before you buy elsewhere and be convinced that it is the best value in town. On special sale for Saturday only. No Charge for Alterations.

Fancy Silk Skirt Special

Showing of newest styles, which are becoming very popular right now. Selection of about 15 very smart patterns in fancy stripes or Scotch patterns, also a few solid taffetas in black or blue. Excellent quality heavy silk; sizes 24 to 30 waist. Special

5.98

Alterations Free.

Boys' Dressy Suits

Special for Saturday

3.98 and 4.98

Selection of Newest Spring styles, all sizes from 6 to 17. Pinch-back effects. Pants are all lined throughout. Several novelty new Spring patterns and real dressy in style and appearance. Reduced for Saturday special.

Easter Millinery

Of Distinction—Hand Made—Low Priced

3.50 4.98 5.98

You will be more than pleased if you see our selection of Smart Millinery, showing a great variety, no two alike; positively at lowest prices in town.

Untrimmed Shapes, all colors

98c to 2.98

New Waists

Newest Shades Special for Saturday

$5.98 Georgette Waists, all new shades. Special **5.00**

$3.98 Crepe de Chine Waists; selection new colors **$2.98**

Dainty White Voile Waists; very pretty styles, all sizes **$1.98**

20 New Styles in White Voile or Organdie Waists, excellent value **98c**

Dainty Confirmation Dresses

For Girls 6 to 16

2.98 to 9.98

Our selection of White Dresses for confirmation and communion is larger than ever. Some very dainty styles with the new coatee effect, and high Empire lines. Other styles for the between ages, 13 and 15. You'll find in this selection the style that will please and satisfy.

Time and Eastertide
Waits for no Man---or Woman

If you would have your Spring Coat or Suit for Easter Sunday wear, there's hardly more than a week left in which to purchase.

The Krauthamer stocks afford a splendid choice to women who believe in seeing plenty of different styles before finally making a selection.

COATS

Collars—Broadcloth, silk faille, ponges, shantung; some are picot-edged and others are unstitched.

The daintiest fancies conceivable are to be found in our collection of Coats; silk *stitching is tastefully employed on a number* of models.

Fabrics are Wool Velour, French Serge, Poiret Twill, Gabardine, Tweed, Burella; Spring colors. Women's, Misses' and Children's sizes.

$5.00 to $30.00

SUITS

The right weather for Suit wear is just commencing in reality. Have you looked in the stores for yours? We hope that you have, because in that case you will appreciate the more how low our prices are—you will be in a position to prove our statement that KRAUTHAMER prices are ONE-THIRD LOWER than elsewhere.

Plenty of pleated, embroidered and tailored models. Navy blue, high shades, and black.

$9.50 to $35.00

Dresses—Skirts

The most desirable styles are here in both Skirts and Frocks; come and see them, won't you? Surely we can please you; we have released hundreds of others!

Dresses, $6.50 to $20.00
Skirts, . $2.00 to $7.50

OUR GUARANTEE: Make your selection. Pay for it and take it away. One week later, if your purchase has not proven entirely satisfactory, *bring it back.* We will cheerfully refund the full price, and your car fare as well!

KRAUTHAMER'S
Watchung Avenue at Fourth Street
OPPOSITE TROLLEY STATION

E. P. GASTON TO SPEAK ON WAR ADVENTURES

The committee of the Literature Department of the Monday Afternoon Clubehas made arrangements for a lecture of unusual interest, to be delivered in the Congregational Church, Monday, April 2, at 3:45 o'clock.

The lecturer is Edward Page Gaston, Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, who will describe his experiences on the battlefields, and in the prison camps. His subject will be "My War Adventures in Germany and Belgium."

Mr. Gaston is an American, who, at the outbreak of the war, tendered his personal services as a neutral in the countries involved. Equipped with his passports as an American citizen and in the face of great personal danger in the first mad clash of arms, he carried out personally four extended war relief expeditions into Germany and Belgium. He personally visited about sixty thousand Allied prisoners and reported upon their treatment by the Germans, and by request of the German government he likewise visited German prisoners of war held by the British. He was repeatedly arrested and imprisoned as a spy.

Hear Mr. Gaston himself tell of his adventures. Friends of Monday Afternoon Club members are cordially welcome, but a nominal charge of admission is asked, as noted in the advertisement.

SYNAGOGUE RECEIVES CONDITIONAL BEQUEST

A conditional bequest of $10,000 is made to B'nai Israel Synagogue in East Jersey street, Elizabeth, under the will of Edward G. Cohen, a pawnbroker, who died there several months ago, leaving an estate estimated to be worth $30,000. The will stipulates that in the event of Nathan Cohen, a son, dying before his wife, the sum mentioned shall revert to the synagogue. It also is given $250 outright, $150 of which is to go for the purchase of a "scroll of law written in parchment."

The income from $10,000 is left to Nathan Cohen, but in event that his wife predeceases him, he will receive the money outright. Philip Cohen, another son, is the executor, and one of the principal heirs, receiving realty and half a share in the Cohen business at 37 Broad street.

INTERSCHOLASTIC CONTEST AT BAYONNE TONIGHT

An interscholastic contest in extemporaneous speech, promoted by the department of public speaking of Colgate University, open to all schools of New Jersey, will be held at Bayonne in the auditorium of the high school this evening. Gardner Colby, of East Orange, will act as presiding officer for the evening.

Fourteen high schools, including this city and the borough will send students. Those from here are Victor Levitz, of North Plainfield, and Caryl Dunavan, of this city.

NAVY RULES FOR DISPLAY OF FLAG

Official Data From Capitol Settles This Mooted Question

Rules governing the hanging or display of the United States flag have been compiled by Colonel Robert L. Patterson in behalf of Boudinot Chapter, D. A. R., of Elizabeth, after considerable correspondence with the war and navy departments. This brought out that neither has any rule of regulation prescribing the manner in which the American flag may be used for decorative purposes, custom only fixing the rules.

Colonel Patterson corresponded with Adjutant General R. P. McCain, U. S. A., who referred him to the Navy and Records Department, where most of the information was obtained. The following synopsis of the customs shows how the flag should be displayed properly:

"To any one who can afford to do so, I would suggest the purchase of a flag staff. The field of blue and the stars go at the top of the pole; this is the only proper way to hang it. Those who cannot afford to have a pole or staff and use a rope to suspend the flag from the house to a tree or pole, should *always run the field* of blue at the top and out from the building.

"When the flag is to be hung out as a banner from a building, the blue field and stars must always be hung toward the north or east, as follows:

"In a street running north and south, the right-hand, or east side of it, the field of blue would be in the upper left-hand corner as you face it from the street; on the left, or west side of the street, the field of blue would be on the right upper corner as you look at it from the street.

"In streets running east and west the same rule applies, the field of blue and the stars should fly on the upper right-hand corner on the north side of the street; on the upper left-hand corner on the south side of the street.

"This does not always apply unless the streets run, approximately, as the compass shows east and west, north and south; their personal judgment must show them that the stars are to go toward the north or east."

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MUST GO BACK TO THE SOIL

Henry Rogers of Highland Farm, who several years ago attracted attention by urging a return to the soil, as the best means of keeping down the high cost of living, says that the people must go back to the soil this spring and summer, or the American citizen will find himself in dire want next winter.

Mr. Rogers has been living on a farm ever since he was five years old. He was for several years a member of the State Board of Agriculture, representing Somerset county, and knows something about the production of crops.

This is what he had to say in an interview with a Courier-News representative yesterday afternoon.

"There is only one way to keep down the high cost of living, or rather to prevent it from going higher, and that is for every man who has a plot of ground to cultivate it intensively, and produce a portion of what he and his family consume.

"The fact that too many men have been leaving the farms within the past dozen years and there has been no one to take their place has now fully manifested itself. This has resulted in a curtailment of production resulting in a scarcity of food stuffs, and this scarcity causes high prices.

"We are a great nation industrially, but we are becoming less great as an agricultural country. So long as we were able to balance industry and agriculture, things were not so bad, but the time has arrived when, notwithstanding the best efforts of the Government, national and State, to *encourage farming*, the farms are become depleted of the men who once filled the soil, and they have flocked to the industrial centers under the false impression that industrial life is less of a drudgery than that of the farm, but alas there is little difference, except that when the industrial worker has completed his task there are theatres and other diversions to furnish relaxation, while these things are not available to the farmer who lives miles away from town, except he have an automobile, but autos, are being *manufactured now at a figure that* places them within the reach of most men.

"There must, however, be a return to the farm, because that is where the backbone and sinew of the nation gets its sustenance.

"*It is my opinion that every city* man with a plot of ground twenty feet square could plant potatoes, onions, cabbage and beans this spring.

"He will be delighted when he sees them grow; he will appreciate the wonderful works of nature and of God, as he sees the vegetables spring up from the ground.

"It will give him healthful recreation in the open air, and when he sits down to his meal of vegetables, which he has produced himself, he may enjoy, the exquisite happiness of knowing that he is a producing consumer, and that he has produced what he consumes, in addition to contributing to the production of other commodities, which are furnished by the particular industry in which he is employed.

"A man who does that for one summer will continue it thereafter. It will mean money in the bank for him at the end of the year, and he will only be utilizing a minimum of his energy.

"The farmers should raise large quantities of wheat, oats, corn, potatoes, cabbage, beans, etc.

"All fruit should be picked and marketed and housewives should buy it and can it for winter use. Such means help to curtail the butter bills.

"There should be more extensive hog raising this year. If every farmer in New Jersey will raise one or two more hogs, it will mean a great deal to the producer, as well as to the consumer.

"Farmers have been handicapped by lack of help during the past few or six years, but the farmers have now devised a plan for overcoming this shortage.

"In different sections of the State they have banded together and have planned to hire groups of eight and ten men to be paid $1.50 per day and their board.

"These groups will be employed on three or four farms, and will find steady employment the year round, rain or shine. This plan will enable each one of four farmers to have two or more men according to his requirements for as many days as he may want them, or in case of emergency, all the men not being required on other farms, they can all go to one farm for a day or two, then distribute themselves on the four farms again.

"They will have plenty to eat, and a good place to sleep. Italians are being employed in this work, because the Italian makes a good farmer and it is well to get them used to farm work. In this way the farmers of New Jersey hope to overcome the labor shortage, and raise and harvest their crops with greater ease than heretofore.

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Last year we held this sale in the face of a bitter storm—winds, sleet and rain. Notwithstanding, we sold more waists on that day than we usually sell in an entire week.

This year we shall do even better—we have provided the waists and values. The pictures tell part of our story. Scores of styles at **69c** alone—and every waist a beauty.

More than a hundred models at **$1.45**; all Jap silk blouses at **$1.79**:

We have no wish to hurry you in for these blouses, but you know that such values cannot come soon again and that values like these won't linger. Sale starts at 9 o'clock sharp. It includes:

Lovely New Blouses at 69c

The top row pictures only a few of the styles—their variety is legion. All of voiles—plain white, striped, dotted, voiles with sports collars, voiles with contrasting stripes and plaids, voiles with frilled fronts. All kinds of collars and novelty touches as pictured. All sizes **69c.**

100 New Models in Blouses at $1.45

One hundred and twelve styles to be exact. Fine French and domestic voiles. Fancy and tailored models—three of the styles sketched. Round, square and sailor collars; exquisite lace trimmings; many embroidered models. Every favored style of the season, including many new models never before shown. All sizes, 36 to 50.

Tub Silk Blouses at $1.79

Tub proof Jap silks in white, maize, flesh, Nile green and black. Tailored and dress models. Some tucked; some with vestees; some real hand embroidered. All sizes.

Silk and Voile Blouses at $1.94

Jap silk sport blouses; chiefly white with contrasting plaid, stripe and check collars and cuffs. Striking styles. Many white voiles in tailored and dress models. All sizes, 36 to 50.

Clever Silk Blouses at $2.74

Heavy all silk crepe de chines in tailored and dress styles. White, flesh, maize. Also tub silk pongees in effective sports styles. Stunning.

Showing What Hahne's Can Do in Suits at $24.75

An Easter Sale of Misses' Silk Dresses

$10.50

Better dresses than you or we ever expected at $10.50. Better in material, in style and workmanship. But here they are for a rousing Saturday special—high grade silk taffetas in navy, tan, green, gray, gobelin, copenhagen and black. Four different styles as illustrated. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 for misses and small women. Reading from left to right.

1—Embroidered taffeta with side pockets and sash and French collar of Georgette crepe. $10.50.

2—Silk taffeta with embroidered vesting and Georgette crepe collar. $10.50.

3—Taffeta with the fashionable Paisley collar and side sports pocekts. $10.50.

4—Sports models of taffeta; Georgette collar; Paisley hemstitching and embroidery. $10.50.

Since many women like to pay about $25 for a suit we deliberately set out to get the best values possible at about that price.

These suits are the answer. We believe they overshadow any other suits you will find at the price; we know they are custom tailored to the last detail, and that they are twin sisters to the higher priced models they so faithfully copy.

They are suits that say so much for themselves that we can say here that we want you to come and see them. Of the four models sketched:

A—Braid trimmed tan serge; silk top collar; Chinese design silk lined. $24.75.

B—Tailored model of Oxford gray suiting. Semi-plaited skirt with belted back. $24.75.

C—Dress model of poplin—plaited coat; large collar; new embroidery tinsel trimming. $24.75.

D—Semi-tailored London stripe suiting; button trimmed; overtop silk collar. $24.75.

Hahne's, Women's Suits—Second Floor

Our "Marvel" Hats at $4.95

Resplendent in Their Easter Beauty

—Glorious as an Easter morn in their Spring-like colorings and gay trimmings, each individual style strikes a note of distinctiveness.

—A glimpse at the collection reveals

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—Lisere Hats
—Milan Hemps
—Transparent Braids
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—Fruit Clusters
—Egyptian Motifs
—Black
—Green
—Gray
—Navy

—Cherry
—Old Blue
—Gold
—Sand
—etc.

(Sketched at Left)

—Large picture Mushroom of Black Milan Hemp; band around crown with Milan straw discs and button in Egyptian colorings.

(Sketched at Right)

—Roll Brim Hat of Cherry Color Lisere, bound with velvet ribbon; smartly posed at edge of brim a coquettish velvet bow. Various color combinations.

Hahne's—Second Floor

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$37 & $39 RUGS (9x12 ft.)

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—Perfect qualities of our high-grade Seamless Axminster Rugs. Wide assortments in attractive designs. Carpet size 9x12 feet.

—In the fact of rising prices on all rugs, the offer is possibly the most unusual that will occur this season. Neither the values nor the patterns can be duplicated this season.

Hahne's—Rugs—Third Floor

Lovely White Dresses for Girls of 6 to 14 $2.95

—Confirmation, parties and other Spring festivities call for pretty white frocks.

—Here are three very attractive styles of sheer batiste or fine organdie:

—Daintily trimmed with rows of Val. lace, insertions and edgings; front of waist and skirt embroidered.

—Ribbon rosettes in pastel colors finish the waists. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Solid Mahogany Windsor Arm Chair or Rocker

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 30.

Germans captured Malancourt, in the Verdun area, but were repulsed at Dead Man's hill, according to French report.

Asserted in the United States senate that 200 Norwegian, Swedish, Dutch and Danish ships had been sunk by German submarines or warships since the war began.

British orders in council applied the doctrine of continuous voyage to conditional as well as absolute contraband and declared that being on the way to a nonblockaded (neutral) port shall not in itself gain immunity from capture, for vessel or cargo, for a breach of blockade.

Two Years Ago Today.

United States protested against British orders barring neutral trade with Germany.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1917.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Competitive examinations will soon be required by all postmaster candidates and the most important questions will be asked out in the lobby about the progress made at rounding up the doubtful voters of the district.

Under the new rules in the Senate a man may be able to get elected who can talk only ten hours without stopping.

Sixty-four coal men now indicted for alleged violation of the anti-trust act. Better hurry up and buy more coal before the cost of all this litigation is added to the price.

The back yard gardeners have secured complete stocks of all fertilizers except elbow grease.

In these days of plots the Statue of Liberty enlightening the world should carry a dark lantern instead of a torch.

From the rate at which her merchant marine is being destroyed it looks as if England would be thoroughly starved out and very hungry about the year 1956.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

McSorley Keep Away

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

Answering the query of Critic "Whom did Owen Roe O'Neill ever lick?" would say that he met and defeated all comers in his day and generation. He distinguished himself at the battle of Clontarf, the details of which are known to those familiar with the history of Erin's struggle for the rights of man.

As for McSorley, the man who breaks clay pigeons thrown from a trap, being a better shot than that of Patroiman Kelly, there is great doubt. Kelly at one time shot at a flock of wild geese that took flight as he approached, and he brought down six of them with a repeating rifle.

BRIAN BORU.

THE STATE TRUST COMPANY

REAL ESTATE DEPARTMENT

has applications for houses renting from $25 to $50 per month and is seeking additional listings. They also have a demand for modern houses for sale, ranging in price from $4,500 to $9,000.

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3-30-2t

BLAKE—On Thursday afternoon, March 29th, 1917, Ellen, widow of James Blake.

Funeral services will be held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Winner, on Plainfield avenue, on Sunday afternoon, April 1st, at 2 o'clock. Interment Hillside Cemetery.

LENT—On Thursday, March 29, 1917, Frank Lent, in his 56th year.

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WANTED—Farm, 6-15 acres with house, fruit trees, near Plainfield. "Farm Hunter," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1226 West Front street. 3-22-tf

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

STORE, 18x58, Arlington avenue, near Randolph road, 12-foot ceiling, gas and electricity. $20 p. m. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-27-tf

TO RENT—100 acres at Watchung, P. O. Box 12, Watchung, N. J. 3-23-2t

FOR RENT—Fine store in Somerville. Inquire 87 East Main street, Henry Reimer, Somerville, N. J. 3-29-5t

FOR RENT—Brick building, 25 feet by 40, two floors, suitable for light manufacturing or auto repair shop, on Fourth street near Park avenue. Apply B. Mann, grocer. 3-29-3t

FOR RENT—50 acres of land in North Plainfield. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 3-27-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Frost Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-5-tf

TO LET—FLATS.

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FOR RENT—April 1st, cozy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 126 West Front street. 'Phone 646. 3-5-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

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OVERLAND for sale, 1916, model 83, five-passenger touring car. Miller Jackson, Co., 333 West Front street, Plainfield. 3-28-4t

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OVERLAND, 6-cylinder, 7-passenger 1916; full equipment; fine shape; must sell at once; bargain for quick buyer. P. O. Box 177, Elizabeth, N. J. 11-9-tf

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SITTING HENS—Any number at any time. Save this advertisement for reference. Forsgate Farms, Dunellen. 'Phone 1246-J. 3-24-26-30-31

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 716 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Vellnsky, 515 West Third street. 1-27-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornfield's Bakery. 12-7-tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1782. Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 331 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; prices reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 3-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-burn door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co. 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-16-1m

FOR SALE—Chickens, R. I. Red yearlings, all laying, weight 5 to 6 pounds. 39 Steiner place. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—Three grocery wagons and four grocery businesses in good condition. Inquire Hutchinson & Son, Westfield, N. J. 3-26-6t

FOR SALE—Beautiful Shetland pony 5 years old; harness and one-seated runabout; pony white with brown markings; very gentle; has no bad traits. Inquire Edmund Rushmore, 157 Sycamore avenue. 3-29-3t

HORSES FOR SALE cheap. Putting on auto delivery. Inquire Queen City Laundry, 303 Fillmore avenue. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE — Double platform spring wagon, carry 2 tons; single delivery wagon, double and single plows, New Process fertilizer distributor, spring-tooth harrow. Schlauser, New Market. 3-26-6t

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, $4.50 setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 2-12-2m

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition Box 4, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner, eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house. All improvements, first-class condition, located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station; ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch. *Set water heat, gas and electricity; large lot; very reasonable price.* Harvey R Linbarger, 157 North avenue. Telephone 995, Plainfield. N. J. 7-1-f-e-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. T. 12-7-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-tf

TO LET—Apartment, 406, East Fifth street, all improvements, electric lights, steam heat; also apartment, 4 rooms, 511 South Second street, some improvements. Inquire I. Srager, 534 West Third street. Telephone evenings 537. 3-30-2t

FOR RENT—Apartment, No. 812 East Front street, 6 rooms, all improvements, $25.00. Apply Manning & Curtis, 108 Depot avenue. 3-30-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

RENT $60.00. Crescent Court apartment, first floor; heat and all improvements. Apply Frederick A. Martin, 17 North avenue. 3-26-5t

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE or exchange for nice home in Plainfield, beautiful country home, consisting of about nine acres fully productive land, abundance of fruit, berries, etc.; modern house of 12 rooms with improvements; large porch, plenty of outbuildings, high elevation, view of twenty miles, pure air, water, free from mosquitoes, right at depot, 45 minutes from Plainfield on Central Railroad of New Jersey, ready for profit and pleasure. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 3-29-3t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger, Call 1063-W. 3-22-1m

FOR SALE—In Somerville, N. J., one of the nicest, cleanest groceries in the town; good farmers trade; fine stock and auto delivery car. Milton Labaw, Room 4, Gaston building, Somerville, N. J. 3-28-3t

A PAYING BUSINESS, grocery, general merchandise, and comfortable home, 8 rooms, all improvements; best location; worth your consideration; $2,500 cash required; balance monthly. P. O. Box 314, Bound Brook, N. J.

FOR RENT—Fine large store opposite Spicer Hospital, South Plainfield, suitable for butcher, grocer, lunch room or general store; rent reasonable. Inquire Nick Vallicenti, South Plainfield, N. J. 3-29-6t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

SEE OUR PERFECT HOMES—Everything at it should be. Low price; easy terms. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—ROUSES

I DEFY YOU *to equal my offer in Plainfield.*

$200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house, improvements, on large plot, restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. Owner 165." Courier-News. 3-20-1m

FREE

Twelve-room house on West 7th street; pay for ground; closing estate. "Estate," care Courier-News. 3-23-1y

FOR SALE—House; seven rooms, large garage; will exchange for lots. Address "Last End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 2-27-1m

BEAUTIFUL seashore places for rent this season; also moderate priced places. Write for particulars to J. T. Ransom, 136 Eaton place, East Orange, N. J.

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 3-28-3t

FOR SALE—Nine-room house, butler's pantry and bath; perfect thoroughfare; near trolley. Apply 996 Central avenue, or 'phone 65. 3-30-1m

FOR SALE—Rents $1,000; price $7,500; fine house; all improvements; good location. Address at once, "C. C." care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

FOR SALE—Five-room house, only $500 required, rest on easy terms. 250 Grove street. 3-30-2t

BARGAIN—For sale, semi-bungalow all improvements, 1114 South avenue, near Netherwood station; open fireplace. Inquire 1119 South avenue. 3-30-3t

FOR SALE — Four-apartment house; bargain. Box 64, care Courier-News. 3-28-4t

COSY HOME, seven rooms, improvements. Address "Desirable Location," care Courier-News. 3-27-16t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

THE powerful 1918 Excelsior Autocycle is ready for delivery, also 1917 Smith Motor Wheel; second-hand machines from $30 up, cash or credit; bicycles $22.50 up. Haverford Cycle Co., 946 Broad street, Newark. 3-26-1m

HARLEY-DAVIDSON 1914 twin cylinder motor cycle; first-class condition, at Zelsel's store, 222 West Front street, cheap. 3-30-3t

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood. 3-12-1m

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 614 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply F. Dilge, 227 West Front street. 3-27-tf

TO LET—Small house, rear of 214 West Second. Apply Frank Linke, 227, West Front street. 3-27-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, all latest improvements, from April 1st, $25.00. D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-27-tf

TO LET—New 7-room house on Stirling road with one acre of ground. Telephone 2059-R. 3-28-3t

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water; over 1 acre of land, 130 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 8 minutes' walk from Bound Brook Depot; will sell very reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-20-tf

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE with all improvements and all newly decorated. 'Phone 539-M. 3-30-2t

TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, fine location, big yard for chickens or garden; downstairs, 4 large rooms, with improvements, $18.00; upstairs, 7 rooms with improvements, $22.00; 1077 Arlington avenue. A. H. Stiles, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-29-tf

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and bath, two rooms, oak floors, large verandas, large grounds; improvements; 15 minutes from Plainfield depot; possession; rent $45.00. J. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house and latest improvements, best section, $35.00; also properties for sale. Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1474 Willever street; 6-room house, 200 Manson place. Jacob Sachar, 219 Sachar place. 3-27-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE, furnished room to let, suitable for light housekeeping. 80 Grove street. 3-29-3t

LARGE and small furnished rooms; steaming hot for housekeeping; $2.00 up. 145 West Second street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 'Phone 539-M. 3-30-2t

NEWLY furnished large and small rooms to let; board optional, 226 and 332 East Front street. 'Phone 501-R. 3-27-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week. Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-24-tf

NEW PALACE HOUSES, Putnam avenue, beautiful finish, 2 baths, etc. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 320 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1212 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Experienced waist draper, also errand girl, at 431 West Sixth street. 3-26-tf

WANTED — Girl for general housework. 132 East Ninth street. 3-27-tf

WANTED — Cook, white with good references. Apply 444 Stelle avenue. Tel. 981. 3-27-tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no washing; small family. 827 Madison avenue. 3-27-tf

WANTED—On or before April 15th, experienced girl for general housework; family of two; references required. Mrs. J. H. Howell. 26 Myrtle avenue. 3-28-tf

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WAITRESS, WHITE, PROTESTANT; APPOINTMENT BY TELEPHONE 95, OR ADDRESS MRS. C. A. REED, WOODLAND AVENUE. 3-30-2t

WANTED—An experienced white cook, $35.00; chambermaid-waitress, $30.00; family of two; references required. Tel. 1859, evenings for appointment. 3-29-tf

WANTED — White woman for laundry work and cleaning, 2½ days each week. 726 Carlton avenue. 3-30-2t

EXPERIENCED girl or woman for general housework including laundry. 1024 Park avenue. 3-30-tf

WANTED—Young lady as clerk. Anderson's Oriental Rug Department; references required. Call after 5 p. m. Babcock Building. 3-29-2t

WANTED—Experienced chambermaid and waitress; small family. Call 1 Myrtle avenue. 3-29-2t

GIRL, white preferred, for general housework and plain cooking; no laundry; small family. Apply 1271 Putnam avenue. 3-29-tf

WANTED—For general housework, refined middle aged woman; no washing; must be willing to iron; good home rather than high wages; give references and state wages desired. "Home," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

WANTED — Salesladies; good chance of advancement to right party. A. E. Force & Co.

WANTED—Young girl for general housework; no washing. 930 Kensington avenue. 3-29-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Frowery's Hotel, Scotch Plains. 3-29-2t

WANTED—White woman as laundress. Mondays or Tuesdays. Call after 3 p. m. 804 Howard street, North Plainfield. 3-29-3t

YOUNG GIRL, white only, to assist with light housework and take baby out in afternoon; pleasant home and good opportunity. Apply 1271 Putnam avenue. 3-29-tf

WANTED—Good general housework; laundress employed; salary $30.00. Apply Mrs. Wood, Madison and Fourth, Dunellen, N. J. 3-28-6t

WANTED — Sewing woman as lady's maid; references required. Tel. 2065. 3-26-tf

WANTED—At once, nurse and second maid combined; good wages. Apply 1017 East Seventh street. 3-26-5t

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 1027 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between East Second street and East Sixth street, small black pocketbook, containing $30.00, evenings. Reward if returned to Courier-News.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Stelmer, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

ARE YOU LOOKING for a good farm, large or small, anywhere in New Jersey and especially in Monmouth county, the banner county of the State? All farms here selected by an expert in land after a personal inspection. Are you looking for a country estate, country estate, seashore or inland? If have them and will be glad to give details. J. T. Ransom, 136 Eaton place, East Orange, N. J.

ACREAGE 5 to 20, brook, fruit, with or without house, suitable for poultry, truck, poultry, near Bound Brook. Address 81 Lou, care Courier-News. 3-27-5t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-*

★ B.P.O.E. 885 ★

General Rehearsal

"LAND OF MYSTERY"

FRIDAY NIGHT

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

MY TIRED FEET ACHED FOR "TIZ"

Let your sore, swollen, aching feet spread out in a bath of "Tiz."

Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, shoe-crinkled, aching, burning, corn-pestered, bunion-tortured feet of yours in a "Tiz" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "Tiz" bath.

When your feet feel like lumps of lead—all tired out—just try "Tiz." It's grand—it's glorious. Your feet will dance with joy; also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "Tiz." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture.

Get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get; how comfortable your shoes feel. You can wear shoes a size smaller if you desire.—Adv.

LEANS FROM CAR, HIT BY ANOTHER, DIES

New Brunswick, March 30.—Fred Baurer of Lindenau, a Public Service Railway conductor, was fatally injured in an accident at Albany and Neilson streets Wednesday.

He was in charge of a Middlesex line trolley car running from this city to Highland Park, which was on its way down Albany street. At Neilson street a Raritan line car coming in from Bound Brook approached and Bauer leaned out of the window in the vestibule of his car directly in front of the Raritan car. He was struck in the head and knocked unconscious upon the rear platform of his own car.

The injured man was carried into a store nearby, but before a doctor could reach him he was dead. His skull had been fractured. Bauer was thirty years old and leaves a wife and child.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wright, of Plainfield, are spending a few days in New York City and are stopping at the Wolcott Hotel.

LECTURES AT THE BOROUGH SCHOOL

Well-Known College Instructors Talk on Timely Topics Before Students

Two lectures on higher institutions of learning and the benefits derived, were delivered to the students of the North Plainfield High School yesterday. The first address, made by Prof. O. M. Graves, of Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., was scheduled for March 22, but the death of the Professor's father necessitated the change.

In his opening remarks, Doctor Graves touched on the activity of war preparedness that is now sweeping over the country and the result and the effect on what could be termed educational preparedness. The speaker gave a vivid example of the progress made in educational lines during the past twenty-five years in which time the old obsolete methods have been literally torn away and the need for higher education asserting itself. The high school, Mr. Graves said, has proved a great factor in this progress, but the people of the whole world are beginning to realize more and more the necessity of the broadening effect only obtained by a college course. The college equips the student for his life work in three distinct ways, moral, mental and physical.

In Lafayette College the first is carried on by a thorough study of the Bible in a special four-year course, in which is contained only a general survey of all religions. The second, that of the mental capacity, is rigidly tested by any one of the seven-course now existing in the Pennsylvania Institution.

Later in the morning Dean James C. Dunham, of Temple University, Philadelphia, entertained the students with another interesting lecture. Mr. Dunham said that at the present time some four thousand students are registered in the Temple University and emphasized the need of young men for the course in physical culture. In a bill passed by the New York State Senate recently, physical training in the school was made compulsory and the demand for competent instructors now far exceeds the supply. Mr. Dunham also touched on the splendid advantage for young men in the various business courses. Both speakers were enthusiastically received by the high school students.

GREAT REJOICING BY RHEUMATIC CRIPPLES

If So Crippled You Can't Use Arms or Legs, Rheuma Will Help You or Nothing to Pay.

If you want relief in two days, swift, certain and gratifying relief, take one-half teaspoonful of Rheuma once a day.

If you want to dissolve every particle of uric acid poison in your body and drive it out through the natural channels so that you will be forever free from rheumatism, get a 50-cent bottle of Rheuma from Weiss' Boro Drug Store or any druggist today.

Rheumatism is a powerful disease strongly entrenched in joints and muscles. In order to conquer it a powerful enemy must be sent against it. Rheuma is the enemy of rheumatism—an enemy that conquers it every time.

Judge John Barhorst, of Ft. Loramie, Ohio, knows it. He was walking with crutches, today he is well. It should do as much for you; it seldom fails.—Adv.

OVERWORKED MINISTER

Tells How Vinol Restored Strength and Vitality.

Plainfield people will realize that we could not publish such letters as the following if they were not genuine and truthful statements of facts. The Rev. Mr. Hughes, Holly Springs, Ark., says:—

"I am a Methodist Minister, and suffered from broken-down nerves, loss of appetite and sleeplessness. I was weak, my circulation was very poor, and I was not able to do my duty in my Parish as I felt I should. I had tried various remedies but did not seem to get any better. Through Mr. Gatlin, of Bearden, Ark., I learned of Vinol, and it built me up. I regained my appetite, can sleep better and do more work."

There is no secret about Vinol. It derives its power to build up the overworked, brokendown, nervous system from beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates, and glycerophosphates, etc., which it contains.

Anyone in Plainfield who wishes to try Vinol can do so with the understanding that we will return their money if they are not satisfied.

L. W. Randolph, Druggist, United Cigar Stores Co., Drug Dept., Plainfield. Vinol is sold in North Plainfield by Weiss' Drug Store. Also at the leading drug store in all New Jersey towns.—Adv.

Saxol Salve
REMOVES SKIN AFFECTIONS
One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

MANY GRASS FIRES

The fire department was kept busy this morning putting out grass fires. Between 10 and 12 o'clock noon four alarms were sent in. The fires were in grass plots in Laramie road, Hillside avenue, West Front street and East Sixth street.

No damage resulted from the fires. At 1:30 this afternoon a grass fire was discovered in Johnson avenue. No. 4 hose company put out the blaze.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express our appreciation and thanks to Chief Jennings and all firemen who so carefully handled the fire which threatened our home; also to kind neighbors and friends who gave their assistance.

MR. and MRS. W. S. NELSON.
658 South Ave., Plainfield, N. J.

Attend The Opening
OF
The SPECIALTY SHOP
223 WEST FRONT *OPPOSITE PROCTOR'S THEATRE.*

In Wednesday's paper we announced the opening days to be held THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, this week. If you haven't already visited our new store, a cordial invitation is extended to visit us.

TOMORROW—SATURDAY

THREE DISTINCT DEPARTMENTS SPECIALIZING IN

Waists Corsets Millinery

We have prepared a real treat for those who attend. We are showing the most exclusive styles in exquisite Millinery, dainty Blouses and all the leading makes of Corsets.

Corset Dept.

Have Your Corsets Fitted by an Expert.

The experienced Corsetieres of our Corset Department will fit you without extra charge. This means real Corset comfort and satisfaction, for the best Corset on earth is a failure unless fitted properly. We have a complete stock of all the leading makes of Corsets, including the right one for your figure. If you want personal attention come to the **Specialty Shop.**

All our Corsets will be fitted, altered and repaired **Free of Charge.**

Waist Dept.

Buy Your Waists From The Specialty Shop and Save Money.

We manufacture our own Waists and therefore can save you at least One-Third on all your Waists that you will buy from us.

Extraordinary Specials

For our opening of about 200 exclusive styles of dainty Blouses.

Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Tub Silks, Chiffons and Voiles, in all the new shades.

Georgette Crepe Hand Embroidered Blouses; values $6.50; opening price $4.50.

Tub Silk, in about six different shades, beautifully trimmed; value $3.00; opening price ..... $1.75.

Crepe de Chine Blouses; values $4.00; opening price ..... $2.50.

Dainty Embroidered Voile Blouses; values $1.50; opening price ..... 95c.

Hand Embroidered Georgette Blouses; special ..... $5.00, $7.50 and $10.00.

Millinery Dept.

Exclusive Millinery From Our Own Workroom

Positively the Largest Assortment to Choose From of

Women's, Misses' and Children's Hats

In the City.

A visit to our New Store will convince you of making our Specialty Store your shopping place.

All Hats bought from the Specialty Shop will be **Trimmed Free of Charge.**

A MESSAGE
FROM THE
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) in America

To Our Fellow Citizens:

In this time of crisis when our country's highest good is the common aim of all, we voice this deep conviction of patriotic duty.

We rejoice that even at this time, when the world is crazed by war, so many men are judging war by moral and spiritual standards, and by ideals of sacrifice. The causes for which men fight—liberty, justice and peace—are noble and Christian causes. But the method of war is unchristian and immoral. War itself violates law, justice, liberty and peace, the very ends for which alone its tragic cost might be justified.

Further, the method of war is ineffective to these ends. Might does not decide the right, ideals cannot be maintained by force, nor can evil overcome evil. True national honor is a nation's own integrity and unselfish service. Only unswerving honesty and self-control maintain it. Rights, the rights of all, are securely defended between nations as between individuals by mutual confidence, not suspicion; by universal co-operation and law, not by private armed defense.

The alternative to war is not inactivity and cowardice. It is the irresistible and constructive power of good-will. True patriotism at this time calls not for a resort to the futile methods of war, but for the invention and practice on a gigantic scale of new methods of conciliation and altruistic service. The present intolerable situation among nations demands an unprecedented expression of organized national good-will.

Unpractical though such ideals may seem, experience has taught that ideals can be realized if we have faith to practice now what all men hope for in the future. The American Nation, as a more perfect union of States, as a melting pot of races, as a repeated victor through peace, has proved practical the methods of generosity and patience. Throughout many years of an adventurous belief in the Christian principle of human brotherhood, the Society of Friends has seen the triumph of goodwill in all forms of human crisis.

The peoples of every land are longing for the time when love shall conquer hate, when co-operation shall replace conflict, when war shall be no more. This time will come only when the people of some great nation dare to abandon the outworn traditions of international dealing and to stake all upon persistent good-will.

We are the nation and now is the time. This is America's supreme opportunity.

Unflinching good-will, no less than war, demands courage patriotism, and self-sacrifice. To such a victory over itself, to such a leadership of the world, to such an embodiment of the matchless, invincible power of good-will, this otherwise tragic hour challenges our country.

Friends National Peace Committee
20 South Twelfth Street,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.

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Appointments only
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THE TALK OF THE TOWN
"SKINNER'S DRESS SUIT"
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Clean and Wholesome
1,000 Laughs
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BLANCHE SWEET
In "The Storm"
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(Cartoon Comedy)

MONDAY
Virginia Pearson
in "Sister Against Sister"
MRS. VERNON CASTLE in
"PATRIA"
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WILLIAM FOX presents
A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS
with ANNETTE KELLERMANN
Big New York Success
THE PICTURE BEAUTIFUL
Sublime Musical Score Symphony Orchestra of 20
Mat. Daily 2:15—25 and 50c
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MONDAY, APRIL 2D
Matinee and Night
Jean Bedini's Parisian Novelty
PUSS PUSS
WITH AN ALL-STAR CAST
AND ITS "KITTEN" CHORUS
Mat. 2:15—25, 35, 50c
Eve. 8:15—25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.00

Y. M. C. A. BUILDING OF INTEREST TO THE BOYS

Many people of Plainfield have shown their interest in the new Y. M. C. A. building by contributing to the fund for its erection during the campaign held last November.

The boys of the association did splendid work during the campaign by raising some $1,500 in small subscriptions, but their interest is still keen and they are all anxiously awaiting the time when they will enjoy life in the new building, with all its modern equipment, which will make it possible to extend the work among the boys of the city in a more far-reaching way than ever before.

Some thirty boys of the boys' division of the Y. M. C. A. will give their time Monday morning to delivering to the contributors their second installment blanks. These boys will completely cover the city, which will be districted, and two boys will travel together, covering their particular district.

THE MAGIC OF THE SPRINGTIME
brings out the Queen of the Fairies and all the Jay Bird bunnies dashing to you with our spring

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CRYSTAL DOMINO
GRANULATED SUGAR 7c lb.
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Duchess Coffee
Best in the U. S. A.
30c lb.
3½ lbs. for $1.00

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Best Value Known
25c lb.
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Seventy Cent Quality TEAS all kinds 35c lb.
3 pounds for $1.00

Sugar sales must be accompanied by at least a $1.00 purchase of spices, extracts, cocoa or baking powder.

See Butter and Egg Ad on page 4

VAN DYK STORE 168 EAST FRONT STREET

WEDDED IN ELIZABETH

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Alice Catharine Gallaudet, to Edwin C. Wilday, the nuptials having taken place in Elizabeth on Wednesday of this week.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gallaudet, of Elizabeth, and has many acquaintances in this city where she has frequently visited.

Courier-News Want Ads. Pay.

YOUR Easter Clothes Are *HERE*

We offer the FINEST DISPLAY of EASTER APPAREL for the family ever seen in this city.

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An interscholastic contest in extemporaneous speech, promoted by the Department of Public Speaking of Colgate University, open to all schools of New Jersey, will be held in the auditorium of the high school, Bayonne, this evening. Gardiner Colby, of East Orange, will act as presiding officer for the evening.

The names of the fourteen high schools and their representatives are as follows: Bayonne high school, Patrick Morolino; Atlantic City high school, Chester L. Morrison; Butler high school, Vernon B. Hampton; Elizabeth (Battin) high school, Philip Wheelwright; Englewood high school, H. Sturve Henach; Glen Ridge high school, Walter H. Karig; Harrison high school, George Sacks; Long Branch high school, ——; Newark Central high school, Fred Goodman; Newark South side high school, Alexander Avidon; North Plainfield high school, Victor Levitz; Plainfield high school, Caryl Donavan; Rahway high school, John Reitmeyer; South Amboy high school, Edward P. Fisher.

The plan of the contest is unique. One month before the contest is held, a general statement is sent to the schools signifying their intention of sending a contestant, upon which the speakers are to obtain as much information as possible. One hour before the contest, a specific topic, drawn from the general topic, will be announced to the competitors and each speaker will be furnished a quiet room where without further consultation of authorities, he shall arrange his material for presentation.

The contest is to be in the form of a debate, and each speaker will be expected to defend either the affirmative or the negative. Each contestant will be allowed six minutes in which to present his argument.

This is a contest which places a premium on mental alertness and originality, as well as the power to think before an audience, and the ability to effectually present one's thoughts.

The prizes shall be awarded for the extent of accuracy of information, its relevence to the specific topic, and effectiveness in organization and presentation. The winner of the contest is entitled to represent the schools of New Jersey in the interstate contest, to be held at Colgate University in May.

Music for the evening will be furnished by the students of the Bayonne high school. The admission is free. The contest promises to be an interesting and instructive one.

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—OF—

Real and Personal Property

The undersigned has received instructions from Mrs. Margaret F. Guyre and the heirs-at-law of the late Nathan F. Guyre, to sell, by public auction, without reserve, on the premises, corner of Washington Avenue and First Street, Dunellen, N. J., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1917

at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp

the real estate and personal property as follows:

The personal property consists of bedroom suits, large diningroom extension table, 6 diningroom chairs, sideboard, china closet, parlor suit, library table, 2 book cases, 2 gas lamps, rocking chairs, willow chairs, kitchen cabinets, ice box, rugs, curtains, dishes, garden tools and many other articles usually found in a large house.

The real estate consists of a large 14-room French roof house and barn on a plot 150x200, and is situated on one of the best avenues in Dunellen, and within 5 minutes' walk of the depot; the first floor contains parlor, diningroom, kitchen and library; the second floor has 6 bedrooms (2 with running water) and bath; and the third floor has 4 bedrooms and store room. The rooms are all large, with high ceilings, the smallest being over 9x13. The house is lighted with gas throughout and heated with hot air. The grounds are large with plenty of shade and fruit and the whole property is in good order and suitable for either a handsome residence, private hospital, boarding house or invalids' home. The sale of this property is absolute and without reserve as the owners are removing to China and are determined to dispose of it before leaving. It can be seen any day by applying on the premises or of the auctioneer. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and the property will be sold at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

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"Weather or No"

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WEINMAN'S CAFE

BOYS' ACTIVITIES FOR EASTER WEEK

Y. M. C. A. Lads to be Kept Busy Through Their Vacation-Days

Every member of the boys' division of the Y. M. C. A. should plan to get in on the Easter week program. Something doing every day, and a variety program, which is already capturing the boys, and several are looking to the Y. M. C. A. program to furnish the fun for the week.

Here's what is on for each day:

Monday—9 to 12, new building boosters. Regular gym periods in the afternoon.

Tuesday—9 to 12, hare and hound chase. Leaders' drill in the afternoon. 7.30 p. m., service league meeting and parade.

Wednesday—9 to 12, nickel pool tournament. Regular gym periods in the afternoon. 5.45 p. m., Employed Boys' Brotherhood supper and discussion groups.

Thursday—10 a. m., leave for New York City (two groups)—one to Bronx Park; expenses, $1.25; one to Barnum & Bailey's circus; expenses, $1.75.

Friday—6 p. m., leave for blind trail trip, with hot dog roast. Leaders' meeting and drill in the afternoon. 6.15 p. m., high school club's supper and discussions.

Saturday—Gym periods in the morning. Impromptu weather stunt, something new; it's good, but what is it?

The program is open to every boy member of the Y. M. C. A. and all should take some part in it. In addition to the program outlined there will be stunts in the rooms, and the boys' rooms will be open every day and evening when the members may enjoy the games, stunts and reading room.

Games Wanted

Any teams desiring to arrange baseball games with the Bound Brook Boy Scouts may do so by writing the manager, Kenneth Beardslee, Bound Brook, N. J.

BASKETBALL PLAYERS RECEIVE EMBLEMS

Members of the Plainfield Grammar School basketball team were presented with their emblems at the Easter exercises yesterday. Those receiving them were: Capt. Daniel Randolph; Hayes Lambert, Norman Mowen, Harold McCosker, Angelo Brancati, Andrew Adelman and Robert T Spicer.

SOMERVILLE BALL DATES ANNOUNCED

County Seat Boys Have Seventeen Contests Booked Up for Season

Special Correspondence:

Somerville, March 30.—Seventeen games have been arranged for the local high school nine for the coming season, according to announcements made this morning by Manager Cohen. With a considerable amount of new material on hand there appears to be every evidence of a team appearing on the diamond for the school.

Both Plainfield and North Plainfield teams appear on the schedule. Plainfield is to appear on the home ought field May 5, the return game to be staged at the Plainfield grounds on a date to be announced later.

The schedule follows:

April

18—Bound Brook at home.
21—Bernardsville at Bernardsville.
25—Cranford at home.
28—Bound Brook at Bound Brook.

May

2—Roselle at home.
5—Flemington at Flemington.
9—Plainfield at home.
12—Flemington at home.
16—High Bridge at High Bridge.
19—Bound Brook at home.
22—North Plainfield at home.
26—Bernardsville at home.
29—High Bridge at home.

June

2—Roselle at Roselle.
6—Cranford at Cranford.
9—Bound Brook at Bound Brook.
12—N. Plainfield at N. Plainfield.

HAPPENINGS ON HYDE OVAL

The problem just at present which confronts Captain McDonough of the N. P. H. S. baseball team is who will fill the vacancy at the second sack. Marsh, Barry, Force and a score of others have been given a chance to perform and the rivalry for the job is becoming spirited. Billy Ahern appears to be the logical candidate.

In the short six-inning game yesterday afternoon the regulars again downed the rookies, this time to the tune of 6 to 3. Al Willett was on the mound for the scrubs, and his fielders were given plenty of exercise.

Zeller is developing into some fielder and surprised some of the spectators by pulling down some high ones yesterday during the practice game. "Ted" is only 14 years old and tips the scales at about 109 pounds.

The candidates are anxiously awaiting the arrival of the new suits, which are expected early next week.

New Styles Just Received

The Smart Shoes which will be worn by those who set the vogue.

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RAMBLER BOWLING SEASON PROLONGED

The bowling season of the Ramblers will not be brought to a close tonight as previously planned, but will continue on until the second week in April.

Tonight the Ramblers will take another fling at the Spicer No. 1 team on the Eagles' alleys, and as the Plainfielders won two games of the previous series they are "all set" for three straight wins this evening.

The third series between the Rams and Eagle Seconds for Wednesday night of next week is pending.

The concluding match of the Ramblers will be sort of a novel affair and will take place on the Y. M. C. A. alleys Tuesday night, April 10, coming out at the conclusion of the Arrangements have been made with the St. Mary's Social Club ladies' team, whereby the Ramblers will allow the lady bowlers 100 plus per game, or a total of 900 for the series, and as the S. C. Bowlers rarely hit below 600, it means the Rams must graduate from the 800 class in order to win. Some heartless creature has suggested the awarding of the handicap be reversed.

HOPE GIRLS FOST

The girl basketball players of the Netherwood Reformed church defeated the Hope Chapel Seconds last evening by the score of 10 to 9 on the Inner-Triangle court. In the first half's closing moments the Hope Enders secured a lead of a single point. The second period saw some extra speed put on by both teams, the East Enders overcoming the slight lead of the opposition and coming out at the conclusion of the game with an advantage the same as the Hope girls enjoyed in the opening half.

S. P. P. H. VICTORS OVER WESTFIELD

Parish House Aggregation Wins in a Hard Fought Contest

The Westfield Athletic Club five went down to defeat last evening at the Scotch Plains alleys when the Parish House aggregation of that place took the large end of a 31 to 25 score. The game was a battle for points from one end to the other, the score being kept close throughout the entire forty minutes of play.

The first half concluded with a one-point advantage favoring the visiting team, but this was soon swept away after the resumption of play in the second period. Nine of the ten players participating in the contest took part in the scoring.

The score:

PLAINS PARISH HOUSE

	G.	F.	P.
Hodge, f	2	0	4
Clark, f	2	0	4
H. Roberts, c	3	0	6
Meyer, g	6	0	12
C. Roberts, g	2	1	5
	15	1	31

WESTFIELD A. C.

	G.	F.	P.
Linden, f	1	0	2
Hand, f	6	3	15
Heavy, c	3	0	6
Winner, g	1	0	2
Henderson, g	0	0	0
	11	3	25

S. P. H. H. ..... 15 16—32
Westfield A. C. ..... 16 9—25

LONG HILL RIFLE CLUB ENROLLS MANY MEMBERS

The Long Hill Rifle Club of Passaic Township was organized Wednesday at the office of Recorder Raymond A. Alland. A membership of fifty was enrolled at the first meeting. The following officers were elected: President, Gilbert M. Corbish; vice president, August Arata; secretary, Dr. T. W. Bebout; treasurer, Charles Kutcher; executive officer, Mr. Alland.

For the time being the club will bend its efforts toward getting members. The officers believe they can obtain a membership of 150 in a few weeks' Because a similar organization might be started in the Millington section, the Long Hill club has embraced as its constituency only Gillette, Stirling and Meyersville.

As soon as the membership permits an infantry company will be organized within the club. Efforts will be made to locate rifle ranges and to encourage rifle practice. The dues were fixed at $1 a year. Dr. Bebout is now receiving applications for membership.

CLIMAX CLUB SHOOT

A merchandise shoot will be held at the Climax Gun Club grounds tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. A similar shoot a week or two ago proved popular and the officers decided to hold another. The club grounds are located on Plainfield avenue.

WHEN THINKING OF
EASTER CLOTHES
Think of S-T-A-D-L-E-R'S

And you will have done your best, whether it is for yourself or your boys. Give us a chance to compete for your clothes custom this spring, for we are bound to win it in fair competition. If you only knew how hard we tried for many months to make this, our fifth season in Plainfield, the most successful one; how we wrestled with the problem of advancing prices that we might give the people of Plainfield a strictly all wool suit in up-to-the-minute style for $15.00, the results will astonish you. Of course, our margin of profit is much smaller, but we hope to double our sales and make many new customers and friends, and a new customer in this store means a permanent customer, and a "Booster" as well.

We have no cuts of Olympian giants of impossible stature to put in with our ads in the papers; they really do not add to nor rather subtract from the value of clothes. But we have the clothes, the style, the fabrics—in a word, we "deliver the goods."

Suits and Top Coats . . $10, $12.50, $15
Some at $18
Boys' Suits, 8 to 18 . . . . $4 to $7.50
"Royal Custom Tailoring" Exclusive in Plainfield . $18 to $40

Dress Suits to Hire

STADLER'S
$10 -- $12.50 -- $15
Exclusive Clothiers

Satisfaction or Money Back

128 E. FRONT ST. *Open Evenings* PLAINFIELD, N. J.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. ABBIE DORGAN

The funeral of Mrs. Abbie Dorgan, the widow of Thomas Dorgan, who died on Tuesday, was held from her late residence on Arlington avenue this morning, later in St. Mary's church, where high mass of requiem was offered by the Rev. Father Mahoney. There was a large attendance of relatives and there were many beautiful flowers. The bearers were: William Hickey, John and Owen Sheehan, Dennis and Michael O'Keefe and John J. Curran. The interment was made in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. Dorgan leaves the following children: Mrs. F. L. Burke, Mrs. Thomas Strappe, Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey, Mrs. J. C. Hurley, Miss Elizabeth Dorgan, Thomas and John J. Dorgan; also these sisters, Mrs. Margaret Hickey and Mrs. Elizabeth Sheehan, of this city; Mrs. John Connors, of South Plainfield; and Mrs. Walsh, of Amherst, Mass.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

The annual church meeting of the Seventh Day Baptist church will be held on Sunday afternoon and evening. The session will open at 3.45 p. m., to be followed by supper at 6 o'clock. The supper will be in charge of a joint committee from the Women's Christian Work Society and the C. E. Society of the church. A business session in the evening will close the program.

RUMMAGE SALE A SUCCESS

The vacant store, corner of West Front street and Madison avenue was the scene of much activity yesterday on the occasion of the annual rummage sale conducted by the Women's Society of the Seventh Day Baptist church.

All through the day the store was filled and the receipts were most satisfactory. Mrs. C. J. Dunham was the chairman of the committee in charge of the sale.

AUCTION SALE OF LOTS

Sale of building lots on Johnson and Belmont avenues, postponed from last Saturday, will be held tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Robert Murray is the auctioneer. See advertisement is another column.

MISS ADA B. TALBOT SPEAKS IN HIGH SCHOOL

A large and patriotic audience greeted Miss Ada B. Talbot at the high school auditorium last evening. Miss Talbot's subject was "Mexico—Yesterday and Today," and the speaker gave a most concise description of the political history of the country up to the time of apparent hostilities with the United States, and then dwelt with some emphasis on the fact that, irrespective of the attitude of the State Department of this country, there appears to have been an underlying desire to protect Mexico from herself.

In reviewing the situation as it exists today Miss Talbot inferred that there is every possibility that with the introduction of a general educational system in the country a different Mexico will be the neighbor of the United States in the years to come. Miss Talbot also spoke briefly *regarding her recent trip to the* Panama Canal for the purpose of observing fortification conditions, and the spirit of patriotism as expressed by the splendid "can do feel" keenly throughout the assembly.

Miss Talbot is a woman of striking personality and has mastered her subject, having a keen analytical mind and is particularly effective manner of expressing her ideas.

The Board of Education has endeavored during the past winter to present entertainments which shall be of educational value, and the effort made last evening was no exception to the general rule. The efforts of the board during this past winter have met with a gratifying increase in attendance on the part of the general public, and it is hoped to introduce during the coming year features which shall make these free public entertainments worthy of very general support.

PETER FLOERSCH & SON WELCOME PLAINFIELD GUESTS

Peter Floersch & Son, formerly proprietors of the Queen City Hotel of Plainfield, are now proprietors of the New Packer House, Perth Amboy, and are daily entertaining friends from this city who knew and esteemed them while here. The New Packer House is a commodious and thoroughly up-to-date hotel, and the regular hostelry are always glad to welcome their Plainfield friends.

A special feature of the house is dancing Tuesday Thursday and Saturday evenings, from 9 to 11:30 o'clock.

SUPPLY ASSOCIATION IS NOW INCORPORATED

The National Producers' and Consumers' Supply Association, with offices on *West Second street, this city* is now incorporated under the laws of New Jersey. Mention has previously been made in these columns of this concern and within a few days its advertisements will appear in the advertising columns.

The Board of Trustees is as follows: President, Robert McIntosh; Milton Hinchcliffe, Marion Leonard, Thomas Wikoff, Frank J. Keel, Anna Moreller, Lester J. Rumsey, Robert Scott, William Willis, John C. Fox and E. C. Miller, all of Plainfield, and Chris R. Hobson, of Westfield.

The object of the association is to reduce the cost of living and the membership is limited to five per cent. of the population of any town except the home town. All profits will be distributed among the members quarterly. Members are being enrolled at *the office, 226 West Second street,* between 1 and 5 o'clock daily. A centrally located store is being sought from which to distribute the association's goods and auto delivery has already been arranged.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMSHIPS

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 30.—Steamers arrived this morning:

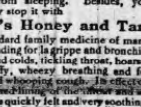
Crofton Hall, from Buenos Aires.

Philadelphia, from Porto Rico Ports.

Kristo, from Galveston.

Altamaha, from Port Arthur.

Elmar, from New Orleans.



Don't Cough All Night

It wears down your strength, racks your nerves, keeps yourself and all the family from sleeping. Besides, you can easily stop it with

Foley's Honey and Tar.

A standard family medicine of many years standing for la grippe and bronchial coughs and colds, tickling throat, hoarseness, stuffy, wheezy breathing and for croup and whooping cough. It relieves the inflamed lining of the throat and air passages is quickly felt and very soothing.

Ezra Hebert, Fall Lick, writes: "I coughed continually and at night could hardly sleep. Foley's Honey and Tar relieved me, and one bottle cured my cough entirely."

Weiss' Boro Drug Store.

MRS. ELLEN BLAKE DIED YESTERDAY

Mrs. Ellen Blake, the widow of James Blake, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Winner, of Plainfield avenue, for the past two months, died yesterday after a lingering illness. The funeral will be held at Mrs. Winner's house on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the Rev. C. W. F. Attlee, of Sherman avenue, officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside cemetery.

Mrs. Blake was born in England and came to this country thirty years ago. Her home was in Tyneside, but she usually spent a part of every winter with her daughter here.

MUSICAL SERVICE AT GRACE CHURCH

The special services at Grace Church have met with such success that they are to be prolonged into April. On Sunday evening next, the Sacred Cantata, a consoling feature of Holy Week observance in the church will be sung by the choir. The work for this year is to be Macfarlane's musical setting of "The Message from the Cross." It is a composition entirely devotional in character, provides a vehicle for the religious thought of the hour, and undoubtedly creates a suitable spiritual atmosphere for the solemn events of this holy season. As usual the service is at 4 o'clock.

On Easter Day at the same hour the grand Easter festival service of the church will be held. The best Easter music will be provided and the rector will preach. On April 15 the closing service of the series will be the presentation by the choir of an Easter Cantata.

PATROLMAN DUNLAP QUITS

Patrolman Joseph Dunlap has tendered his resignation as a member of the police force and will take a position as chauffeur next week.

Dunlap has quit the police force twice before and then came back. His reason for quitting now, he says, is that he cannot maintain himself and his family on the salary he receives. He is a machinist and served several years in the United States Navy aboard the battleship Wisconsin.

AUGUSTUS FISK IN TOWN

Augustus R. Fisk, son of former Mayor and Mrs. Charles E. Fisk, is spending a few days in town. He recently returned from the West, following several months spent on the Mexican border with Troop D. He is at present living in New York.

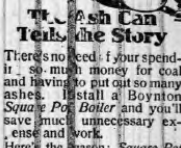
The Ash Can Tells the Story

There's no need for your spending so much money for coal and having to put out so many ashes. Install a Boynton *Square Pot Boiler* and you'll save much unnecessary expense and worry.

Here's the reason: *Square Pot Boilers* burn less coal and give more heat. This is made possible by the *quick fire pot* that eliminates all waste of heat and coal. It gives as much heat from a small amount of coal as a round fire pot gives from a large amount. And ashes don't cling to the square corners like they do to round corners.

Fire always "just right"—enough heat in the morning to keep the house warm like inside on the coldest days.

Ask your dealer to explain the *Square Pot Boiler* idea. He can also show you Boynton Furnaces and Newport Ranges. See him today or write us.



This is a section view of Boynton Furnace No. 22 which is large enough to heat a 10 room house.

BOYNTON FURNACE COMPANY

27th Street, near Broadway NEW YORK

COMPANY K ENTRAINS FOR ELIZABETH

Company K left for Elizabeth this morning to mobilize and be ready for the service of the country.

The company marching through the streets of Plainfield this morning on its way to entrain for Elizabeth, there to await any orders that may be sent by the Government, of the United States, reminded local people of the scene of fifty-five years ago when Plainfield sent its first contingent of volunteers to the service of the country in the Southland. Company K boys will however be stationed for the present in Elizabeth for guard duty.

As the boys marched through the streets in soldierly order this morning, the sight caused a thrill among the spectators, and they viewed with pride the young and able-bodied men who had donned *the uniform through* sentiments of patriotism, to serve in any way the needs of their country should suggest. They are a determined company of young men prompted by the best ideals of human nature, the first of which, namely, patriotism, should thrill every citizen who has a love of country and of humanity in his heart.

GRANDCHILDREN SEEK TO BREAK AUNT'S WILL

Dissatisfied with the verdict of the jury which admitted to probate the will and codicil of Mrs. Lucy Dudley Sheafe, aunt of Dr. Edward S. Krans, of this city, which disposed of her $40,000 estate, not a cent of which was left to them, George Stanley St. Amant and his sister, Marguerite St. Amant, grandchildren, of France, have taken an appeal to the Appellate Division of the New York Supreme Court in the hope of getting a new trial.

Mrs. Sheafe, who was eighty-eight years old, died on May 25 last, at her home in New York. Mrs Florence March Turner, of Pana, Ill., and Louise March Allen, of Oconee, Ill., grandnieces, were also left out of the will. Dr. Krans was left $5,000, but this was revoked in the codicil because he did not name one of his children after her late husband, Marion Chitty, of Glen Falls, N. Y., school teacher and companion, received the bulk of the estate.

JURY FINDS NO CAUSE FOR ACTION

In the District Court here yesterday a jury that heard the case of the Plainfield Milk and Cream Company against Harry C. Huff, to recover payment for a horse that was killed when it was struck by a taxi cab belonging to Huff at Watchung and Jackson avenues, North Plainfield, two months ago, returned a verdict of no cause for action.

This is the second time the case has been tried. The jury disagreed at the other trial.

Robert Newton Crane appeared for Mr. Huff.

PANHANDLER GETS 60 DAYS

William Wilhelm, of Westfield, was arrested here yesterday afternoon charged with vagrancy. Judge DeMeza in the city court this morning gave him sixty days in the county jail. Wilhelm is a cripple. He went through West Front street yesterday soliciting alms and when a woman gave him ten cents he threw it back at her and used abusive language.

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Attractiveness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a 50-cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While a few applications will show your youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

DISCUSSES MOVING PICTURE PROBLEMS

Miss Mary G. Peck, of National Review Board, Speaks Here

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Evergreen school met at the school yesterday afternoon to hear an address by Miss Mary G. Peck, of the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures. She gave a most delightful and thoroughly encouraging talk on the "Better Films Movement."

"Motion Pictures are the latest art, and they are an art," Miss Peck said. "This new art only eight years old and in process of formation, deserves our consideration even more than the older arts for we may help to mould it."

Miss Peck then described the development of the art, mentioning the flexible film innovation that first appeared at the World's Fair in Chicago. The flexible films were thought to be of value chiefly in the class-room, but soon spread out to the theatres and now there are 15,000 moving picture theatres in the United States alone, patronized by numbers equal to the number of the entire adult population of the country. By actual count eight million to eighteen million people go daily to the movies. The movie picture industry is the fifth in the land, $600,000,000 is invested in it and one million people are employed in making films.

Miss Peck said that it is worthy of attention and men and women everywhere are studying to make it of value to the people and especially to the young people. In three or four hundred towns in the United States children's programs are given on regular days and family programs will be the next step, the speaker said. These selected programs prove profitable.

"Those who try to please everybody displease everybody," concluded Miss Peck, referring to the programs that try to suit young and old, modest and vicious alike. Miss Peck then gave some practical suggestions for the work of the Parent-Teacher Association.

FUNERAL OF E. L. MORRIS HELD AT BROOKLYN

The funeral of Edward L. Morris, formerly of Plainfield, whose death occurred on Tuesday, was held at 3 o'clock this morning at the late home, 777 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, Rev. Dr. James Clarence Jones, his personal friend and rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Brooklyn, officiating. The burial took place this afternoon in Evergreen cemetery, this city.

MRS. HENRY CORSA DIED THIS MORNING

She and Mr. Corsa Celebrated Their Golden Wedding Last April

Mrs. Henry C. Corsa, of 1340 Putnam avenue, died this morning after an illness of eight months of heart trouble and complications. She would have reached the seventy-second year of her age April 27. She was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. John Traub, who were well-to-do and prominent residents of New York.

Mrs. Corsa leaves her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Lillian C. Kelly, and a grand-daughter, Mrs. Leslie R. Stewart, both of this city.

On April 4 of last year Mr. and Mrs. Corsa celebrated their golden wedding, surrounded by relatives and numerous friends. One of the features of the decorations was an artificial cherry tree with 2,000 blossoms. Mr. and Mrs. Corsa were married April 4, 1866, in the Dutch Reformed church of West Farms, N. Y., by the Rev. Polhemus Van Wyck. Mr. Corsa's grandfather, Andrew Corsa, was one of Washington's scouts during the Revolution, and the latter's grandfather, Fletcher Corsa, was the first white child born in the Bronx section of New York. In recognition of this fact he was given a large tract of land, including the present site of St. John's College, by the Colonial Governor.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Corsa *lived in New York, but later,* for several years, lived in Milford, Del. They came to Plainfield twenty-six years ago and have resided here ever since. They have grown to an advanced age happy in the association of each other and of their only daughter and grand-daughter, and enjoying the high esteem of many friends, which has given an added enjoyment in their declining years. Many will mourn the death of Mrs. Corsa, and her husband and family have the sincere sympathy of many friends.

The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and the interment will be made in Hillside Cemetery, Dr. C. E. Herring officiating.

PERSONAL

Miss Ida Sachar, of Sachar place, has gone to Lakewood, where she will spend a few weeks.

IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat less meat also take glass of Salts before eating breakfast

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to healthy activity. It also *to neutralize the acids in* urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.—Adv.

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Free Delivery To All Parts of City and Suburbs

A PURE FOOD SALE THAT IS THE OPEN DOOR TO REAL HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS

This Sale brings out the most formidable array of bargain offerings this season has produced. Prices on the most needed Groceries and Meats have been reduced to record low prices. Those of you who have attended our sale events know when you deal here you are getting the best and when we advertise bargains they are genuine. Remember, we stand between you and high prices. Sale ends Monday.

COFFEE

COFFEE Health Brand, can 35c

3 for 98c

This is the best blend of Coffee money can buy. Our guaranty with every can.

B. & O. Molasses—Regular 12c can; very special, can 10c

Van Camp's Spaghetti, Italian style, can 10c

Crisco—3-lb. can 65c

Cottolene—Extra special, can 41c

Jam—Good, honest brand; jar 17c

CANNED GOODS

Fancy Blood Red Beets—Nicer than fresh; try a can 18c

Red Kidney Beans; real nice and very economical; can 13c

Cal. Asparagus; Tioga Brand; can 15c

Sugar Peas; Health Brand; can 18c

Corn—Fancy Maine Sugar Corn; Health Brand; can 18c

Logan Berries, can 23c

Alaska Salmon; tall can 15c

BEANS-Special Prices

Marrow Beans—Hand picked; clean and excellent cookers; lb. 15c

Green Peas—Selected Scotch Dried Green Peas; lb. 13c

Blackeye Peas—Very fine eating; try them; you'll like 'em; lb. 12c

Prunes! Prunes! Very special, lb. 12c

Evaporated Peaches; 2 lbs. for 23c

Corn Starch, Continental; pkg. 8c

COCOA—HERSHEY'S—Too Well Known to Need Any Praise; ½ lb. can 16c

REX JELLY—REX JELLY—2½ lb. can 20c

MARSHALL'S BEST FLOUR—24½-lb. bag 1.33

SAWTAY—For Frying and Baking—SAWTAY Extra Special for this Sale—Reg. 30c can 25c

BUTTER

BUTTER Finest Elgin Creamery—Best in Town—Very Special, lb. 45c

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

Oranges—Large juicy Navel Oranges; only 18 to a customer; 18 for 25c

Grape Fruit—Extra fancy; doz. 50c

Baldwin Apples—N. Y. State; for eating or cooking; pony basket 55c

Fancy Table Apples, doz. ..... 25c and up

Fresh Hallowe'en Dates; 2 lbs. for 25c

Bananas, dozen, 20c and 25c

Lemons—Fancy Messina, 15 for 25c

Very Fancy Heart Celery, 2 bunches for 25c

Pineapples, each 10c

Cauliflower, each ..... 15c and up

Cranberries, 3 qts. for 25c

Fancy Green Peas, quart 15c

Potatoes—Penna; very good cookers; extra special, basket 1.45

Cabbage, lb. 10c

Mushrooms; very special, lb. 38c

Extra Fancy White Mushrooms, lb. 50c

Onions, quart 16c

Fancy Green Peppers

Fancy Spanish Onions, 3 lbs. for 25c

New Green Onions, bunch 5c

Very Fancy Cucumbers, 2 for 25c

And Up

Jersey Radishes, large bunch 5c

New Potatoes, quart 15c

Kale, nice and green; peck 35c

Fancy Green Peas, quart 15c

Spinach, nice and green.

TEA

TEA New Crop Ceylon, Eng. Breakfast; our 60c stock; for this sale 49c

TEA Oolong, regular

CRACKERS

N. B. Co.—All 10c pkgs. 9c

All 5c pkgs. 4½c

D. & C. Flour; one of the nicest Prepared Flours on the market; pkg. 10c

Buckwheat Flour — Harrison Brand; large pkg. 18c

Bloaters—Fancy Tag Bloaters; each 7c

Very Fancy Holland Herrings; mixed keg 98c

Seasonable Cereals

Kellogg Krumbles, pkg. 9c

Post Toasties, pkg. 9c

Holland Rusk, pkg. 10c

Corn Flakes, large pkg. 7c

Hominy, pkg. 9c

Tapioca, pkg. 9c

Mueller's Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 pkgs. for 25c

LAUNDRY NEEDS

Lenox or Lighthouse Soap, 6 for 25c

Swift's Pride Soap, 7 for 25c

Ammonia, 3 bottles for 25c

Bluing; 3 bottles for 25c

Toilet Paper, 6 rolls for 25c

Pearline, pkg. 9c

Scouring Soap, 6 for 25c

See Window Display For Our Meat Prices--They Are Money Savers

Re-Opening of Queen City Hotel

Saturday Evening

This hostelry, after undergoing extensive repairs, will open its doors tomorrow night for inspection. Complete renovation and modern improvements have been made throughout the entire house.

The management will be glad to welcome friends and the general public on this occasion.

J. A. STAATS, Prop.

Capital and Surplus $600,000

INTEREST FOR EVERY DAY

that your money is on deposit in our Checking Department will be paid you at the rate of 3% so long as your balance amounts to $500 or over, and your checks on us will be

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RECREATION NOTES

Boy Scouts meet in the Bryant school tonight.

The night school men's gym class will use the high school gym this evening.

The Saurer Band will rehearse in the Washington school gym tonight.

The public swimming class for ladies is to use the high school pool tonight.

A new troop of Boy Scouts is to be organized in the Washington school this evening.

Athletic games will be conducted in the Bryant school yard Saturday morning.

The Washington school game room is to be open both Friday and Saturday evenings.

The regular Saturday municipal dance will be held in the Washington school tomorrow evening.

Instead of the usual Dunbar dance in the Washington school this evening, the Lincoln University quartette will present a very pleasing program of entertainment.

A mass meeting for all the colored men of this city will be held in the auditorium of the Washington school, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a colored Y. M. C. A.

KELLY AND WELSH MAKE GOOD SCORE

Patrolman Kelly, the dead shot of the police force, who hit the "bulls eye" 44 times in succession on Tuesday last, made a good showing again yesterday when he scored 21.

Patrolman Martin Welsh tied Kelly in the shooting, making a score of 21 also.

The other members of the force are showing greater accuracy of aim as the practice continues. Kelly has received a number of compliments upon his score of Tuesday.

The STATE Trust Company
AT PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The Value of Your Money

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Take no chances with your money. Deposit it in our Special Department where you KNOW it will be safe.

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Our Developing and Printing is of the very highest order. The films are developed by expert hands and the prints leave nothing to be desired.

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Any Size Roll
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Prints, 2¼x3¼, 3c; 2½x4¼, 4c; 3¼x5½, 5c; post card size, 5c

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PICTURE FRAMING

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No live man wants to be a "Last Minute" Man!

All Your Favorite Brands of Easter Shoes and Oxfords are waiting for you here, Sir!

$4.00 to $9.50

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127 EAST FRONT STREET

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Women's Nu-Buck Lace Boots at $4.95
Women's White Washable Kid Boots at $7.50
Women's Black Glaze Kid Boots at $4.50

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Tomorrow is the first day of America's Dress Up Week for Spring. Will you step into it clad in garments battered and baggy with winter's wear, or in clothes fresh and new from hat to shoes—clothes which announce you as a man who walks ahead of the times?

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in all the new models for Men and Young Men, and a special line of
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SPECIAL SALE BEDS

We are placing on sale for quick selling a manufacturer's line of sample Beds, comprising Brass, White Enamel and the new Wood finishes. Only a limited number in the lot, so act quick, as there will be no duplicates.
Prices from ..... $4.98 to $19.98

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Order was placed before manufacturers advanced prices, which means a saving well worth your investigation.

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10,000 ROSES IN 100 VARIETIES
100,000 California Privet, 2-5 feet; Rhododendrons, 2 to 6 feet; Azaleas, 2 to 4 feet; Evergreens, 3 to 15 feet, in variety.
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ANOTHER RELIEF SHIP REACHES ROTTERDAM

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 30.—The Commission for relief in Belgium, 120 Broadway, announced today another relief steamer, the fourth within the past week, is reported by cable as arriving safely at Rotterdam.

SPAIN SUSPENDS CONSTITUTIONAL GUARANTEES

Special to Courier-News:

London, March 30.—A despatch from Madrid says that the Official Gazette today contained a decree suspending constitutional guarantees in all provinces throughout the kingdom.

WOMAN'S PRIVILEGE TO SERVE COUNTRY

Mrs. E. Yarde Breese Expresses Positive Views on Lloyd George's Action

Declaring that the position of the English Suffragists should not in any degree affect the American suffrage question, especially in view of Premier Lloyd George's recognition of the English Suffragists, Mrs. E. Yarde Breese, of this city, State president of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, today gave her views on the question in an interview with a representative of the Courier-News. She said:

"In the first place I feel strongly that the position of the English Suffragists should not in any degree affect the American suffrage question. The whole status of English women is different from that of the American woman.

"Secondly, the idea of the suffrage being granted to women as a reward for their single-minded devotion to their country's interests in time of war is as preposterous as it is insulting womanhood. Where is the woman who needs a reward, political or otherwise, for her allegiance and devotion to her country? What higher privilege can be accorded her than that she be permitted to serve her country to the best of her ability and to the limit of her strength? Any other interpretation of the nobility and sacrifice of women in war is a slur cast upon the highest ideals of a nation.

"Thirdly, what of the horde of women working and sacrificing for their country, who are not suffragists? In this country the anti-suffragists greatly outnumber the suffragists; how is it possible to ignore their claim to recognition if any question of recognition is to arise? There must be no confusion of the issue; politics for women is simply politics, as illustrated in the last election, but never must patriotism and loyalty be confounded with politics.

"The question 'should not women who sacrifice so much, have some voice in whether or not war is to be declared?' To this my answer is she has her say in the decision of the men of the nation; the two are one. American men when they decide for war, have first of all before them the honor of their nation and the welfare of their women and children. Who is there to gainsay the sacrifice of men in war? How about the millions who have fought and died in the trenches of Europe? The woman's part is no longer the harder part in warfare as it is waged today.

"This is no time for political issues. Woman Suffrage should be laid aside by its leaders and followers alike and with the hope of no ultimate "reward" other than the honor and security of their country, American women must stand shoulder to shoulder, cool of head and strong of heart and purpose in support of the Manhood of the Nation. Personally I feel that every woman's prayer today should be 'Peace, if it be possible to have peace with honor, but never peace at any price.'"

ENGLISH RECRUITS SLIGHTLY BELOW EXPECTATIONS

Special to Courier-News:

London, March 30.—Speaking in the House of Commons, A. Bonar-Law, Chancellor of the Exhequer, stated that since the beginning of the year the number of recruits in the army was 160,000, below that had been estimated as necessary to the best prosecution of the war. The shortage he said had been partially met by new troop dispositions.

GOLD SENT TO CUBA AND SPAIN

Special to Courier-News:

New York, March 30.—Gold to the amount of $500,000 was withdrawn from the sub-treasury yesterday for shipment to Cuba. About $50,000 was taken for Spain.

FRECKLES

March Worst Month For This Trouble—How to Remove Easily.

There's a reason why nearly everybody freckles in March, but happily there is also a remedy for these ugly blemishes, and no one need stay freckled.

Simply get an ounce of othine, double strength, from your druggist, and apply a little of it night and morning, and in a few days you should see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the light ones have vanished entirely. Now is the time to rid yourself of freckles, for if not removed now they may stay all Summer, and spoil an otherwise beautiful complexion. Your money back if othine fails.—Adv.

WAGNER MARKET CO.

OUR SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Long Island Frying Chickens 2-3 lbs. average; lb. 28c

Jersey Broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs. average lb. 30c

Small Legs Genuine Spring Lamb, lb. 26c

Shoulders of Veal, boned for dressing, lb. 22c

First Cuts Rib Roast; Quality Beef; lb. 24c

Golden West Fatted Fowl 4-5 lbs. average; lb. 28c

Rolled Pot Roast, no bone; lb. 22c

Small Jersey Pork Loins, by the whole; lb. 25c

Swift's Premium Smoked Hams, lb. 25c

Prime Legs of Jersey Veal, lb. 24c

Swift's Famous Dixie Bacon, lb. 22c

Forequarters Genuine Spring Lamb, lb. 22c

Small Fricassee Chickens, lb. 24c

Small Jersey Fresh Hams, lb. 25c

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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

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Untrimmed Shapes in the advanced styles of Millinery. Hemps in good variety. Special at 98c Worth up to $1.49

TRIMMED HATS

And ready to wear Hats. Smart Millinery in all the newest shades. 1.98 UP

Alterations Free

WAISTS

We offer an assortment of Blouses, including all the desirable colors in every material. Special From 49c TO 4.98

EXTRA SPECIAL ON Crepe de Chine WAISTS

Every new shade. Worth up to $2.98. Special tomorrow— 1.89

SKIRTS

Our Skirt Department offers women or misses the opportunity to pick from a large variety of the newest models. All materials and colors— 1.49 TO 8.98

C. B. CORSETS

For this Saturday we offer C. B. Corsets that sell regularly for $1.50, at 1.00

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Sport and Tailored Striped Taffeta Silk Skirts $5.98

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Charming Taffeta and Serge Dresses $12.98

Easter Requirements can be selected advantageously from our charming and extensive assortments of

Women's Tailored Suits, Street, Afternoon and Evening Dresses, Sports Apparel and Separate Skirts

All of which present the latest style notes in materials, trimmings and colorings. Tailoring and finish of an unusually high standard enter into the making of these garments and the prices will be found very reasonable.

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We have arranged a special PRE-EASTER offering which will enable you to get smart FASS' STANDARD garments at a saving of 25 per cent. of their real value.

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Twenty Stunning New Spring Models in all the Latest Styles

$25.00

In Gabardine, Serge, Gunniburl Burella, Tweeds, Tricotine, Faille, Taffeta and Wool Jerseys

These suits are not the ordinary $25.00 suits, but were made to sell at much higher prices. This lot is the most extensive we ever had; here are found suits to fit the tall and the short, the slim and the stout, and the hard-to-fit. The styles in this wonderful assortment will appeal to every taste and fancy.

Incomparable Assortment of Spring Suits also at $12.98, $14.98, $17.50, $19.98 and up to $65

Women's Spring Coats at Decided Price Inducements

Models suitable for all occasions, presenting straight-line, belted and fitted effects; also the Trench Coat for motor and every-day wear in belted style with smart military lines. The Coats are developed in Bolivia, wool velour, suede cloth, gabardine, Poiret twills and very desirable mixtures; have convertible collars, new belts and unique pockets; half lined or lined throughout with plain or fancy silks, at the following attractive prices:

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Also distinctive showing of Women's Coats and Wraps at $29.50 to $65

Copies of late importations, suitable for every requirement of the new season will be found in a diversified range of styles and materials.

New Spring Dresses and Gowns for All Occasions Ranging in Price from $8.75 to $50.00

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We guarantee that if this paint is properly applied it will give to any vehicle a durable, varnish-gloss finish *that will withstand hard usage and exposure, without* cracking or chipping.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide the necessary funds in advance of the collection of assessments for benefits," as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the work to be done, is as follows:

4,669 cubic yards earth excavation; 11,620 lin. ft. plain concrete curb; 11,570 lin. ft. concrete curb with steel corner bar; 21,400 sq. yds. vitrified brick pavement on concrete foundation; 28,850 sq. yds. reinforced concrete pavement; 36,700 lin. ft. ½-inch expansion joints; 11,300 lin. ft. ½-inch expansion joints; 21,420 sq. yds. reinforcing fabric; 1,932 lin. ft. 15-inch surface drains; 4 manholes; 3 inlets; 300 lin. ft. 12-inch inlet connections; 470 lin. ft. concrete headers.

Duplicate plans may be examined and Forms of Proposal, Information for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and the right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

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Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS.

FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 149 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight thirty o'clock P. M., at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

3—21-12t

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Edwin M. Daniel, Deceased.

Pursuant to the order of George T. Fleming, Surrogate of the County of Union, made the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1917, upon the application of the undersigned, executors of the estate of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscribers under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the date of said order, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscribers.

It is requested that claims be presented to the subscribers at 329 Stelle Ave, Plainfield, N. J.

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Executors.

2—16-6av-3w Fees, $11.10.

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Best Creamery Butter, per lb.	48c
Best Table Butterine, per lb.	32c
Fancy Potatoes, fine cookers, basket	1.50
Fancy California Prunes, 2 lbs.	25c
Dried Green Peas, 2 lbs.	25c
Yellow Split Peas, 2 lbs.	25c
Royal Scarlet Oats, 3 pkgs.	25c
Quaker and Hecker Oats, 3 pkgs.	28c
Broken Macaroni and Spaghetti, per lb.	10c
Best Rolled Oats, 6 lbs.	28c
Yellow and White Meal, per lb.	4½c
Duryea's Corn Starch, 3 pkgs.	25c
Hotel Astor and Hecker's Rice, 3 pkgs.	25c
Fancy Head Rice, 4½lbs.	25c
Federal Macaroni and Spaghetti, 3 pkgs.	25c
Hershey's Cocoa, ½-lb. can, 25c; 1-lb.	29c

SEED POTATOES

Due to arrive about the middle of next week. Fancy stock. Price right—

Irish Cobbler, Green Mountain—4 qts., 50c; peck, 85c; ½-bushel, $1.60; bushel **3.00**

WE GIVE S. & H. STAMPS

Fred H. Firstbrook
116 WEST FRONT ST.
Phone 1754.

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Plainfield and South Plainfield

Leave Plainfield—Week days, 6:45, 7:30, 9:00, 11:45 a. m., 2:00, 2:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:30, 7:30, 10:00, 11:30 p. m. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 12:00 noon, 2:00, 4:00, 5:00, 9:00 p. m. Returning, leave 360 Plainfield half hour later.

Does not run on Holidays.

Saturdays only.

NOTICE

Beginning Sunday, Feb. 18th, 1917, and until May 1, Bus between Plainfield and Stirling will run Saturday and Sunday only.

Leave Plainfield Saturday
8.15 a. m., 1.00 and 4.15 p. m.
Leave Stirling Saturday
9.30 a. m., 2.00 and 5.01 p. m.
Leave Plainfield Sunday
9.00 a. m., 4.15 p. m.
Leave Stirling Sunday
9.30 a. m., 5.00 p. m.
Plainfield and Warrenville

Leaves Plainfield, 8.45 a. m., 6.20 p. m. Telephone Plainfield 1715.

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HINDENBURG'S RETREAT HALTS

Germans Reach New Line and Turn on Enemies.

FIERCE ENCOUNTERS RAGING.

Teutons Settle Down For Another Period of Trench Warfare, While Allies Are Handicapped by Having to Establish New Front and Traverse Devastated Ground to Bring Up Men, Guns and Supplies.

London, March 30.—The German retirement in the west line has come to a standstill. Mobile warfare is rapidly yielding to trench fighting. But along the entire line British and French attacks are being kept up with bitter tenacity.

Hindenburg is playing a waiting game on a new formidably intrenched line. Here and there he is launching counter attacks, but on the whole he is contenting himself with repelling the ceaseless onslaughts of the opponents. Meanwhile vigorous seesaw fighting goes on daily in the Champagne and on the Verdun front.

Allies Must Wait.

The allies admittedly must mark time now until they have brought up their heavy artillery to try to reduce the new German trench line. For the British the task is a difficult one since the big guns must be moved over almost impassable terrain.

Military critics frankly concede that in this respect the Teutons are now reaping considerable advantage from the devastation they left in the wake of their retreat.

An added difficulty for the British is that of feeding and supplying their men, a thorough reorganization of the communications being necessary.

Unless Hindenburg decides to launch an offensive of his own to take advantage of these difficulties on the part of his adversaries a lengthy lull is looked for.

There were no operations on a large scale during the last twenty-four hours. Paris reports the capture of important German depots of material and ammunition. "Our troops," says the statement, "every where maintained contact with the enemy's line." A successful French surprise attack near Rheims, repulse of Teuton assaults in the Champagne and recapture of the last elements of trenches taken by the Germans on March 18 on the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) also were reported.

Berlin Claims Gains.

Berlin asserts French attacks in the Champagne were repulsed with heavy losses, and all the ground recently gained remained in Teuton hands. Attacks on the left bank of the Meuse were stifled in the German barrage fire, it is further stated.

The German bulletin reports a successful raid on the British lines northeast of Bapaume. In that region the Teutons are battling desperately to prevent the capture by Sir Douglas Haig's men of the strategically important village of Croisilles.

The British are now five miles west of St. Quentin, but the battle in that region continues a deadlock.

FOR CENTRAL DEAL PROBE.

Favorable Report to Assembly Voted by Committee.

Albany, N. Y., March 30.—The ways and means committee of the assembly voted unanimously to report the Green resolution providing for a searching legislative investigation of the deal between the board of estimate of New York city and the New York Central railroad whereby the road was granted contracts for the use of ground for trackage along Riverside park and in certain New York streets.

The resolution will be sent to the assembly Tuesday. It will provide for an investigating committee composed of three senators and four assemblymen. It is claimed by the friends of the measure that a canvass has shown it is assured of passage.

SHORT POTATO CROP.

South Jersey Farmers to Plant Less This Year.

Woodstown, March 30.—A million baskets less of white potatoes will be harvested in South Jersey this year as compared with the average crops of other years, according to estimates based upon the number of acres prepared at the opening of the planting season this week. The average crop in past years has run anywhere from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 baskets.

At the office of the South Jersey Farmers' exchange it was said that the acreage in potatoes this year will be from 15 to 20 per cent below normal.

DRIVE AWAY HEADACHE

Rub Musterole on Forehead and Temples

A headache remedy without the dangers of "headache medicine." Relieves headache and that miserable feeling from colds or congestion. And it acts at once! Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Used only externally, and is no way can affect stomach and heart, as some internal medicines do.

Excellent for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, all pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

MUSTEROLE

It's Wonderful How Resinol Stops Itching

To those who have endured for years the itching torments of eczema or other such skin eruptions, the relief that the first use of Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap usually gives is incredible. After all the suffering they have endured and all the useless treatments they have spent good money for, they cannot believe anything so simple could and inexpensive can stop the itching and burning *INSTANTLY!* And they find it still more wonderful that the improvement is permanent and that Resinol really drives away the eruption completely in a very short time. Perhaps there is a pleasant surprise like this in store for you. Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap are sold by all druggists.

A Good Soap For Baby Skin

A good baby soap should contain soothing, healing properties to prevent the rashes and chafings to which babies are liable. That is why so many physicians recommend Resinol Soap.

CHARLES OF AUSTRIA.

Emperor and King In Conference at Berlin.

Photo by American Press Association.

It is reported from Switzerland that Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary is in Berlin to confer with the kaiser on whether the submarine warfare shall be modified or continued in its present ruthlessness. Another dispatch says this conference may be connected with new peace proposals from the central powers to the entente.

U. S. EXPORTS NOT HALTED BY U-BOATS

Increase of $66,000,000 Over February, 1916.

Washington, March 30.—Germany's *ruthless* submarine campaign on shipping has failed to halt American foreign trade. American goods shipped to foreign countries in February, the first month of Germany's new campaign, aggregated $363,000,000 more in value than exports for the same month last year. But the month showed, according to the monthly report of the department of commerce, that trade with Great Britain, the Netherlands, Denmark and Greece had been seriously diminished.

Total exports for the month were $407,683,406 against $401,782,974 in February of last year. The imports for the month were $276,470,000 against $193,325,117 last year.

The greatest export increase was shown to Russia, where $23,819,880 worth of goods was sent in February of this year as against $10,890,981 last year. Exports to France and Canada also showed material increases. The exports to the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, Denmark and Greece were about $20,000,000 less than the exports to those countries in February last year.

TARNOWSKI CASE DOUBTFUL.

Austrian Envoy's Status to Be Settled Soon.

Washington, March 30.—It is generally expected that the status of Count Tarnowski, the Austrian ambassador designate, will be definitely established soon after the delivery of President Wilson's speech to congress. The count has been in this country about six weeks without any status whatever, and while he has presumably directed the Austrian end of negotiations with the United States, Baron Zwiedinek, the Austrian chargé d'affaires, has been Austria's official representative at the state department.

As far as Count Tarnowski knows, the question whether he will be permitted to present his diplomatic credentials is as far from settled as ever. It is said that even the Austrian embassy is without advices from Vienna on the subject.

BRIDGE INSPECTORS PASS.

Six Certified by State Civil Service Commission.

Trenton, March 30.—The Civil Service Commission announced that the following candidates passed the examinations for inspector of the division of bridges and grade crossings of the Public Utilities Board:

Morton W. Mortenholt, 170 Grove street, Montclair; John A. Williams, Camden; Harry W. Maxsell, Phillipsburg; Oliver Newman, Delmar; Charles [illegible], Bridgeton, and James Sisk.

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THIS COUCH BED
Sale Price
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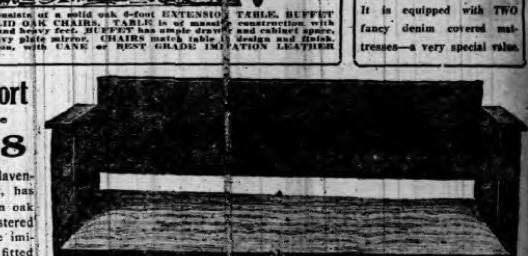

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Public Service

LAST PEACE HOPE HAS VANISHED

Administration So Views Hollweg Speech.

WAR PREPARATIONS RUSHED.

President Busy In Preparing His Address to Congress on Monday, While State Department Continues Efforts to Avert Break With Austria—War and Navy Departments Move For Closer Co-operation With Council of National Defense.

Washington, March 30.—Only the cessation of Germany's campaign against American shipping can alter the course which President Wilson and his advisers have laid down for the United States.

This is the determination of the administration following the receipt of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg's discussion of the German-American crisis before the German reichstag.

The German chancellor, while he declared that Germany has never desired and does not now desire war with the United States, made no announcement as to any change in Germany's campaign of devastation at sea. His statement that if the United States considers the submarine campaign a cause for a declaration of war Germany will not "have to bear the burden of responsibility for it" and that the German nation "shall also bear and overcome this" was accepted in Washington as voicing Germany's determination to maintain the war against American shipping in the face of the obvious preparations of the United States for impending war.

Germany to Stand Pat.

Neither the White House nor the state department would discuss the unofficial reports of the chancellor's speech. Secretary Lansing said he would await the formal official statement of the chancellor before commenting.

Before the reports were received, however, the state department chief made it clear that nothing but a complete change of the German submarine campaign could alter or amend in any way the policy which the president has determined to follow. He said no suggestion of negotiations for peace, no proposals for compromise could be considered until unrestricted submarine warfare is stopped.

Diplomatic Washington looked upon the Bethmann-Hollweg speech as Germany's last word before congress meets next week to make clear and unmistakable the position of the people of the United States.

The chancellor's speech reached Washington as the climax of a series of reports and rumors of possible peace negotiations. Various reports that Germany had made tentative offers to modify in some form her submarine campaign or had offered concrete proposals for peace for the consideration of the American government came from several sources.

May Avert Austrian Break.

These were given some credence in diplomatic circles in view of the continued authentic advices that Austria had steadfastly opposed action by the Teutonic allies that would force war with the United States. The Bethmann-Hollweg utterance, however, put an end to the peace talk, although administration officials were plainly anxious to ascertain how far Austria was prepared to back up her ally in the face of the latest preparations in the United States.

There was still some hope in official circles that the long delayed break with Austria might be averted. Ambassador Penfield at Vienna has exerted every influence to keep the relations between the two countries intact, and there has been a growing feeling in Washington that Germany's continued determination to press the submarine campaign had met with objection from Austria. The apparently final decision voiced by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, however, made the likelihood of a continuance of relations with Austria dubious.

Rushing War Plans.

Meantime preparations for war go on space. The president is at work on the preliminary draft of the address which he will deliver to congress next week. The chiefs of the war making departments, through the Council of National Defense, formed a closer organization for co-operation in preparedness along all lines. Arrangements were made for preparing a program of impermitive preparedness legislation to be submitted to congress. Both war and navy departments rushed work on their individual preparedness plans, and it was stated that by the time congress is ready to make known the fateful decision the country will be ready to move at once so far as it can move without immediate and broad financial and authorization legislation.

New steps to tighten up governmental machinery in order that work in all branches may be co-ordinated and the highest possible efficiency brought to bear in speeding national defense plans to completion were taken by the Council of National Defense when it named an interdepartmental committee composed of a representative from each of the executive departments. Through this special committee the council announced greatest success would be attained in the perfection of prepared-ness plans. Red tape will be eliminated and duplication of effort avoided.

SING SING KEEPER WINS.

Court Orders Reinstatement of Dooley With Back Pay.

Ossining, N. Y., March 30.—Martin Deeley, who was removed as principal keeper of Sing Sing by former Warden T. M. Osborne, received word through his counsel that Supreme Court Justice Keogh had ordered his reinstatement, with a year and a half back pay, $3,000. Principal Keeper Fred Dorner will be reduced to assistant.

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Natural reed, heavy roll on body; sanitary lining; steel tubing frames; heavy rubber tire steel wheels.

Mahogany Library Table
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Heavy Colonial design; 42-inch top; substantially made and finely polished.

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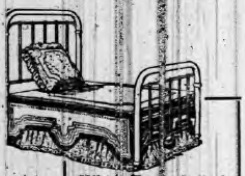

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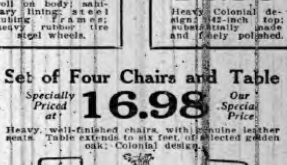
Heavy, well-finished chairs, with genuine leather seats. Table extends to six feet, of selected golden oak; Colonial design.



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Beautiful mahogany finished sewing rocker. Highly polished.

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Has drawer at side. Very durably built. Very special.

Quartered Oak Buffet
Specially Priced at
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3-Piece Adam' Parlor Suite
Specially Priced at
35.00
Mahogany finished frames; highly polished. Adam period design, solid seats; loose cushions covered in best panne plush.

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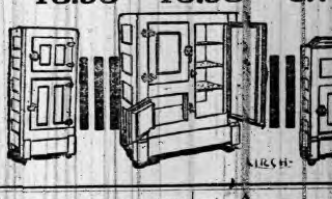

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With inside frame and mirror, silk tassel, handsomely lined with silk moire; in black and new Spring colors.

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LEGAL NOTICES

PROPOSALS FOR NEW LIFT BRIDGE

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., at 10.00 a. m., on Wednesday, April 4, 1917, for the following described work:

New Strauss Bascule Lift Bridge over Elizabeth River at South Front Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

The type of bridge to be constructed is the Strauss Trunnion Bascule Bridge, together with the foundations therefore and other work complete according to the plans.

Bids will be received on the following items:

(1) Lump sum for entire bridge including substructure and superstructure complete as per the two solid gates as specified on sheet 37 of the specifications.

(2) Price for two Strauss Chain Barriers complete installed in place of the safety gates.

Bidders will also state the unit price for additions and reductions from the specified work according to the following list:

(3) Concrete below high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(4) Concrete above high water level in place, per cubic yard.

(5) Reinforcing steel in place, per pound.

(6) Structural steel in place, per pound.

(7) Gears and shafting in place, per pound.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for $4,000.00 as evidence of good faith in the presentation of the bid. The check must be drawn to the order of the Collector of the County of Union.

The right is reserved by the Committee to reject any or all bids as may be deemed for the best interests of the County of Union.

Bidders must be prepared to satisfy the Committee and Engineer that they have the necessary means, the experience and the plant to carry out the work, should the same be awarded to them.

Bids will be received for this work on two plans differing only in the time limit for completion of work, as follows:

Plan No. 1

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2 of the specifications, the entire work must be completed within nine months of the date of the contract.

Plan No. 2

Under this bid as per sheet No. 2-A of the specifications, the bidder is permitted to set a date for the completion of the work, which must be not more than fourteen months after the date of the contract.

JACOB L. BAUER,
County Engineer.

3—13, 14, 16, 19, 21, 23, 26, 28, 29 4—2, 4

PROPOSALS FOR CONCRETE ROAD.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Committee on County Roads of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County for the improvement of Mountain Avenue, East Section in the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield in the County of Union with a Bituminous dressing surface upon a Concrete foundation:

Estimated amount of surface pavement required is 27528 square yards. Of foundation, 47628 square yards, and opened and read in public at the Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., on Monday, April 2, 1917, at 2.30 p. m.

Drawings, specifications and forms of bid, contract and bond for the proposed work prepared by Jacob L. Bauer, County Engineer, and approved by the State Commissioner of Public Roads have been filed in the office of the said engineer at 129 Broad Street, Elizabeth, N. J., and of said Commissioner at the State House, Trenton, N. J., and may be inspected by prospective bidders during business hours. Bidders will be furnished with a copy of the specifications and blue prints of the drawing by the engineer on proper notice and payment of cost of preparation. Bids must be made on the standard proposal forms in the manner designated therein and required in the specifications, must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, bearing the name and address of bidder on the outside, and addressed to Committee on County Roads, Court House, Elizabeth, N. J., and must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for not less than $1,000.00 and be delivered at the place and on the hour above named. The standard proposal form is attached to the specifications, copies of which will be furnished on application to engineer.

By order of Committee on County Roads.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

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Scientifically exterminated. Come on the completion of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Railroad, which was discontinued last winter, will be resumed next month. It is not known when trains will be in operation on the road. Rolling stock has not been obtained, and Frank B. Allen, the owner of the road, is uncertain when it will be purchased.

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HILLIS WANTS TO SEE BERLIN BUNCH HUNG

War sermons—the kind that stirred up visions of Dewey, Farragut, Grant and "Stonewall" Jackson, and sent the blood of churchgoers ringing—were delivered Sunday throughout New York. Almost all the sermons were calculated to send men to the recruiting stations.

The denunciation of Germany by the Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis at the Bronx Union Young Men's Christian Association waved so bitter at times that more than once a few pro-German hisses mingled with the cheers which greeted his remarks.

"I am willing to forgive Germans for their atrocities just as soon as they are all shot," he said. "If you would give me happiness, just give me the sight of the Kaiser, von Tirpitz and von Hindenburg hanging by a rope. If we forgive Germany after this war, I think the universe will have gone wrong.

"Specialists should be chosen for Cabinet work in Washington—men like Goethals and Roosevelt," he continued, getting down to the national crisis. "We don't want mollycoddles or pacifists to rule our destiny. We want warriors. Daniels already is as bad as Bryan, and so is Baker. The young men of the country have ceased to be spontaneous in coming to the aid of the flag. That is so because, on account of the dilly-dallying at Washington, we have lost our capacity to get angry. Things have come to such a pass that for the eagle we should substitute a tortoise, and under it inscribe the words: 'God made every creeping thing.'"

Equally stirring was the address delivered by the Rev. Malcolm J. MacLeod, at the Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas, Fifth avenue and Forty-ninth street.

"I cannot believe that if the Master were living today He would be a pacifist," he said. "I believe He would stand up and ask aid of us, His followers, to stand up, too, for the weak, the helpless and the downtrodden. I believe that a nation ought to be willing to defend its virtue and its integrity from robbery. The sacrifice of my home is too dear a price to pay for peace.

"And I would go further. I believe there are times when to be a pacifist is to be perilously near being a traitor. You cannot meditate with murderers."

ITALIAN SHIPS DO NOT GREATLY SUFFER

Special to Courier-News:

Rome, March 30.—A statement issued by the Italian Admiralty declares that during the week ending March 25, 317 vessels arrived at Italian ports while 489 vessels departed. Submarines sunk four Italian vessels under 2,000 tons and one sailing vessel. Submarines made attacks upon ten steamers that were able to avoid being blown up or captured.

MORRIS BUYS EQUIPMENT FOR COUNTY PROTECTION

Morristown, March 30.—Authority to purchase equipment for the protection of public utilities in Morris County was given by the Board of Freeholders yesterday, to the court house and jail committee. The board will take over supplies which Richard G. Foote, president of the National Iron Bank, bought with his private funds, for $7,500.

Mr. Foote was a member of a committee on which were also Judge Salmon, Prosecutor Reed, County Collector McLean and Fred R. Kellogg. The committee was to devise means of safeguarding the county in case of war. The authority given by the board was contained in a resolution permitting the sheriff to provide for the security of the county in such ways as he saw fit. Further expenditures may be made.

TO RESUME WORK ON PA. & N. J.

Bernardsville, March 30.—Work on the completion of the Pennsylvania and New Jersey Railroad, which was discontinued last winter, will be resumed next month. It is not known when trains will be in operation on the road. Rolling stock has not been obtained, and Frank B. Allen, the owner of the road, is uncertain when it will be purchased.

Courier-News want ads. bring results.

The John Wanamaker Store

Formerly A. T. Stewart & Co. — Broadway at Ninth, New York.

For the Great Easter Outfitting Day

700 Suits for Young Women

The Little Gray Salons will be brimming over with Easter delightfulness tomorrow. We have hurried in box after box of suits, carefully designed, in picked materials and all the charming Spring shades—navy blue predominating. Between $20 and $87.50 there are scores of models; specially good choosing at $21.50, $25, $29.75 and $35; smart flare suits, sensible girlish Norfolks, attractive belted and pocketed suits, copies of more expensive suits, prettily lined.

In particular, see the wool jersey suits at $21.50 in two models and many shades; the box-pleated coat suit in gabardine at $25; the Poiret twill with shirred sides giving tonneau effect to coat, at $29.75; the Poiret twill in navy blue at $98; with stitching and modified tonneau effect. Sizes 14 to 20 years. Extra salespeople on Saturday. Second floor, Old Building.

Women's Latest Easter Fashions

Coats in ten new styles at $25, two styles at $38.50, four styles at $45. Among them such smart materials as cut Bolivia, velours de laine, gunniburl, wide wale serge and burella. In sand color, gold, taupe, jade green, purple, ruby, rose, gray, black, navy blue and a check in blue and beige.

Coat dresses fresh from one of our best workrooms, serge in black and blue, every detail perfectly carried out. Three styles at $45.

Tailored suits in ten new styles at $45, including burella, French serge, gabardine, hairline men's wear serge, and SIMPLICITE the Poiret reproduction in taffeta with white satin collars and cuffs. Mostly in black and blue.

Evening dresses for the Easter holidays, in white and flesh color crepe Georgette with wide girdle bodices of pale blue or pink satin and silver fruits and foliage, priced $25.

Dresses at $12.75 of soft, good serge in black or navy blue—special quality.

Suits at $19.50, $22.50, $25 and upwards; wonderful variety of carefully planned styles of individuality.

Sports skirts for golf links and the stroll along the boardwalk are in many colored plaids and stripes at $8.75 to $18. Second floor, Old Building.

New Easter Hats, Special, $6

A special purchase and a special lot from our own workrooms. Two hundred altogether, each making its initial bow to the public—which means the latest ideas of fashion and absolute freshness. Big leghorns with velvet ribbon trimming; other models in large hats, smaller hats—something for everyone. Facings of Georgette, ribbon bindings on edges to give a softening note; various pretty trimmings—scarcely two hats alike.

Other models up to $25. A great variety.

CHILDREN'S HATS: $3.50. An especially pleasing mushroom model of dark straw with velvet ribbon trimming and flowers or fruit—the simple, good style, becoming to young people. Others from $2.50 to $8. First floor, Old Building.

Blouses and Blouses---NEW

Blouse Shop offers delightful styles for Easter. Crepe Georgette, chiffon, long or short, plain or embroidered, some enchanting ones with lace and frills. Priced $5.75 upward. Also:

Tub blouses, $2, $2.50 and $3.75—An adaptation of a French model in creamy voile with outstanding edges of real looking valenciennes on collar, square neck and surplice. $3.75; also tailored white dimity shirts at $2; white madras at $2.50, or striped marquisette at $2.50. Third floor, Old Building.

Striped crepe de chine blouses at $3.85—Smart sports shirts in mauve and white, green and amethyst, orange and blue, and many other colors; specially priced. Main Aisle, Old Building.

Silk blouses in suit colors, newly reduced to $3—400 in all sizes and dark colors, with or without peplums. Crepe de chine, satin, crepe Georgette. Main Aisle, Old Building.

Annual Sale of Corsets

$1.95 for $4 grade; $2.45 for $5 and $6 grades

Women know the Silphin corset, its serviceable materials, its thorough making, its specially good lines. The corsets in this Sale are copies of three of the best Spring Silphin styles—(1) for large women, (2) for medium-sized women, (3) for slender figures. They were made for us for this Sale by the makers of the *Silphin* corsets. Every pair is new, fresh from the workrooms, daintily laced trimmed, in white or pink coutil and batiste.

The makers laughed at us when we first approached them on the subject of the Sale. "At the same prices as last year," they said, as though we had asked them to bring us the moon. "It is at the same prices," we repeated. And spite of the scarcity of materials and higher costs, we got the corsets. We had to pay a little more; and we could get only half as many as we wanted. And we had to sacrifice some of our regular profit. BUT—the corsets are here, about 2,000 pairs, in time for Easter, and at the same prices as last year.

Saturday—Corset Salons, 3d floor and Main Aisle, Main floor, Old Bldg.

Women's Low Shoes, $5

Here's a beauty of white Sea Island duck with graceful tongue, shaped band and button, a picture of slim, graceful lines. Smartness shines from this other mode of dull calfskin with high, shaped tongue, oblong buckle, pretty perforation to give graceful side lines; moderately low heel. Then there is a dainty little beauty of patent leather, with just a mere point for tongue, that seems made for all sorts of smart affairs.

But There Are Eight Styles of Uncommonly Fine Low Shoes at $5—one of them being a wonderfully good-looking oxford with pretty perforations giving a dressy air, and a low military heel for comfortable walking. And—it is well to repeat—every shoe in our stock, because ordered months ago, is better value than we could buy now for the same price, and is in every detail up to our conscientious standards of making and serviceable wear. Main floor, Old Building.

DRUGS at Cut Prices

$1.00 bottle Wampole's Cod Liver Oil 69c
$1.40 Pinkham's Veg. Comp. 69c
25c Milk Magnesia, 6-ozs. 20c
25c Humphrey's Specifics 19c
35c Fletcher's Castoria 25c
50c Dandelion 40c
35c Limestone Phosphate 29c
20c Corolopsis Talc 15c
J. & J. Baby Powder, 15c; 2 for 25c

FREE! FREE! AUTOMOBILE CONTEST
Buy a Dollar Ticket, good for $1.00 in trade, and save the votes for your friends.
Special sale Wednesday and Saturday.

NAGLE'S PHARMACY
Corner W. Front and Grove Sts.
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Telephone your orders—516

High Grade Monuments
Of Every Description
John J. Brown
East 4th and Richmond Sts.
Phone 140.

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VARIETY MEAT MARKET CO.
31 SOMERSET STREET, CITY, Near Front Street.

LOWEST PRICES IN THE CITY FOR CASH.
A FEW SPECIALS

Jersey Fresh Hams, lb. 25c
Jersey Roast Pork, lb. 25c
Jersey Roast Veal, lb. 25c
Jersey Fowls, lb. 22c
Chickens, alive, lb. 30c
Own Make Lard, lb. 24c
Best Beef Steaks, lb. 22c
Thes' Bologna, all kinds, lb. 22c
Swift's Butterine, lb. 25c
Fresh Hens' Eggs, doz. 34c
Morris' Skin Back Hams, lb. 25c
Morris' Cadlie Hams, lb. 20c
Swift's Dixie Bacon, lb. 21c
Taylor's Pork Goodies, lb. ... 32c
Large Grape Fruit, 4 for 25c
Those All Sweet Oranges, doz. 25c
Talked of—Scheeler's Superior Sausage—S. S. S.—lb. 30c

Headquarters for Vegetable Plants—By the Dozen, Hundreds or Thousand.

ALL KINDS OF GROCERIES
Quick Deliveries. GEORGE A. SCHEELEIN, MGR. Telephone 1974

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Your portrait is distinctively, exclusively yours. Make your Easter Greeting a personal one by having a portrait of yourself or the children.
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PERFECTION OF THE REAL SELF

Synopsis of Lecture by W. N. Weston, Delivered Yesterday Afternoon

The following is a synopsis of a lecture by Walter Newell Weston of the Society of the Inner Life of New York, given at the residence of Howard A. Colby, 1405 Evergreen avenue, yesterday afternoon:

The secret convictions of every man play an important part in what happens to him. The college graduate who became a tramp was dominated by *his secret convictions*. Grant and Farragut, whose training and abilities were for a long time ignored, each had a secret conviction that he could win battles. We fail or rise by our ultimate individual judgments.

The starting point of every manifestation is an idea. The genius in art or invention gets into the deep

BREAK A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the Little Liver and Bowels and They Get Well Quick

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

MAYR'S WONDERFUL REMEDY for STOMACH trouble

ONE DOSE WILL CONVINCE

Gall Stones, Cancer and Ulcers of the Stomach and Intestines, Auto-Intoxication, Yellow Jaundice, Acute Indigestion, Appendicitis, Gastritis, *and other fatal ailments result from* Stomach Troubles. Thousands of Stomach Sufferers owe their complete recovery to Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Unlike any other for Stomach Ailments. For sale by United Cigar Stores Co., and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

through all realm where art or Invention exists as as inexhaustible idea. Man is an inlet and outlet of ideas, substance, intelligence, life. The vine does not create the fruit, but from the Source expresses the substance into visible form.

God is thinking the universe into manifestation all the time. We are individually thinking our little world into manifestation, imperfectly or perfectly, according as we identify ourselves with the ideas of Divine Mind. We are not "worms of the dust" or "poor miserable sinners," but our true state, cause or being is perfection. By false beliefs we have created a mental realm that separates in consciousness from the Divine Mind. All imperfections are expressions of belief in separation from God. Man's ideas are weak, narrow, petty, imperfect. By consciously identifying ourselves with divine ideas we think into reality the wholeness which always was. Nothing is ever really wrong but our way of thinking. The perfecting of our consciousness constitutes healing in mind, body and affairs. The Divine Self of us does not have to become perfect; it is perfection. Potentially, there is nothing God-mind cannot do, but by omitting to be loyal to it man separates himself in consciousness from it. If the individual would be still enough interiorly he would habitually identify himself with the divine idea and express perfection only. The truth of these principles is not apparent at first, but by practice their efficacy becomes evident.

Do not by disloyalty cut yourself off from the inflow of health, peace, power, prosperity or life from the divine mind. Get behind the thing desired into the thought realm where it exists as an inexhaustible idea. Identify with the Divine Idea develops superhuman powers. Think of your self as "God thinks of you—perfect. "Be ye therefore perfect even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect." Ask for guidance. Self-condemnation is the great negative. Praise of the Divine Self is the great positive. In consciousness, be with your whole mind all you do as good and eliminate from your life everything which you cannot so see. Put the joy of soul into all doing. By consciously becoming a part of the Divine mind all other parts recognize you as a fellow-worker. Raise yourself to its thought-standards. Whatsoever is of faith is not sin.

MILITARY IMPORTANCE OF JERSEY ROADS

Special to Courier-News:

Trenton, Mar. 30.—New Jersey is the only State that has made any study of the military problem with respect to its roads, in connection with the present critical international situation, according to information just obtained from Washington by State Road Commissioner Edwin A. Stevens and reported by him to Governor Edge today. A census of highway conditions in this other States in connection with preparedness measures is to be taken at once, based upon the work in this State, with Commissioner Stevens assisting the Federal Government in the work.

RAHWAY HAS DEFENSE GUARDS, NOW 62 STRONG

Rahway, March 30.—The Rahway Preparedness League has organized the Rahway Defense Guard, with sixty-two members. The guard will be directly under orders of the Mayor, chief of police and president of the Common Council, and will have the powers of policemen.

The following officers have been elected: First lieutenant, David Armstrong; second lieutenant, Stanley V. Jones; sergeants, Alonzo F. Van Pelt, John W. Salins, Harold L. Robbins, Harry T. McClintock, Clifford W. Buckley and Joseph Boland.

NO STOMACH PAIN, GAS, INDIGESTION IN FIVE MINUTES

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the best antacid and stomach regulator known.

"Really does" put upset stomachs in order—"*really does*" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness due to acid fermentation in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach antacid and regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments and turns sour, you belch gas and eructate undigested food or water; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; insides filled with indigestible waste. remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's *Diapepsin is worth its weight in gold* to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or, at night. It's the quickest, surest antacid for the stomach in the world.—Adv.

GIRLS IN SCHOOL OR AT BUSINESS

who are delicately constituted, who have thin blood or pale cheeks, will find in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

a true tonic and a rich food to overcome tiredness, nourish their nerves and feed their blood. Start with SCOTT'S to-day—and say "NO" to substitutes.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N.J. 5-22

GENERAL A. A. BRUSILOFF.

Troops Cheer Him as He Pledges Loyalty.

Photo by American Press Association.

Heralding the new spirit in the Russian army, developed in the southwestern front tell of a great demonstration accorded General Brusiloff on his taking the oath with his troops of loyalty to the new provisional government. He was cheered and carried about on the shoulders of his men.

PIONEERS OF PLAINFIELD

(Continued from page 1)

their matrimonial affiliations were not always recorded. Few of his heirs united with Quakers, who uniformly made mention in their Meeting Minutes of marriages, births and deaths.

Of the seven children of William and Mary Blackford Laing we begin with the second son, John:

John Laing (of William and Mary) was born 1705; married Hannah Webster, and had Samuel, John, Jr., Elizabeth and Joseph Laing, who married Anna Smith and had a descendant, Smith Laing, born November 18, 1793; Hannah, b. February 23, 1815, Abby Shotwell, born January 25, 1795 (of Richard and Mary). Their eight children were:

1815—Sarah Barla, married David Harkness, Riley Harris and Abram Grant.

1823—Hannah, m. 1845 Stephen Zeus.

1825—Joseph S., m. 1852 James M. Alsop.

1834—Benj. S., m. 1855 Mary Jane Cone.

1836—Webster A., m. 1856 Almira A. Haviland; Amy, b. 1817, m. 1824 John Jay Doty; Phebe, b. 1819, m. 1841 Sam Lyeds; Mary, b. 1828, died young.

Samuel Laing (of William and Mary) was born 1706; married, 1738, February 24, Elizabeth Smith had John.

GEORGE LAING (of William and Mary) was born in 1709; married, 1730, Hannah Drake, and had a numerous offspring. He died at advanced age, and she followed soon after. Their three granddaughters were Hannah, Mary and Elizabeth, and a son Simeon. Elizabeth Laing married in 1798 Samuel Estil, parents of William, the father of H. M. Estil and Sarah Ann, who married David F. Gardner, father of William E. Gardner. Simeon Laing, son of George, married Hulda Laing, daughter of Captain Benjamin Laing and had Huldah, born 1802, married 1826 Daniel P. Randolph. She died 1843. Her sister Gertrude, who married Abram Laing, was the mother of the late William Benjamin Tunis Laing, whose daughter Caroline became the wife of Percy C. Von Ohl.

BENJAMIN LAING (of William and Mary) was born 1710; married May 19, 1746, Mary Blackford. Among their descendants was Benjamin Laing, born January 26, 1745; died January 6, 1819. He married twice, Mary Jenkins and Mrs. Zeruah Fitz Randolph Manning. By the first marriage there were born eleven children. He was known as Captain Ben. Laing, and was a member of the First Baptist Church, Plainfield, in 1818.

The family of Captain Benjamin and Mary Laing consisted of one son, John, who married Rhoda Lyon. There were seven daughters, Sarah, born 1764, married Theophilar Pierson; Mary married Elijah Stites; Rachel, married John Shotwell; Nancy, married Cornelius Thomas; Margaret, married John Blackford and Ezekiel F. Randolph; Huldah, married Simeon Laing; Gertrude, born 1786, married Abram Laing. There were four other children, all dying young.

Born 1796—Benj. S. Laing, died 1877, May 19, married Elizabeth Sopher, born 1797, died 1848, May 21; their issue was: William V. L., married Harriet Frazee; issue, Ira Laing, Anna, John, Sarah, married Wm. Dutcher, Benj. Laing; Harriet L., married Mat. Frazee; Eliza, married Furman Dayton; issue Elizabeth, married Harvey Crane; John Dayton married Jennie.

Born 1827-8—Benj. L. Sopher, married Eleanor C. Beice; issue Anna, Laura, Harriet, Mary Eliza married Charles Terrell; Mary L., married Stephen Bloomfield, no children; John Henry married Emaline Miller, had Wallace, married Elizabeth McCandlass, Jennie, married Thomas Haviland; Rhoda, married Benj. Hand and Eph. Drake, had Mary E., Laura, Benj. Hand, married Ella Boice; Ellen, married Andrew J. Stewart, issue, Eugene, Annie, William, Judson, Charles and Mary E. Stewart; Henrietta, married Henry Bittle, issue, Osro, married Minnie Boice, Nellis Bittle.

Born 1834—Isaac Soger, married Emaline Case, issue Ella Rachel, married Henry Gallaudet, and had issue, P. Wallace Gallaudet, Ralph Laing Gallaudet, Alice C. Gallaudet, Ada B. Gallaudet; Bertha C., married Wm. H. Hildebrant, and had issue, Walter L. Hildebrant, Harold W. Hildebrant, Mildred Laing Hildebrant, John Wesley Hildebrant; Susie C., married Wm. R. Littell, Isaac Judson, Hobart Laing Littell.

JOHN LAING (of Capt. Benjamin) Born 1767, married Rhoda Lyon, had William; Daniel; Sarah, married Timothy Ross (of Samuel and Huldah); Harriet, m. Isaac Sopher, Benjamin S. Laing, born 1796 married Elizabeth Sopher and had ten children.

Probably the most public distinction of these was reached by Mary Laing, born September 22, 1795, who married Elijah Stites, born 1790, died 1811. Their children were: Benj. Laing Stites, Theophilus Stites, Sally Stites, Polly, who was born 1793, married Henry Smith; Lockey Stites married Hall Holton; Katy Ann Stites married Jesse Dayton, Gertrude Stites married Ephraim Holton.

Tradition prevails that in 1790 Mary Laing, the daughter of John Laing, first, and great aunt of Benjamin Laing, died in Aberdeen, Scotland, leaving a very large estate. Mrs. Von Ohl claims that "Captain" Laing never made any serious effort to establish his claim to a share of the property left by his great aunt, "because he was a man of wealth himself, and also because a trip to England was a big undertaking in those days." She says that in 1832 a man named Preston came from England or Scotland to look up the American heirs of "Captain" Laing, and that Preston was in communication with certain heirs of the "Captain," particularly Elijah Stites and William Sickles, who were made aware of an advertisement printed in the Scotland newspapers, which read as follows:

"Cause No. 93,617, the family—Elizabeth, Hester and Mary Laing, the three sisters of William Laing, Southampton, Gasport County; Gentlemen—Wanted for something to their advantage."

As a result of Preston's visit and the Scotland newspaper advertisement the petitioner says that a number of "Captain" Laing's American heirs contributed to a fund to investigate the question of their rights in the money held by the Scotland Court of Chancery, and that in the early seventies three representatives of the family went abroad to investigate the status of the case, but for some reason or other the matter was not prosecuted. As a direct descendant of "Captain" Laing, Mrs. Von Ohl finally became interested in the fortune alleged to be tied up in the Scotland courts, and engaged a Newark lawyer to initiate an action to obtain her portion of the estate. She recites that owing to the long time that has elapsed since the death of "Captain" Laing, and also because of the many points of practice in the Scotch courts for estates of such long standing, it will probably be several years before the case in which she will be the plaintiff and the estate of Laing, Court of Claims and Chancery, Edinburgh, Scotland, will be the defendant, can be begun as a stated suit.

This Polly Stites and Henry Smith were married in 1812. This Henry Smith, born 1790, was son of Simeon Smith, born 1762, married, 1782, Elizabeth Corbeal.

Eliza L. Smith, married John Palmer Cox; Catharine Fitz Randolph Smith married David H. Tichenor; Jeremiah M. Smith married Sarah Newman; Augusette N. Smith married Samuel Bowers; Margaret R. Smith married Daniel King; Rachel D. Smith married James I. King, and Laurastina Corbeal Smith, unmarried.

Toilet Paper 6 rolls for **25c**	Grand Ma's Borax Soap Powder large pkg. **10c**	**E. & W. SCHLOSS** WE GIVE S. & H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS	Raisin Bread fresh daily a loaf **10c**	Imported Holland Herring 5c each; 6 for **25c**

Finest Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple; Waikiki Brand, 2½-lb. tin; a can	**22c**
Finest Lemon Cling California Peaches; San Bernardo Brand; 2½-lb. tin; a can	**22c**
Extra Large Bottle Vanilla Substitute Extract; 8-oz. bottle; very special	**25c**
N. Y. State Apples or Rhubarb; No. 3 cans; 2 cans	**25c**
Finest Domestic Sardines in Oil; 7c can; 4 cans	**25c**
Choice Santa Clara Prunes or Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs.	**25c**
Quaker Oat Company Puffed Wheat; a package	**12c**
Van Houten's Rona Cocoa; 25c size tin	**21c**
Fancy Crepe Toilet Paper—Large rolls, 4 rolls	**25c**
Electro-Silicon or Wright's Silver Cream; 25c size; jar	**18c**
Marshall's Domestic Beef Extract—2-oz. jar, very special	**21c**
Dromedary Dates—Fresh shipment; a pkg.	**12c**
Dr. Johnson's Educator Crackers; in bulk; a lb.	**18c**
Molasses Kisses, very tempting—2 lbs.	**25c**
Fancy Preserved Raspberries—No. 2 can	**15c**
Leslie Dunham's Maple Syrup—½-gal. tin, 60c; gallon tin	**$1.15**
Empress Brand California Asparagus large cans; a can	**20c**
Finest N. Y. State Corn; E. & W. Brand; 2 cans	**25c**
Just Received—Young New Beet Tops; No. 2 cans; 2 cans	**25c**
MacLaren's Nippy Cheese; very snappy; each	**10c**
Extra Fancy Sugar Beets in glass jars; a jar	**25c**
Leggett's Premier Brand Baked Beans—No. 2 can, 15c can; 2 cans	**28c**
Export Borax Soap—6 cakes for	**25c**
Pure Cocoa in quart glass jars; 1-lb. each; a jar	**25c**
Finest Golden Santos Coffee—20c lb.; 5 lbs.	**95c**
Choice Herring Roe—large cans	**18c**
Rolled Oats, *fresh and sweet*—6 lbs. for	**28c**
New Coarse or Fine Pearl Barley—a lb.	**8c**
Fancy California Baby Lima Beans—a lb.	**15c**
California Tuna Fish—Small can, 18c; large can	**28c**
Fancy Columbia River Salmon—½-lb. flat can, 14c; 1-lb. flat can	**23c**
Fresh Beef Fat or Suet; better than Lard; a lb.	**12c**

An Old Store with the Vigor of Youth

Marshall & Ball Men's News

Wear the American Colors on Your Lapel Free for the Asking

Vol. 2, No. 30 NEWARK, N. J., MARCH 30, 1917 Priceless

Editorial

Easter Day, of all the days in the year, calls for new apparel.

It is fine to come out in new raiment, to freshen up and to beautify in keeping with the spirit of the day and the season.

While it is not a duty, it is still a most becoming thing to do—and thousands cheerfully acquiesce in the custom.

Men and boys who go to church and Sunday school, and most of them do, are glad to have new clothes for the Easter season.

And there is no store in town with stocks of clothing more pleasing than the splendid stocks we present.

Therefore, step in any day and let us show you how well we can meet your desires.

Men's Easter Suits and Topcoats

Men are praising our presentation of Springtime Suits and Topcoats.

They like the models we show, the fabrics employed in the making and the fine tailoring.

This was to be expected when we devoted so much care to the assembling of stocks this season.

The great danger of getting unworthy fabrics in clothing under present conditions made it necessary for us to be extra vigilant.

The clothes we offer you may be depended upon to be worthy in every particular.

Our prices are surprisingly moderate.

Suits $12 Up. Topcoats $12 Up.

Children's Wash Suits; ever so many beautiful styles and colors, made as only M. & B. Clothes are made. Mothers of little fellows will be delighted with them; 2½ to 9 year sizes; prices $1 to $8.50 the Suit.

Are Your Boys Ready for Easter?

We have made Boys' Clothing more or less a hobby for years and our business has grown so that we now devote the whole second floor of this store to Boys' Outfittings.

People come from far and wide to buy Boys' Clothing here. Parents have found that we provide Clothing full of character and quality, that we don't handle anything trashy and that many of our Suits, Topcoats, Hats and the like are exclusive and different.

They find, too, that our prices are always modest—never excessive.

Two Knicker Suits for good size chaps of 7 to 18 years; fabrics of highest grade; superbly tailored, cut in the best of the 1917 models; a most satisfying variety to choose from—

Fancy Cheviots, Homespuns, Worsteds, Tweeds and Cassimeres;

Most of them exclusive with us. Suits that will measure up to your every requirement; modestly priced at—

$6.50 to $16.50

Boys' Confirmation or Graduation Suits of handsome Blue Serges; finely tailored, dressy as can be; here in all wanted sizes, at

$5.95 to $16.50

Juvenile Suits of Fancy Cheviots, Blue Serges and Handsome Shepherd Checks; 2½ to 9 year sizes; very reasonably priced at

$5 to $10

Little Fellows' Topcoats; 2½ to 10 year sizes; fancy Mixtures, Blue Serges, Covert Cloths, Shepherd Checks, etc., including the much talked about Trench Model Coat.

Prices $5 to $10

Larger Boys' Topcoats; 10 to 18 year sizes; the smart Trench and Full Back Models, as well as the more conservative styles; made of handsome, wearable fabrics; rightly priced at

$10 to $25

BOYS' HEADWEAR

Nifty Little Hats and Caps in a variety that includes many new things, and from which any boy can pick something he will be delighted with.

Boys' Hats, $1 to $1.50. Boys' Caps, 50c, $1, $1.50.

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All-year jobs at good pay. Sick and death benefits paid.

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HOTEL MARTINIQUE
BROADWAY AT 32D STREET
GUS EDWARDS
Presents a New "REVUE OF REFINEMENT"
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POISON BANDAGE YARN IS DENIED

New Jersey Victim of Another War News "Fake."

RED CROSS REPUDIATES IT.

Like Story of Newark Pupils Refusing to Sing "Star Spangled Banner," Newest Canard Rests on Vague Rumors With Slim if Any Foundation. Denied in Oranges, Montclair and by Alleged Author.

Newark, March 30.—For the second time within a month New Jersey is suffering from a war "fake" affecting the patriotism of the state. The newest one was killed, however, much sooner than the one that pupils in a Newark school refused to sing the "Star Spangled Banner."

Prompt denial from the office of the American Red Cross in New York followed closely the publication of statements purporting to have been made at a meeting in Philadelphia by Albert W. Staub, director of the Red Cross, in which he was quoted as having said that bandages prepared in a New Jersey town had been found to have been treated with poisonous chemicals and ground glass.

Philadelphia informants got in touch with Mr. Staub and learned the account of the speech was much exaggerated.

Investigation of rumors that the incident occurred in Orange brought out the fact that some persons there have hearsay but no actual knowledge of the case. Mrs. Herbert Barry, chairman of the Orange branch of the American Red Cross, said she had heard the story, but understood the incident had occurred in New York.

Montclair residents had also heard the story. The version circulated there was that the small town referred to was not in New Jersey, but Illinois.

Officially Mr. Staub was quoted as having said, "Bandages prepared at Red Cross headquarters in a New Jersey town had been soaked in poisonous chemicals and then dried, so that when they were put to use they would kill the man on whom they were used."

"More than this," the original account went on to say, "some of the dressings had been filled with ground glass so that when they were used on open wounds they would cut and cause suppurating sores that would increase the sufferings of the patients." Mr. Staub was quoted as having said further that investigation had followed the discovery and that the department of justice had been informed of the case and "is about to institute prosecutions."

SHELL PLANT BLAST FATAL.

Four of Nine Employees Burned at Bridgeport Will Die.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 30.—Mystery and secrecy shroud an explosion at the Housatonic avenue branch of the Bridgeport Brass company, in which nine men were injured, four of them fatally. At the hospital to which the injured men were taken the authorities refused to give any information as to the condition of the victims.

The company makes bronze rifle bullets and shells. William R. Webster, vice president of the company, asked if it was suspected that the explosion was the result of a plot, replied that the cause was not known. He said he did not think any strangers had been seen about the plant; that, however, would be investigated.

ORDUNA ARRIVES SAFE.

Big Cunarder Was Three Days Overdue From England.

New York, March 30.—The Cunard liner Orduna arrived here today, relieving fears which had been entertained for her due to the fact that she was three days overdue. What had added to the apprehension was the report from London that inquiries had been made in the house of commons regarding a Cunard liner reported lost. All of the Cunarders were accounted for except the Orduna.

The Orduna brought about 130 passengers.

Road Patrol For Warren.

Belvidere, March 30.—Recommendation that the patrol system of keeping roads in repair be started in Warren county has been made to the board of freeholders by Joseph M. Rosenberry of the county courts. The board took the subject under advisement, and the indications are that it will probably be adopted.

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BRAND WHITLOCK.

United States Envoy Escapes "News Quarantine" In Belgium.

Photo by American Press Association.

Minister Whitlock, who has been relieved by the state department, will not be interfered with or annoyed in any way by Germany when he wishes to quit Brussels to go to the temporary diplomatic capital at Havre. Other Americans in Belgium, by agreement, will be quarantined for two weeks to prevent them bringing out military information of value.

GERMANY BLAMES AMERICA FOR BREAK

Bid For Peace With Russia Seen In Hollweg's Speech.

Berlin, March 30.—If war comes between the United States and Germany the blame will not be Germany's.

This was the burden of a statement made in the reichstag by the imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, in the course of a lengthy speech on the international situation dealing chiefly with Germany's relations with the United States and with Russia.

There was nothing conciliatory in his remarks regarding America, nothing which in any way could be interpreted as the remotest "feeler" for modification, arbitration or mediation.

He asserted that Germany never did nor does now desire war with America and that she never had nor has now the "slightest intention to attack the United States."

He reiterated that unrestricted U-boat warfare was forced upon Germany by the British blockade. He pointed out using the English words, that President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing themselves had called the British blockade "illegal and indefensible." Germany, he said, waited eight months for the United States to make England observe the laws of humanity and international agreements.

"Then," he continued, "we took unrestricted submarine warfare into our own hands. Then we had to do so for our own defense."

With regard to Russia the chancellor told the reichstag that Germany does not propose to lend her assistance to any movement that might exist to bring czardom back to power.

This is interpreted as a feeler for peace with Russia.

BARS PACIFIST PARADE.

Washington Police Chief Also Refuses Loyalty March Permit.

Washington, March 30.—Major Raymond W. Pullman, superintendent of the Washington police force, has refused permits either for the pacifist or the loyalty parades projected for the opening day of congress. Thereupon the would be paraders consoled themselves with the mutual assurance that if one side did not get a chance to demonstrate the other was also denied the *privilege of making sentiment* through marching maybe something cheering.

The loyalty parade promoters at once relinquished all idea of a demonstration, but the pacifists announced that although they could not formally march to the capitol to express their opposition to America entering the war, they at least could go thither in little groups of tens and dozens, not marching, but calmly walking.

The Week of March 31, 1917, To April 7th, 1917, Is National "Dress Up Week"

It is a nation-wide effort by stores everywhere to present to the public in the most attractive way possible their preparedness for the great last week of selling before Easter.

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Sen. Saulsbury Would Thus Have U. S. Enter War.

Washington, March 30.—Senator Saulsbury of Delaware, president pro tempore of the senate, has come out strongly in favor of a vigorous prosecution of the war with Germany as soon as congress should declare a state of war to exist.

Mr. Saulsbury thought that for some months the United States could play only an economic part in the struggle. But this part should be played, in his opinion, to the utmost, while every effort in other directions was bent to equipping an American army for service in the fields of Europe. He suggested that a good form for this aid would be for the United States to take over the burden of feeding, clothing and maintaining 1,000,000 French soldiers.

"This country should declare that the treaties existing between the United States and Germany have been abrogated by the repeated gross violations of these treaties, as evidenced by the sinking of American ships and the taking of American lives, as well as by the refusal to permit the commerce of this country safely to use the high seas in the express way provided in the treaties of 1785 and 1799 and reaffirmed by the treaty of 1828 and all of which have been recognized by both countries, and notably by our own supreme court, as existent and in force," he said.

SEES EIGHT CENT MILK.

Commissioner Dillon Urges Support of Towner-Smith Bill.

New York, March 30.—John J. Dillon, commissioner of the state department of foods and markets, has issued a circular in which he appealed to the public for support of the Towner-Smith bill, now before the legislature, on the ground that its passage would mean milk for city consumers at 8 and 9 cents a quart. The circular said in part:

Farmers are getting about 4½ cents a quart for milk. Consumers pay 11 cents a quart to the dealers. The cost of delivery is 6½ cents a quart. The dealers have recently threatened to increase again the cost to the consumers unless the farmers consent to sell milk for less than the cost of production.

To sell milk at 8 cents a quart we must have a pasteurizing and bottling plant in the city. If the Towner-Smith bill becomes a law the department of foods and markets will establish a plant at once and deliver milk to your door at 8 cents a quart.

GOETHALS ACCEPTS PLACE.

Canal Builder to Take Charge of New Jersey Highways.

Trenton, N. J., March 30.—Major General George W. Goethals has accepted the newly created post of state engineer of New Jersey. His appointment was confirmed by the senate.

This set at rest all rumors as to the likelihood of General Goethals either entering President Wilson's cabinet or returning to Panama to take charge of the fortifications about the canal.

New Jersey is about to expend $15,000,000 on a new highway system, whose construction will be directly under General Goethals' supervision. The possibility of additional tunnels beneath the Hudson river are being seriously considered, and this work also will come under the supervision of the canal builder.

MAYORS ARE SIX TO ONE FOR UNIVERSAL TRAINING

New York, March 30.—In ratio of six to one, Mayors of cities throughout the United States record themselves in favor of universal military training. Ten cities in New Jersey reported in favor of the enactment of a universal training law, five were non-committal and one, Salem, was opposed, its position being based on the scruples of Quakers, who are in the majority.

These facts have been made public by the National Security League which recently canvassed the Mayors of 5,000 cities. Three hundred and seventy-eight replies were received; 200 were unreservedly in favor of the proposed law, thirty-four were opposed and 144 either were indifferent or reported a divided opinion.

In every part of the country the trend of opinion was found to be in favor of the project. New York is one of the States where no replies were unfavorable. Nebraska has the distinction of being the only State from which no favorable replies were received.

SINGS, WIFE WINS DIVORCE

Jersey City, March 30.—Chancellor Walker has granted an absolute divorce on the ground of desertion to Mrs. Alice Albes, of 60 Second street, Weehawken, former secretary to the late Elbert Hubbard, from Charles F. Albes, a New York cotton broker. Mrs. Albes testified before Special Master William Barricklo that her husband's belief that he was a second Caruso caused seven separations, including the final parting April 6, 1911. She stated that Albes neglected his business to take singing lessons.

ANARCHIST PLAYS BOMB JOKE ON CUBAN REBELS.

New York, March 30.—Why the rebels failed to destroy the city waterworks when they evacuated Santiago was explained in advices received at Cuban government offices here. The rebels, it was told, had engaged an anarchist to make bombs at so much a bomb. He made 1,000 words.

But when the bombs were lighted they proved to be defective in one particular. There was no explosive in them. When the rebels sought the manufacturer of the stage bombs he had fled.

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SOMERVILLE NOTES

COMPANY M GOES TO TRENTON

Company M, Second Regiment, left this morning at 10:00 o'clock for Trenton, where the men will be mustered in for duty by Federal officers. The intention, as announced, is that the local guardsmen will return to the armory here tonight after being mustered in at Trenton.

However, this plan may be changed after the Company gets to Trenton.

The guardsmen assembled yesterday morning and have been ready to leave ever since.

Last night they slept in the Armory. At 10:30 o'clock last night the guardsmen retired.

All their meals since yesterday morning were taken at the Owl Restaurant. Much new equipment has been received at the Armory.

Death of Former Resident

Mrs. Charlotte A. Major, aged 85 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. G. Brewer, in New Haven, Wednesday afternoon.

The deceased was a former resident of this place and the widow of the late James P. Major. She leaves three sons, William W., James P. and Harvey Major and two daughters, Mrs. T. I. Honeyman and Mrs. Brewer.

The funeral will take place at the residence of T. I. Honeyman, on Cliff street, at 2:30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon. Friends are invited to be present. The interment will be in the new cemetery.

Funeral of Mrs. Hardgrove

The funeral of Mrs. Bessie A. Hardgrove will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence. Interment will be in the new cemetery. Rev. M. D. Church will officiate.

The deceased, who was the wife of Councilman William F. Hardgrove, passed away early yesterday morning.

Joseph Lambruskin, of Division street, left for Pottsville, Pa., this afternoon, where he will attend the funeral of a sister, who died Thursday. The funeral will be held tomorrow.

The Home Defense Committee will hold a special meeting tonight as will the special marshalls.

The Y. W. H. A. held its March meeting last night in the Y. M. H. A. rooms.

Rev. Dr. William S. Cranmer is expected back from Florida today.

WHITEHOUSE

Mrs. Matilda Lake's Funeral Tomorrow

The funeral of Mrs. Matilda Lake, eighty-one years old, widow of Nelson Lake, will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at her home at Whitehouse Station. Rev. B. V. D. Wyckoff, pastor of the Reformed church at Readington, will officiate, and burial will be in the cemetery of the Methodist church at Lebanon.

Mrs. Lake died very suddenly Wednesday of heart disease. She had been in poor health for some time. She was born at Bissell and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Asa Tiger. She had always lived in that section until about fifteen years ago, when she came here to live with her daughter. She leaves the following children: Mrs. J. Runkle Alpaugh, of Whitehouse Station; Mrs. Silas Elek, of Annandale; Mrs. S. J. Hoffman, of Gladstone, and Asa W. Lake, of Shelbina, Mo., also a sister, Mrs. Selinda Reed, of New Germantown, and a brother, Nathan L. Tiger, of Morrisville, Pa.

A parent-teacher meeting has been arranged to be held at the Dreahook public school April 12, when addresses will be made by County Superintendent of Schools Jason S. Hoffman, Miss Jennie M. Haver, the supervising teacher, and Miss Mary Powers, the visiting nurse.

About twenty-five friends of Mrs. Christian Moenting rendered her a surprise party Wednesday night at her home in East Whitehouse in honor of her birthday. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Joseph Lewis.

Miss Mary Fowers, of Plainfield, visiting nurse of the public schools of Readington township, has requested that the scholars of the schools be supplied with individual wash basins, towels and soap.

At a meeting of Whitehouse Grange, No. 158, P. of H., in Grange Hall tomorrow night the question "To what extent does the prosperity of a community depend upon its soil?" will be discussed.

Mrs. Mary J. McPherson, who recently disposed of her household goods at auction, will make her home with her brother, George Dilley, and family at Whitehouse Station.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stryker and daughter, Miss Marjorie Stryker, of Whitehouse Station, will visit Mr. and Mrs. Raymond C. Stryker in South Bound Brook over Sunday.

Mrs. William W. Shampanore, of Whitehouse Station is suffering from a sore left thumb, which was penetrated by the needle of a sewing machine she was operating.

For the benefit of the fund to purchase a Victrola a sociable and dance was held in Bonnell's Hall last night at Whitehouse Station by the public school there.

Walter Murphy, who has been ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Murphy, at New Germantown, has recovered and returned to Plainfield.

There will be no services in the East Whitehouse Methodist church Sunday, as the pastor is in attendance at the Newark Conference.

Scott Van Derbeck will entertain the Mission Band of the Lutheran church at his residence at New Germantown tomorrow afternoon.

Young people will be entertained at a dance in Bonnell's Hall at Whitehouse Station this evening by the Cushetunk Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moke will move tomorrow to the former Peter C. Lane house at New Germantown.

Evan James, of Phillipsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Manning L. McCrea at New Germantown.

Miss Hilda Rusby, of Raritan, is the guest of Miss Leila Alpaugh at New Germantown.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

Bus and Motorcycle Collide

Harry Randolph and John Rudolph luckily escaped injury several days ago when one of the large electric busses owned by the Spicer Manufacturing Company collided with the front wheel of Randolph's motorcycle on Maple avenue. A large rut in the road carried the big truck directly into the path of the motorcycle. When Randolph and Rudolph saw that the motor cycle was about to fall by the tracks they jumped to the ground. The front wheel, forks and handle bars of the motorcycle were completely demolished. Mr. Randolph has taken up the matter of settlement with the Spicer Company.

The following list of unclaimed letters has been made known at the local post office by Postmaster John B. Geary. Tide Water Pipe Company Cosef Ladwick, Anna Fedak, Mrs. F. H. Mead, Miss F. Weeks, Charles Mikwak, Paolo Grazinso, J. H. Wanning, A. Pasan, G. M. Chandele, Thomas P. Boyle, Fred Clark and Mr. M. Cose.

Rev. J. Kennedy, of the Augustinian Order, who is delivering a series of sermons in the Sacred Heart Church, preached on "The Sinner's Grave Danger," last night. After the sermon Father Baldwin offered Benediction.

The Polish Fidelity and Harmony Society, of this place, will conduct the third grand ball in Washington Hall on Saturday evening, May 5. Tickets for the affair will be out in a few days.

John Kisko, who recently resigned his position with the Spicer Manufacturing Company, has taken a position with the International Motor Car Company in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Saverd, of Lakeview avenue, have been entertaining Mrs. Saverd's sister, Mrs. Howard McDonough, of Plainfield.

Regular weekly instructions for the Sunday school pupils of the Sacred Heart Church will be held tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Daniel Sofield has resumed his duties in John B. Gerry's general store after being confined at home several days with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harris, of Brookside avenue, entertained Mrs. L. Harris and son Ralph of New Market, yesterday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Sunorgoi of the Baptist Church was conducted last evening at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harig, of New York, have moved into the home recently vacated by Mrs. John Hull and family.

Mrs. William Shandy and children have returned home from a few days' visit with friends in Jersey City.

James Herrity, of Easton, Pa., has returned from a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. Wahlgren.

Nicholas La Costa, of Plainfield, recently spent a day with relatives in New York city.

Steve Hobart and Al Apgar have returned from a visit with friends in Perth Amboy.

NORTH BRANCH

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Three Bridges Reformed church has reorganized with these officers: President, Mrs. Frank Van Syckle; vice-president, Mrs. Benjamin Cole; secretary, Mrs. Charles E. Conet; treasurer, Mrs. Peter Dilts.

An entertainment was given Wednesday night in the chapel of the Reformed church here by the Camp Fire Girls.

Miss Fanuie Harrington, of New York, is a guest of Mrs. Henry Brian.

Miss Minnie Bradley, of South Branch, is in Brooklyn.

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MAY ORGANIZE P.-T ASSOCIATION

There is a probability that a Parent-Teacher Association of the Fanwood township schools will be organized in a similar way that such organizations have been formed in neighboring towns and with the same intent, namely, that of giving parents an opportunity to converse with teachers concering their children's work in school.

After such an association is organized here it is also probable that a manual training course will be taught in school No. 1 for the boys, while the girls will be given the opportunity to take up sewing and cooking. All this upon consideration, seems to be a wise plan as it will prepare local students to some exient for their future work at high schools to which they may be sent. All neighboring high schools now have a home arts course and a manual training course for girls and boys respectively. These courses are greatly instructive and often directly prepare a student for his or her future life.

Lenten services were observed at All Saints' P. E. church last Tuesday evening, when the Rev. James Smith, of St. Paul's church, of Westfield, took charge of the services.

A bi-weekly meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Archibald Wheeler, of North avenue.

A monthly meeting of the Borough Council will be held next Wednesday evening in Fanwood Hall at 8:15 o'clock.

Samuel W. McAneny, of North avenue, is recovering after an operation performed in Muhlenberg Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gardner left their Martine avenue home yesterday to live on Elm street in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Meeker, of Martine avenue, have returned to their home after a trip to Atlantic City.

NEW MARKET

The funeral of Anderson McKnight, who died suddenly in the township on Sunday, was held on Tuesday at the home of his son, Wm. McKnight at Jersey City. Interment took place in Bay View cemetery. The deceased died on Sunday last while taking a walk, he was 75 years of age.

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. has taken the initiative step to organize a Home Defense League. Judge Rene P. F. von Minden, the chairman has called the next meeting on Wednesday evening, April 4.

The county engineers are to make a survey soon for the proposed new bridge over the Bound brook on Main street.

The annual meeting of the Seventh Day Baptist Church will be held on Sunday afternoon, April 1.

The Saturday Evening Whist Club will hold its next social affair on Friday evening, April 20.

Walter Penrose is assisting at the Lehigh Valley Railroad station.

CALIFON

William Mead will move Saturday from the Lindabury house in Main street to the Neighbor house in Mill street, Califon.

The rank of Knight was conferred Tuesday night on four candidates by Fidelity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of Califon.

Eliphet Beam moved yesterday from the Dufford farm at Lower Valley to the Swackhamer farm at German Valley.

DUNELLEN

FIRE DESTROYS BOROUGH RESIDENCE

The Kean House on Prospect avenue, was destroyed by fire about five o'clock this morning. The place was occupied by Walter Williams and the fire started in the kitchen through the explosion of a kerosene oil lamp. The Defender Fire Company was quick to respond to the alarm, but the blaze had gotten under such a headway when the firemen arrived that it was impossible to save the building. The firemen were also badly handicap by the lack of water pressure.

The Williams family, who had recently moved to this borough from the South, lost all their personal property. The house, which was owned by Mrs. Barbara Kean, of Dewey Park, was insured for $2,500.

Board of Trade Changes Meeting Nights

The Board of Trade has changed its meeting nights to the third Friday nights in each month, instead of the third Monday as heretofore. The proposition of merging this organization with the Business Men's Association has been abandoned as it is believed by many members that both organizations serve a different purpose in the borough.

Mrs. A. J. Hagles, who has been appointed a delegate to the National convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution, is planning to attend the session at Washington, D. C., next month.

The property comprising the estate of the late Nazeth Gyre located on Washington avenue, will be offered for sale on Tuesday, April 10, at ten o'clock a. m.

Mrs. William Doherty of South Bethlehem, Pa., has been the guest this week of Mrs. John Cope, of Prospect avenue.

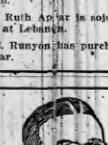
The Defender Fire Company held its monthly meeting at fire headquarters last evening transacting routine business.

F. R. Wynkoop, who is sojourning in Cuba, has been remembering his friends here with souvenirs.

John Heberman and family have moved from North Plainfield to this borough.

Miss Ruth Apgar is sojourning this spring at Lebanon.

R. E. Runyon has purchased a new Ford car.



Care of the Teeth

cannot be too strongly impressed upon the children. The done there need be no fear less the teeth be neglected in later life.

The Government recognizes the importance of one's having good teeth, and pays particular attention to the teeth of those who would enlist in the army or navy. A would-be recruit is not accepted unless he has at least twenty good teeth in his mouth. The importance of visiting a dentist at least twice a year should not be neglected.

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WESTFIELD

BUSINESS MEN ON THE RANGE

Westfield's business men like most all of Westfield's good citizens are showing the calibre of their patriotism and desire to be prepared in their interest in learning to shoot. This section of the Westfield Rifle Club inaugurated by the activities of the Westfield Branch of the National Security League was organized last week and had their first tryout with the Springfields at the indoor range on Wednesday morning and afternoon of last week.

The result of the shooting as shown by the targets was mighty good evidence of the need of the practice. On Wednesday of this week fifty per cent of the men were on the job and the twenty-five members present went through the practice in splendid shape, showing wonderful improvement on the work of last week, evidencing a keen interest in the proper way to handle a rifle and to shoot well.

Every man present was kept busy either at loading, cleaning, scoring or shooting. The range officers had their hands full teaching and altogether it was a very busy day.

Health Inspector Barney developed into a good shot as also did Dr. Savoye and Dr. Laird—that augurs well for our Health Board. Now is the time for the rest of our good medicos to get in the running. Ed. Randolph found he could do better shooting with the battle sight than with the peep sight.

The bank men were very much in evidence, too, coming out in good numbers and doing pretty well in the shooting. The grocers, butchers, haberdashers, statioiners, druggists, dentists and other trades were represented, but there is room for more of them.

There was considerable trouble with the guns but that was not the fault of the men and it is expected that will be remedied very soon. The old ones, by reason of the great number of times the guns have been fired have become worn and do not always discharge the cartridge.

Dr. Savoye was of great assistance to the range officers in charge, helping them show the rookies how to do it and his frequent presence no doubt was an encouragement to them.

Many Changing Their Residences

From the present outlook a number of the citizens of this town will change their place of residence between the first of April and the first of May.

Among those who have already made arrangements to change their residence are: Frederick C. Tipson, who will move from 733 Summit avenue to 737 Boulevard; L. A. Weaver, who will move from Fairview avenue to Long Island; A. L. Watts, who will move from 619 Elm street to Mountainside; D. C. Arnold, who will move from Carlton road to Stonelelgh Park; J. C. Blake, who will move from Central avenue to Suffolk; Mrs. K. B. Dennis, who will move from the corner of Park street and Summit avenue to the Carberry house; K. C. Smith will move from Philadelphia to the Foster house on Washington street; J. B. Trimble will move from the Boulevard to Evergreen place; Mrs. J. Lee will move from 217 Edgewood avenue to 733 Summit avenue; James F. Johnson will move from Everson place to Lincoln road; S. Armstrong will move from Lincoln road to Hillcrest avenue; J. Baumann will move from New York to the Renberg house on Park place; F. W. Conlin will move from Prospect street to Embree Crescent; C. A. Shaw, from Cumberland street to Charles street.

To Open Chapter of Red Cross

The special work committee of the Woman's Club composed of Mrs. E. H. Oswald, Mrs. T. H. Ludwig, Mrs. Douglas Smyth, Mrs. William Bachmann, Mrs. R. E. Perry, Mrs. R. R. Sweney, Mrs. P. W. Ellsworth, Mrs. H. L. Zabriskie and Mrs. Harold Francis are busily at work in canvassing for members for the local chapter of the Red Cross which is soon to be organized. This committee of ladies has so far met with great success and they are not every day looking for members. The people of the town who are already members will automatically become members of the local branch.

There are no active duties involved by enrolling: it only means supporting the American Red Cross. Every member of the family can join it. It is planned to have a campaign week beginning on Monday, April 9, during which time the ladies will have their temporary headquarters at Fritchey's Pharmacy, corner of Broad and Elm streets.

Toward the end of the campaign it is planned to have a mass meeting at which time the local chapter will be formally organized. Half of the membership fees will remain in the treasury of the local organization to take care of the local chapter.

Auto Runs Into Boy

While driving an automobile west on Broad street last night at 8:20 o'clock, Mrs. S. A. Emery, of 540 Highland avenue, ran into George Grant, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, of 134 East Broad street. Mrs. Emery was driving the car on Broad street and when near the Westfield Bakery the Grant boy stepped off the sidewalk in the street and before Mrs. Emery could stop the car it had hit the boy. Mrs. Emery picked the boy up and put him in the car and after getting his mother took them to the office of Dr. Charles Decker, who on investigation found that the boy was only slightly bruised. After being examined by the doctor Mrs. Emery took the boy and his mother to their home.

Sudden Death of Emil A. Huber

Emil A. Huber, for the past seven years a resident of this town, died suddenly at the Citizens' Savings Bank on Canal street, New York city yesterday, where he had been employed for over thirty years and where he was the assistant secretary at the time of his death. Mr. Huber with his family came to this town from New York and purchased the property at 672 Westfield avenue, He leaves a widow and one son, George Irving Huber. The funeral will take place from his late home on Sunday and interment will be made in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. John Dorch entertained a number of friends at a kaffee klatch at her home on Prospect street yesterday afternoon.

Fred Ernst, of Richmond Hill, L. I., is making his home with his uncle, Carl Sell, of Broad street.

A. W. P. Cramer and family, of Lawrence avenue, have returned from a visit in Canada.

BOUND BROOK

BOY SCOUTS ACTIVE HERE

A meeting of Troop No. 1 was held in the parish house Wednesday evening. Twenty members answered to roll call. The treasurer reported a balance on hand of $86.75.

The following were elected members of the troop: John Klasiday, Martin Buss, Edward Weiner, Arthur Haelig, Arthur Thomae, Granville Fisher, Albert Chapman, Clyde Chapman.

Kenneth Beardsley was elected baseball manager for this year. He was also instructed to secure a place for practice. The troop voted to purchase a troop flag. President King spoke about the father and son dinner to be held in Bound Brook soon and wants every boy to have a suit by then.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain unclaimed at the local postoffice: Mrs. William Hoffman, J. S. Le Compte, Miss Georgia E. Lewis, James Newton, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Patterson, Miss Rose Summerfield, Miss Catherine E. Williams.

The Teachers' Committee of the Board of Education held a meeting Tuesday night at which time the matter of engaging new teachers was taken up.

Winthrop W. Taylor has removed from Church street to the Sweeney place he recently purchased from John H. Callon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Houston have returned from Daytona, Fla., where they had spent several months.

The Lafalot Club will hold a reception in the Congregational chapel on Friday evening, April 13th.

JOHN BULL TO COMPETE WITH FORD PLANT AT CORK

By United Press:

London, March 30.—Automobile manufacturers authorized by the Minister of Munitions, are getting together on a project to compete with Henry Ford's big new plant to be built at Cork. The Cork plant is expected to turn out 50,000 machines, tractors, trucks and pleasure vehicles a year.

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"extra longs" — "stouts" —
"long stouts" — "shorts" —
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Sir: While it is not possible for the United States Marine Corps to open a recruiting office in your city, no recruits need hold back from enlisting because of expense. Under the law the postmaster is authorized to receive applications for the Marine Corps and to have them examined by a reputable physician without cost to the applicant. If he passes this examination I will forward at once his full transportation to New York. On his arrival here I will have him re-examined. If he fails to pass here he will be given full transportation home and not be under the slightest expense. If he passes he will be sent to the Recruit Depot at Charlestown, S. C., for training. From the moment the applicant leaves your city until he is either returned, or finally enlisted, the Government pays all railroad fares, boiling and meals.

The main qualifications are that he be between 18 and 35, with a minimum height of 65 inches and weight of 130 pounds when stripped, be either native-born or fully naturalized, and of sound physique. Candidates slightly underfeight may be accepted if otherwise desirable.

As the marines serve in the fleet, at the navy yards, as guards at Government radio stations and on foreign service, their opportunities for active service in time of war cannot be surpassed. They are almost invariably the first armed troops that are called into active service. It is worthy of note that for the last two years the record scores of the Navy with the 5-inch guns have been made by the marines of the New York and the Pennsylvania. These guns are the battleships, main reliance against sub-marine attack. With the rifle and machine gun the Marine National matches won twice and lost the third time by only six points to the Army. Our battleships, cruisers and gunboats have marine detachments varying from 18 to 100 men. The relations on board ship between the blue jackets and marines are of the best, for their duties aboard ship are much alike, and ever since the Spanish War they have fought side by side, a condition that has encouraged mutual respect.

I will be glad to give any further information that may be asked by an applicant, and am sure that the Postmaster will be of valuable aid to the Government in its crisis.

Very sincerely,
F. B. EVANS,
Captain, U. S. M. C., retired,
Recruiting Officer.

GERMANS SHOOT DOWN ALLIES' AEROPLANES

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 30.—Four Allies aeroplanes and two captive balloons were shot down by German airmen on the western front yesterday, the war office announced in a communication on aviation. The captive balloons were destroyed east of Verdun.

Ferry Service to Be Resumed

The Ferry service from Dyckman street, Manhattan, to Englewood, N. J., which has proven itself to be a popular method of transportation for motorists, and during the past two seasons acquaints many thousands with the beauties of the famous Palisades Interstate Park, will be resumed for this season tomorrow (Saturday) morning.

Boats will leave the terminals every fifteen minutes from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m., and owing to the increased travel on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays the company this year will augment the service with additional boats, making the schedule every ten minutes, and running from 6 a. m. until midnight on the last two days of the week and holidays.

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VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Both parfaits and mousses are particularly practical desserts, as they need no stirring during the freezing process. These simple and nourishing concoctions are, in general, light ice creams, having as their basis, custards, cream, whipped eggs reinforced with fruits, syrup and gelatine or combinations of these.

The most frequent base is whipped cream. The cream must be beaten until very stiff, flavored as desired and placed in a mold, which is then set in ice and rock salt for three or four hours. All ingredients must be carefully folded into the cream to preserve the moss-like texture of the frozen product. Gelatine can often be used with thin cream and the whip from thin cream as well.

When using fruits, it is generally better to use the juice or pulp, as solid bits of fruit become too much like small lumps of ice to be pleasant eating.

How to Mold These Desserts

While preparing the mixture, place the mold on ice, so that it will become thoroughly chilled. Then put in the mixture by spoonfuls, being careful that there is not a drop of liquid. Fill so that when the cover is put on some of the mixture will be forced out, otherwise to over-flowing, and cover the top of the mold with buttered paper (before putting on the lid) a little larger than the surface to be covered. If these directions are carefully followed, no salt can possibly enter the mold.

To Freeze

The ordinary proportions for freezing are three parts of ice to one of rock salt, but with these desserts two parts ice to one of salt will be better. Chop the ice finely, so that it is not much larger than the salt. When rock salt and ice about the same size are mixed, the salt melts the ice in order to unite with it. In this way the salt also dissolves, so that both solids are liquified. The heat that causes this to happen is drawn from the ice cream which is to be frozen, as it is by the extraction of heat that the freezing process takes place.

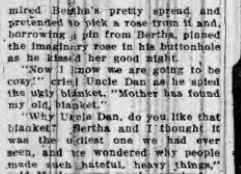
The following are a few recipes that will be found well-worthy of a trial:

Angel Parfait.

Boil three-quarters of a cupful of sugar and one-third of a cupful of water to 240 degrees F. Pour the syrup in a fine stream on the whites of two eggs, beaten light and dry and beat constantly meanwhile. Then beat occasionally until cold. Whip one cupful of chilled double cream and one cupful of thin cream until firm. Fold the cream and three-quarters of a tablespoonful of vanilla extract into the meringue, beat again and turn into a chilled mold. Cover so that it will be watertight and bury in ice and rock salt for three hours and a half. This is delicious served with a maple or chocolate sauce. If desired, chopped nut meats or powdered macaroon crumbs may be added to the parfait.

Caramel Parfait

Cook half a cupful of granulated sugar in a caramel, add half a cupful of boiling water and let cook until the caramel is dissolved and thickened slightly. At last when it was long past the usual bedtime upstairs they marched. Bertha high upon Uncle Dan's shoulder. He had not been to visit them since they moved into the country, so had to go all around and see the rooms. He admired Bertha's pretty spread, and pretended to pick a rose from it and, borrowing a pin from Bertha, pinned the imaginary rose in his buttonhole as he kissed her good night.



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"Why, Uncle Dan, do you like that blanket?" Bertha and I thought it was the ugliest one we had ever seen, and we wondered why people made such hateful, heavy things," said Marion, very much surprised.

"If you had to sleep night after night out on the hard ground, which would you choose, this old blanket or Bertha's pretty one, sonny?" asked Uncle Dan.

"Well, that's what that blanket is for," said Uncle Dan. "I used to sleep under that blanket, sometimes all rolled up in it, when I was a soldier, in the civil war."

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THE UGLY BLANKET

If there was going to be a Hallowe'en party or the chestnuts were larger than you had ever seen and just begging to be picked up, or if for any other very good reason you let Jack-Frost catch you in the country last fall, you know how cold country houses are in the winter. Little boys and girls who have lived in great big windy country houses all their lives do not mind it so much as the city children, who are used to houses heated with bubbly steam pipes. Marion Lefarge and his sister had been living in town since they were baby things, and when Marion got sick and the doctor said they must stay out in the country all winter the children were very much disappointed. The first night they slept in the great roomy, old-fashioned beds it seemed the country was far colder than the North Pole. Long before morning the children met in the hall on their way to their parents' room. When they crawled, shivering, into their parents' bed Mrs. Lefrage felt of their cold bare feet and scolded.

"I just knew this drafty house will be the death of the children. They must have more covers over their beds."

In the morning she bought a pretty new comforter for the little girl's bed. It was light and fluffy and warm, with great pink roses and green buds all over it. The little girl (whose name was Bertha, by the way) was pleased as pleased could be with it, and almost cried to go to bed right away and sleep under her pretty new comforter. In high glee they ran to Marion's room to see what his could be like. Bertha shouting all the way.

"I just know mine's prettiest." There neatly folded across the white spread was the very ugliest old blue and gray blanket you can imagine. It was short and thick and heavy and rough. Marion was too much of a man to cry about a blanket but he was very much disappointed that his new cover was not so pretty as Bertha's.

While they stood looking at it, father's voice called up to them, "Come quick, children, Uncle Dan is here!" And the old blanket was quite forgotten as they flew downstairs to greet the cheeriest uncle that ever children had. He was not much older than Marion himself, or did not seem so when with the children. Uncle Dan never came without many nice things for the boys and girls in his pockets. He knew the best games, could fly a kite, and make whistles, or tell a story; he was, indeed, quite all that an uncle should be. So you cannot wonder that the children fell over one another trying to get to the bottom of the staircase. When they all came romping into dinner late that evening father looked at Marion's bright eyes and rosy cheeks and said, "Dan, you do the boy more good than all the doctors." But Uncle Dan only laughed his big, jolly laugh and shook his head. He always gave the first evening of his visit to the children, even slept in Marion's room, and a fine romp they had until sleepy time. At last when it was long past the usual bedtime upstairs they marched. Bertha high upon Uncle Dan's shoulder. He had not been to visit them since they moved into the country, so had to go all around and see the rooms. He admired Bertha's pretty spread, and pretended to pick a rose from it and, borrowing a pin from Bertha, pinned the imaginary rose in his buttonhole as he kissed her good night.

"Now I know we are going to be cozy," cried Uncle Dan as he spied the ugly blanket. "Mother has found my old blanket."

"Why, Uncle Dan, do you like that blanket? Bertha and I thought it was the ugliest one we had ever seen, and we wondered why people made such hateful, heavy things," said Marion, very much surprised.

"If you had to sleep night after night out on the hard ground, which would you choose, this old blanket or Bertha's pretty one, sonny?" asked Uncle Dan.

"Well, that's what that blanket is for," said Uncle Dan. "I used to sleep under that blanket, sometimes all rolled up in it, when I was a soldier, in the civil war."

So after that Marion was quite content with the ugly blue and gray blanket that Uncle Dan had told him was the kind brave soldiers used.

Tomorrow a story—"How Fred Fought the Fire."

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COLLEGE WOMEN PLAN BETTER FILMS CAMPAIGN

By United Press:

Long Beach, Cal., March 30.—Believing that the motion picture is the greatest factor in the education of the masses, the National Federation of College Women today decided upon "Better Films" as its chief work for the ensuing year. A vigorous campaign in behalf of better films is planned, and the plans also include formation of a bulletin service to advise women's clubs throughout the nation regarding the various films as they are released.

Mrs. Myra Kingman Miller, president of the Federation, named Mrs. Harriet H. Barry, of Monrovia, California, as national chairman of the "Better Films" department. Her plans for the project will be one of the important features presented at the Biennial National session of the Federation in Portland, Oregon, July 10-13, inclusive.

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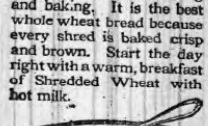

Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

MISS GERTRUDE R. SMITH.

Is Organizing Women For Patriotic Work.

Photo by American Press Association.

Miss Smith, who is chairman of the New York State Branch of the League For Women's Service, has just returned from an up state tour of organization and says she found women everywhere eager to enlist for patriotic service and to do their part in war.

MRS. EMMELINE PANKHURST

She Demands Votes For Women as War Measure.

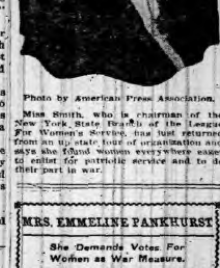

Photo by American Press Association.

Mrs. Pankhurst's demand has been followed by announcements that both Premier Lloyd George and former Premier Asquith now are in favor of woman suffrage.

WASH DAY ITEMS

Colored things washed for the first time should always have either a little salt or vinegar put into the water. These help to keep the dye fast. But some things, notably children's white drill sailor jumpers, which have blue collars and cuffs attached, shed their dye till the end of the cleaner. Many of us doubtless have been horrified with these little garments getting streaked with blue, no matter how careful you have been to put salt in the water. If the jumpers are washed very quickly, then hung up "dripping," by their tails, this allowing any fugitive dye to run off the collars and cuffs without coming in contact with the white portions, this will not happen.

A little alum in the rinsing water used for children's clothes makes all materials slightly smoother instead of bigger, should they catch fire.

A HINT TO MOTHERS

Keep the children from wanting to run and play in the street all the time by giving them something to do that will interest them, such as a little plot of ground where they may raise flowers or vegetables, either for pleasure or profit. The child will work as well again as one that is forced to labor simply from interest. Let the children have things of their very own, and if these things can be sold and they want to sell them, let them do so and have the profit thus derived. Encourage them to take up new plants and each year add to their stock in hand. Lend them along interest by interest, and keep their thoughts on right things, and they will not go astray when they are older.

NEEDLEWORK NOTES

If the drawn part of linen is worn, sew a piece of insertion over the worn drawnwork and cut out the drawnwork underneath.

If a spool unwinds too rapidly as the sewing machine is used, rub a piece of soap across the surface of the spool of silk or thread. This will regulate the unwinding.

If baby's undershirts shrink you can enlarge them, and at the same time improve their appearance by crocheting pieces to the sleeves, necks and down the fronts. The shirts should be bound first, and the crocheting done with a fine hook and Saxony yarn and the edges finished with tiny scallops.

This simple idea is a great help with wash dresses, and especially with the children's dresses. Before you hem the bottom of a skirt that is likely to shrink, run a tuck in the hem on the wrong side, with a long stitch nearly at the top of the hem, then run hem in usual way. Be sure not to take stitches of tuck with the hemming. If it shrinks the tuck can easily rip the long stitches and let down without undoing the hem.

SUFFRAGE FAILS IN NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Neb., March 30.—The State Senate has killed the bill which would have permitted women to vote for President and many municipal and county officers.

RED CROSS HAS 150,000 NEW MEMBERS

Since the break in relations between the United States and Germany, more than 150,000 new members have been enrolled in the Atlantic Division of the American Red Cross. During the last two months the total membership of this division, which includes the States of New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Pennsylvania and Delaware, has been increased to more than 310,000. These States now have more than half the entire Red Cross enrollment in the United States.

Thirty-four new Red Cross chapters have also just been organized in the Atlantic Division as a result of the war stimulus. Seven of these have been formed in New York, thirteen in New Jersey, six in Pennsylvania and four in Connecticut. The new chapters in New York State are in Ithaca, Auburn, Little Falls, Gloversville, Newburgh, Suffern, Saranac Lake, Brockport, Elizabethtown and Olean.

The purpose of the renewed effort to obtain additional members is to give to the American Red Cross an organization equal to the great tasks soon to be put upon it. Only through a large membership and an adequate income can the American Red Cross prepare for military duties in addition to administering civilian relief both in Europe and America. In Russia, Germany, England and Japan there are more than a million members in the Red Cross. The American Red Cross is seeking a membership equally as large.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Dry flour applied with a newspaper is an excellent and easy way to clean tinware.

New tinware will not rust if greased with a little fresh lard and baked in the oven before it is used.

When dropping muffin dough into the tins first dip the spoon into boiling water and the dough will not stick to the spoon.

A pad of thick paper laid over the edge of each step under the carpet will prevent it from wearing and it will last much longer.

ISABELLA DAUGHTERS TO MEET

The Daughters of Isabella will meet at Columbus Auditorium on next Monday night. Business of an important nature will be discussed. A good attendance is desired.

It Works! Try It

Tells how to loosen a sore, tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

Good news spreads rapidly and druggists here are kept busy dispensing freezone, the ether discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezone, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so shrivelled that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

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Duryea's Corn Starch 9c
Hotel Astor Rice, 1-lb. pkg. 8c
Rice, good quality, 4 lbs. 25c
Black-Eye Peas, lb. 8c
Libby's Evap. Milk, tall cans 11c
Teco Pancake Flour, pkg. 9c
Comb Honey, Faulkner's Pure 18c
Cal. Prunes, 40-50 size, lb. 12c
Hershey's Cocoa, reg. 10c tin 7c
Cal. Peeled Peaches, lb. 10c
Evap. Apples, fine packed, 2 pkg. 11c
Red Beans, fine quality, can 9c
Lima Beans, Stew-en, can 9c
Kidney Beans, lb. 14c
Marrow Beans, lb. 10c
Pea Beans, lb. 14c
Soldiers' Chili Sauce, 15c bottle 13c
Blue Label Catsup, 25c bottle 20c
Sun Maid Raisins, pkg. 12c
Not-a-Seed Raisins, pkg. 14c
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COST OF LIVING HIGHER IN FOURTEENTH CENTURY

By United Press:

Seattle, Wash., March 30.—A carpenter in the fourteenth century received a wage of only 12 cents a day against $4.50 today. Yet the cost of living was relatively higher than it is today.

The statement is that of Prof. R. M. Garrett of the University of Washington, who also recites a list of food costs taken from the accounts of the expenditures of the Earl of Derby, later King Henry IV of England, as he was about to embark in 1390 on a campaign against the Lithuanians.

A carpenter in those days for his daily wage of 12 cents could buy one pound of butter, two pounds of cheese, a pound of salt, two pounds of flour, one dozen and a half eggs, a chicken and a pound of rice. A carpenter of today would have to pay $2.60 for this bill of goods, but it wouldn't eat up his entire daily wage, as it would that of the carpenter of 1390. The latter per carpenter would still have $1.90 left. So, argues Professor Garrett, while the worker of today pays more for necessities, he gets much more, comparatively, for his labor. So the times are better.

In 1390 eggs were nine cents a gross. The Earl of Derby paid 30 cents for 300 eggs that today would cost him from $12.50 to $14. For 14 pounds of butter that would now cost him $7 he paid a shilling, or 25 cents. Rice brought by way of Venice from the East cost a shilling for 10 pounds. It costs a dollar today.

The one shilling exception to the general rise in prices that has occurred since that time is sugar. In 1390 it cost 36 cents a pound, and now it retails at 8 cents. Here are some other prices taken from the Earl Derby's accounts:

A fine white horse, $25; ale, 2 to 4 cents a gallon; best wine, 5 cents a quart; mutton, 65 cents a carcass; beef, $8.75 to $7.50 a carcass; vinegar, 10 cents a gallon; dates, 7 cents a pound; blankets, 32 cents a yard.

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PARISIAN NOVELTY SHOW HERE MONDAY

Pam (Smiles) Lawrence, with "Puss-Puss," Parisian novelty, at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday, matinee and night.

Jean Bedini's Parisian Novelty, entitled "Puss-Puss," will race along the lane of fun at the Plainfield Theatre, Monday matinee and night, April 2. Jean Bedini is an experienced hand in producing and creating novelties, and has earned for himself, the sobriquet, "The Ziegfeld of Burlesque," in constructing "Puss-Puss," he emphatically barred everything that of merriment.

The "Kitten Chorus," will be a genuine hit and there will be so many specialties in the offering that the spectator will sit in utter amazement throughout the gala carnival

"SKINNER'S DRESS SUIT" CLOSES AT PROCTOR'S

"Skinner's Dress Suit," the five-act comedy drama, starring Bryant Washburn, at Proctor's yesterday scored a hit and closes there tonight. It abounds with laugh-provoking scenes.

In addition today Marie Doro, the dainty Paramount star, appears in a comedy drama, "The Lash," a story of Jewish folk, their trials and their joys.

Tomorrow Blanche Sweet appears in the latest of the first-run Paramount pictures entitled, "The Storm," and Emmy Wehlen, the popular Metro star will appear in "Vanity," direct from the Rialto Theatre, New York, where it was a big success.

On Monday Virginia Pearson appears in a double role in "Sister Against Sister" and Mae Murray, Castle appears in "Peggy, On Tuesday Talmadge appears in the first of her Selznick productions, "Scarlet Days," under the direction of that gifted

"DAUGHTER OF THE GODS" TODAY AND TOMORROW

POETIC NOCTURNE DANCE OF THE SEA NYMPHS IN WILLIAM FOX'S MILLION DOLLAR PICTURE BEAUTIFUL, "A DAUGHTER OF THE GODS."

At the Plainfield Theatre today and tomorrow, matinee daily

"A Daughter of the Gods," opened at the Plainfield Theatre yesterday for a three-days engagement. Every human passion that has part in the spectacle, the conservation of every white virtue and black hatred; the pure beauty of scene and person, and neolian song, of the winds and the impressive sweep and diapason of the snow-ridged seas; the whimsical calm movement and song of the ever-busy gnomes, the sheer appeal of the glad, triumphant spirit of the good that conquers and endures—the inspiration of the song and story—all these vividly are given by the magic of the music. It, therefore, may be accepted, that William Fox's million dollar film has an attraction in both a supremely arrayed art exhibit and a grand opera featuring the "most perfect woman in the world."

Louise Soreidses, the talented pianist, at Proctor's Theatre

Gifted with an inherent musical ability and an attractive personality, Louise Soreidses, the talented pianist at Proctor's Theatre, adds much to the enjoyment of the patrons of this popular amusement center. She was born in Boston, Mass., and her early schooling was greatly influenced by the cultured and musical atmosphere of that city. Her musical education was gained under the leadership of the skilled teachers in the Boston Conservatory of Music.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENTS

At the Strand

The ever popular portrayer of Latin characters, George Beban, will be seen at the Strand Theatre in "The Bond Between," a photo-drama of which he is the glorious well as the star. In this new play he enacts the role of Papa Duval, a Frenchman living with four cronies in a French restaurant in New York City. Mr. Beban has carried throughout the picture a true Bohemian atmosphere of the real artist's section of New York. One of the unusual scenes is the entire basement and first floor of a typical New York boarding house, included in the cast are: Colin Chase, Vola Vale, Mrs. Buehler, John Burton, Nigel de Brulier, Paul Weigel, Eugene Pallette, W. H. Bainbridge and Signor Buzzi. Some thrilling and interesting pictures of the Pendleton (Oregon) Round-Up will also be presented. Victor Moore will be seen for the first time in his latest and funniest comedy entitled "His Military Figure." Another new picture of interest is an educational study showing the evolution of agricultural machinery. The Topical Review contains the very latest news pictures edited daily.

PATRIOTISM SHOWN BY PUBLIC SERVICE

Will Put National Welfare Above Any Personal Interest, Says McCarter

President Thomas N. McCarter, of Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, today issued the following statement:

The directors of the Public Service gas, electric and railway companies at their monthly meeting held yesterday afternoon, gave consideration to the effect a call to arms in defense of the nation would have upon the company by virtue of the probability of a large number of its 13,000 employes offering themselves for war service. Because of the activities of the New Jersey National Guard, two regiments of which have already been ordered out, the board voted a leave of absence for one year, with full pay, to Brigadier-General Edwin W. Hine, assistant to the President, so that he will be in readiness, on notice, to assume whatever obligations his position in the giant might bring to him in the development of the present crisis. How many other men of the rank and file may be affected by a general call to arms there is, of course, no way of estimating at the present time.

Last summer when the national guard was sent to the Mexican border about one hundred Public Service men responded and the operating companies by which they were employed carried those men on their payrolls during the period of their federal service and reserved their jobs for them during their absence.

Since last summer conditions have been materially changed. Not only have operating costs been greatly increased due to higher prices for materials and labor, but the corporation's contribution to the expenses of the government has been substantially enhanced through the operation of the federal corporation tax laws, so that the amount it now pays through this channel is largely in excess of the sum it expended last year for the wages of its soldier employes.

Public service is engaged in serving the people of the State—about four-fifths of the population. It's activities are of a character that must be carried on in war time as well as in times of peace. The industries of the State are to a large extent dependent upon the companies for power, for fuel, for transportation of employes and at least a portion of these industries will be drawn upon to the full measure of their resources to furnish the government with munitions and other supplies in case war is declared. It is essential that these industries shall be kept going.

Public Service stands ready to perform whatever duty, patriotism or loyalty to the Government may demand. It will bear its share of whatever burdens war may bring, always putting country before self-interest.

FOUR JERSEY BOYS WERE GRADUATED FROM ANNAPOLIS

Annapolis, Md., March 30.—Four New Jersey boys were graduated yesterday at United States Naval Academy. They are James H. Coyne, of Montclair; Edward G. Hagen, of Cranford, in Union County; Guido F. Forster, of Summit, and Seabury Cook, of New Brunswick.

Owing to the crisis, the commencement, which has been put forward from June, was devoid of ceremony save for an address by Capt. Edward W. Eberle, commandant of the academy and the presentation of diplomas.

HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN AT SALE

New Brunswick, March 30.—While attending an auction sale of horses and wagons in Morris street, Tuesday, some one stole a horse and buggy owned by Conrad Icke, of Franklin Park. The police and the Franklin Park Protective Association are trying to trace the rig.

ALLIES DROP BOMBS NEAR BRUGES

Special to Courier-News:

Amsterdam, March 30.—Allied airman dropped bombs Tuesday evening near Bruges, causing considerable military damage, it is believed.

Republican For Congress.

New York, March 30.—John N. Boyle, lawyer, has been nominated by the Republican county committee for congress in the Eleventh district to succeed the late Michael F. Conry. Thomas F. Smith, secretary of Tammany Hall, is his opponent. The district is solidly Democratic.

Market Reports.

New York, March 30.

BUTTER—Very firm; receipts, 4,161; creamery, higher than extras, 42@44½c; extras, 42 score, 43½c; firsts, 40@42c; seconds, 37@39c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 30,198; fresh gathered, extra fine, 34@34½c; extra firsts, 32½@33c; firsts, 31½@32c; storage packed firsts, 33½c; seconds and lower grades, 30@30c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western henmery whites, fine to finest, 32@33c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby henmery browns, 30@32c.

CHEESE—Unsettled; receipts, 2,193; state, whole milk, held, specials, 22@23½c; average fancy, 20@22c.

POULTRY—Dressed, firm; chickens, 19@30c; fowls, 20@23c; turkeys, 18@34c.

POTATOES—Easy; Virginia, late crop, per bag, $4.50@5.25.

CABBAGES—Steady and unchanged.

WEATHER FORECAST
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"The Land of Mystery" to be Given by Lodge of Elks on April 10, 11 and 12

"The Land of Mystery," the new comic opera to be given under the auspices of Plainfield Lodge of Elks on April 10, 11 and 12, at The Plainfield Theatre, promises to be one of the musical events of the season. With a cast of 300 people the production will be one of the largest witnessed here in long time. The principal parts have names were announced yesterday for the first, have been carefully selected, as has also the members of the large chorus and the children for their individual parts. Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Skilling, the authors of the opera, are personally supervising the production. They are much pleased with the proficiency shown on the part of all the participants.

K. OF C. DAUGHTERS TO HOLD PARTY

A card party and dance will be given under the auspices of the Daughters of Isabella at Columbus auditorium Monday evening, April 2. Euchre, pinochle and five hundred will be played and some elaborate prizes will be distributed to the skillful ones. Following the games dancing will be enjoyed until 2 a. m. A Jass band orchestra has been secured to play music. It will be the first time that an orchestra of this kind has played in Plainfield, this form of music being popular among the New York and Brooklyn dances, and a treat is in store for all to attend.

A committee composed of the following are working hard in an endeavor to make this the most successful social event of the spring season: Mrs. H. B. Arnold, chairlady; Mrs. Keenan, Mrs. E. Felring, Mrs. M. Dorgan, Mrs. M. A. Kiley, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. McDonough, Miss A. M. Doyle, Miss Betty Mara and Miss Emma Sullivan.

Court Watching, No. 291, Daughters of Isabella, is an auxiliary of Watchung Council, No. 552, Knights of Columbus, having been instituted as a unit of the national order of the Daughters of Isabella on December 3, 1916, with a charter membership of forty-eight.

BOROUGH FIREMEN ANSWER TWO FIRE ALARMS

A grass fire in the Harrison avenue section yesterday afternoon brought out the borough fire department at 2.20 o'clock. It was quickly extinguished.

In the evening at 7.30 o'clock a still alarm of fire was responded to at the residence of Fred E. Habberle, 87 Westervelt avenue. Fire was discovered in the bedroom and did slight damage. This was put out by members of the family before the fire department arrived.

WINFIELD CRAM PURCHASES LARGE FARM IN VERMONT

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield C. Cram, formerly of East Second street, will leave this week for Vermont, where Mr. Cram will engage in farming on a large tract of land which he recently purchased. He was for several years employed as a linotype operator in the office of the Plainfield Daily Press and later took a similar position in Newark.

RECITAL BY PIANO PUPILS

A few of the pupils of May Vincent Whitney appeared in recital Tuesday and gave a creditable performance of the following piano numbers:

Bach Inventions 1, 6 and 8, arranged for two pianos; Adagio-Haydn, theme and variations, Beethoven; "Song Without Words," Mendelssohn; "Dreams," Pascal; "In Deep Woods," MacDowell; Valse, Schenett. Minuet, Paderewski; Waltz in E-flat, Durand; Minuet in E-flat, Beethoven; "Dance of the Dolls," Poldini; Prelude in B-minor, Butterfly Etude, and Scherzo in B-flat minor, Chopin.

PRINTERS TO MEET

The regular monthly meeting of Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 299, will be held on Monday evening at eight o'clock, at Trades Council Hall, West Front street. Business of importance will be transacted at the meeting.

A Correction

In yesterday's advertisement of the Van Dyk Tea Store which appeared in the Courier-News it stated that sugar sales must be accompanied by at least a $1.00 purchase of spices, extracts, cocoa or baking powder. This was an error. It should have read that sugar sales must be accompanied by a 10c purchase of any of the above mentioned articles.—Adv.

BILLIKOFF HERE ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Will Address Meeting in Columbus Club With Rabbi Wise of New York

Jacob Billikoff, of Kansas City, who has offered to give $10,000 for every $10,000 contributed to the Jewish War Sufferers Fund, will come here with Rabbi Wise on Tuesday night, Judge Newcorn announced this morning.

"The circumstances of the Jewish people for whom we ask relief are the most harrowing imaginable, Judge Newcorn declared.

A proper description of the suffering of the Jews cannot adequately be conveyed in a word picture. All one need do, however, is to consider people starving and unable to get food of any kind, to realize that the cry of the war sufferers should compel the action of all, who can alleviate their sufferings.

"Jews throughout the United States are giving generously to the relief fund, but they cannot give as much as is needed, therefore it is necessary to ask everyone for a contribution.

"I hope that our effort to raise $10,000 here will be successful, and I am sure that those who aid this worthy charity will in the wisdom of Divine Providence, receive a generous return for what they give.

PATRONESSES FOR THE COLGATE GLEE CONCERT

The Colgate concert, which will be given in the Plainfield high school next Tuesday evening, April 3, under the auspices of the P. H. S. Boys' Athletic Association, will be an affair that will please all lovers of music. The glee and mandolin and other instrumental clubs of Colgate University of New York will endeavor to give a variety of music that even the best critic must admit was an entertainment to please all.

The concert will end very close to 10 o'clock, when the auditorium will be cleared for dancing. Van Epa's orchestra furnishing the music.

The patronesses of the evening have been selected as follows: Mrs. Albert O. Tilney, Mrs. B. Van D. Heaton, Mrs. Leighton Calkins, Mrs. Harry E. White, Mrs. L. D. Beers, Mrs. Lindley Best, Mrs. Frank S. Holt, Mrs. A. E. Crone, Mrs. Archibald Cox, Mrs. E. Stuart Simons, Mrs. Henry P. Maxson, Mrs. S. K. Wyckoff, Mrs. S. G. Hubbard, Mrs. Charles E. Borden, Mrs. Joan Babcock, Mrs. Steven H. Voorhees, Mrs. J. Herbert Case, Miss C. O'Donnell, Mrs. Frederick R. Chamberlain, Mrs. C. A. Dell, Mrs. Joel C. Smalley, Mrs. S. H. Good and Mrs. George H. Fountain.

DAVID WILENTZ QUITS HIS JOB

David Wilentz for the past two years correspondent for the Courier-News in Somerville has tendered his resignation to become effective on Monday next.

"Dave's" many friends in Somerville will miss him when he goes. During his stay there he has cultivated the acquaintance of a great many people and has proven himself a "live wire."

He is vice-president of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of Somerville and is a member of Somerville Lodge, B. P. O. Elks. "Dave" stated this morning that he has about completed his studies in law school, which he took up while working for this paper, and in order to give more time to preparation for the coming examination he has felt that in justice to himself and the Courier-News he should give up his position rather than neglect his duty to this paper.

WOMEN'S SOCIETIES AND NATIONAL SPECIAL AID

All Plainfield women's organizations desiring to do war relief work are earnestly urged to affiliate with the National Special Aid Society. Information as to procedure may be obtained from the president, Mrs. F. W. Goddard. 'Phone 2580.

The National Special Aid Society stands ready to answer the call of their Government in doing what they can to relieve suffering and distress.

Mrs. James F. Fielder and Governor Edge are co-operating with the society, and it is earnestly hoped the women of Plainfield will respond to this appeal.

BELGIAN RELIEF MEETING

The regular meeting of the Plainfield Belgian Relief Society will be held at 996 Hillside avenue, Tuesday next, April 3, at 10:30 a. m.

THE NEW YORK SUNDAY AMERICAN

next Sunday (April 1st) will contain a feature article of great interest to all residents of Plainfield and vicinity. To make certain of getting your paper, please give your order in advance to your newsdealer.—Adv. 3-30-1t

QUEEN CITY HOTEL REOPENS TONIGHT

Remodeled, Renovated and Refurnished in Modern Style

The Queen City Hotel, which changed hands a few weeks ago and has been closed since March 1st to be remodeled, repaired and refurnished will be opened to the public tonight.

Plainfielders and the public in general were very much pleased with the Queen City Hotel as it was before the change in management, but there has been a great change made by John A. Staats, the owner and present manager. Hot and cold running water has been installed in all rooms and many new bath rooms have been added. The house has been entirely repapered and painted throughout. New woodwork and mirrors in the dining room and office, new furniture and carpets in every room, new dishes and glassware of the latest designs, the finest and best linen and silverware, new draperies, curtains and chandliers, are features of the newly remodeled house.

Mr. Staats takes a great deal of pleasure in announcing that all work and furnishings were supplied by Plainfield firms. The entire hotel furnishings were supplied by A. E. Force & Co., except the furniture.

C. W. Dickey was the architect and Miss Myrtel C. Mink the interior decorator.

Plainfielders should take a great deal of pride in having a strictly first-class hotel here and should support and boost it all they can. It is very essential as well as convenient to have a hotel and restaurant of this high standard here for the convenience of ourselves and the community at large.

SPECIAL MUSIC BY GRACE CHURCH CHOIR

The special service at Grace church have met with such success that they are to be prolonged into April.

Tomorrow evening the sacred cantata, a consistent feature of Holy Week observance in the church will be sung by the choir. The work for this year is to be Macfarlane's musical setting of "The Message from the Cross." It is a composition entirely devotional in character, provides a vehicle for the religious thought of the hour, and undoubtedly created a suitable spiritual atmosphere for the solemn events of this holy season. As usual the service is at 8 o'clock.

On Easter Day at the same hour the grand Easter festival service of the church will be held. The best Easter music will be provided and the rector will preach. On April 15 the closing service of the series will be the presentation by the choir of an Easter cantata.

C. KURTZMAN HOST AT BACHELOR DINNER

A farewell batchelor dinner was given last night in honor of Charles Kurtzman at Steigman's, East Fifth street. Mr. Kurtzman is to be married tomorrow night to Miss Anna Swartzbach, of Elizabeth.

The affair proved a very enjoyable one last evening for all present. Irving Kaufman, acted as toastmaster, calling on many to respond.

Those present included: Harvey and Louis Rothberg, Irving Kurtzman, Arthur Richards, Maurice Zimmerman, Samuel Krauthamer, M. Littman, Isadore Cashdan, S. Wirth, Gustav Lang, Victor Miron, M. Spitz, Henry Rosenbaum and S. Schrank.

CALLED AWAY BY DEATH OF MOTHER

Mrs. Charles E. Herring, of West Front street, has been called to Springfield, Mass., on account of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. George W. Miller, who passed away yesterday. Mrs. Miller, who had visited this city on more than one occasion, was well-known to the membership of the First Presbyterian church, of which Dr. Herring is pastor.

Mrs. Miller leaves her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Brownell, both of Springfield, and Mrs. Herring, of this city, and one sister.

DEATH OF A LITTLE CHILD

Lillian Panthes Burgess, one and a half years of age, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Burgess, of Filmore avenue, died last night. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the Rev. E. W. Roberts officiating. The interment will be made in Hillside cemetery.

MEN—ENLIST NOW. Apply at Company K Armory.

CARYL DUNAVAN BRINGS HOME MEDAL

Gains Third Place in Interscholastic Contest Held in Bayonne

Caryl Dunavan, Plainfield High School's representative in the third Interscholastic Contest in Extemporaneous Speech, held in the auditorium of the Bayonne High School last night, won third prize. Representatives for fourteen State big schools competed for the honors, which are given each year by Colgate University.

Mr. Dunavan is the consistent winner of high place in every oratorical or public speaking contest for the last two years. He started his success with second place in the alumni prize speaking contest last year. His training in public speaking was with Harold Fraser Biddle, who is head of the Department of History in the high school.

The contemporaneous subject last night was: "Resolved, That the army war college plan for universal military service should be adopted." The order of speaking was determined by lot, each speech six minutes.

The contestants and the schools they represented are: Atlantic City H. S., Chester L. Morrison; Bayonne H. S., Patrick Mercolino; Butler H. S., Verner B. Hampton; Elizabeth, Battin H. S., James Mitchel; Englewood H. S., H. Struve Hensel; Glen Ridge H. S., Walter R. Hart; Harrison H. S., George Sachs; Long Branch, Chattle) H. S.; Newark Central H. S., Fred Goodman; Newark, South Side H. S., Alexander Addison; North Plainfield H. S., Victor Lewis; Plainfield, H. S., Caryl Dunavan; Rahway H. S., John Reitemeyer; South Amboy H. S., Edward P. Fisher.

The prizes were: Winning school, trophy cup; first prize, gold medal with Colgate seal; second prize, silver medal with Colgate seal; third prize, bronze medal with Colgate seal.

The committee of award were the Rev. Henry S. Potter, D. D., Colgate, '93, Montclair, N. J.; the Rev. Clark T. Brownell, Colgate, '94, Newark, N. J.; Joseph B. Crandall, Colgate, '96, New York Evening Sun; alternate, Frederick B. Weed, Colgate, '11, Irvington, H. S.

In providing this contest in extemporaneous speech for high school students of New Jersey, the Department of public speaking of Colgate University is but giving larger scope to traditions of half a century. In addition to fostering the highest type of Christian moral and physical culture, Colgate has long afforded opportunity for the cultivation of the art of expression. The department offers seven courses in public speaking, ranging from the "fundamentals" of elocution to intercollegiate debate; holds annually six contests in debate and oratory, with prizes aggregating $400; is a member of the Intercollegiate Peace Association, and Cleric Oratorical League.

AMERICANS DISPLAY THE FLAG MONDAY

In view of the fact that Congress will convene Monday, at which time President Wilson is expected to address that body on what will probably be one of the most important sessions in the history of the country, it is suggested that every loyal American display the flag at his home and place of business as a declaration of loyalty to the country and as an indication that he stands behind the President in defense of the nation.

President Wilson is expected to address Congress at noon Monday, when he will set forth his views as to the attitude this country should take in the impending crisis with Germany. There are at present many American flags displayed throughout the city and borough, but a general compliance with the suggestion, it is believed will meet with hearty response on the part of every true American.

BUSINESS MEN'S MEETING NEXT MONDAY EVENING

The Plainfield Business Men's Association will hold the regular meeting next Monday evening, April 2, at eight o'clock sharp, in Exempt Firemen's Hall, 109 Park avenue. J. D. Loiseaux, a member of the association, will make an address on "Local Co-operation in Business."

The public is invited to be present. Mr. Loiseaux is recognized as one of the forceful and leading business men, and his address will be full of interest to everyone.

—New Packer House, Perth Amboy, N. J., Peter Floersch & Son, formerly of Plainfield, proprietors. Dancing Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 9 to 11:30 p. m.—Adv. 3-27-1m

RECRUITS WANTED FOR COMPANY K

Local Military Organization Also Needs Motor Truck for Active Service

Although Company K has left the city, the work of recruiting for the organization will continue and every effort will be made to bring the company up to its full war strength. The recruiting will be in charge of Lieut. A. R. Phillips and Private Willard. They will be at the armory every day to meet and confer with prospective members. Now is the time for young men to show their love of country and patriotism and at the same time get the benefit of good training.

The veterans of the company will meet at the armory Monday night to consider and devise ways and means for helping recruits and otherwise stimulating interest in the organization. Company K will need a motor truck and any movement started in the interest of securing such a machine will be greatly appreciated.

It has been suggested that some method be adopted to relieve the families of soldiers in Company K who have been called away. With the head of the family absent there will no doubt be a number of families who will need some assistance and it is expected that steps looking to that end will be taken promptly. All of the members of the local company were mustered into the Federal service yesterday and they are still at Elizabeth expecting orders at any minute which will bring them into active service in some part of the county or State.

WILL BUILD NEW BRIDGE AT STELLE AVE.

A committee of Freeholders with Engineer Jacob A. Bauer and Street Commissioner Gavett yesterday visited the point on Cedar brook where Stelle avenue terminates for the purpose of determining what would be done about constructing a bridge over the stream at that point, so that Stelle avenue may be made to connect with Arlington avenue. After going over the ground the Freeholders committee decided that a bridge should be built. The Common Council will be so advised at its meeting on Monday night.

THE DEATH OF JOHN M. VAN FLEET

John M. Van Fleet died on Thursday evening at the home of his son, Herbert Van Fleet, of East Front street, after a lingering illness, in the seventy-seventh year of his age. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon in the Mt. Bethel church at 3 o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Mount officiating. The interment will be made in Mt. Bethel.

Besides the son mentioned above, Mr. Van Fleet leaves two daughters, Mrs. Mathias Coon and Mrs. Haberly, both of this city.

COMPANY K MEMBER BECOMES A BENEDICT

Under the folds of the American flag, last night, at the home of her father, Dr. Alfred Shipman, on Westervelt avenue, Miss Grace Ruth Shipman became the bride of Charles H. Baumann, a member of Company K. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. E. Gillespie, pastor of Grace M. E. church, in the presence of the immediate families of the contracting parties. The house was beautifully decorated in red, white and blue.

HEARS OF HER FATHER'S DEATH

Mrs. Robert Murray, of West Front street, has just received word of the death and burial of her father, Maxel Ildon, who died at his home in East Demster, Devonshire, England, and was buried last Monday in Cadeleigh, Devonshire.

Mrs. Murray heard also that her brother, Frank, who was fighting in France, and was wounded in the eye and ear, has been obliged to suffer the removal of the eye.

CANON CHASE AT GRACE CHURCH SUNDAY

The Rev. Dr. W. S. Chase, of Christ church, Brooklyn, will be the special preacher at Grace P. E. church at 10:30 Sunday morning.

At 8 p. m. the sacred cantata will be given by the choir under S. Frederick Smith's direction.

COLORED Y. M. C. A. MEETS TOMORROW

A meeting of the Colored Young Men's Christian Association will be held tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock in the Washington school. W. D. Murray will speak and there will be special music.

—Slightly used Maxwell Sedan, original guarantee, for sale. M. & L. Auto Co.—Adv.

MORE AMERICANS IMPERILLED OR LOST ON SUBMARINED SHIPS

By United Press:

Washington, March 31.—More Americans were imperilled, and some perhaps lost, in an unwarned torpedoing of the British Booth freight liner Crispin, and the British steamer Snowden Range. Many of the Americans aboard the two vessels were from Baltimore and Philadelphia.

PACIFISTS TURN ABOUT TO FINANCE WAR

By United Press:

New York, March 31.—The strongest pacifist influence in America today suddenly turned from efforts to prevent war to means of financing it. At once it became known that a plan put forward by the American Committee on War Finance, headed by Amos Pinchot, to place the whole financial burden of the war on persons whose incomes of more than $5,000 per year has been endorsed in high Government circles.

The greatest significance was placed on the sudden action of leading pacifists because of belief that they are in close communication with Washington leaders. While they insisted they still "hope for peace" their action indicates that their "hope is practically dead."

The committee has called for signatures to a pledge to demand legislation for a special war income tax, on all incomes over $5,000. The schedule calls for a tax of 2½ per cent. on all incomes of $5,000 to $10,000 a year. It calls for legislation limiting net profits on all war supplies to 2½ per cent., and provides that no wholesale or retail dealers shall sell foodstuffs or other necessities at a greater profit than 6 per cent. during the war.

GERMANY MAY HAVE RECOGNIZED STATE OF WAR

By United Press:

Washington, March 31.—Germany may have recognized that a state of war exists between her and the United States, according to an interpretation today by the State Department, of Count Foreign Minister Zimmerman's speech. This was based on the published quotation of Zimmerman's remark, saying: "It (the United States) cannot deny us the right to seek allies when it has itself practically declared war on us."

The State Department would not interpret the remark as full official recognition of a state of war, but said the remark "might be" so interpreted.

This angle of the international situation probably will be injected into President Wilson's speech to Congress Monday. He can argue that Germany already holds that a state of war exists, basing it on the Zimmerman statement, and that hence there need be little argument as to the fact of the situation.

The State Department pointed out in answer to Zimmerman that Count von Bernstorff must have known in the middle of January that a break in relations between the two countries was inevitable, in view of Germany's submarine campaign; that he tried to avoid a break, but though Germany had a three-day period between her submarine war declaration and the actual break, he made no move to avoid the apparent coming rupture.

ANOTHER GERMAN RAIDER IN ATLANTIC SINKS SHIPS

By United Press:

Rio de Janeiro, March 31.—Two hundred and sixty-five men and two women survivors of eleven steamships and sailing vessels sunk in the Atlantic brought into port today another amazing German raider story. They arrived on the French bark Cambronne.

The new German raider, called the Sea Adder, they said, is a sailing vessel with auxiliary gasoline engines flying the Norwegian flag and heavily armed.

The survivors said many of those aboard the eleven ships destroyed had been drowned or killed in the sinking of the vessels.

The raider left Germany December 22. Most of her victims were overhauled and sunk in the vicinity of Trinidad. Her present whereabouts are unknown.

BRITISH TAKE FIVE CITIES IN FRANCE

(By Wm. Phillips Simms, with the British army in France), March 31.—British troops today swept forward in a mile advance over a seven-mile front in the Hendicourt region, seriously menacing the important German base city, San Quentin.

Five cities were captured in this sweep toward the Hindenburg line. The ground gained constitutes an advance of a mile and a half over the recently-won line of battle against the Prussians.

The towns occupied by the British in the advance today were Hendicourt, St., Emilie, Vermand, Marteville, and Soyecourt.

TIMELY VISIT UPSETS PLANS OF BURGLARS

When George H. Beiser, of this city, visited his hotel, the Everett House, at Sparta, on Thursday, he could not have selected a more opportune time, for if he had delayed the trip until yesterday he would have found all his silverware, table linen and canned goods had been stolen. Upon his arrival at the hotel he was startled to find canned goods peciced up in the kitchen ready to be moved. A lighted lamp was on the floor.

Going into the dining room he found silverware and linen piled up on a table all ready to be taken away. Mr. Beiser then concluded that thieves had been at work. This belief was confirmed when he found a stranger in the office of the hotel. In answer to a question as to why he was there the man said he was looking for something to eat. While explaining to Mr. Beiser how he effected an entrance to the hotel, the burglar made his escape, but the owner is still shaking hands with himself when he thinks how fortunately he timed his visit to Sparta.

APPEAL FOR FLAG FUND FINDS READY RESPONSE

Impressed by the appeal of Francis L. Montgomery for a fund with which to erect a city flag pole opposite the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Miss Mary Gerken, in a letter to Mr. Montgomery, says she will be willing to contribute $1 to the fund and also gives the name of Henry Covey, of this city, as another contributor.

Mr. Motorist

Read Plainfield Storage Battery Co. ad. on page 2.—Adv.

QUARTET CHOIR WILL SING "THE CRUCIFIXION"

A special Lenten musical service will be held in the First Methodist Church tomorrow evening. The oratorio "The Crucifixion" by Stainer will be sung by a double quartet, and a male quartet will sing the offertory. This oratorio is one of the oldest of the Lenten oratorios, and while it may have been sung many times still its message is always refreshing and inspiring especially at this season of the year.

The following comprise the membership of the double quartet: Laura Gustafson and Lella Watson, sopranos; Grace Hornby and Esther Hofer, contraltos; Alexander MacGowan and Elmer Cutting, tenors; Edgar Cole and William Smith, baritones. These special services are given under the direction of Clifford A. Brasher, organist and director. The public is cordially invited to attend this service.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Special to the Courier-News:

Elizabeth, March 31.—William Weaver pleaded not guilty in the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday afternoon to stealing an auto in Plainfield. He will be tried during the May term.

TO VISIT WASHINGTON

Miss Ethel Hall and Miss Sadie Redfield, of 121 West Fifth street, will spend next week taking in the sights at Washington, D. C.

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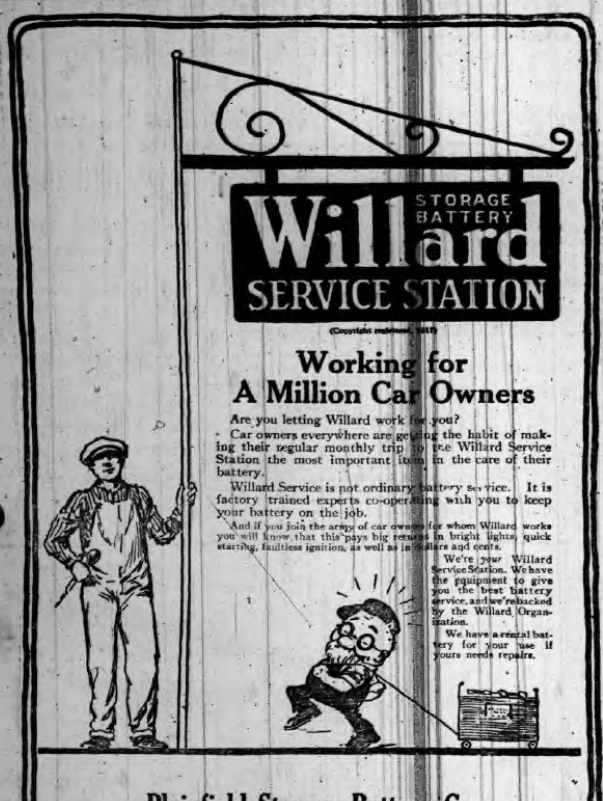

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Y. M. C. A. BOYS WILL HAVE A RUBBER DAY

Saturday, April 7, from 2 to 5 in the afternoon, about 25 boys representing the Employed Boys' Department and the High School Group will visit as many homes in the city for old rubbers and any other salable material which might be gathered in this time of spring cleaning. We are hoping that everybody will help the boys in this work and encourage them in their effort to raise $50.00 to support the Y. M. C. A. work in the country, State, and especially special work done for the soldiers on the foreign field, and for what special effort might be put forth for our own soldiers who have been called to duty in case of need.

Whatever you have on hand that you know can be sold as junk please be ready to give to the boys as they call at your house; or if we are notified in advance, either by 'phone or postal card, we will make special effort to call at any time you may suggest.

The boys will appreciate your co-operation and you will be glad to have had a share in the work which is benefiting large numbers of boys and men in the country and State as well as in our own city. Start to gather all the old rubber you have about and give it to the boys on Saturday, April 7.

COLONIA HOME IS OFFERED AS HOSPITAL

Rahway, March 31.—Mrs. Charles D. Freeman has offered her house in Colonia to Governor Edge, to be used as a hospital, if needed, the building to be equipped as a hospital by the Mercy Committee of New Jersey.

The Freeman home is one of the finest residences in this section of the State. It was erected about eight years ago and is located in the hills of Colonia. It commands a view of the surrounding country for miles.

In addition to the large reception hall and parlors there are bed room suites with baths on the ground floor and many rooms on the upper floors. A porch extends around the entire building.

FRELINGHUYSEN WILL SUPPORT THE PRESIDENT

Washington, March 31.—Senator Frelinghuysen returned to the Capitol yesterday, prepared for the convening of the extraordinary session of Congress Monday. The Senator called at the White House to pay his respects and assured Secretary Tumulty the President would receive vigorous support from him in the international situation.

Senator Hughes is expected to return today. He has been at home undergoing medical treatment.

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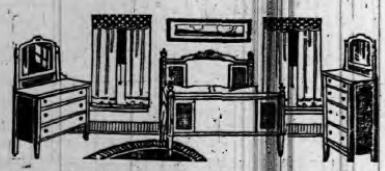

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Swedish Lutheran Church, East Seventh street; the Rev. Carl Anderson, pastor.—Sunday School at 3 p. m.; Young People's Society at 6.30 p. m.; preaching at 8 p. m.

Rescue Mission, Babcock building, Madison avenue, John LaMatty superintendent: James F. Parker is to give a Gospel address at 8 o'clock. Special music by the Mission Choir.

Special notice: All programes of Easter music expected to be published prior to Easter in church notices must be in this office Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Unless this notice is observed, publication of the same can not be guaranteed.

Grace Church, East Seventh street, one block from Park avenue.—Services: 7.30 a. m., celebration of the Holy Communion; 10.30 a. m., morning prayer, Litany and sermon (First Sunday, Holy Communion); 2 p. m., Sunday School; 4.30 p. m., evensong; 8 p. m., preaching service.

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues; the Rev. Edward S. Ralston, pastor.—Preaching at 11 a. m.; subject, "Behold the King Cometh." At 7.45 p. m., a beautiful service of picture, song and story, illustrated by stereopticon slides. Subject, "The Look of Jesus."

Christian and Missionary Alliance, Craig place and Dover street; the Rev. F. Y. Lininger, pastor.—Preaching service tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Bible study on the Book of Revelations Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Brief message on subject "The Hosannas of Little Children."

Christian and special prayer Friday at 3 p. m.

Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Liberty street, near West Third street; the Rev. A. D. Jones, pastor.—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. on "The Messianic Profession." Sunday School at 3 p. m.; Communion service at 8 p. m.; Baptist Young People's Union at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Bethel Chapel, East Fifth and Washington streets; the Rev. W. L. Imes, pastor.—Preaching morning and evening on the following subjects: Morning, "If My Kingdom Were of This World"; evening, "The Meaning of Brotherhood." Sabbath School at 3.30; Christian Endeavor Society consecration service at 6.45.

Park Avenue Baptist Church, Park avenue and East Ninth street, Rev. Birney S. Hudson, pastor: Regular Palm Sunday service in the morning with the observance of Communion and the reception of members. "The Triumph of Democracy" or "The Religious Meaning of the Russian Revolution" will be Dr. Hudson's subject at the evening subject.

All Souls' Unitarian Church, Park avenue, near West Eighth street; the Rev. John Bailey, minister.—Morning service, 10.45; sermon subject, "The Rest That Is Glory." The minister's class will take up the study of the Gospel of St. John tomorrow. The Unity Club meets at the minister's home, 917 Madison avenue, Tuesday evening.

Trinity Reformed Church, West Second street, near Clark avenue; the Rev. John Y. Brock, pastor.—At the morning service at 10.30 Dr. Howard J. Strick, of China, will speak. Bible School and St. Paul's Brotherhood at 2.30. Christian Endeavor Society at 6.45, with Harold C. Gayle as leader. At the evening service at 7.45 the pastor preaches on the Book of Revelations Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Brief message on subject "The Hosannas of Little Children."

First Presbyterian Church, East Front, head of Church street, Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor: Dr. Herring exchanges pulpits with the Rev. Charles M. Anderson of the First M. E. Church in the morning. Dr. Herring's evening subject will be "Land of the Pilgrim's Pride." Services each evening next week, excepting Wednesday. Communion service Thursday evening. Topics from the words of Christ for each day.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Babcock building, 240 West Front street.—Services: Sunday morning, 11 o'clock; Wednesday evening meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healing, at 8 o'clock; Sunday School for pupils under the age of twenty. Sunday morning at 10.45, reading room open daily from 2 to 5 p. m., except Sundays and legal holidays; subject of lesson sermon, "Reality." Golden text, Ezekiel, 37:22.

Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Crescent avenue and East Seventh street, Rev. Dr. John S. Zelie, pastor: Regular services tomorrow with appropriate Palm Sunday sermon and music at the morning service at 10:30. Sunday school and Young Men's Bible class at 12 o'clock noon, immediately following the morning service. At 4:45 the organist, D. E. Mettler Davis, will give the third of a series of Wagner recitals. Regular preaching service follows at 5 o'clock.

Watchung Avenue Presbyterian Church, Fairview and Watchung avenues, the Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey, pastor.—Morning service tomorrow, celebration of the Lord's Supper; evening sermon by the pastor; subject, "Entering In." Sunday School and Berean Bible Class, 9.45. The regular prayer meeting next Wednesday evening will be omitted on account of the Hiederwolf meeting in the Plainfield High School. Special sermon by the pastor Good Friday, April 6, at 8 p. m.

Hope Chapel, West Fourth street head of John street; the Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor.—Preaching at 10.45 on "The Exaltation of Christ," with special music by the volunteer choir. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Special song service for men at 2.30 p. m. Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 7 p. m. The hymns, "The Holy City" and "The Palms," will be sung by the choir at the evening service at 7.45 and illustrated by stereopticon slides. Short evangelistic stereopticon address by the pastor. Special evangelistic services each evening next week.

Christian Science Society in Plainfield, 128 East Seventh street, between Park and Watchung avenues. Services: Sunday, 11 a. m.; subject of the lesson-sermon, "Reality." Golden Text, Ezekiel, 37:22—"I will make them one nation in the land upon the mountains of Israel, and one king shall be king to them all; and they shall be no more two nations; neither shall they be divided into two kingdoms any more at all." Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m., meeting with testimonies of healing. The reading room is open each week day from 2 to 5 p. m., and all are welcome.

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The World War a Year Ago Today—March 31.

Germans captured the village of Vaux, in Verdun area, by night assault.

Zeppelin airship L-15 destroyed by gunfire during a raid over England. The machine fell at the mouth of the Thames, the crew being rescued.

Two Years Ago Today.

A French and a British steamer torpedoed off the English east coast.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1917.

ALL IN THE VIEWPOINT

All the quarrels, disputes, hostilities and even the war between nations may be directly traceable to some misunderstanding between two individuals, which spreads until it involves a few or many others depending upon its importance. Then after awhile the real cause of the difference is lost to sight, but the fight goes on, and sometimes the belligerents do not really know what they are fighting about. This general observation may apply to affairs in the home circle, as well as to war among nations. It all depends upon the viewpoint. For nearly three years all Europe has been in the maelstrom of war which threatens to involve the whole world, and yet not a soldier in either army knows the slightest reason why he should be hurling deadly missiles at his opponent. He only knows that to do so is the order of his commander. This fact has much to do with opening the eyes of the rank and file of people so they will begin to ask why some one man who differs with one of another country for a real or imaginary cause should possess the power to order all the people of his domain under arms, and to stand up for targets to be shot at by others with whom they have no quarrel. This question has found its way among the Russian people and the result has been to depose the autocrat who could order them, under arms, with or without their consent, *and a new form of government is* under way in that country. The present war has progressed beyond the point where human life is regarded for a moment and human beings are moved about the field of battle the wooden pawns on a chess board and with as little feeling on the part of the commanders as they would have in a game of chess, regardless of human life and the flesh that feels hurts as sensitively as their own. Viewed from each opposing faction in the narrow sense, the other side is regarded as in the wrong by those in authority, regardless of the selfish, unwarranted motives of those who promoted the war. At that stage of the conflict the carnage must go on to a finish in order to justify the loss of blood and treasure. The present conflict has developed into a war between the classes and the masses—the autocratic rule of despots and their subjects, and is the penalty that the world has to pay for permitting the existence of militarism. It shows that each nation in order to be safe, must be as strong in military equipment and prepared-ness as every other one, for militarism is no respecter of persons. It is a relic of barbarism when uncivilized peoples took anything they wanted from their weaker neighbors. It necessitated preparedness of all peoples who would save their own from incursions of greedy or envious highway robbers. The advance of civilization has not eliminated warfare or highway robbery among nations but, on the contrary, has developed the most satanic engines of destruction of human life, against which no argument can prevail, except equal preparedness in the highly-refined art of war. It is truly said that we must fight the devil with fire and have a little better fire than he has in order to win the cause for the right.

WOMEN IN PREPAREDNESS

One feature of the present history of this country that is not fully appreciated, is the activity and the genuine service done by the women in making the United States ready for the emergency which will be very apparent with the outbreak of war, which now seems imminent. Plainfield women have been particularly active in marshalling their forces for activity of one sort or another to take the places of men needed. For two years past Plainfield women have devoted time and effort to providing raiment and comfort bags for soldiers in hospitals in war-stricken Europe, and now that the call has come for a continuation of these efforts, but for use at home they are still the loyal, self-sacrificing ones whose sympathies are always touched by the note of sorrow or suffering. There is hardly any community of the size of Plainfield which enlists the interest and energies of women more thoroughly in the cause of humanity more than this city. One touch of sorrow makes the whole world kin and Plainfield women have responded to the call of the suffering in a noble way that must commend itself to all people. But for them many of the deserving which have been provided for the war sufferers would have been lacking and many a poor fellow would have gone to the grave without realising that someone thought of him as one of the great mass of humanity that has been poured into the vortex of death for a principle, for home and country. It has in some cases been the only recognition that he was aware of for giving his life for his country. His country has not been unmindful of his service, but too often the chapters of appreciation are placed on the head of the homebstone, rather than on the head of the hero while he was living. Now that the interest in humanity has centered itself upon the needs nearer home the Plainfield women are renewing their devotion to the cause of humanity by preparing for emergencies nearer home. Father, brother and sons are thinking of the call that may be made on them and the women are training for national service in its broadest meaning through all the activities open to them. They cannot bear arms, but they can exercise a maternal devotion that is inherent in their nature in the alleviation of suffering. The thing that is most apparent to the observer is that the women, not only of Plainfield, but all over this great country, have been preparing for emergency, in stimulation of patriotism and in efficiency. The woman was last at the crucifixion of the Saviour and the first at His resurrection, and so through all the ages the boulder has been pertinent:

"Blessings on the hand of woman."

HE KEPT US OUT OF WAR

President Wilson owes his re election to the Presidency in no small measure to the people who, regardless of politics, voted for him under the slogan "He kept us out of war." President Wilson has kept us out of war and in doing so has been criticized harshly by the war people, and in some measure has been criticized by those who do not want war—for being too patient as he has. Now, however, President Wilson is confronted with only one alternative, and that is to lay down the law to that country which has tempted a peaceful nation beyond the limits of patience by wantonness, ruthlessness, defiance of all humane instincts, and taunted us into the attitude for war. When President Wilson has stood all he can of this sort of thing, after keeping us out of war for two years, it is time for those who voted for him on that ground to get behind him and give him all possible support. He will say some things next Monday to Congress which will make the whole world sit up and listen. This is not the time to listen to pacifists, nor for them to take the time of listeners to reel off their plaints which urge a cowardly submission to the continuation of the crime of the seas, so long as an inexcusable autocracy which is responsible for this crime feels disposed to keep it up. Pacificism savors very strongly of pro-Prussianism, and whether all the pacifists are pro-Prussian or not the sympathies of those who may not be in sympathy with it are counted by that class to help oppose what the real Americans are doing for the patriotism of their country. This is the time to think of the words of a patriot of the Revolution, who said: "We must hang together or we shall hang separately."

EDITORIAL NOTES

Some men believe in the model town movement so strongly that they are willing to serve on a committee that never meets.

The cooks and waiters of Washington have no doubt had a hard time through the inauguration season, but they should reflect on how much more overworked the barkeepers were.

Intense enthusiasm is manifested for the home vegetable garden this year, of course on the understanding that the wives will do the weeding.

The public would view with some calmness the burning up of shipments of potatoes provided they were owned by food speculators and weren't insured.

It is still permitted to speak the English language in Congress without asking permission of any European king.

The Pacifists would highly approve of the army if it practised Delsarte and was armed with popguns.

Anyway the "leak" investigation has given would be speculators a more intelligent idea of where they can set at leaks and take advantage of them.

It is pointed out that $40,500,000 in gold bars that J. P. Morgan imported would be nearly half a dollar a piece should he decide to dispose of it by a general distribution. Our chance at a share is hereby offered for about one millionth of a mill.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

New Jersey to the Bar

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

A few days ago while awaiting in the smoking room of one of our hotels the arrival of a person with whom I had a business appointment I heard a statement made that, it is to be hoped, has no foundation in fact:

At a nearby table a party of four men were seated, enjoying, apparently, their after-dinner cigars. After a short interval of silence, during which strict attention was given to the serious business of getting their cigars properly under way, one of them said, addressing his neighbor on the right: "Well, Frank, what do you think of the war situation today? I don't mean its European aspect, for that concerns us not at all, but how it looms up in regards to American intervention. What do you think of your President's stand in the matter?"

The man addressed as Frank—a big man, gray of hair and shrewd of eye, apparently a successful business man—did not at once reply; instead, he began to turn his cigar slowly around between his fingers; all his attention seemed to be fixed on the little mound of silvery ash above its red rim of fire. After a few contemplative whiffs he answered his friend's question, saying: 'George, these are mighty serious days, and from personal experience I will say that it is a wee bit dangerous for any person holding pro-German opinions or sympathies to give audible expression to them anywhere within the boundary lines of this State. Maybe I am wrong, but if history speaks with the tongue of truth and the voice of the 'man on the street' speaks the language of his heart, then I am constrained to believe that the hand of Americanism prevailing in this State today is much the same as that which predominated during the days of the American Revolution.

"Then, if I have read the story of those days aright, that Honorable King of England, George III, found far, far more sympathy and aid here in his efforts to keep his rebellious 'colonies of North America' beneath the bondage of his despotic will than did General Washington in his heroic struggle to set them free. The well-armed, well-fed, well-clothed Hessian troopers of the King found a warmer welcome there than did Washington's ill-armed, half-starved ragged 'Legions of Liberty.'

"Then, as now, the secret, open warfare of the 'talking treachery' the power of an European King was used to humiliate us. They, as now, our ships were sunk, our citizens imprisoned or murdered, and our property destroyed. And it seems to me that today, William Hughes from New Jersey no greater measure of sympathy in his defense of the American principles of mercy, justice and freedom than was doled out to Washington one hundred and forty-one years ago."

The arrival of my party and the taking up of the business in hand prevented me from hearing any answer to his statement.

What should have been the answer, oh, ye wise men and sachems of New Jersey?

J. WATSON.

Answers W. Delarobe Anderson

To the Editor of the Courier-News:

I beg to take exception to remarks of W. Delarobe Anderson regarding the proposed State police that have appeared twice in these columns. Mr. Anderson's premises are as incorrect as his conclusions are inconsidered. Permit me briefly to review the history of such organizations in other States.

The most notable example is the State constabulary of Pennsylvania. The rural districts of that State as well as certain of the manufacturing centres, were in a state of terrorism, due, perhaps, to the introduction of large numbers of "foreigners," who were both ignorant and regardless of the law. Shootings, knife affrays and hold-ups flourished in the country; riots and disorder increased in the cities. The constables and deputies, by which Mr. Anderson sets so much store, were jeered at and disregarded. Some remedy had to be found.

Into this confusion of unchecked crime and license four mounted troops were introduced in 1906. Arrests were made in large numbers the first years, decreasing finally as the lawless elements appreciated the earnestness and efficiency of the police. Arrests were made without the use of firearms, as a rule, but the officer invariably "got" his man.

The State police took charge of such situations as, one, to cite but one instance, in which the Philadelphia City Reserves, the crack infantry organization, had been ingloriously put to rout by the street car rioters. They never interfere in labor troubles unless there is disorder. The disorderly fear them; the law-abiding citizen respects them and calls upon them in his need.

The only other instances of such an organization in this country are the Texas Rangers, so glorious memory, and the New York watershed police; in Canada, the Northwest mounted police. Can any thinking person at all familiar with the operations and politics of these doubt for one moment their value to the State?

It seems to me that we have plenty of instances before us in New Jersey of the tremendous need for such a trained and non-political body of State police. Think I need cite only the Roosevelt killings and the Bayonne disorders. Both would have been prevented by such an organization, and aside from the lives saved and the guilty brought to the bar, property many times exceeding the amount Mr. Anderson grudges to establish such a force, would have been saved and the name of the State of New Jersey would never have suffered the disgrace of confessed inability to deal with such situations.

BROCKHOLST K. MILLER.

Departure of Company K

To the Editor of Courier-News:

The leaving of Company K yesterday, without the appreciative send off that all their friends and admirers in Plainfield wanted to give them is indeed to be regretted.

The hour of their going was not known in time for publicity to be given, and many who saw them passing through the streets thought they were drilling preparatory to a later departure, and so the public was deprived of a chance to evidence its good will.

May I, for one, apologize through your paper, to these brave young men and wish them God-speed.

I know there are many others who regret this matter as much as I do.

Thanking you for your attention,

Very truly yours,

MARY DE P. CHARLES.
(Mrs. J. M. Charles)

[The Courier-News also regrets the fact that the order for Company K to go to Elizabeth was not known in time for a notice so that friends of the members could have seen them off. The order to the military men came by telegraph, and often on such short notice that no opportunity is given for advance publicity. The promptness with which the boys respond to the orders, however, shows that they are always ready.—Ed.]

Public Library Notes

NUTRITION BULLETIN.

Displayed on the Bulletin Board in the *Reading Room* are 15 charts on the composition of food materials prepared by Mr. C. F. Langworthy, expert in charge of nutrition investigations, U. S. Department of Agriculture. The amount of protein, fat, carbohydrates, ash, water, and the fuel value in calories are displayed in color for each of the following classes of foods:

Milk and milk products.
Eggs and cheese.
Meat, fresh and cured.
Fish, fish products and oysters.
Butter and other fat yielding foods.
Cereal grains.
Bread and other cereal foods.
Sugar and similar foods.
Roots and succulent vegetables.
Legumes and corn.
Fresh and dried fruit.
Fruit and fruit products.
Nuts and nut products.
Chart on the composition, functions and uses of food.
Chart on dietary standards.

A Selected List of Books

Bailey—Source, Chemistry and Use of Food Products.
Calories in the Edible Portion of a Number of Foods. (Journal of Home Economics, Feb., 1916.)
Chittenden—Nutrition of Man.
Chittenden—Physiological Economy in Nutrition; with special reference to the mineral proteid requirement of the healthy man.
Conley—Nutrition and Diet, chapters on nutritive and fuel values of foods; the balanced meal, planning of meals and menus with tables showing calories in foods.
Forbes—Mineral Nutrients in Practical Human Dietetics (Journal of Home Economics, March, 1916.)
Kinne & Cooley—Foods (in their Foods and Household Management.
Langworthy—Food Selection for Rational and Economical Living. (Journal of Home Economics, June, 1916.)
Lond—Health and Longevity Through Rational Diet; practical hints in regard to food and the usefulness or harmful effects of the various articles of diet.
Marye—Economy of Food; a popular treatise on nutrition, food and diet.
Norton—Food and Dietetics, with charts and tables on composition of foods, etc.
Rumford Kitchen Leaflets; plain words about food. Partial contents:
Chemistry of proteid foods.
Digestibility of proteid foods.
Proteids in our daily fare.
Chemistry of fats and carbo-hydrates.
Digestion and nutritive value of the carbohydrates.
Place of fats in nutrition.
Food of school children and young students.
Prophylactic and therapeutic value of fats.
Good food for little money.
Sager—Art of Living in Good Health; a practical guide to well-being through proper eating, etc.
Wiley—Not by Bread Alone; the principles of human nutrition with tables showing the composition and fuel value of foods.

Farmers' Bulletins:

No. 34—Woods, Meats; composition and cooking, with table showing the chemical composition and fuel value per pound of different kinds of meat.
No. 74—Atwater. Milk as food with table giving the nutritive value of milk as compared with other foods.
No. 85—Langworthy. Fish as Food with table giving the nutritive value of the different kinds of fish.
No. 93—Abel. Sugar as Food.
No. 138—Langworthy. Eggs and Their Uses as Food.
No. 142—Atwater. Principles of Nutrition and Nutritive Value of Food.

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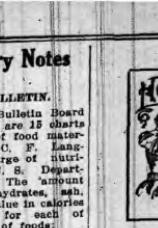

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Classified Advertising

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WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED—Farm with or without house; must not exceed $1,200. E. Lindgren, 250 Pacific street, Brooklyn, N. Y. 3-22-3t

WANTED—Farm, 6-10 acres with house, fruit trees, near Plainfield. "Farm Hunter," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

HAVE CLIENTS for houses in all parts of the city. What have you that you want rented? W. F. Wilson, Real Estate, 1225 West Front street. 2-23-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

LARGE furnished room to let; suitable for light housekeeping. 80 Chatham street. 3-29-3t

TO LET—Pleasant and convenient rooms, reasonable; private family; no children. 705 West Front street. 3-31-2t

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, improvements, near Saurer's, and Pond's. Housekeeping privileges. 1139 South Second street. 3-31-6t

FURNISHED ROOM, with private family. 306 East Front street. 3-31-6t

FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 'Phone 539-M. 3-30-2t

FURNISHED ROOM to let, suitable for two gentlemen, in private family. 617 East Sixth street. 3-31-3t

NEWLY furnished large and small rooms to let; board optional. 326 and 322 East Front street. 'Phone 501-R. 3-27-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS by day or week; Address New York Lunch Room and Restaurant. 3-14-tf

TO LET—ROOMS

THREE ROOMS, large pantry, first floor, all improvements, bath, range, gas range, gas water heater, stationary tubs. 229 Netherwood avenue. 3-30-3t; 4-2

THREE-ROOM apartment, all improvements, or would rent singly. Apply 316 West Sixth street. 3-19-1m

WANTED—TO BUY

SETTING HENS wanted; will pay good price. Address 148 Grove street. 3-6-1m

HOUSE WANTED with improvements; about six rooms; near station. 'Phone 2488-J. 3-27-1m

WANTED—50 posts, 7 to 8 feet long. 1200 West Seventh street. 'Phone 1639-W. 3-28-4t

WANTED—Old china, silver, Sheffield plate, brass, glass, handpieces, samplers, silhouettes (shadow pictures); no dealers. Address "Private Collector," care Courier-News. 3-31-3t

WANTED—Good bicycle frame or cheap second-hand wheels. Marshall, 31 Compton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-30-3t

SINGLE or double house in West End, with or without improvements; must be cheap; will pay cash; state particulars. "D. M.," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

D. FRANKEL & SON pays highest cash prices for old autos and all kinds of junk. 316 Plainfield avenue. Telephone 2432. 6-16-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

MONDAY, APRIL 2d
Mrs. Smiley will be in Plainfield to exhibit her beautiful Madeira, Fillet Imported Linens, Baby Dresses, Crepe de Chine Kimonos, Lingerie, etc., at Importers' Special Prices. Shown at residences. Now booking appointments. Write C. M. Smiley, 142 Audubon avenue, New York City. 3-29-3t

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS—Developing, printing and enlarging. Fred E. Sebring, at Walth's Central Pharmacy, North and Watchung avenues. "Particular Work for Particular People." 3-22-tf

M. L. VAN DER VEER, LADIES' HATTER, 110 DEPOT PARK, originator of styles which enhance individuality. 3-20-tf

NOW IS THE TIME to have your furniture upholstered and repaired; fair prices; first-class work. Foster's Upholstery Shop, 715 East Third street. 3-26-28-29-31

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JOB PRINTING of quality is our specialty. No job too big, none too small to receive our careful, prompt attention. Give us an opportunity to figure on your printing requirements. The Courier-News Publishing Company, 220 Park avenue. 'Phone 940. 3-14-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Bungalow property on Johnston Drive. Albert Steiner, 197 Somerset street. Tel. 1824-W, evenings. 3-10-1m

FOR SALE—Farm 80 acres; splendid cultivation; nicely located, three miles from Princeton. Augustus Duryea, Somerville, N. J. 1-31-2taw-26t

ACREAGE 5 to 20, brook, fruit, with or without house, suitable for nursery, truck, poultry, near Bound Brook. Address Box 11, care Courier-News. 3-27-5t

FOR SALE—300 building lots on installments, five dollars down, other payments to be arranged. I also have a few houses that can be bought on easy payments. M. F. Gano, 315 Watchung avenue. 10-9-tf-*

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE or exchange for nice home in Plainfield, beautiful country home consisting of about nineteen acres very productive land, abundance of fruit, berries, etc.; modern house of 12 rooms with improvements; large well, plenty of outbuildings, high elevation, view of twenty miles, pure air, water, freedom from mosquitoes, right at depot, 45 minutes from Plainfield on Central Railroad; fully stocked, ready for profit and pleasure. P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 3-29-3t

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COLES, Cadillacs, Overlands, Stevens-Duress, Mitchell, Regal 1917, 150 miles; Matlon Coupe, Haynes Premier. Used Car Manager, 404 Broad street, Newark, N.J. 'Phone 9480 Market. 3-30-2t

OVERLAND for sale, 1916, model 83, five-passenger touring car. Miller Jackson Co., 333 West Front street, Plainfield. 3-28-4t

FOR SALE—1916-11 Cadillac, newly painted and overhauled, reasonable. Can be seen Sunday after 1 o'clock, 68 Willow avenue. Phone 3216. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—1912 Buick touring car, first-class shape; price reasonable. Inquire A. F. Osmon, 360 New Market road, Dunellen, N. J. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—1915 Buick roadster, electric lights and starter, $400. 7 Regent street. 3-29-6t

FOR SALE—Messenger Maxwell runabout, fine condition, cheap for quick cash. Can be seen evenings, Saturday afternoon or on Sundays. Claude Penrose, New Market, N. J. 3-30-2t

FIVE-PASSENGER Cadillac touring; five-passenger Marathon; five-passenger Buick; Stoddard-Dayton roadster; Metz roadster; two 1915 5-passenger Maxwells; all in A-1 condition. 3-31; 4-3-4

TWO CHALMERS, 1916; King, 1913; Hudson, 1914; Oldsmobiles, 1915 and 1916. Apply 180 East Front street, or 915 South avenue. 3-16-f-s-tf

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, just overhauled, in quick order; $100. "C. N." care Courier-News. 3-28,29-31; 4-2

HUPMOBILE, model 20, runabout, latest type, fully equipped, overhauled and repainted; ready to go anywhere; cheaper to run than a Ford; bargain for cash. Address "Private Owner," care Courier-News. 3-30-3t

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1916 OVERLAND roadster, first-class condition; recently overhauled; bargain. Automobile Co., 304 Park avenue. 3-28-tf

TO LET—FLATS

FIVE ROOMS, with bath; all light rooms. 438 Watchung avenue, corner East Fifth street.

FOR RENT—April 1st, cosy five-room flat, all improvements. Inquire Murray's Auction Rooms, 326 West Front street. 'Phone 666. 3-6-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

RESPECTABLE woman wants washing home. 230 East Fourth street. Smith. 3-28-4t

EXPERT maker of all kinds of draperies, curtains, slip covers and cushions; terms reasonable. Address "H. M. S.," care Courier-News. 3-27-6t

GOOD STENOGRAPHER wishes a position; salary $15.00. Address "Stenographer," care Courier-News. 3-31-2t

COLORED WOMAN wants laundry work for Wednesday and Thursday; references. 333 Cottage place. 3-30-3t

YOUNG LADY wishes position as companion or position in household with children for afternoons. "X. Y. Z.," care Courier-News. 3-30-4t

YOUNG LADY desires position as cashier or office assistant, experienced in filing and 'phone work; references. 'Phone 2183-J. 3-30-2t

POLISH WOMAN wishes work by day; is good laundress. 725 South Second street. 3-30-2t

HIGH CLASS DRESSMAKER open for engagements either by day or at home. Address "K. P.," care Courier-News. 3-26-6t

RELIABLE colored waitress serves parties and lunches. 'Phone 2088-W. 3-3-1m

NEW PALACE HOUSES, Putnam avenue, beautiful finish, 2 baths, etc. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

CHAUFFEUR, 4 years' experience, wishes position in shop or on truck; do repairs and willing. "Chauffeur," care Courier-News. 3-27-5t

GARDENER open for engagement; thorough experience in all branches under glass and out-doors. "T. H. M.," care Courier-News. 3-29-3t

EXPERIENCED chauffeur, colored, wants a position (private); willing to assist with outside work; reference furnished. Address "Chauffeur 33," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

CHAUFFEUR—Will drive by appointment for private family. Runyon, 41 Fairview avenue, or 'phone 1660.

DAY'S WORK WANTED—Rugs, floors, windows, screens, odd jobs, handy man; careful, experienced, reliable, reference. Mail orders answered promptly. "Daniel," 821 Webster place. 3-31-6t

CARPENTER—A. Wilson, 125 Elmwood place. Jobbing. 'Phone 1807-M. 11-9-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN—On mortgage. Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot Park. 4-20-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on improved city property. Harry C. Runyon, First National Bank Building. 12-7-tf

MONEY TO LOAN—First mortgage security; property centrally located. L. J. Hubbard, attorney, Babcock building. 3-9-tf-*

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WILL BUY your second mortgage for cash; state particulars and price wanted. "R. S.," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. "Private," care Courier-News. 3-15-tf

$2,800 TO LOAN on first mortgage; will divide. Stephen Knox, The Stirling Building. City. 3-30-2t

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage at 5 and 5½ per cent. Lamar Van Syckel, 146 Park avenue. 3-16-f-tu-th-sa-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. You repay it in small monthly amounts, and in few years your home is free. Apply Home Building and Loan Association, Plainfield, N. J. 11-16-eod-tf

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgage. H. R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955. 12-2-tf

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGE. MILFORD, OPPOSITE DEPOT. 12-23-tf

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS TO LET with board. Detweiler, 514 Madison avenue. 3-1-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS, board optional; improvements. 125 North avenue. 3-13-1m

SUITE OF ROOMS with private bath, also other rooms with board. Mrs. A. L. Waldorf, 124 Cresent avenue. 3-26-1m

FURNISHED ROOM, improvements; board optional; central location. Address "C. D.," care Courier-News. 3-21-3t

ROOMS TO LET with board; desirable location. 21 Stanford avenue. 3-22-1m

DESIRABLE BOARD. 223 East Fifth street. 3-8-1m

TO LET—MISCELLANEOUS

TO LET—Store, Somerset and Summit avenue, suitable for druggist. 12-30-tf

STORE, 18x58, Arlington avenue, near Randolph road, 12-foot ceiling, gas and electricity, $24.00. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. 3-27-tf

TO RENT—100 acres at Watchung, P. O. Box 171, Watchung, N. J. 3-29-3t

FOR RENT—Fine store in Somerville. Inquire 1 West Main street, Henry Reimer, Somerville, N. J. 3-29-6t

FOR RENT—Farm of 20 acres; house 8 rooms. Apply T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 3-31-tf

GARAGE TO LET, corner Front and Somerset streets. Inquire Silbert's Jewelry Store. 3-31-tf

FOR RENT—Brick building, 35 feet by 40, two floors; suitable for light manufacturing or auto repair shop. On Fourth street, near Park avenue. Apply B. Mann, grocer. 3-29-3t

FOR RENT—50 acres of land in North Plainfield. J. T. Vail, 177 North avenue. 3-27-tf

TO LET—Offices in the Front Building. Inquire Courier-News. 7-8-tf

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN WANTED—To buy $15, $19, $20 sample suits at half price. Come, convince yourself. Sample Clothing Store, 210 Watchung avenue, Plainfield. 6-18-tf

WANTED—First-class white man for outside and inside work. Call 262 West Seventh street. 3-19-tf

GARDENER—Experienced man wanted two days a week; all season, in North Plainfield. Address, stating experience and wages wanted, "Experienced," care Courier-News. 3-24-tf

MAN WANTED—Preferably one who can drive Ford delivery car. Jos. W. Gavett. 3-28-tf

WANTED—A man on a small country place to take care of garden, horse and to drive and make himself generally useful; must be experienced, single and absolutely sober; best references required. Address "Man," care Courier-News. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Young man, about 18 years of age. Apply E. A. Lathe, 181 West Front street. 3-28-tf

BOY WANTED INTELLIGENT WHITE BOY, ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO DELIVER ORDERS ON WHEEL AND BE GENERALLY USEFUL AROUND DAIRY. APPLY PLAIN FIELD MILK & CREAM CO., 112 WATCHUNG AVENUE. 3-26-6t

WANTED—Salesmen, grand opportunity for several widewake men. Call or write Sterling Tire Corporation, 333 West Front street. 3-29-3t

WANTED—Colored chauffeurs for light delivery; good references required. Box 82, care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

WANTED—Night watchman, also sweeper. Apply Herfelder & Mills, 26 Washington avenue, Plainfield. 3-30-6t

WANTED—OFFICE BOY. APPLY MR. ROCHE, STANDARD AERO CORPORATION, PLAINFIELD. 3-30-3t

MAN WANTED for store room. International Motor Co. 3-30-2t

SELL PERRY trees and plants. Write for contract. Perry Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. Established 1895. 2-2-y-17t

PLUMBER'S HELPER with experience wanted. Apply 427 West Fourth street. 3-31-2t

WANTED: Man experienced in garden work; care horse, etc.; also extra man two days a week during season. Telephone 2541, 828 Sherman avenue. 3-31-2t

WANTED—Machinists and tool makers. We have made additions to our plant. Highest wages, opportunities; lasting positions; no munitions; preference given to non-union men. Write for application blanks or apply De Laval Steam Turbine Company, Trenton, New Jersey. 3-17-s-m-tf

SALESMEN—That can produce results with a line of merit that repeats; unlimited field; salary or commission. Write for particulars. Murphy & Lange, Cleveland, Ohio.

YOUNG MEN wanted to work in grocery store. Apply B. Mann. 3-31-2t

WANTED—An active, sober, reliable man for garden work and to make himself useful around a private home. Apply evenings between 7 and 9, 418 East Front street. 3-31-2t

AGENTS—I've a new soap game that's a dandy. New stuff, big repeat profits. Sample and full layout free. Write quick. Lacassian Co., Dept. 52, St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Machinist, lathe hands, planer hands and erectors; good wages and steady work. American Can Co., Hillside Factory, Kenilworth, New Jersey. 3-31-tf

WANTED—Steady man, white, as teamster by the week or month; room and board. "M. R.," care Courier-News. 3-31-3t

MEN WANTED to do day's work in gardening, etc. 324 Franklin place. 3-31-2t

WANTED—Handy man, familiar with handling machinery. Industrial Service Company, Lincoln, N. J. 1-19-f-s-tf

WANTED—An experienced furniture man to work about store. Miron & Lifson, 124 East Front street. 3-30-2t

WANTED—White boy, about 16 years, to work in hardware store. A. M. Griffen Co., 119 East Front street. 3-26-2t

BOY WANTED. Apply Rothberg's.

WANTED—Strong boys as helpers; good wages. 189 North avenue. 11-9-tf

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WANTED LOAN—$2,200 (twenty-two hundred dollars) on bond and mortgage upon a modern rented house, on the Rahway river. Address 8 Orange avenue, Cranford, New Jersey. 3-29-3t

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR SALE—Good farm horse. A. Macaulay; Westfield avenue, Scotch Plains, N. J. 3-27-tf

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LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for hatching, $1.25 per setting. 320 East Second street. 3-21-2w

FOR SALE—Cut-under surrey, rubber tires, nearly new. Apply 224 West Front street. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—Cedar wood for fences, arbors and rustic work. John Mozins, City. 'Phone 2538-J. 3-28-1m

BILLY, a 50-in. strong, gentle pony, one of the handsomest in this vicinity; harness, trap and dump cart to fit. $150.00. 1200 West Fifth street. 'Phone 1639-W. 3-28-4t

FOR SALE—Twelve pullets and cockerel, Tom Barron's English White Leghorns, five hens laying 1,156 eggs; will exchange R. I. Reds, Barred Rocks or Buff Leghorn pullets. Bradley, 23 Pearl street. 'Phone 766-R. 3-30-2t

INDIAN Runner duck hatching eggs. John H. Seering, Bound Brook. 3-19-1m

$85 BUYS a good work or farm horse. Stable, East Sixth street and second place. 3-20-tf

KINDLING, block and grate wood. P. Dugmann, 625 South Second street. 1-22-tf

FOR SALE—Two lot boxes, counter and other store fixtures. A. F. Hinds, 188 East Front street. 3-31-2t

FOR SALE—Thirty chestnut posts and two brooder coops, 416. 910 East Front street.

SOIL from garden for sale. Telephone 719-M. 10-12-tf

FOR SALE—Extracted honey; not an expensive luxury, but a fine economical food; 5-lb. pail, 85c; 10-lb. pail, $1.60. John I. Nelson, New Market, N. J. 2-23,24; 3-10,17,24,31

STORE FIXTURES for sale at very low price; 4-ft. show box, 2 counters, hand-made; large coffee grinder, etc. 'Phone 615. 3-30-2t

FOR SALE—White and Brown Leghorns, $1.25 each; 6 White Wyandotte pullets and cockerel, $12; Buff Orpington cock, $2. Marshall, 11 Hampton avenue. 'Phone 1596-R. 3-30-3t

FOR SALE—Good second-hand lumber bargain. Address "Lumber," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

FOR SALE—A Sheraton dining room set, first-class condition. Box A, care Courier-News. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—About 12,000 feet hemlock and hard pine lumber in building 112 feet by 16 only 16 high, ruberoid covered, all good new lumber; also farm tools, wagons, harness, buggy tools, fruit sprayer, pump, incubators, oat sprouters, green bone mill, etc., 100 gallons strong cider vinegar. W. F. Sims, 865 Clinton avenue. 3-30-4t

SITTING HENS—Any number at any time. Save this advertisement for reference. Forestay Farms, Dunellen. 'Phone 1246-J. 3-24-26-30-31

R. I. RED EGGS for hatching. 1044 Sherman avenue. 3-14-1m

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Reds eggs for hatching, $1.00 a setting. 7164 West Front street. 3-9-1m

FRESH COWS and springers for sale. M. Velinsky, 515 West Third street. 1-17-tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Very good for any purpose. Kornhold's Bakery. 12-7-tf

DO YOU WANT a new house built by experts and finished as you would have it? Send for pictures. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FURNITURE BOUGHT AND SOLD—We sell furniture to you cheap. We buy furniture from you for cash, in large or small quantities. Call or 'phone 1762, Harrison's Furniture Sales Room, 231 West Front street, opposite Grove street. 3-5-1m

FOR SALE—Fine delivery horse; guaranteed perfect; beauty; price reasonable. Greenbrook Farms. 'Phone 2646. 2-15-tf

I SELL guaranteed toilet goods, hosiery, aluminum ware, no-bang door checks, etc. Ivan Shipley, agent for Thomas Mfg. Co., 848 Richmond street. 'Phone 488-J. 3-16-1m

FOR SALE—Chickens, R. I. Red yearlings, all laying, weight 5 to 6 pounds. 39 Steiner place. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—Three grocery wagons and four grocery harnesses, in good condition. Inquire Hutchinson & Son, Westfield, N. J. 3-26-6t

FOR SALE—Beautiful Shetland pony, 5 years old; harness and closed runabout; pony white with brown markings; very gentle and no bad tricks. Inquire Edmund Rushmore, 166 Sycamore avenue. 3-29-3t

HORSES FOR SALE cheap. Putting on auto delivery. Inquire Queen City Laundry, 302 Fillmore avenue. 3-29-3t

FOR SALE—Double platform spring wagon, carry 2 tons; single delivery wagon, double and single plows, Meyhoffer's disc distributor, spring-tooth harrow. Leonhauser, New Market. 3-26-6t

EGGS, White Leghorns, R. I. Reds, White and Barred Rocks, 75c setting; $4.50 hundred, delivered. Stout Farm. 'Phone 2535-M. 3-12-2m

FOR SALE—Barred Rock gold prize winner eggs, setting of 15 $1.00. 860 Clinton avenue. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Eight-room house, all improvements. First-class condition located on New Market road, Dunellen. Apply to W. G. Giles, owner, Dunellen, N. J. 3-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Attractive modern dwelling near Grant avenue station, ten rooms, three tile baths, sleeping porch, hot water heat, gas and electricity; for sale at very reasonable price. Harvey R. Linbarger, 197 North avenue. Telephone 955, Plainfield, N. J. 2-1-f-s-tf

MODERN HOUSE with garage; sacrifice price; exceptional bargain; would rent. 325 Prospect avenue, Dunellen. 3-26-28-31

FOR SALE OR RENT—Brick house, 12 rooms, 2 baths, steam heat, parquet floors, first and second stories; first-class condition; 10 minutes from station. Apply J. M. Vail. 12-7-tf

TO LET—APARTMENTS

FROM APRIL 1, first floor apartment, New Madison. W. M. Stillman. 3-21-tf

TO LET—Three-room apartment, $5. Judge Smith, South Plainfield.

TO LET—Apartment, 406 East Fifth street, all improvements, (electric lights, steam heat; also apartment, 4 rooms, 511 South Second street, some improvements. Inquire I. Strager, 514 West Third street. Telephone evenings 357. 3-30-tf

TWO furnished apartments to rent; garage; central. W. R. Way, 308 Watchung avenue. 3-23-1y

FOR RENT—Apartment, No. 312 East Front street, 6 rooms; all improvements, $25.00. Apply Manning & Curtis, 106 Depot avenue. 3-30-3t

STEAM HEATED apartment, five rooms and bath. 316 West Sixth street. 2-8-2m

INVESTMENTS

I HAVE stopped twenty-five families from paying rent this spring. If you have a few dollars or a free and clear building lot, I can do the same for you. U. B. Crane, 315 Watchung avenue.

FREE BOOK, "Money in Oil," shows how you can make quick profits. Have production and stock doubles in price April 20th. Necsho Co., K. C. Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between East Second street and East Sixth street, small black pocketbook, containing $6.00, change, also key. Reward if returned to Courier-News. 3-30-2t

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEFORE you build or repair, these hard times, get estimates from L. L. Reninger. Call 1063-W. 3-22-1m

FOR SALE—First-class confectionery, ice cream and tobacco store; good location in nearby town; billiard room adjoining; reasonable to quick buyer. Address "General Store," care Courier-News. 3-31-3t

FOR RENT—Fine large store opposite Spicer shops at South Plainfield, suitable for butcher, grocer, lunch room or general store; rent reasonable. Inquire Nick Vallerati, South Plainfield, N. J. 3-23-6t

FOR SALE—Blacksmith shop. Peter Leech, Lehigh avenue, South Plainfield. 3-2-1m

SEE OUR PERFECT HOMES—Everything as it should be. Low price; easy terms. Leslie R. Stewart, 189 North avenue. 3-24-1m

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

OPERATORS on zig-zag and plain Singer machines; learners taken; good pay while learning. Schiller Bros., 320 West Front street, two flights up; look for name on door. 3-7-2m

OPERATORS on muslin underwear. Nat Levy & Co., 220 Watchung avenue. 10-5-tf

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; no washing. Mrs. John Leal, 949 Central avenue. 3-17-tf

WANTED—Chambermaid-waitress with good references. Apply Mrs. S. H. Patterson, 1111 Park avenue. 3-20-tf

YOUNG GIRL to assist with general housework. Apply 423 Central avenue. 3-21-tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 132 East Ninth street. 3-27-tf

WANTED—Cook, white, with good references. Apply 444 Stelle avenue. Tel. 981. 3-27-tf

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WAITRESS, WHITE, PROTESTANT; APPOINTMENT BY TELEPHONE 85, OR ADDRESS MRS. C. A. REED, WOODLAND AVENUE. 3-30-2t

WANTED—An experienced white cook, $35.00; chambermaid-waitress, $20.00; family of two; references required. Tel. 1859, evenings for appointment. 3-29-tf

WANTED—White woman for laundry work and cleaning; 2½ days each week. 736 Carlton avenue. 3-30-2t

FORELADY WANTED—Steady work; good wages. Globe Metal Polish Factory, Lincoln, N. J. 3-27-6t-eod

EXPERIENCED girl or woman for general housework, including laundry. 1024 Park avenue. 3-29-tf

GIRLS WANTED for steady jobs on piece work; good wages for competent workers. Globe Metal Polish Factory, Lincoln, N. J. 3-27-6t-eod

GIRL, white preferred, for general housework and plain cooking; no laundry; small family. Apply 1211 Putnam avenue. 3-29-tf

STENOGRAPHER wanted; beginner preferred, with either school or some business experience; $6.00 per week to start. Address "Beginner," care Courier-News. 3-28-4t

WANTED—Experienced waitress (white) with reference. 'Phone 3070, or call 69 Grove street, Sunday morning or evening.

WANTED—French or Belgian for general housework. Apply 4 Park place, Netherwood. 'Phone 2418-M. 3-31-3t

WAITRESS for nurses' dining room wanted at once. Apply to Dietitian, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-31-2t

OPERATORS on power machines on awnings, also learners. Laggren & Greene, 135 West Second street. 3-23-6t

WANTED—Stenographer for real estate office; references absolutely expected with first letter. Box 707, care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

WANTED—White nurse for two-year-old boy, willing to go to Cranford until middle of April, then Plainfield. Mrs. N. H. Riley, 113 Forest avenue, Cranford, N. J. 'Phone Cranford 383-J.

WANTED—Young lady, good penman, for general office work and to assist bookkeeper; state experience and salary expected. Box 22, care Courier-News. 3-31-2t

CANVASSERS—Experienced for canvassing and demonstration by old established concern for household specialty; salary, transportation and expenses. Address "M. M.," care Courier-News.

WANTED—GIRLS THAT CAN WORK ON SINGER SEWING MACHINES; ALSO PRESSERS, LAUNDRY WORKERS. TAKEN. WEEK WORK; STEADY ALL YEAR. STEIGMAN, 318 WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD. 3-31-7t

WANTED—A neat appearing salesgirl or woman to work in a small store in Plainfield; good wages. Address "Opportunity," care Courier-News. 3-31-2t

WARD MAID for private building wanted at once. Apply Directress of Nurses, Muhlenberg Hospital. 3-31-2t

WANTED—Competent reliable general housewerker for part day work; hours 7 to 12:30 week days, 8 to 11 Sundays. H. C. McMillen, 323 East Sixth street. 3-31-3t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; references. Apply Mrs. W. C. Wells, Beechwood avenue, Bound Brook. 3-31-tf

WANTED—Experienced waitress, colored, in family of two. Apply Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 1724. 3-31-2t

WANTED—For general housework, refined, middle-aged woman; no washing; must be willing to iron; good home rather than high wages; give references and state age in first letter. "Home," care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

WANTED—White women as laundress Mondays or Tuesdays. Call after 3 p. m. 8½ Howard street, North Plainfield. 3-29-3t

YOUNG GIRL, white only, to assist with light housework and take baby out in afternoon; pleasant home and good opportunity. Apply 1211 Putnam avenue. 3-29-tf

WANTED—Good general housework; laundress employed; sanitary $20.00. Apply Mrs. Wood, Madison and Fourth, Dunellen, N. J. 3-28-6t

WANTED—Sewing woman as lady's maid; references required. Tel. 2065. 3-26-tf

WANTED—Child's nurse (white), with good references. Apply 143 Prospect avenue. 3-12-tf

FOR SALE—HOUSES

I DEFY YOU to equal my offer in Plainfield. $200 down and $15.00 monthly buys new 6-room house, improvements, on large plot; restricted, near station, trolley, stores, school and churches. "Owner 105," Courier-News. 3-24-1m

FOR SALE—House, seven rooms, large garage, will exchange for lots. Address "East End," care Courier-News. 2-23-tf

FOR SALE—Comfortable home, all improvements; acre ground, barn, fruit and shade trees; four minutes from Netherwood station or Union trolley; bargain for quick sale. Address "Desirable," care Courier-News. 3-27-1m

FOR SALE—Nine-room house, butler's pantry and bath; perfect throughout; near trolley. Apply 916 Central avenue, or 'phone 66. 3-30-1m

FOR SALE—Rents $1,080; price $7,500; fine house; all improvements; good location. At once, "R. C. C." care Courier-News. 3-30-2t

FOR SALE—Five-room house, only $500 required; rest on easy terms. 250 Grove street. 3-30-2t

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, good condition, steam heat, gas, water; over an acre of land, 120 fruit trees bearing; located in a good section; about 8 minutes walk from Bound Brook depot; will sell very reasonably. A. Aaron, Bound Brook, N. J. 3-31-5t

NEW STUCCO HOUSE, 7 rooms, bath, laundry and sleeping porch; all advanced equipment, double windows, gas log fireplace, vacuum cleaner; lot 50x200, garage, etc.; a desirable property; the best bargain in Dunellen; inspection and comparison invited. 249 Prospect avenue. 3-23; 4-6

WORKINGMEN, LOOK!—Own a modern new home, 6 rooms and bath, all improvements; plot 46x150; three minutes from Saurer's; only $3,500; easy terms; buy now. Thaman, 1631 West Front street.

BARGAIN—For sale, semi-bung; slow all improvements, 1114 South avenue, near Netherwood station; open fireplaces. Inquire 1110 South avenue. 3-30-3t

FOR SALE — Four-apartment house; bargain. Box 64, care Courier-News. 3-28-4t

COSY HOME, seven rooms, improvements. Address "Desirable Location," care Courier-News. 3-27-16t

MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES FOR SALE

THE powerful 1916 Excelsior Autocycle is ready for delivery, also 1917 Smith Motor Wheels; second-hand machines from $30 up, cash or credit; bicycles $22.50 up. Haverford Cycle Co., 545 Broad street, Newark.

HARLEY-DAVIDSON 1914 twin cylinder motor cycle, first-class condition, at Zeisel's store, 222 West Front street, cheap. 3-30-3t

TO LET—HOUSES

TO LET—Several houses on Columbia avenue. Inquire Beyse, Netherwood.

FOR RENT—A house, 6 rooms, bath, reception hall, 614 Monroe avenue; splendid place for garden. Apply F. Linke, 227 West Front street. 3-23-4t

TO LET—Small house, rear of 214 West Second. Apply Frank Linke, 227 West Front street. 3-27-tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, all latest improvements, from April 1st, $25.00. D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-27-tf

EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE with all improvements, and all newly decorated. 'Phone 639-M. 3-30-2t

HALF DOUBLE HOUSE, 7 large rooms, with improvements, $12.00; nice garden; 1077 Arlington avenue. A. B. Stites, over Abrams' shoe store. 3-31-tf

PLAINFIELD—House to rent, 11 rooms and two bath rooms, oak floors, large veranda, large grounds; residential section, near trolley; immediate possession; rent $45.00. J. J. Maier, Bound Brook, N. J. Tel. 70. 3-19-1m

FOR RENT—From April 1st, 8-room house all latest improvements; hot water heat, $35.00; key opposite. For sale, Apply D. F. Dugan, 511 East Seventh street. 3-15-tf

TO LET—6-rooms at 959 South Second street; 6-room house, 1424 Willeyer street; 6-room house, 206 Mansca place. Jacob Sachar, 621 Sachar place. 2-27-1m

HELP WANTED—Male and Female

WANTED—Competent butler and housemaid; go home nights; reference required; or will live in. Call 832 Hillside avenue, evenings before 9. 3-31-2t

WANTED—Men and women 10 qualify for Government positions. Several thousand appointments to be made next few months. Information about openings, how to prepare, etc., free. Write immediately for booklet CG 979, Hart Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 3-17-3t

Additional Classified Advertising on Opposite Page.

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General Rehearsal

"LAND OF MYSTERY"

TUESDAY NIGHT

Children's Rehearsal Every Day at 3.30 Until Further Notice.

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One cent a word for each insertion. Lowest charge made is 15 cents an ad. By the month $1.00 a line. By the year 75 cents a line.

NEWS FROM NEARBY POINTS

Readers of the suburban news will often find news of their towns in other columns of the paper under headings from their towns when such news is too late for the regular column.

SOMERVILLE NOTES

DRAW JURORS FOR APRIL TERM

The following names were drawn yesterday for the grand and petit jury panels for the April term, which commences on April 100th. The grand jurors are:

William P. Bowman, Branchburg; Phillip Lindsley, Bridgewater; Walter D. Wheat, Bernards; Edwin G. Reynolds, South Bound Brook; Frank T. Ross, Somerville; George Stonaker, Kingston; Arthur C. Swinton, Raritan; M. F. Gano, North Plainfield; Charles W. Brophy, Skillman; Francis N. Rent, Bound Brook; Allen B. Laing, Plainfield; George R. Layton, Bedminster; James Vosseller, Bound Brook; William J. Kirby, Somerville; Elias Baker, Franklin Park; Henry R. Kennedy, Plainfield; Howard Seltzer, Somerville; Walter L. Ballentine, Peapack; S. Manning Wyckoff, Millstone; William I. Robinson, Belle Mead; Theodore L. Abbott, Martinsville; John C. Lane, Neshanic; Edward Marfina, Watchung; Samuel Townsend, Plainfield; J. Lamar Rankin, Somerville; Elmer T. Courter, Peapack; Ralph S. Ward, Bound Brook; Peter A. Garretson, Belle Mead; Judson V. Cain, Middlebush; Grover Kipsey, Plainfield; George R. Baldwin, South Bound Brook; William A. Phillips, Franklin township; Newton B. Smalley, Plainfield; Fred R. Dixon, Belle Mead; Walter Durling, Somerville.

The following names were drawn for the petit jury:

Isaac Goodheart, Pluckemin; Ellis F. Wood; Neshanic Station; George M. Hoffman, Millington; John C. Conrad, Bernards; Frank Chiavallo, Bound Brook; Dewitt Garretson, Bound Brook; John S. Fritts, Somerville; Jacob G. Amerman, Far Hills; Henry W. Schenck, Neshanic Station; H. A. Bonn, North Plainfield; Winfield Burnett, Bernards; J. F. Amerman, Raritan; A. H. Spencer, Martinsville; John W. Bowers, Warrenville; R. L. Pollock, Mt. Horeb; J. Alfred Snyder, Martinsville; Albert Brokaw, Bound Brook; Manning Eick, Gladstone; F. E. Ballentine, Bernardsville; W. S. Durling, Skillman; L. J. Smalley, Liberty Corner; C. R. Covert, Harlingen; George Dalley, Neshanic; Abram V. Hull, Bedminster; Willis Stryker, Bound Brook; William Woolfe, Kingston; Harry H. Parker, Somerville; Augustus Benbrook, Peapack; J. W. Terhune, Bound Brook; Mahlon Van Nostrand, Somerville; Daniel Blazier, Mt. Horeb; Charles Lasky, Skillman; T. S. Stryker, Neshanic; James D. Hall, Somerville; N. O. Dunstef, W. C. Schenck, Somerville; Fred Skillman, Montgomery; William Lisk, Pottersville; C. E. Van Nuys, Belle Mead; Frank Scwenger, Belle Mead; David Colyer, Peapack; Simon Mantz, Watchung; Whitfield Anthony, Far Hills; Peter A. Koechlein, South Bound Brook; Jonathan Ayres, Millington; W. W. Brokaw, Somerville; J. A. Yeomans, Neshanic; Martin Mantz, Plainfield; Alex. Bastedo, Kingston; David A. Ross, Somerville; Theodore H. Hopf, Martinsville; Oliver B. Mathews, South Bound Brook; C. G. Westlecraft, Mine Brook; J. Snedeker, Princeton, and George A. Schmidt, Watchung.

Sent to Prison for Deserting Family

Charles E. Barnes, of Bridgewater township, arrested several weeks ago when he was charged with having deserted and failed to support his wife and children, pleaded guilty yesterday and was sentenced to a term of one year in the State Penitentiary. Judge Daniel H. Beekman scored the prisoner and told him that he hoped he would be a better man when he had finished his term.

Miss Linda Brink is spending her Easter vacation from her duties as public school teacher here with her folks at Stockton.

Miss Eleanor Sutphen and her brothers, Raymond, Frazee and William, Jr., are spending a week at Lake Hopatcong.

Miss Ida Fleming, a public school teacher, left for Washington, D. C., today for several days.

John Hartman, of East Main street, left for Baltimore, Md., today.

Miss Virginia Sutphen is spending a week at South Branch.

NORTH BRANCH

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Three Bridges Reformed church, has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. William Grimm; vice presidents, Mrs. Benjamin Cole and Mrs. Howard Case; secretary, Mrs. Clare Smith; treasurer, Mrs. David H. Agans.

Thomas Moore, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Moore, of Cherrywood Farm, near Neshanic Station.

The Misses Mary Lane and Ella Munn, of Lamington, are visiting Miss Gertrude Lane of Somerville.

Miss Mary Hann, of Phillipsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Hann, near North Branch Depot.

Miss Minnie Sheehan, of North Branch Depot, has left for a visit in Plainfield and Elizabeth.

Frank Cramer, of Somerville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Wade Clark, of North Branch Depot.

Mrs. David Dilts, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mrs. Marvin Sheets, of South Branch.

Raritan Valley Grange, of South Branch, will hold a rally in Grange Hall, April 9.

Miss Annie Huff, of Somerville, is the guest of Mrs. P. T. Huff, of Neshanic.

Miss Marion Schapley is in Somerville with her brother, William Schapley.

Mrs. Jesse L. Peck, of Neshanic Station, is in Stroudsburg.

William Smith, of North Branch Depot, is in Somerville.

WHITEHOUSE

Arrangements have been made by the Methodist church at New Germantown for Easter services, which will be held by the Sunday school in that edifice next Saturday night. An address will be made by Rev. Chas. G. Emple, pastor of the Lutheran church.

Alvah Honeyman, P. Davis Reed, William C. Lance, Charles P. Oliver, Peter Schenck and Robert Potts have been selected to serve on the petit jury from Readington township at the April term of county courts.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Dalley, Mrs. Morgan Dalley and Miss Myrtle Simmons, of East Whitehouse, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Dalley at Neshanic.

The Stanton Reformed church has elected the following to serve as members of consistory: Elders, J. Q. Hoagland and Voorhees Metlick; deacons, Charles Harsell and William Amerman.

Rev. Claude J. Fingar, pastor of the Lebanon Reformed church, has been assisting this week in the special services in the Presbyterian church at Hopewell.

Rev. and Mrs. Edgar R. Cooper, of Bridgeport, Conn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Vander Voort at Whitehouse Station.

Miss Mary E. Anderson will entertain the Woman's Missionary Society of the Reformed church at Stanton Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stigerwalt, of Phillipsburg, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Shafer at Whitehouse Station.

Miss Adelaide Somers, of East Whitehouse, is spending the week-end at her former home in New York.

Miss Margaret Wood, of North Branch Depot, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Todd, near Lebanon.

Mrs. Eliza Ewing and daughter, Miss Edythe Ewing, moved today from Stanton to Somerville.

Miss Florence Hann, of Cokesbury, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lindabury near Lebanon.

SCOTCH PLAINS

All services of the Baptist church for Palm Sunday will be held at the Memorial parish house. Bible school with classes for all ages at 9:30 a. m., A. D. Beeken, superintendent, in charge. Captain Saunders will have charge of the young men's class. At 10:45 Pastor Hare will preach a special sermon on "The Triumph of Jesus." The music will be in charge of W. T. Ward. The Juniors will meet at 3 p. m., and at 7:30 the evening service under the direction of *the young people's society.* Everyone cordially welcome to all services.

The Boy Scouts, fifteen in number, of Scotch Plains, under the direction of Pastor Hare, have been registered at National Headquarters, with Dr. Hare as scoutmaster. Mr. Hare will present the scouts with a beautiful and useful certificate which was issued by the National Headquarters. The troop is known as No. 1, Scotch Plains. The Communi*ty Scout Committee is John Z. Hat*field, Frank Weldon and William T. Guest. The boys will hold a meeting in the parish house Monday night, promptly at 7:15.

Pastor Hare has arranged an interesting series of Passion Week services for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of next week. The annual meeting of the church corporation will be held Monday evening of next week, at which time there will be an election of officers and transaction of business. All these meetings will be held in the parish house.

As tomorrow is Conference Sunday there will be no services in the Methodist church except Sunday school. The Sunday school session will meet at the regular time, 9:45, and everyone is invited to attend. Pastor Hare of the Baptist church has invited all who wish to attend the services in his church tomorrow.

Tonight the parish house will close for the season, and the manager of the boys' basketball team has secured a game which promises to be very exciting. The parish house younger boys are going to take a lesson from their seniors. The seniors are going to show the juniors how the game should be played.

Eight of the members of the local Epworth League attended the League anniversary services held in the Halsey street Methodist church *of Newark last night. The anniver*sary was held in connection with the annual conference.

BOUND BROOK

ENTERTAINMENT AT SCHOOL

An entertainment was given in the Lafayette school last night, the proceeds to be used in purchasing a stereopticon lantern for use in the auditorium. Following was the program: March, Washington School Orchestra; drill, grades four and five; "Dance of the Wood Nymphs," Virginia Bertram; "Tarantelle," Theresa Spalluci, Lucy Rosell, Mary Nardozzi, Christine Nunziata; march, Orchestra. Ye Little Olde Folks' Concert, with Job Harkins as leader, and "a goodly company of little singers and youngsters, who do assemble for to sing ye music of olde folks."

Local Men on Juries

The following Bound Brook men were chosen members of the grand jury for the April term: Edwin G. Reynolds, Francis N. Bent, James Vosseller, Ralph S. Ward, George R. Baldwin.

The petit jurors from Bound Brook and South Bound Brook are: Frank Chiavalli, Peter Garretson, Albert Brokaw, Abram V. Hall, Willis Stryker, J. W. Terhune, Peter Koechlein, and Oliver B. Mathews.

Thomas J. Bannister has moved from South Bound Brook to Long Island City, L. I., where he is employed. Clark S. Dibble and family will occupy the house vacated by the Bannisters.

T. C. Swan and family have removed from Harlingen to the Dinah Bennett house on Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. William E. Rogers, of River road, has returned from Daytona, Fla., after a month's stay.

Mrs. C. P. Fisher is at Atlantic City for several days.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD

ACTIVITIES OF BAPTIST CHURCH

The usual hours of service will prevail Sunday: Baraca class and Bible school, 10 a. m.; preaching services, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The pastor's theme for the morning sermon is, "The Enduring and Subduing Power of Christianity." The service at night will be patriotic, the theme being, "Perpetuation of National Landmarks." Men and boys are particularly invited to be present at the evening service, and the women, equally interested in national affairs, are encouraged to meet with the men. Members of patriotic orders should attend. Besides the sermon, some patriotic readings will be offered. The usual inspirational singing at both services, under the direction of H. J. Manning, will be engaged.

Easter Sunday, April 8, promises to *be a day full of interest and inspira*tion. Special music is being practiced for both services. Appropriate sermons will be preached morning and night. The ordinance of baptism will be observed at the evening hour. The bond of fellowship will be given at the morning service.

On the Sunday following Easter the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Incidents in the Life of St. Peter," to be delivered at the morning services.

The annual meeting of the church and congregation for the election of trustees and the transaction of other necessary business, will be held, Wednesday evening, April 11. All interested are urged to be present.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Junior Sunergoi society was held Thursday night. The place of meeting was changed from that of some particular home to the Sunday school room. More opportunity was thereby afforded for youthful vim and vitality to express itself. And the opportunity was grasped. Following the completion of the regular business, games were enjoyed, games that required some thought, but much physical effort, leap-frog, tug-of-war, high jumps and long jumps, etc. Some singing of popular songs was also had. Refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, cakes and cocoa, were served. The room was attractively decorated with flags, etc., by the social committee.

Miss Katherine Thue, of Lebanon, is spending a few days visiting her friend, Miss Jennie S. Townsend, at the home of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. William Townsend.

CALIFON

Work will commence Monday on the continuation of the stone road from Califon to Woodglen. The work will be under the supervision of George W. Alling. This road is being built entirely by township aid, a special appropriation being voted last fall.

Alvah Hockenbury will move today from Mt. Grove to the house he recently purchased in Church street, Califon.

Edward Apgar is ill from pneumonia at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Apgar, of Mt. Grove.

Daniel J. Conklin is building a public garage in Academy street, Califon.

WESTFIELD

A SUCCESSFUL POVERTY DANCE

One of the most enjoyable and successful dances held in this town in some time was the Poverty Dance which was held in the assembly room of the McKinley school last night under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association of that school. More than 300 persons attended the affair and for the most part they were attired in poverty rags and clothes and tripped the light fantastic to their hearts content until a late hour in the evening. The assembly room presented a veritable poor house appearance and the American flag was much in evidence, the walls and ceiling being draped with them and thus showing that *patriotism was not forgotten* even if evening clothes were. Nearly everyone present enjoyed the dancing and those who did not sat on benches or boards and talked with their neighbors.

During the evening there was a grand march, which was led by G. M. Grove and Mrs. W. R. V. Howell and this was participated in by nearly everyone. Several of the men were attired in overalls and jumpers and straw hats while others wore old clothes which were patched and darned. The ladies were not far behind the men when it came to the costume and many of them had old dresses on and shirtwaists which were ragged, as well as aprons which had seen better days.

Home-made candy was offered for sale by a committee of ladies from the association consisting of Mrs. Paul E. Johnson and Mrs. L. H. Lewis. Before the dance broke up refreshments consisting of frankfurters and coffee were served by Mrs. A. J. Platz, Mrs. E. W. Wilcox, Mrs. E. R. Wilcox, Mrs. J. S. Purdy, Mrs. T. A. Pope, Mrs. R. D. Arguibau, and Mrs. W. A. Thorn. The music for the dancing was furnished by the McKinley orchestra and was excellent and consisted of Miss Elia Platz, piano; Q. V. Nicewonger and C. A. Pope, cornet; E. D. Teets, trombone; Alfred Wilcox, Mrs. Chamberlin and Charles Simpson, violin, and John DeHart, clarinet.

The committee in charge of the dance was composed of Mrs. William Steuernagel and Mrs. J. S. Purdy. From everyone present there was nothing but praise in which the dance was conducted and the members of the committee as well as the association are to be congratulated on the success of the affair.

Dorcas Society Presents Play

The members of the Dorcas Society of the Presbyterian church presented the play, "The Carpet Committee of the Edgewood Dorcas Society" (from the Peabody Pew) in the parish house last night and it was attended by a large audience. The play was successfully enterjaining and amusing was presented by illustrated songs, the pictures being posed by members of the society and sung by members also. Both the songs and the play were sold and brought forth much applause. A neat sum was realized which will go into the treasury of the society. Those who posed and sung in the illustrated pictures and the members of the society in the cast and the parts that they took were as follows:

Spanish Girl—Miss Elizabeth Timberlake—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reger; "Sweet and Low"—Miss Maud Manning—Mrs. H. E. Pursell; "Seeing Nellie Home"—Miss Flora Wittke and John Ludlow—Chorus.

The Gypsy's Warning"—Mrs. H. E. Pursell and Miss Gladys Meyer; "Mother Machree"—Mrs. J. Deater—Merton Glover; "Almond Eyes of Brown"—Miss Flora Wittke—Mrs. H. E. Pursell; "Auld Lang Syne"—Mrs. J. N. Locke—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reger.

The Carpet Committee of the Edgewood Dorcas Society (From the Peabody Pew): Mrs. Baxter—The Minister's Wife, Miss Gladys Meyer; Mrs. Burbank—President of the Dorcas Society. Mrs. J. N. Locke; Mrs. Miller—Wife of Sexton, Mrs. E. Fink; Mrs. Sargent—Village Historian, Mrs. C. E. Smith; Widow Buzzel—Willing to Take a Second Risk, Mrs. G. N. Williams; Miss Lobelia Brewster—Niece of Deacon Green, Mrs. G. E. Ludlow; Miss Maria Sharp—Quick of Speech but Sound of Heart, Miss Mary Manning; Miss Nancy Wentworth, Who has waited for her romance ten years, Miss Nathalie Meyer; Martin Peabody—Sole Living claimant of the old Peabody pew, John Ludlow; "Star Spangled Banner," Miss Nathalie Meyer, cast and audience.

Music Supervisor Resigns

Miss Mabel E. Bier, who has been the supervisor of music in the public schools for the past seven years, has resigned her position. During the time that Miss Bray has been in charge of the music in the schools many new ideas have been worked out and added to the department. In 1910 there were twenty-two members in the High School Glee Club. There are now 197. The Glee Club has presented a number of works and has taken part in three contests and this spring will present Gaul's "Joan of Arc" and Stainer's "The Daughter of Jairus," on May 19th. A course in musical appreciation has been given in the grades and High school. Songs by great composers was followed up by a study of the composers which was correlated with the English work. The after school music classes were started last year also.

After considering the matter several years Miss Bier has decided to give up the actual supervision of any schools and has taken a position with an educational and musical firm to do original work for them in the line of music education for children which she feels will give a more lasting result to the work that she has done for the past fifteen years.

Miss Bray will still continue to make her home in this town and will direct the Supervisors' School of Music which she organized in 1914.

Celebrated Silver Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. George Sortor celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary yesterday and last night entertained a number of friends and relatives at a dinner party in honor of the event at their home on South Elmer street, where they have resided for years.

Mrs. Sortor was formerly Miss Carrie Bennett and is the daughter of the late Captain John Bennett. She and Mr. Sortor were married in Rahway by Rev. Dr. Parvin. Mr. Sortor is a native of Neshanic. He was employed for twenty-one years by one of the bakeries in this town and four years ago met with an accident from which he has never fully recovered, although he is now employed in the Hall Signal Company at Garwood. He and Mrs. Sortor received many congratulations from their many friends and the wish that they will live to see many more wedding anniversaries.

O. W. Cravens, of Hillcrest avenue, has gone to Elkhart, Ind., where he will take charge of the Elkhart Motor Car Company. Mr. Cravens' family will join him about April 15. He has been in the employ of the Hall Signal Company at Garwood for some time and is well known in this town, being the president of the Men's Club of the Presbyterian church, a member of the Masonic Club of Westfield, and of the Rifle Club.

The fire department was called out about seven o'clock last night to a grass fire at the corner of Sinclair place and Highland avenue near the residence of C. R. Mills. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

Simeon H. Smith, of 661 North avenue, has been appointed a mail weigher on the Central Railroad. He will run between Washington and Jersey City.

L. H. Lewis and family will move from Cumberland street to their new home on Upper Prospect street about April 15.

Mrs. O. D. Hutchings, of Elm street, has been entertaining Mrs. Otto Glettz, of New York, this week.

Miss Mae Perrine, of South avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Washington, N. J.

Albert Arns and family, of North avenue, will move to the Bronx in New York next week.

The town council will hold a regular meeting in the town hall on Monday night.

W. H. Woodrop and family have moved from New York to Rahway avenue.

Mrs. M. M. Kenney, of West Broad street, is visiting relatives in Montclair.

WATCHUNG

"National Defense and the Saloons" will be the subject of Rev. Mohan Ramsay's sermon Sunday morning in the Mary E. Wilson Memorial Union Church. The service will begin at 10:30 o'clock, followed by Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Daniel S. Smart, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Rutgers College will preach at the evening service, which will begin at 8 o'clock, preceded by a song service at 7:45. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

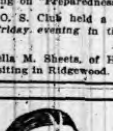
The Watchung Chemical Engine Company will hold the regular monthly meeting Monday evening at fire headquarters.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening in the Watchung school auditorium.

Rev. Ramsay addressed the pupils of the Watchung public school yesterday morning on "Preparedness."

The S. O. S. Club held a regular *meeting Friday evening in the club* rooms.

Miss Stella M. Sheets, of Hillcrest road, is visiting in Ridgewood.



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FLAG RAISING AT LOCAL CHURCH

Old Glory was floated to the breeze yesterday afternoon in front of the First Presbyterian church with very appropriate exercises. The affair was held at four o'clock, the school children taking a prominent part in the patriotic program. Two local G. A. R. veterans were extended the honor of hoisting the flag, while the children sang the National anthem.

The Rev. E. R. Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian church, gave a glowing speech of patriotism and the "Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the children. The occasion of the flag raising was a very impressive one, and the program closed by prayer by the Rev. Mr. Brown. There was a large gathering present to enjoy this patriotic event.

Tuesday next will be known as license day in the county court at New Brunswick. Renewals asked for from this place will include William H. Taylor, in the township, Rudolph P. Kampf and Alex. Sullwagon. There are fifty-five applications throughout the county. There will be no applications received at this term for new licenses.

Mrs. Ernest R. Brown, who was among the delegates from this place at the Springfield missionary meeting of the Elizabeth Presbytery on Thursday, was a member of the nomination committee of that session. Mrs. Brown headed a delegation of local members of the society.

The pulpit of the Methodist church will be occupied tomorrow morning by Rev. W. Geddes, in the evening Lee Man's Forum will be in charge of the service. Judge J. H. Crane, of Plainfield, will speak.

The Home Defense League has circularized the various homes here asking the citizens to sign the allegiance pledges. There have been many of the pledges signed and returned to the league officers.

The annual business meeting and luncheon of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will be held on Wednesday of next week. The luncheon will be followed by the business meeting at 2:30 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor consecration service will be held tomorrow evening in the chapel of the Presbyterian society, at 6:45 p. m. Miss Edith Wykoff will be the leader. Topic: "Ways of God's Providence."

At Holy Innocents' church yesterday afternoon the members of the Sunday school rendered the story of "The Black Heart and the Heart of Love." Miss Kelly was in charge of the service.

The fire at New Market yesterday morning again demonstrated the necessity of a motor apparatus for Dunellen. The local department could have made better time with such an apparatus.

Many from this place are planning to attend the supper to be given by the Seaside Council, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, at New Market on Tuesday night.

The B. R. C., of the Jr. Department of the Presbyterian Sunday school, held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Miss May Day last evening.

Miss M. K. Streverman has just returned to her home in New York after spending several weeks here with her sister, Mrs. J. Edward Dix.

Miss Violet Bearce, of Kings Bridge, N. Y., is spending the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Morse, New Market road.

The City and State Development Company report the sale of a lot on Dunellen Terrace, Piscataway township, to Tom Montefi.

The C. E. of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its postponed meeting at the Alma house tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The engagement of Miss Beatrice Ruth Head, of Scotch Plains, to A. W. Whitford, of this place, has been announced.

Mrs. J. Edward Dix, of Prospect avenue, who has been ill with pleurisy and pneumonia, is now convalescent.

Motorman A. E. Smith of the P. S. C. Railway has returned to his employment after a few days' illness.

I. J. Stites, of this place, attended the Layman's session of the M. E. Conference at Newark yesterday.

Both the Episcopal and Catholic churches will hold services tomorrow in observance of Palm Sunday.

Howard Titus is confined to his home on Columbia street suffering with an attack of scarlet fever.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, P. O. of A., will meet on Tuesday evening next at Wm. Holton Hall.

Harry Titsworth and family are occupying their new home on Prospect avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carpenter, of Clinton, have been recent visitors here.

Clifford Schanck has secured a position at the Central freight station.

Rev. E. R. Brown was a visitor last evening at Rahway.

FANWOOD

The Rev. W. Verdagotis, of St. *Mark's church*, New York, will occupy the pulpit at All Saints' P. E. church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. At 10 o'clock Superintendent Albert Riblet will take charge of the Sunday school services.

The *Rev. James A. Smith*, of St. Paul's church, of Westfield, will preach a Lenten sermon at All Saints' P. E. church next Tuesday evening.

A meeting of the Fanwood American Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert I. Nichols of North avenue next Monday afternoon.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Archibald Wheeler next Wednesday afternoon.

George B. Spearin, formerly of Fanwood, but now living at Deal Beach, has been visiting Fanwood friends.

The Fanwood Bowling Club will hold its next meeting on Friday evening, April 6.

J. S. FRELINGHUYSEN.

New Jersey Senator With Wilson In Crisis.

Photo by American Press Association.

Senator Frelinghuysen, who is a Republican, has returned to the capital for an extraordinary session. He called at the White House to pay his respects and assured Secretary Tumulty the president would receive vigorous support from him in the international situation.

WOMEN TO SEE THAT TROOPS GET FOOD

League For Service Will Establish Canteens.

New York, March 31.—No soldiers are going hungry if the National League For Women's Service can help it. Two hundred and fifty of these women, headed by Mrs. Nelson Henry, Mrs. Harry McVickar, Mrs. Don Barker and Mrs. William C. Rafferty, wife of the chief of coast artillery, have united to establish canteens whenever and wherever necessary.

Mrs. Rafferty is honorary chairman of the committee and Mrs. Barker acting chairman. There are two detachments, Mrs. McVickar being chairman of the first and Mrs. Henry of the second. They are to have the title of commandants and each will have a vice commandant, under whom will be twenty-one commandants of units, each of the latter having sixteen aids. Mrs. Henry's vice is Mrs. Ernest Adee.

The women aim to have three types of canteen—emergency, temporary and permanent. The *emergency* will be used when they are called upon by the authorities, with whom they are in touch, to feed troops who in the exigencies of being moved are left dumbfess or supperless, as sometimes happened to the rookies during an exercise of the Mexican border. Temporary canteens will be set up where troops are temporarily stationed, and permanent canteens will be for the reception of supplies. Offers of supplies have already begun to come in. Besides the one woman's promise of forty pounds of coffee a week.

Coffee, sandwiches, buns and doughnuts will be the staples. The equipment will include folding tables, paper cups, agate dishes, etc. They estimate that the two regiment of 1,500 men for $250. Each commandante coming in pays a fee of $25.

WOMEN TO GIVE HELP.

Organize Passaic Valley Special Aid Society at Millington.

Millington, March 31.—The women of this place and vicinity are organizing to be of use in case of war. They have formed the Passaic valley chapter of the National Special Aid society, the committee including the people of this place, West Millington, Stirling and Meyersville.

Mrs. William E. Halm has been chosen chairman of the organization. Mrs. Halm said special efforts of the chapter will be devoted to food production in case of war, when everybody will be expected to have a garden and raise as much food as possible.

Market Reports.

New York, March 31.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, higher than extras, per pound, 41@43c; extra, 42 score, 41c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh gathered, extras, per dozen, 30c; storage packed, firsts, 24½c; fresh gathered firsts, 29@30c; seconds and lower grades, 23@28c; dirties, 21 @23c; checks, good to choice, 20@ 22½c.

POULTRY—Dressed, strong; chickens, 18@30c; fowls, 19@23c; turkeys, 25@34c.

POTATOES—Bermuda, irregular, late crop, $4.50@5.50 bbl; Virginia, late crop, bbl or bag, $2.25@3.25; Long Island, bulk, 100 lbs, $2.25@2.75; State and Jersey, bulk, $2@2.10; sweets, Jersey, basket, $1.50@2.50; southern, basket, $1.50@2.25.

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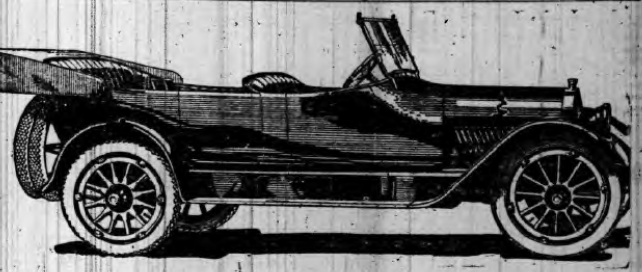

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M. E. CONFERENCE TO ORDAIN DEACONS

Six Young Men Pass Final Examination at Executive Session Held Today

A. T. Logan, M. J. Newberry, Roy Manne, Horace E. Dewey, Arthur Knudson and S. S. Custard, candidates for ordination, appeared for final examination at an executive session of the Newark Conference in Halsey street church, Newark, this morning. They will be ordained as deacons tomorrow morning.

The report of the treasurer shows the following receipts from the four districts for the pension fund for the past year: Elizabeth, $3,421; Jersey City, $3,534; Newark, $6,186; Paterson, $4,312.

At a meeting of the Laymen's Association yesterday a resolution offered by Dr. James R. Joy, of this city, was adopted, increasing the fund for preacher's aid from $123,000 to $500,000.

Bishop Luther Wilson, speaking at a banquet held at the Robert Treat Hotel last night, said that this is the time for men and women to declare their loyalty to the American flag, not as a mere piece of bunting, but with true patriotic spirit. He also urged that the conference amply provide for good ministers and pay them dollar for dollar, the same as one would pay his butcher or baker.

There was considerable criticism expressed at the Laymen's Association meeting regarding the temperance legislation at Trenton, and a resolution was adopted recommending that in case of war there be national prohibition of the sale of liquor. Several political leaders were attacked for their opposition to local option.

BOROUGH TOURISTS TO START HOME SOON

Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank French, of Washington avenue, who have been spending some time in the South, expect to start for home the forepart of the coming week. They are at present at St. Augustine, Fla., and report to their local friends a most enjoyable trip.

CHANGES MEETING HOUR

The Plainfield Union Bible Study Class will hereafter meet at 3.30 o'clock Monday afternoons, instead of at 4 o'clock. The meeting place is at the Y. W. C. A.

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At the evening service tomorrow, the service will be especially appropriate to Palm Sunday, "The Holy City" and "The Palms," to be rendered by the choir and illustrated with stereopticon slides, thus giving the spirit of the words alike in song and pictures. Rev. Dr. D. W. Skellenger, pastor, is also to give a brief evangelistic address, also to be illustrated by slides. The service tomorrow morning will be the regular Palm Sunday service, with a sermon subject, "The Exaltation of Christ."

CONTRIBUTORS TO DEFENSE LEAGUE

The following are the contributors to the Home Defense League in addition to those whose names have been previously published:

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RETURN HOME FROM BUFFALO

Mrs. Walter H. Gennerich, of 317 Leland avenue, and Mrs. W. G. Gennerich, of Hotel Theresa, New York, have returned from Detroit, after spending a week at the Hotel Statler.

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GERMANS RETIRE BEFORE PERONNE

Special to Courier-News:

Berlin, March 31.—Another German retirement east of Perrone was admitted by the German war office today. The retreat was carried out along the Perrone Fins road after an engagement between the Germans and superior forces of British. The Germans gave up their positions on the Ruyaulcourt, Soral line, northeast of Soissons, sas the report. The French tried in vain to gain ground near Neuville and Margival, being repulsed with heavy losses by German cotinents. In Ariola, on the northern edge of the new battle line, the Canadians attacked the German line four times, but were repulsed.

PERSONAL

Charles H. Hand, the real estate dealer, is sojourning at Atlantic City.

Miss Maud Van Arsdale, of 44 Avon avenue, Newark, is visiting in this city.

ZANTE EJECTS ROYALISTS

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For Newark, (through train to Newark), (except Sundays), 7.41, 8.06, 8.31 p. m. Sundays—12.58, 1.37, 2.59, 3.15, 4.29, 5.34, 7.50, 8.18, 8.27, 9.37, 10.34 p. m.
For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.31 (except Mauch Chunk, 5.29), 9.44, 11.37 a. m.; 2.00, 5.44, (5.42 to Easton) p. m. Sundays—5.15, 9.44 (5.42 to Allentown), 10.37 a. m., 5.44, 7.06 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton—9.31, 9.44 a. m.; 5.44 p. m. Sunday—5.15, 10.37 a. m., 5.44 p. m.
For Asbury Park, Etc.—5.41, 8.12, 11.37 a. m. (Saturdays only, 12.31), 4.15, 4.56, 6.00, 8.27 p. m., 11.42. For Red Bank only—5.56 a. m.; (12.39, Saturdays only), 5.42 p. m.
For Atlantic City—5.41, 8.38 a. m.; (12.39 Saturdays only), 5.11 p. m. Sundays—8.40 a. m., 5.16 p. m.
For Philadelphia—5.09, 7.41, 9.02, 10.43, 11.54 a. m.; 1.13, 1.54, 3.45, 4.45, 5.31, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.48 p. m.—1.20 a. m. Sundays—9.02, 9.39, 9.57, 10.39, 10.43, 11.41 a. m.; 1.13, 1.54, 3.45, 4.23, 4.29, 4.45, 4.56, 5.39, 6.39, 6.47, 8.47, 9.46, 10.56, 11.54 p. m.; 1.20 a. m.
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STATE'S HOTEL MEN AROUSED

Plan Organization to Protect Huge Industry.

SHORE MEN INDORSE MOVE.

Meet at Atlantic City to Further Alliances to Fight Inimical Legislation, Labor Demands and Other Adverse Influences—Get Assurances of Co-operation From Pennsylvania Brethren.

Atlantic City, March 31.—A movement to band the legitimate hotel interests of the state, representing many millions of dollars, in a common cause for the better protection of the industry against inimical legislation, labor troubles and other detrimental conditions was indorsed by afore bonifaces at a meeting of the Hotel Men's Association of New Jersey here.

John C. Benson, secretary of the Atlantic City Hotel Men's association, was made secretary of the state organization as a preliminary step to a campaign to enroll all the leading hotel men here and in the other shore resorts under one banner.

Colonel Thomas C. Leslie, secretary of the Philadelphia Hotel association; Mahlon W. Newton, treasurer of the Philadelphia association and proprietor of Green's hotel, and A. H. Butterworth of the Ridgway House came from Philadelphia to attend the meeting.

Colonel Leslie cited as a concrete evidence of the importance of co-operation the fight shortly to be made at Harrisburg by the organized hotel interests of Pennsylvania for a law which will make it a misdemeanor to use the word hotel in connection with any property not adequately equipped for the housing and feeding of legitimate guests. Another contemplated bill is designed to provide for the service of liquors in hotels as an adjunct of the bill of fare.

Charles J. Furey of Trenton, president of the New Jersey association, told of the rapid growth of the body in numbers and influence since it cut loose from the liquor interests more than a year ago. Under the reorganization membership is confined absolutely to the owners of fully equipped hotels.

Other Jersey hotel men at the meeting were Thomas Murphy of Belmar, I. N. Stetser of Woodstown, Charles Daubman of Chews, William Moore of Deerfield, William Acton of Pennsville, John Willett of Westfield, S. H. Murphy of Elmer, John R. Jackson of Westville and John Barrett of Glassboro.

"AMERICA" FROM MEMORY.

Cape May County Teachers Set Good Example in Patriotism.

Ocean City, March 31.—Nearly 200 teachers attended the opening session of the Cape May County institute in the Ocean City high school, at which the county superintendent, Aaron W. Hand, presided.

The teachers demonstrated that they differ from many persons in that all sang "America" without once glancing at their song books.

Lee L. Driver, superintendent of schools in Randolph county, Ind., gave an illustrated lecture on "Better Rural Schools." The sectional meetings were addressed by Dr. Cornelia MacMurtan and Miss Florence E. Stryker of the Montclair State Normal school and Miss Susan A. Reilly of the Trenton State Normal school.

DRINK HOT WATER IF YOU DESIRE A ROSY COMPLEXION

Says we can't help but look better and feel better after an inside bath.

To look one's best and feel one's best is to enjoy an inside bath each morning to flush from the system the previous day's waste, sour fermentations and poisonous toxins before it is absorbed into the blood. Just as coal, when it burns, leaves behind a certain amount of incombustible material in the form of ashes, so the food and drink taken each day leave in the alimentary organs a certain amount of indigestible material, which if not eliminated, form toxins and poisons which are then sucked into the blood through the very ducts which are intended to aid in only nourishment to sustain the body.

If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Men and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, dizzy spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphated hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, purifies and freshens the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always consider that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.—Adv.

YOU'RE BILIOUS! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS TONIGHT

Don't stay headachy, sick, or have bad breath and sour stomach.

Wake up feeling fine! Best laxative for men, women and children.

Enjoy life! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive, and stomach sour. Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy, constipated and full of cold. Why don't you get a box of Cascarets from the drug store and eat one or two tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. You will wake up feeling fit and fine. Cascarets never gripe or sicken like salts, pills and calomel. They act so gently that you hardly realize you have taken a cathartic. Mothers should give cross, sick, bilious or feverish children a whole Cascaret any time—they act thoroughly and are harmless.—Adv.

PHILIPP SCHEIDEMANN.

German Socialist Who Defies the Government.

Photo by American Press Association.

Scheidemann, who is leader of the so called majority faction of the German Reichstag in the reichstag has united with the minority in voting against the government's war budget. Under the inspiration of the Russian revolution Scheidemann has been making daring demands for internal reforms.

BRITISH CAPTURE TOWN IN FRANCE

Dislodge Germans From Ruvaulcourt In Fierce Attack.

London, March 31.—Further progress by the British east of Bapaume and a comparative lull on the Franco-German front marks the situation on the western front.

The British captured the town of Ruvaulcourt, thus pushing their lines to a point eight miles east of Bapaume. On the entire front from Arras to a point six miles southeast of St. Quentin British and German infantry are in contact. The British heavy guns twice launched a terrific drumfire on the northern end of the battle line, indicating infantry assaults. These were frustrated by vigorous counter bombardment by the British.

Abandonment of Ruvaulcourt was indirectly admitted by the Berlin war office.

Berlin also reported the repulse with heavy losses at four successive attacks by Canadian units east of Neuville-St. Vaast.

On the Franco-German front both sides claim the repulse of hostile attacks, principally in the Champagne and northeast of Soissons.

In the east there were operations on a minor scale. Petrograd reports a Russian attack on the German lines southeast of Baranovichi, where the Germans have put out repeated "feelers" of late, with the use of asphyxiating gas. Nothing is said as to the result. The Russian war office admits a temporary penetration of Russian trenches near the Oginski canal, but says the Teutons were dislodged in a counter attack.

Calm prevailed on the Macedonian and Roumanian fronts.

Red Cross For Collingswood.

Collingswood, March 31.—A chapter of the Camden Red Cross division is organizing here under the direction of Mrs. T. E. Babcock, and a hundred women have joined. A membership committee will campaign to interest every woman of this place.

CHAMP CLARK RENOMINATED

House Democrats Unanimous In Vote For Speaker.

ONE BAY STATE INSURGENT.

Gallivan of Massachusetts Will Absent Himself From All Party Councils, Claiming South Is Favored Too Much by Leaders—Illness of New Jersey Representative Cuts the Republican Forces Down.

Washington, March 31.—The Democratic membership of the house of representatives renominated Champ Clark for the speakership by acclimation. Then they renominated the entire list of Democratic officers who served in the Sixty-fourth congress and amid great enthusiasm and with wild cheers for the bluff old Missourian who has piloted them through the last six years of strenuous sessions adjourned.

One Democratic Insurgent.

In the Democratic caucus Speaker Clark was placed in nomination by Representative Dorsey W. Shackleford of Missouri, senior member of the delegation from Clark's own state. There were many seconding speeches, and then from the middle of the hall the burly form of the leader was seen making its way to the rostrum. Clark's appearance was the occasion for a riot of enthusiasm. He accepted the nomination in a brief speech, in which he prophesied his certain election.

Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts, true to his promise, absented himself from the Democratic caucus. Gallivan will vote for Clark for the speakership, but at that point his participation in the councils of the Democratic will end.

He is opposed to what he charges is the sectionalism of the house Democrats, and his recalcitrancy is his protest against the allotment of virtually every desirable committee chairmanship in the house to southern members.

The Democratic caucus delegated to the Democratic members of the ways and means committee the function of selecting all the committees of the house. The committee found itself, however, with three vacancies to be filled from among the legislators who will down to defeat in the general election last fall. These selections have been made, but Chairman Kitchin refuses to disclose the identity of the men chosen.

Illness Hits Republicans.

The Republicans of the house were thrown into a quandary by the report that another of their number, Representative Capstick of New Jersey, was confined to his bed by illness and under no circumstances would be able to come here for the opening session Monday. This leaves the status of the parties of the house as follows: Republicans, 213; Democrats, 214.

It was generally believed in Washington that the re-election of Clark to the speakership was a foregone conclusion. The control of the house is still in doubt, with the chances favoring a deadlock for a few hours at least, probably for a sufficient time to work out some sort of a bipartisan compromise with regard to committee allotments.

SPY DRAGNET SPREAD.

Espionage Agent In Every City, Town or Hamlet In Nation.

Washington, March 31.—A great net of spy catchers has been spread over the entire country from New York to the smallest desert hamlet in New Mexico by the federal government. The plan, organized under the direction of Attorney General Gregory, will give the government an espionage agent in every city, town, village or countryside throughout the nation ready to transmit to the federal authorities information as to threatened disloyalty or plots against the welfare of the country.

The plan will make every government employee in the field forces of the government departments a spy catcher. It will thus place a government agent in touch with every line of activity in all sections of the country.

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† Does not run on Holidays.
‡ Saturdays only.

NOTICE

Beginning Sunday, Feb. 18th, 1917, and until May 1, Bus between Plainfield and Stirling will run Saturday and Sunday only.

Leave Plainfield Saturday
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Leave Stirling Saturday
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Leave Plainfield Sunday
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LEGAL NOTICES

Corporation Notice.

PROPOSALS FOR PERMANENT PAVEMENTS.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, at a regular meeting held Monday, March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet on Monday, April 9, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, No. 143 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at which time and place said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets contemplated in the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the permanent improvement of certain streets and portions of streets of the City of Plainfield with permanent and durable brick pavement and with permanent and durable cement concrete pavement, and to provide for temporarily paving a portion of the collection of assessments for benefits," as provided for in the plans and specifications adopted by the Common Council, March 19, 1917, and filed in the office of the City Clerk, No. 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and shall thereupon record all the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Council.

The Engineer's approximate estimate of the quantities of material required, and the location of the same, follows:

Class "A" roads, yards earth excavation; 15,429 sq. yds. 6-inch concrete base; 15,429 sq. yds. 2-inch sand cushion; 15,429 sq. yds. reinforced concrete pavement; 2,750 lin. ft. 6-inch expansion joints; 11,309 lin. ft. 9-inch expansion joints; 15,429 sq. yds. reinforcing fabric; 1,525 lin. ft. 14-inch concrete curb; 4 manholes; 3 inlets; 200 lin. ft. 12-inch inlet connections; 12 lin. ft. 12-inch culvert.

Duplicate plans may be examined and forms of Proposals, Specifications for Bidders, Contract, Bond and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the undersigned, 151 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

A separate price must be named for each street, and the right is reserved by the Common Council to reject any or all bids if deemed necessary by the Common Council.

Proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Street Improvements."

Dated March 19, 1917.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

3—23-12t

Corporation Notice

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE HOSE

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Plainfield at the regular meeting held March 19, 1917, notice is hereby given that the Common Council will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 143 North Avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Monday evening, April 2, 1917, at eight-thirty o'clock p. m. and that the City Clerk of said Common Council will receive sealed proposals for furnishing 1,000 feet, more or less, of 2½-inch cotton, rubber lined fire hose.

Bids should be addressed to John J. Carroll, City Clerk, 149 North Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., and envelope marked "Fire Hose Bid."

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals at the time and place appointed, the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of the prices and terms upon the minutes of the Common Council.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council.

JOHN J. CARROLL,
City Clerk.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., March 19, 1917.

3—21-12t

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of Benjamin Doane, deceased, will be audited, stated and settled by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on the twentieth day of April next.

Dated, March 16th, 1917.

ARTHUR MURPHY,
Fees, $4.20

4—17-ouw-5w

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LEGAL NOTICES.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

To: MERLE I. ST. JOHN and MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, his wife.

By virtue of an Order of the Court of Chancery made on the 2nd day of this hereof, in a cause wherein Elmer A. Giddes is complainant and you are defendants, you are required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint filed in said Court the 5th day of May next, or said Bill will be taken as confessed by you. The said Bill is filed to foreclose two mortgages given by Edith A. Lindsey, single, to said Elmer A. Giddes, one of said mortgages being dated July 22, 1912, for $1,000, and that other being dated January 17, 1914, for the sum of $1,060, both mortgages being made and in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey, and you, MERLE I. ST. JOHN, made defendant because you are the owner of said property; and you, MRS. MERLE I. ST. JOHN, are made defendant because you are the wife of the said MERLE I. ST. JOHN, and by virtue thereof claim to have some lien upon or interest in the said mortgaged premises.

Dated, March 7th, 1917.

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Solicitors of Complainant.
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STATE OF NEW JERSEY.
DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE

Trenton, March 21, 1917.

Whereas, The Ohio Farmers Insurance Company, located at Leroy, in the State of Ohio, has filed in this Department a sworn statement by the proper officers thereof, showing its condition for the 31st day of December, 1916, and business for the year, and has complied in all respects with the laws of this State applicable to it, now therefore,

I, George M. LaMonte, Commissioner of Banking and Insurance of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the said Company is duly authorized to transact its appropriate business of fire, marine and inland transportation insurance in this State in accordance with law, until March 1, 1918. The condition of the said Company at the close of the date of such statement is shown as follows:

Admitted assets	$3,940,996.07
Liabilities, except capital	2,898,254.75
Surplus over all liabilities	1,292,741.82
Income for the year	2,162,447.90
Disbursements for the year	1,934,149.04

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my name and affixed my official seal at Trenton, the day and year first above written.

(Seal) GEO. M. LA MONTE,
Commissioner of
Banking and Insurance.

EXECUTORS' SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscribers, executors of George Edward Stillman, deceased, will be audited and stated by the surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Friday, the twenty-ninth day of April next.

Dated, March 23rd, 1917.

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ROBERT A. MEEKER.
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WILSON'S WAR MESSAGE READY

Framed In Strong Language For Congress.

REGITES GERMAN AGGRESSION

President In Call to Both Houses Tuesday Will Refute Bethmann-Hollweg's Claim That United States Will Be Responsible For War—All Departments of Government Busy at Work of Preparing For Conflict.

Washington, March 31.—The final form of President Wilson's war message to the extraordinary session of congress has been agreed upon after the president had made a complete review of the German crisis with his cabinet.

Following the cabinet meeting it was learned that the president's address will be "direct and to the point" and will leave no doubt as to the conviction of the administration that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany.

The war message will be framed in vigorous language and will recite the German aggressions which have forced the issue between the two countries.

It will serve to empress the duty of determining what steps shall be taken to meet the war conditions which the president and his advisers say have been forced upon this country by continued and inexcusable violations of American rights and premeditated killings of American men and women.

Denies U. S. Blame For War.

The message will detail the steps taken by the executive branch of the government to meet the situation and point out that immediate and effective legislative action is imperative if the honor and dignity of the nation are to be properly safeguarded.

It was stated today that the address, which the president expects to deliver on Tuesday, will be a complete and effective refutation of the declaration made in the German reichstag by Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg that the United States would be responsible for war if war comes. The responsibility will be placed squarely on Germany for the consecutive steps which led to the break between the two nations.

The exact form of the address will be closely guarded up to the moment that he arises to address the congress in joint session. The president will be prepared to take advantage of any change in the situation which may occur up to that time. But based on conditions today, without a drastic change in the German submarine campaign, the address will make it plain that the continued destruction of American lives and American ships in violation of the laws of nations and of humanity cannot be tolerated.

Confers With War Heads.

After the cabinet meeting President Wilson held a lengthy conference with Secretary of War Baker and Secretary of the Navy Daniels on the prepared ness activity in their departments. The steps taken to bring the nation's war machinery to the highest possible point of efficiency and the extra funds for preparations for war were laid before the chief executive. The department heads likewise submitted their views as to the legislation that will be needed immediately to further the war plans.

The cabinet approved of a plan under which minor officials of the various departments will take over the work of preparedness organization in the fields of industry, commerce and business in connection with the Council of National Defense Advisory Commission.

This will leave the cabinet members free to handle the preparedness work directly before their various departments and will practically turn over the mobilization of the resources of the nation to the civilian organization of the defense council.

Now Up to Congress.

It was stated that the president and his advisers were satisfied that every possible step toward preparedness that can be taken without legislative action has been ordered by the executive branch of the government and that only congress can secure further progress toward placing the nation in readiness for impending war. A complete program for war legislation will be ready for the legislators as soon as they get down to business after the organization of the new congress and the delivery of the president's address.

Conferences of leaders and the rank and file of both houses arriving by every train caught the spirit of activity and at scores of informal conferences discussed war legislation. Meantime the formal series of conferences to plan the organization of the house got under way, and by Sunday the leaders will be ready for the tap of the gavel.

To Investigate Russian Trade.

Washington, March 31.—Investigation of the financial and commercial conditions in Russia and the far east is to be made immediately by the department of commerce. A. W. Ferrin, editor of a financial magazine, will undertake the work.

M'ADOO FAMILY ANSWERS U. S. CALL TO COLORS.

Washington, March 31.—The three sons of William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, have volunteered for service with the naval reserves and are waiting to be called to the colors.

Francis H. McAdoo, the oldest, a lawyer in New York and a Princeton graduate, already has offered the government his fast motorboat as a submarine chaser.

William G. McAdoo, Jr., a senior at Princeton, will go into the aviation section. Robert G. McAdoo, youngest of the brothers, is a student of St. Paul's school, Concord, N. H., and is too young for service, providing the war does not last.

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Girls' New Tub Frocks 2.74
Plaid and chambray combinations—stripe models—natural or black waistlines—bolero jacket effects.

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Morning or Afternoon—Elaborate Enough for any Easter Festivity.
Group One 1.85
Voiles—Organdies—Plain or Striped Tub and Jap Silks.
Three or four dozen smart styles from which to pick and choose—all well tailored and stitched—as simple or as fluffy as you wish, and all with the new Spring fashion features.
Group Two 4.94
Crepe Georgettes—Pongees.
An olive green or nile green Georgette is embroidered and finished with an extra white Georgette collar. The Pongees are trimmed with sports motifs, or finished with drawn work design.
Group Three 5.94
Taffetas, heavy quality, and Washable Satins.
Plaids in pastel colorings, white taffetas with contrasting collars, cuffs and front bows—tailored taffetas and solid colored models.
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In soldier blue, coral and shadow lawn green. Made with the new tucked lattice work collars, cuffs and vestes—effect—or with pleated edged drill and lattice tucks combined.

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Appetizing Menu—your choice of two or more dishes in each course. Served from 11:30 a. m. to 2:30 p. m.
Split Pea Soup with Croutons, or Vegetable Soup
(Choice) Roast Fresh Ham, Mint Sauce
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Lyonnaise Potatoes or Macaroni au Gratin
Cold Cuts—Potato Salad
Tuna Fish Salad—Celery, Mayonnaise
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White, flesh or pink—tailored models—wide rever or pin tucked.
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RELIGION OF SOUTH AMERICA DESCRIBED

Rev. T. B. Penfield Gives Last of Series of Talks at the Y. W. C. A.

"The Religion of the People" was the subject of the last of a series of four talks on "South America" by Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, of Englewood, given at the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon. As on the other three occasions there was a large and appreciative audience. The speaker said that most of the religious life of the country was to be found in the large cities. Very little attention is given to religion in the country or rural districts.

Mr. Penfield told of the marked progress now being made by the Protestant missionaries working in South America, adding that the opportunities seemed to be unlimited. He traced the religious life of that country from the time of the Indians, the first settlers, until the arrival of the Spaniards and the various other races. He told how the Indians worshipped their gods, describing some of the interesting customs.

Mr. Penfield said that while much drunkenness was to be found in South America, there was an absence of excessive drinking of intoxicants near the equator, which fact he was unable to explain. In Chile there is one saloon for every twenty-seven inhabitants. The speaker emphasized the fact that it was the white man who had taken this liquor to the natives.

There is one section of South America where no estimate of the population can be made, said Mr. Penfield. So far as known there are three hundred tribes there, but it is a remarkable fact that no person who has ever penetrated this section has ever returned.

Mr. Penfield spoke of the early work of the Franciscan and Dominican Monks and the Order of Jesuits which was founded by Ignatius Loyola, who had a much higher conception of religion, and who really instituted the first missionary work in the country. He then gave a brief history of the work being done by the missionaries of the Protestant denominations to the present time. He said that some of the natives who had heard of conditions in North America, had said that the missionaries ought to first "clean their own house" before trying to go into foreign lands.

THROUGH THE WICKET

The Ladies' Nest of Owls will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock for important business.

NOTES FROM P. H. S.

The Easter vacation began yesterday. High school students will resume their studies again on Monday morning, April 9.

Howard Stelle, the recently elected editor-in-chief of the Oracle, announced to the school yesterday morning during chapel exercises that it was necessary to create a new office, namely, the office of assistant literary editor. Howard Bloomfield, of the Junior Class, has been appointed to fill that new office.

A business meeting of the Senior Class was held Thursday afternoon, Horace Hunker, Jr., president of the class, presided. The secretary's and treasurer's report were read. The treasurer's report was as follows: Balance on hand, January, $49; expense January 20 for play books, $1.25, leaving $47.75 in the treasury.

The presentation of gold rings, as basketball awards, was made to the members of the High School Basketball team yesterday. The rings show a model of a basketball with '17, H. S., 1917, thereon inscribed. Those who are possessors of such awards are: Captain Arthur Kyle, Manager Everett Case, Philip Sidle, Theodore Snyder, Morris Kyle, Chester Alpaugh, George Kyle and Sheldon Candray.

The aim of the class is to make the play, "Monsieur Perchoux's Journey" a financial and dramatic success, and to attain those aims the willful cooperation of every Senior is required. Tickets were distributed among the members of the class, which may be exchanged by purchasers at Miller's drug store, when reserved seats go on sale there. The business success of the play will depend on the business manager, De Witt Swackhamer, and the assistant business managers, S. Wright McAneny, Jr., and F. Smith. The stage manager is Colen Millard, who will be assisted by Maxwell Richards.

Easter exercises were observed yesterday morning in the High School auditorium. A selection of Easter hymns was sung by the entire school and the High School Glee Club sang the "Finale," of "The Road of Calvary," an Easter cantata. Those who sang with the glee club were: The Misses Agnes Griffith, Irma Dobbins, Marjorie Thiers, Irene Moy, Hazel Codrington, Lola Lofteomir, Cora Satterly, Anna Sherwin, Clara Hadley, Elsie Montgomery, Lillian Mercreary and Carol Avery. Among the boys were: Fred Van Orden, Juan Babcock, Charles Ward, Fred Rose, Edward Crone, Everett Case, Leonard Lewis, Charles T. Todd, S. Wright McAneny, Jr.

Clarence L. Woodman, of the faculty and graduate of Colgate University, spoke to the student body yesterday during chapel exercises, and urged the school to support the boys' Athletic Association next Tuesday evening. The Colgate University is sending its renowned glee and instrumental clubs to the Plainfield High School. They will give their concert next Tuesday evening in the High School auditorium, after which dancing to music furnished by Van Epps' orchestra will serve as a gaeities. Mr. Woodman called for the support of the school financially as well as socially. The tickets cost about one-quarter of the price that New York people paid a short time ago at a similar concert in that city. All tickets must be exchanged at Miller's drug store for reserved seats.

LINCOLN QUARTET DELIGHTS AUDIENCE

The Lincoln University Quartet, of Oxford, Pa., appeared in the Washington school, last evening, under the auspices of the Dunbar Club, and delighted the large audience. The readings by U. S. Young were greatly enjoyed and the fine melodies and solos were unusually pleasing.

The University is one of the foremost colleges for colored men in this country and many great leaders of the colored race have received their education there.

At the close of the musical entertainment a dance was held, which added to the enjoyment of the evening.

ALASKA WAS BOUGHT FIFTY YEARS AGO

Treaty Was Signed by Which This Country Bought It From Russia

Fifty years ago yesterday the treaty was signed which closed the purchase of Alaska from Russia, for $7,200,000, and in June following the treaty was ratified, and Alaska officially become the property of the United States, October 9, 1867.

The purchase of Alaska, which was then known as Russian America, was accomplished through the efforts of William H. Seward, of Auburn, N. Y., grandfather of Miss Anne H. Seward, of the Hartridge School, this city. Mr. Seward was then serving his second term as Secretary of State, having served his first term in that capacity in the cabinet of President Lincoln, and being continued in the cabinet in Lincoln's second term, and through the term of the latter's successor, Andrew Johnson.

Mr. Seward saw great possibilities in Alaska as a possession of the United States, and his purchase a means of removing a foreign landed interest from the Western Continent. The amount paid was the cause of some criticism, and the distance from the United States in those days of limited transportation facilities, made the purchase seem to some people unwise. In the light of later days it has been proved a valuable acquisition, and showed Secretary Seward to have been far in advance of the men of his day. Since that day Alaska has yielded over sixty-six times the amount of its purchase price, an average of its purchase price every year, although for the first seventeen years Congress paid no attention to this possession.

The population is about 10,000 whites and 15,000 Indians and Esquimaux. The first settlers were devoted to fish and fur industries, but the minerals have been found and developed by the more recent inhabitants, who have discovered untold wealth in them.

Alaska was first explored by Russians, under Behring, looking for fur-bearing animals, in 1741. They came across from Siberia, where Asia and North America approach each other within a score of miles, and where it is thought the aborigines of this country crossed from Asia in small boats, before the days of the mound-builders, and started the race of Indians who were here when Columbus discovered America.

CHAS. A. M'PHERSON DIED LAST NIGHT

Charles Alexander McPherson, of Richmond street, died last night after a long illness. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced in Monday's issue of this paper.

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Ruffs of plaited black silk net, with satin ribbon ends	4.00
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Judge Gary has announced himself to be unequivocally in favor of enfranchising women of this country. Using as a basis the principles proposed by David Lloyd George, Premier Lloyd and Sir Edward Minister of Munitions to give the vote to women in England, he asserted the women of this country have been denied a status much entitled to the vote as English women.

TRADE COUNCIL WOULD SAVE SHIPS

Urges Care In Impressment In Event of War.

New York, March 31.—The National Foreign Trade Council at a meeting here adopted resolutions urging the government to protect as far as possible, in event of war the trade resources of the country. Twenty-five members, all actively in foreign trade, attended, and members at a distance, many on the Pacific coast, telegraphed their approval of the action.

It was argued that great difficulties were experienced by the European belligerents through unsystematic impressment of merchant ships, which militated against economic resources of the war. A resolution was adopted calling on the government and semi-official trade organizations to "devise a method of co-operation with those engaged in foreign trade and shipping whereby the tonnage available for established trades may be conserved in the interest of economy as well as military defense and necessary impressments may be effected with the least withdrawal of tonnage for the shortest period of time consistent with national security."

The council urged also that the Webb bill, which the senate failed to pass, be passed by the Sixty-fifth congress in order to place American exporters on an equal footing with combinations of foreign buyers equipped to depress the price of American products. The council also voted for a nonpartisan recommendation that the United States tariff system, "whatever its underlying principle," be provided with resources for the encouragement of foreign trade by commercial treaties, agreements of executive authorizations to have defined limits and for its safeguarding from undue discrimination in the markets of the world.

FIVE AMBULANCES GIFTS.

Red Bank Company Gets Them From C. A. Wimpheimer.

Red Bank, March 31.—In the event of war New Jersey ambulance company No. 3 of this place is to have five ambulances, the gift of Charles A. Wimpheimer of Long Branch. This will bring the automobile equipment of the company up to six ambulances, one having been presented last summer by Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen Hudson of Shrewsbury.

Besides the automobile ambulances Mr. Wimpheimer will give the organization $1,000. He is interested in hospital and sanitary work and is on the board of governors for the Monmouth Memorial hospital of Long Branch.

MORE TROOPS MOBILIZED:

New York Infantry and Connecticut Artillery Called to Colors.

Washington, March 31.—Three thousand more national guardsmen have been called out by the war department in pursuance of its plan to give "police protection" to public works and buildings. Under the department's orders these militiamen are mustered into the federal service to perform the same duties as the 65,000 members of the militia already out in a score of states.

The additional troops ordered out are New York's Forty-seventh and Twenty-third Infantry and Squadron A; Battery A, Georgia field artillery, and Companies B and F, Tenth field artillery, Connecticut.

KING GEORGE OF BRITAIN GOES ON WATER WAGON.

London, March 31.—It is no longer according to etiquette to place any wine glasses on the table wherever King George is a guest at military messes or with the fleet, says the Spectator, which is conducting an active campaign for prohibition. The King's orders barring the use of alcoholic beverages in his palaces during the war is adhered to strictly, and no wine is served even at dinner parties at Buckingham palace or Windsor.

Monday In New York AT WANAMAKER'S

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Wooden rakes, 60c.
Dirt shovels, $1.15 to $1.40.
Garden sets, 65c to $1.75.
Garden trowels, 25c to 75c.
Weeding forks, 30c to 40c.
Pruning shears, 85c to $1.85.
Hedge shears, $1 to $2.40.
Plant sprayers, $5 to $8.50.
Pick axes, $1.15 to $1.70.
Wheelbarrows, $8 and $4.
Lawn rollers, $11.75 to $12.75.

Tools for women are a specialty.

Bulbs for Summer

Begonias, white, pink, crimson, scarlet; single, 5c; double, 8c.
Dahlias, white, crimson, yellow and white, soft pink, primrose and rose, yellow and red, golden yellow, scarlet, canary, pink and white, red, lavender and white, 15c, 2 for 25c.
Cannas, orange, bronze, red, yellow, 5c.
Madeira vines, 5c. Amaryllis, 10c.

Holland-Grown Shrubs

Red Japanese maples, 65c.
Ghent Azaleas, 45c.
Bleeding hearts, 15c.
Rhododendrons, 60c and 75c.
Magnollas, $1 and $1.50.

American-Grown Rose Bushes 35c each; three for $1

Grass Seed

Sutton's standard English lawn seed; 50c; 5 lb. bag, $2.25; 10 lb. $4.50.
Evergreen grass seed, 25c quart; $4 bushel (20 pounds).
Shaded lawn grass seed; 4 qts., 85c; 1 peck, $1.35; ½ bushel, $2.50.

5 cents

Vegetable seeds that grow, 5c and 10c package.
Flower seeds that flower, 5c pkge.

Seventh Gallery, New Building.

Cotton Tissues

Look among them for unusually pretty colorings and patterns in a sheer fine cotton dress fabric from 25c to 50c a yard.

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Some with tiny cords, some with lustrous little figures in artificial silk to heighten their dress effectiveness. Those in white with border will make up charmingly for dress wear. Some have the odd, primitive designs fashion favors. There are sports styles too—wonderful variety.

Dress Fabrics Salons, First floor, Old Building.

More Dresses for Young Women

Monday will see many new boxes opened. Fast as dresses go out, others come in—new, fresh, different.

One at $20 is a typical dress for a girl's skirt and *brettelles* of navy blue, or gray-blue and tan check taffeta; blouse of crepe de Georgette.

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Second floor, Old Building.

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$222.25 for our $403 tan morocco leather davenport, loose cushioned seat.

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$106.25 for our $132.50 light green morocco leather arm chair, loose cushioned seat.

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$273 for our $364 brown Spanish leather davenport, arm chair and rocker.

$100 for our $133.50 brown Spanish leather davenport and arm chair, loose cushioned seat.

$38.50 for our $51.50 brown Spanish leather arm chair.

$51 for our $68 brown Spanish leather rocker.

$60.50 for our $81 brown Spanish leather wing arm chair.

$93.75 for our $125 brown Spanish leather wing sofa.

$38 for our $51.50 brown Spanish leather chair.

$62 for our $86 brown Spanish leather arm chair.

$69 for our $92 brown Spanish leather arm chair, loose cushioned seat.

Fifth Gallery, New Building.

New Showing of Washable Bath Rugs

Four qualities and all popular colorings and sizes.

Dylone rugs—in a heavy single face cotton rug; all in small geometrical designs; 18 x 36 in., at $1.75, to 36 x 72 in., at $6.50.

Tapis rugs—in a heavy reversible cotton rug, in plain and figured effects; 24 x 36 in., at $2.35, to 36 x 72 in., at $6.65.

Phoenix chenille rugs—a heavy reversible chenille rug in plain colors with borders across the ends; 24 x 36 in., at $1.65, to 36 x 72 in., at $4.25.

Byzantine rugs—a chenille rug made up in plain colors, also moire effects; 24 x 36 in., at $1.65, to 36 x 72 in., at $4.85.

Fourth Gallery, New Building.

5,200 Pairs of Women's Stockings at 85c—Monday

They are silk stockings of the $1 grade; but because the threads run here and there a bit uneven, a little thicker in some places than in others, they are priced at 85c. No holes or darns. Nothing to impair wear.

We have searched many pairs without finding even the thickened thread. But all go in for the one price, 85c.

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Main Aisle, Old Building.

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First Gallery, New Building.

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Terra Cotta

All personally selected and purchased by our representative in the sculptors' studios, some sixty miles from Florence, at the foot of the Carrara mountains. Imported direct, without a penny of intermediate profit. Prices in consequence are often less than wholesale importers would charge us in this country.

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Architects, landscape gardeners and owners of country homes are invited to see these new decorative pieces.

Art Concrete

Our business in this garden furniture extends from Maine to California, from New Orleans to the Canadian border—and seldom have we had as desirable a collection to offer as at present. Prices are practically the same as last year.

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Fountains, $100 to $235.
Window boxes, $25 to $70.
Lions, $130 to $200 pair.
Bird baths, $25 to $200.
Flower stands, $70 to $450.
Sun dial pedestals, $35 to $40.
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Art Concrete Furniture Made in America

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Fountains, $49 to $165.
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"Weather or No"

He is a wise youth who realizes that being tied up means being tied down.—Old Man Sage.

CHIPS FROM THE CLAYS

There is some talk of a telegraphic trapshooting match between the Elks teams of Alameda, Cal., and Wilmington, Del.

During the past month 23 clubs have become affiliated with the American Amateur Trapshooters' Association. The membership of this organization now exceeds 1,300 clubs.

Mrs. B. G. Earle, who is now giving instruction in the art of trapshooting at Lakewood, N. J., will give instructions to the fair sex at the Atlantic City, N. J., trapshooting school this summer.

The Gaillard Sporting Club of Natchez, Miss., which club is conducting the Mississippi State shoot, is one of the oldest trap clubs in America. It was formed October 13, 1877, at the time of the glass ball period. A gold medal was shot for at the time of the organization and this is still shot for annually. Capt. J. F. Jenkins is the only survivor of the original charter members.

New additions to the trapshooting fraternity are R. C. Folwell, football coach at the University of Pennsylvania, and Howard Berry, the brilliant all-around athletic star of that institution. They participated in a shoot of the Philadelphia Electric Company the other days Folwell broke 36 of 50 and Berry 16 to 50. It was the first appearance of either at the traps. Now they have the fever.

GAMES WANTED

The Courier-News carrier boys would like to arrange baseball games with teams averaging fifteen years of age. Interested parties should write Roger Todd, manager, care Courier News. The boys claim to have a fast nine and expect to be able to clean up almost any nine that comes down the pike. First challengers will be the first served with dates.

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TROUT SEASON TO OPEN TOMORROW

Fishermen to be in Their Glory From Then Until July 15

New Jersey's trout and salmon season, which opens tomorrow, will bring promise of the best sport the present generation of anglers ever has enjoyed in this State. There'll be no restricting of the sport to the mountain streams, which are the natural habitat of the brook trout, but the opening of the season this year will mean as much to the central and southern parts of the State as it does to the northern tier of counties, thanks to the State's work in planting rainbow and brown trout in these warmer waters where the brook trout does not thrive.

The rainbow and brown trout are certain to figure prominently in the future of angling in New Jersey. While the brook trout will continue to hold its popularity undoubted in the cold water streams these newer trout flourish in a larger percentage of the streams and ponds in other parts of the State. Both the rainbow and brown trout make rapid and large growth in Jersey waters. Rainbows distributed in public waters three years ago are likely to be taken this year weighing five to six pounds each. When a Jersey angler with light tackle hooks into one of these big fellows he will get a thrilling introduction to trout fishing such as only some of the northwestern States have heretofore enjoyed.

For the first time salmon fishing will this year become, in some of the northern New Jersey counties, a real rival to trout fishing. Thousands of the Chinook or Pacific salmon have been planted in land-locked lakes of the State during the last year. Salmon of this species were put in New England lakes a few years ago and Yankee anglers are now catching specimens weighing from twelve to fifteen pounds. These lake salmon, as in the case of lake trout, are usually caught by trolling.

With the increase in stocking streams with fish there has been a corresponding increase of public interest in angling and municipal clerks and game wardens are said to be establishing new records this spring in the sale of fishing licenses. No citizen need travel far from his home town to find good trout fishing. Even in the suburbs of some of the largest cities of the State the brooks are well stocked with fish. In practically every county of New Jersey there are streams or lakes containing trout, which the knowing angler can discover.

The trout and salmon season will extend from April 1 to July 15. It is illegal to keep trout or salmon under six inches in length, and 25 trout is the limit allowed to any one angler in one day's fishing, while ten is the day's bag limit for land-locked salmon.

TABS-KNIGHTS GAME OFF

Owing to the fact that Company M armory at Somerville has been closed to sporting events because of military activities in the State, the game scheduled for that court between the St. Mary's T. A. B. Society of this city and the Knights of St. Peter for this evening has been called off. Many of the fans who have been following the destinies of the teams during the course of the past season will be sorely disappointed, but the managers did their utmost to bring the teams together.

By the Way—

Jack Johnson, ex-champion of the world in the heavyweight class, is today celebrating his thirty-ninth birthday somewhere in France.

RECREATION FIVE FINISHES SEASON

Defeated New Brunswick Team in a Fast Game Last Night, 55 to 39

The Recreation Five played its last game of the season last evening on the P. H. S. court when it defeated a team playing under the name of New Brunswick, the locals taking the best end of a 55 to 39 score. The game was a fast one throughout, accurate passing and shooting being the two big features.

Berse, playing forward for the locals, put up a wonderful game and was largely responsible for the victory of his team, scoring some twenty-eight of the Queen City's points of the evening. Gram and Stewart, forward and centre respectively, for New Brunswick, also did some good work.

The score:

RECREATION FIVE

	G.	F.	P.
Berse, f	14	0	28
Porter, f	5	0	10
Kline, c	7	0	14
Snyder, g	1	1	3
Davidson, g	0	0	0
	27	1	55

NEW BRUNSWICK

	G.	F.	P.
Oram, f	5	0	10
Purdy, f	4	0	8
Stewart, c	5	0	10
Baughy, g	1	3	5
Price, g	3	0	6
Randolph, g	0	0	0
	18	3	39

Score by periods:

Recreation Five	27	28	—	55
New Brunswick	18	23	—	39

Referee, Moulton; timer, Patterson.

KILBANE READY FOR LOTS OF ACTION NOW

Johnny Kilbane, champion featherweight, having taken all the featherweights they can dig up for him, has been trying for a long time to get a crack at the top-notch lightweights with but little success. So, just to show what a good fellow he is and when in shape of a super boxer, today insisted a deal to the three best who claim lightweight class, and offered to meet them all the same night. He began with Freddie Welsh and went right down to Benny Leonard and Richie Mitchell, the latter of whom has been so persistent in telling what they would do to Kilbane if the opportunity ever offered. However, there is the cutest little joker imaginable in Johnny's challenge that tempers his boldness to a considerable extent. He specified in his death-defying edict that he wanted each of these men to weigh-in at 133 pounds ringside, which long has been recognized as the legitimate lightweight poundage.

"They aren't lightweights," Johnny announces, "and they won't take my offer. However, I'm willing to fight any of the three or all of them at any old weight they name; one a night. And I'll do the best job of housecleaning in the lightweight division this country has been for many a long day."

The champion featherweight is a most awful lonesome boxer. Instead of all the big stars in his class following him around the country and clamoring for matches, an experience most of the scrappers of high rank have, they all get out of his way when he starts traveling. A great many of them have felt the full force of that deadly right and more of them have heard tales of it that fill them with respect.

So Johnny is rather forced into it if he can ever get Welsh's consent to meet him in a ring, the fight fans in this nation will wear out the railroad ties getting to the scene of the mill.

SECOND PLACE TIE IN TABS TOURNEY

Bears Take Three Straight, and Drive Tigers to Fifth Place

T. A. B. S. TOURNEY

	W	L	HS	PC
Bulls	19	11	959	.633
Leopards	17	13	931	.567
Bears	17	13	897	.567
Lions	12	12	918	.500
Tigers	13	14	884	.481
Foxes	7	20	926	.259

Three straight games meant a tie for second place for the Bears in the T. A. B. S. house tourney last evening, and they just went and did it. They took three from the Tigers, the latter dropping into fifth place. Both aggregations managed to cop two scores of the double century type, Ryle going the highest for a 212 mark in his first tilt. Guinee of the Bears, however, took possession of the high average of the evening at 194.2.

The scores:

TIGERS

				Ave
Kyle	212	183	146	175
Schuck	119	132	140	127
Diskin	143	143	155	147
Larew	130	131	118	126
O'Keeffe	206	150	186	180
	801	707	748	751

Total pins—2,253.

BEARS

				Ave
Guince	205	205	174	194
Blum	136	160	107	134
Winzerried	133	116	110	121
Donnelly	151	164	211	175
Mahoney	180	196	159	178
	810	841	751	860

Total pins—2,402.

SPORT BRIEFS

Gathered From Here, There and Everywhere in the Sporting Arena

San Francisco—Chick Evans, premier golfer of the United States, will retire from tournament play after this season. Evans made this announcement just before he departed for his home in Chicago.

Cincinnati—Charles Schmaltzle, former confidential man for Charles P. Taft, yesterday won a verdict in full in his suit against Taft for $57,559. The suit, which attracted attentions because it revealed the enormous profits of the Chicago National League Baseball Club, grew out of a transaction attending the sale of the Cubs by Mr. Taft. He had given Schmaltzle stock upon which the dividends alone amounted to $60,000. Schmaltzle, however, claimed $75,555 due him after the sale of the club.

Cleveland, O.—Les Darcy, the Australian middleweight, announced today that he had wired the New Orleans promoters asking that his match with Jeff Smith, scheduled for May 4, be changed to a date in April. Darcy also called off his proposed bout with George Chip, scheduled for April 19, claiming that the club operated by Matt Hinkel is too small.

NEW BRUNSWICK DATES

The baseball schedule of the New Brunswick baseball team was announced yesterday afternoon. It discloses the fact that the P. H. S. nine is to appear at the New Brunswick field May 2, while the Middlesex county lads will come to this city on the June 4.

EAGLE'S SECONDS IN TWO VICTORIES

Spotted 100 Pins, Junior Team Walops First String Men

Having been given a handicap of 100 pins, the Eagle Seconds managed to take the sandwich and night cap tilts from the first string men of the local lodge Wednesday evening, the latter going by the small margin of six maples.

The Seniors secured three double century scores and a team score of 934 in their first tilt and therein spent the bulk of their strength. Radin secured the high score of 219 and top average of 193, thereby cornering the honors of the evening.

The scores:

EAGLE NO. 1

				Ave
Radin	219	181	179	193
Miller	208	189	177	184
Smith	211	175	167	184
Mannis	263	165	192	173
Mahoney	183	149	173	168
	984	859	888	903

Total pins—2,711.

EAGLE NO. 2

				Ave
Reinle	111	156	165	144
DeCamp	153	138	137	143
Buckley	190	173	166	176
Reed	155	156	161	157
Morris	158	212	165	178
Handicap	100	100	100	
	871	823	894	896

Total pins—2,688.

RAM BOWLERS TASTE SWEETS OF VICTORY

Six games over the 800 mark was the aftermath of the Rambler-Spicer No. 1 bowling match on the Eagles' alleys last night, but the Ramblers' margin in the first two sets was more than their opponents, which consequently won the series for the former team.

Only two double century scores were recorded, each team getting one. Taylor, Ryan, "Soldier" Gordon and Reinle improved with each succeeding game, while Worrall, Betzenberger, Francisco and Mannis hit the scraped runway.

The scores:

RAMBLERS

				Ave
Worrall	189	150	138	159
Koechlein	148	184	147	159
Betzenberger	181	155	130	155
Taylor	137	180	266	177
Hyslip	157	176	190	174
	812	845	871	825

Total pins—2,468.

SPICER NO. 1

				Ave
Francisco	190	175	169	178
Ryno	141	126		138
Davis			141	141
Gordon	126	122	195	147
Reinle	128	158	156	156
Mannis	205	186	182	191
	810	817	853	826

Total pins—2,480.

SERIES COMPLETED

Koechlein and Snyder, Bound Brook's combination of star maple smashers, last evening took six of ten tilts rolled on Ebinger's alleys from Somerville's pair of pinners, Mathews and Roller. The results give to Somerville the advantage of 11 to 9 on the series. Mathews did the best bowling last evening, securing an average of 195.

Negotiations are under way between George Gates and "Quaker" Vail, of this city, for a series with Bound Brookers similar to the one just finished.

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There has been increases in the cost of all articles used in the various branches of sport—excepting smokeless powder, and everything that goes with powder has advanced.

It makes no difference whether you are a trapshooter, fisherman, golfer, yachtsman, polo-ist or a tennis, squash, handball, racquet or baseball player, you will have to help foot the bill.

The increase in the price of all goods, as a rule, has been from 10 to 50 per cent. The reason given for the increase in cost is the scarcity of raw material and the ever-increasing cost of labor.

More Followers Despite Cost

Prices have been mounting up for more than a year, and every sport has more followers today than it had a year ago, with the possible exception of baseball. While the 25-cent seat has been tabooed in polite baseball society this has not injured the sport. The magnates and players by their continued wrangling and their willingness to wash their dirty linen in the newspapers, have caused many persons to turn to other avenues for recreation.

That more persons are actively engaged in sports than one year ago is proof that Americans are not only open-handed, but are willing to pay for their sport. Cost appears to be a secondary consideration.

Materials that enter into the manufacture of baseballs have increased 60 to 100 per cent., and the balls have advanced from 10 to 50 per cent. Indoor baseballs have advanced 25 per cent. and golf balls about 50 per cent. Baseball uniforms have advanced about 30 per cent. because of the scarcity of wool, dye and the high cost of cloth. Shoes made especially for use in sporting events are high and going higher, and gloves are almost out of sight as far as price is concerned.

The fisherman pays about 15 per cent. more for lead sinkers and steel hooks and about 5 per cent. more for the smaller accidentals that he needs.

Big Year for Trapshooting

The hunter and trapshooter pay about 25 per cent. more for their shells than last year, very much increase when one bears in mind that copper, brass, spelter, mercury and lead have advanced from 200 to 400 per cent. during the past two years. A box of 25 shells that formerly cost 65 cents now retails at 90 cents. Firearms have advanced, too. Rifles bring 50 per cent. more and shotguns 25 per cent. more than they did a year or so ago. Trapshooting had its best year in 1916, despite the increase in its cost, and gives every indication of doing even better in 1917.

Football players will have their innins next fall. They will be compelled to pay more for leather head harness, leather and felt knee, elbow and shoulder pads and for shoes than ever before.

The increase in the cost of articles of leather, of course, is directly ascribed to the war; the tremendous export trade in shoes, leather and raw and canned beef, which has cut down the supply of cattle to an almost alarming degree.

However, it is not the war that has brought about the increased cost of shafts for golf clubs—that is, the type known as "extra selected," always used for the best clubs. The scarcity of the best grade of second growth hickory has brought about this condition.

Golf Clubs Are Scarce

In selecting club shafts an average of seventy in every one hundred first grade sticks will be discarded as of poor grain, too "whippy" or not "whippy" enough. The shafts go through three inspections by experts before being passed. This and the increasing scarcity of good materials have brought about an increased cost of 50 per cent. for the rough, unfinished shafts.

Persimmon and dogwood are also becoming scarcer, and as the majority of drivers, brassies, spoon and bulldog heads are made from these woods, the clubs are twenty-five per cent. higher than a year ago.

The "listing" cloth used under the leather grip on a club shaft has increased 100 per cent.; the glue used in "setting" shafts and in many other ways in golf club construction has increased nearly 20 per cent.; the brass soles for brassies cost 25 per cent. more, while the "pitched" string which the whipping on the shaft is done has increased 50 per cent.

Americans who live in the great outdoors do not consider the cost of their recreation. They go into it because they feel that no matter what the pastime, it induces health—and having health, they are well satisfied.

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FIGHT FOR BATTING AVERAGES POSSIBLE

Tris Speaker's sudden elevation to the heights of batting championship sought many years by Joe Jackson is likely to precipitate one of the hottest scraps in the American League dash for the top of the average list this year that Ban Johnson's or any other man's circuit ever saw.

Joe struggled along for years cracking the leather on lots of wasballs and attaining dizzy batting heights, but Ty Cobb always was just good enough to pull out in the lead. Speaker came along, got set with a new club and hit 'em so fast and often that Cobb was forced to look on from a rear seat, while Jackson merely hooked on in third place.

Joe has issued his challenge for this year. He says the same one boasted by a President of the United States is going to be right at the top when Ban B. promulgates next summer's most important list in the line of batters. Cobb, he says, may be second, or even Speaker may get that far, but he has served warnin' that Joe is going to ride the winning horse.

Cobb also has made some passing remarks in which he intimated that there isn't going to be glory without a few sprints in the summer. He has set his eyes on that batting championship and wants it badly enough to stretch his legs hard for every blow.

Cobb, so one story has it, was a very much disappointed peach when the last season was over and the customary Cobb was lacking at the head of the American League averages. He had acquired such a Ben Athen habit that it was hard to let go. He was grieved and somewhat astonished to observe that it wasn't Jackson who challenged him, but Speaker, whose cop in a machine world shouldn't have placed him that high. And just to keep competition from growing stagnant and carrying all interest to the younger league, the National League probably will stage a little dust around in staging Rogers Hornsby for leadership. Jack Barry, long recognized as king, didn't live it a bit when he was nosed out a year ago. He likes his hits perhaps better than any other star in the game, so he promises to give Hal Chase, Roger Hornsby, Lew Wendell and some others a merry time in the climb of their young lives for John K. Tener's heaviest batting average.

All around, it should be a hot little season for the average fiend.

GRACE CHURCH BOYS WIN CLOSING CONTEST

Playing on the Parish House court Thursday night the Grace church Sunday School won its last game of the season when it annexed the large end of a 36 to 16 score. With Vail at guard the Sunday School outfit had little trouble with the P. H. S. College League five. He was all over the floor with the ball, was the pivot of the Grace church team work and was largely responsible for his team's victory.

Western and Faucett played a good game for the losers, Faucett caging all of his team's field goals. Angleman shot them from all over the floor, caging 11 baskets for Grace church.

The score:

GRACE CHURCH

	G.	F.	P.
Angleman, f	11	0	22
Wright, f	3	0	6
Horn, c	1	0	2
Vail, g	3	0	6
Shepherd, g	0	0	0
McKay, g	0	0	0
	18	0	36

COLLEGE LEAGUE

	G.	F.	P.
Enander, f	0	0	0
Western, f	0	2	2
Faucett, c	7	0	14
Geary, g	0	0	0
Hannigan, g	0	0	0
	7	2	16

Score by periods:

Grace Church	18	18	—	36
College League	8	8	—	16

Referee, Johnson; scorer, Elliott.

EAGLE BOWLING DATES FOR THE COMING WEEK

A number of special bowling matches have been arranged for next week by the two Eagle teams, the schedule being announced as follows:

Monday, Jim Mahoney's Colts of Eagles vs. Bill Mahoney's Colts of Tabs at Eagles' alleys. Wednesday, Plainfield Eagles, champions of the Eagles' State League, vs. Bound Brook, champions of the Central New Jersey Bowling League, at Bound Brook. Friday, Ramblers vs. Eagle Seconds at Eagles' alleys.

The Wednesday evening contest at Bound Brook will be the star event of the week, and it is expected that a large number of Plainfield followers of the indoor sport will accompany the locals to Geo. Efinger's alleys. A date for a return game will be announced later.

GOOD BLOOD

"Blood will tell." Blotches and blemishes, like murder, will out, unless the blood is kept pure. Its purity is restored and protected by the faithful use of

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DEFENSE AUXILIARY TO COLLECT PAPER

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Home Defense League will inaugurate a paper-saving campaign to raise funds for use by the league. All persons who are willing to save paper of all kinds, for the cause, are requested to communicate with Miss Josie K. Stevens, 'phone 455-M, or write her at 149 Crescent avenue.

The purpose of the auxiliary is to carry on the paper collection for the coming two months, the collection to be made May 1 and June 1.

All papers should be tied in bundles, not only for convenience of the ones saving them, but also for the ones who will come to collect them.

CENSUS OF EXPERTS ON.

Government Plans to Utilize Services of Technical Men.

Washington, March 31.—A preparedness census of thousands of the nation's expert technical men has been started by the bureau of mines at the request of the Council of National Defense. As a result of this step the government's military authorities will mobilize at once the most eminent scientists, chemists, engineers and metallurgists for service in industrial plants engaged in the manufacture of war materials.

Twenty-five thousand letters went out to mining engineers, chemists, metal mining and coal mining companies requesting the recipients as a matter of patriotism to state their qualifications and experience. They were asked also to give full information as to where in case of emergency they could be of the most service to the country and in what branches of industry they are most proficient. Dr. Victor Vaw. Mueller said that in taking this census the government is profiting by the experience of European combatants, who have seen large numbers of their best technical talent killed in the trenches before realizing their value behind the lines or in munition shops.

WAR OR PEACE BATTLE.

Pacifists and War Forces to Move on Washington Monday.

New York, March 31.—Pro-war and anti-war forces have made their final plans for their attack on congress Monday. Both will send delegations to Washington by special trains.

Neither camp was daunted by the refusal of Washington police to allow them to parade to the capitol building. Both said they could make their demonstration just as effective by walking down Pennsylvania avenue informally as by marching.

Several hundred persons from each faction will go to Washington Monday. The pro-war forces claim they will have 25,000 people in the capital from all points within striking distance of Washington. The committee in charge of the movement said each of the pilgrims would pay his own fare. The anti-war workers sent out an automobile flying squadron to try and raise $100,000 for the Emergency Peace Federation to be used in an advertising campaign to influence congress against any warlike step.

VISITING RELATIVES

IN PLAINFIELD

Bruce Sankey Biddle, of New York, a brother of Harold and Miss Helen Biddle, of the Plainfield High school, and himself a former teacher in the Plainfield High school, as a supply, has been visiting his relatives here the past week.

He is engaged writing Sunday articles on the war for New York papers.

Mr. Biddle is a second cousin of Ira D. Sankey, the noted evangelist, who was associated with Dwight L. Moody for many years, and who is the author of many of the famous Gospel hymns.

Mr. Biddle is editor-in-chief of the New York University song book. He was also publicity manager for Sarah Bernhardt during her Brooklyn engagement.

CALLED TO CRANFORD

BY FATHER'S ILLNESS

Special to the Courier-News:

Buffalo, N. Y., March 31.—The Rev. H. Herbert MacConnell, pastor of the Danforth Congregational church, Syracuse, N. Y., was last night called to Cranford by the critical illness of his father.

THE DEATH OF JAMES ENRIGHT

James Enright, of New York, whose wife was formerly Miss Ellen Powers, of this city, died on Thursday, after a short illness, in the fiftieth year of his age. Besides Mrs. Enright, he leaves two sons, Joseph and William Enright.

The funeral will be held in St. John's church, *Jersey City, on Monday* morning, and the interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

Women Voters Gain In Vermont.

Montpelier, Vt., March 31.—Governor Graham has signed a bill which permits property holding women to vote at town meetings.

TOMORROW WILL BE PALM SUNDAY

Tomorrow will be Palm Sunday, the anniversary of the day on which Christ rode into Jerusalem and the people "took branches of palm trees and went forth to meet him, and cried, Hosanna; blessed is the King of Israel that cometh in the name of the Lord."

There will be distribution of palms at all the masses in St. Mary's and St. Joseph's churches.

The services in Grace church will be: Holy Communion, 7 a. m.; morning prayer, 10:30 a. m.; evensong, 4:30 p. m.; sacred cantata, 8 p. m.

In the Church of the Holy Cross there will be services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. In the morning the Rev. Franklin J. C. Clark, of New York, will preach and Russel D. Bliss, of New York, will sing "The Palms."

In St. Stephen's church, Professor Miller, of the Theological Seminary, New York, will preach at 11 o'clock.

The services in the Church of the Heavenly Rest will be at 8 a. m., 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

MOTHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES AT ROSELLE

Mrs. Anna Georgenia Clark, of 148 St. George avenue, Roselle, who died Thursday after a lingering illness, was married in the same house in which she died, and had lived there since her marriage except for ten years spent in Illinois. She celebrated her golden wedding on January 3, 1916. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Rahway.

She leaves one son, Harold B., of this city, and three daughters, Mrs. William Lansley of Farmingdale; Mrs. Fred Manning, of East Orange; Mrs. Charles C. Lathrope, of Woodbridge. She is also survived by four grandchildren.

MISS WARREN A BRIDESMAID AT KISSEL-EATON WEDDING

Miss Mary Warren, of this city, was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Ina A. Kissel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph H. Kissel, and Henry Taft Eaton, which took place at the Church of the Holy Communion, New York, today. Rev. Henry Mottet, the rector, officiated. The wedding was set for May 5, but was hurried because Mr. Eaton as a member of the New York National Guard, expects to be called into active service.

DR. EATON AND DAUGHTER OBSERVE BIRTHDAYS

The Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, pastor of the Madison Avenue Baptist church, was forty-nine years old last Thursday, and his oldest daughter, Marion Aubrey Eaton, was twenty-one.

The men of the church gave a dinner in the parish house and presented a watch to Dr. Eaton. The women held a reception in the evening for Mrs. Eaton and Miss Eaton.

INJURED AT SPICER PLANT

James Eskesen, of 222 New street, this city, employed at the plant of the Spicer Manufacturing Company, at South Plainfield, caught his arm in one of the machines last night, and sustained a severe injury. He was removed to Muhlenberg Hospital, where he will be obliged to remain several days.

HARVARD CLUB DINNER

The annual dinner of the Harvard Club, of New Jersey, will be held at the Essex Club, Newark, tonight, when former Secretary of War Lindley M. Garrison, of the class of 1886, will be one of the principal speakers.

ELGIN SIX BREAKS WORLD'S BROAD JUMP RECORD

Not long ago, a stock Elgin Six made a spectacular exhibition in Grant Park, Chicago, by jumping 36 feet from an incline hurdle. This record has been smashed pathetically by one of the most dare-devil stunts ever pulled off in motor history.

During the big automobile show of Kansas City, the Elgin Motor Car Sales Company, of that city, advertised in the newspapers, and also by handcirculating literature, that on February 15 they would make an Elgin Six perform one of the most sensational stunts ever attempted. More than 2,000 people gathered on the afternoon of the big stunt. At 2:45, Chas E. Shiddell, of Kansas City, jumped into his Elgin six; police officers backed up the crowd, and the signal was given that everything was ready. The driver sped on the throttle, and started from about five blocks beyond the incline hurdle. The hurdle measured 12 feet on the slant, rose to a height of 14 inches, and was built of 2x8 planks. When one block from the hurdle the driver looked at his speedometer. It registered a speed of 57 miles per hour. He hit the incline at this tremendous speed, it forced the Elgin 8 feet into the air, and caused it to leap through space for a distance of 70 feet, and landed before striking the ground. This feat was performed at 23rd and McKee Trafficway, Kansas City.

Sworn affidavits to the above measurements from one lawyer, one policeofficer, one automobile dealer, and one ordinary bystander are in the hands of the Elgin Motor Car Corporation in Chicago.

After the performance the car was carefully examined and found to be in perfect condition. The driver immediately drove his car to the outskirts of the city to prove beyond question the unusual stamina of the Elgin Six. When the car made the leap it was stripped of top, lamps, windshield, and every superfluous trimming that would at all hamper speed.

SPECIAL PREACHERS AT CRESCENT AVENUE

There will be a short service at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church at 4 o'clock Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons next week.

The preacher on Monday afternoon will be the Rev. F. Boyd Edwards, minister of the Hillside Presbyterian Church, Orange. Mr. Edwards is a frequent speaker at the Northfield conferences, and also at schools and colleges.

Tuesday afternoon the preacher will be the Rev. William Pierson Merrill, D. D., minister of the Brick Presbyterian Church, New York City, and well known to the people of Plainfield.

Wednesday afternoon the sermon will be by Rev. William Adams Brown, D. D., professor of Systematic Theology at Union Theological Seminary, New York City. Dr. Brown is also well known to the people of this city, and he has but lately returned from a tour of all the mission fields of the Presbyterian board in the Orient.

Friday afternoon the preacher will be the Rev. F. J. Foakes-Jackson, D. D., M. A., professor of Christian Institutions at Union Theological Seminary. Dr. Foakes-Jackson is a clergyman of the Church of England, being until recently dean of Jesus College, at Cambridge University, and canon of Peterborough Cathedral.

Friday afternoon Dr. Zelie will have his usual Good Friday service for the boys and girls.

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the Union Good Friday service will be held in this church.

These services are not only for the people of this parish, but are open to the public generally, and it is hoped many will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing these eminent speakers who are coming here at this time.

CRANFORD GIRL'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

An enjoyable party was held Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Loveland, of Arlington road, Cranford, at which forty guests were present from this city, Dunellen, Roselle, Westfield, Elizabeth and New York.

The surprise of the evening was announcement on novelty cards which told of the engagement of Mr. and Mrs. Loveland's daughter, Miss Gertrude Loveland, to Harold B. Nelson, of Elizabeth. During the evening games were played and a program of vocal and instrumental music given. A supper was served at a late hour.

REV. DR. McCREA MAY RETURN TO RIDGEWOOD

In connection with the appointments to be made by Bishop Luther Wilson of the Newark Conference, now in session, there is a rumor that Rev. Dr. Abel C. McCrea, formerly pastor of the First Methodist church, but now at Emery church, Jersey City, will be transferred to the Ridgewood church, from which place he came to this city. Dr. McCrea has also been mentioned as the possible successor to Rev. Dr. George Vogel as superintendent of the Newark district.

BERNARDS MAN LEASES ORANGE HOTEL

Bernardsville, March 31.—John W. Bailey, manager of Bernard Inn, has leased and will conduct the Palmer House in East Orange. Mr. Bailey took charge there today. He expects to continue his business here as well as conduct the East Orange hotel. Mr. Bailey and his family will move to the Palmer House Saturday.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. MARY VILARDI

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Vilardi, the wife of Salvatore Vilardi, of Palmore avenue, who died on Thursday, was held this afternoon in St. Joseph's church. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends, and there were many beautiful flowers. The interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

FANWOOD EDUCATORS INSPECT GARWOOD SCHOOLS

Superintendent Townsend of the Fanwood schools and members of the Board of Education of Fanwood spent the greater part of Thursday inspecting the Garwood school system with the view to incorporating some of its features in their schools.

IN ATLANTIC CITY

Miss Florence Cooper and Miss Dorothea Hull, of Park avenue, are sojourning in Atlantic City.

What to Do When Backache Comes On

"Foley Kidney Pills have done me more good than $1,000 worth of other medicine." Chas. N. Fox, Himrod, N. Y.

When backache comes on and it seems as if you can't stand the pain and pressure across the small of your back, hurry to your druggist and get relief through a box of Foley Kidney Pills. Don't let the cause of that pain very quickly spur the sluggish kidneys to throw the poisons out of the blood. They will rid of pain and rheumatism, backache, headache, sleeplessness, nasty kidney ills and sore muscles.

Frank W. Sherman, Laconia, N. Y., writes: "I suffered with kidney trouble, had a tired feeling in my back, did not rest well at night and was all tired out. I used Foley Kidney Pills and in a few days began to feel better, and now I have entirely recovered."

Weeks' Bond Drug Store.

SPECIAL SPEAKER FOR PARK AVENUE S. S.

The Park Avenue Baptist Bible school is to entertain a prominent Sunday school worker at its session tomorrow morning, and an hour of unusual interest is promised all who attend. In place of the regular lesson, Frank L. Brown, of Brooklyn, will speak on Japan and Sunday school work in general.

Mr. Brown is an authority on this subject, having had a wide experience in directing, organizing and detail work in connection with the Sunday School. He holds two offices of distinction and importance in this field at the present time, being superintendent of the Bushwick Avenue Sunday school of Brooklyn, which has a membership of 3,000. He is also general secretary of the World's Sunday School Association and recently, in company with Mr. Heinz, of Pittsburg, president of the World's Association, took a trip around the world in the interest of Sunday school work.

It is being planned to hold the next World's Sunday school convention in Japan and Mr. Brown's talk on that wonderful country will be of special interest just at this time.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend the Park Avenue Baptist school tomorrow morning at 9:45.

BRAKEMAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

Charles Hill, aged 22 years, of Union Hill, Weissport, Pa., a brakeman on a freight train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, had a miraculous escape from death late last night when he stepped into space from his train, which had been wrecked between Hillside and Townley, near Elizabeth, and landed a distance of seventy feet below in a pile of debris. He was soon found by another member of the train crew and hurried to Muhlenberg Hospital. An examination showed that Hill's only injuries were a contused wound of the left foot and a fractured left arm.

Hill said that in leaving his train he expected to step on the embankment beside the train and not on the afterward learned, that part of his train was on a bridge which he could not see in the dark, and he dropped off into space. There were no casualties to members of the crew. The cause of the wreck is not known, but a number of freight cars were derailed and traffic was blocked for several hours.

RECREATION NOTES

The Saurer Band will rehearse in the Washington school on Monday evening.

The Washington school game room will be open Saturday and Monday evenings.

The West End Boys' Club is to meet in the Washington school Monday evening.

A Municipal dance will be held this evening in the Washington school auditorium.

The Aero Club is to use the manual training room in the high school on Monday evening.

A mass meeting will be held in the Washington school auditorium on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock for all the colored men of this city, when a colored Y. M. C. A. will be organized.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE Y. W. C. A. ORCHESTRA

Celebrating the first anniversary of the Y. W. C. A. orchestra the members enjoyed a birthday party at the association building last night. The women invited their gentlemen friends and Miss Kathryn Aller, former general secretary, was the guest of honor. During the early part of the evening the orchestra presented a program of popular selections, after which all adjourned to the dining room where refreshments were served. In the center of the table, which was attractively decorated, was a single lighted candle. Miss Aller had the honor of cutting the birthday cake. An amusing feature was the singing of a topical song composed by one of the members of the orchestra. Miss Alice Titus was chairman of the committee of arrangements.

BILLS AMENDING SEVEN SISTERS LAW

Special to the Courier-News:

Trenton, March 31.—Governor Edge has signed two Senate bills amending the Wilson Seven Sisters anti-trust laws of 1913, so that New Jersey corporations can acquire and hold stocks in other corporations. The State anti-trust laws were made to conform to the Clayton act.

TWO BANKS SUSPEND

Special to Courier-News:

Newcastle, Va., March 31.—The Bank of Newcastle, a State institution has been closed because of a shortage of $350,000. It had a capital of $30,000, and deposits of about $160,000.

Dayton, Pa., Mar. 31.—The first National Bank has suspended owing to a robbery of $60,000 about a month ago. It has a capital of $50,000 and deposits of $300,000.

MRS. MEAD WILL SPEAK

Mrs. Frederick G. Mead, former president of the association, will speak at the vesper service to be held at the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES AT CONGREGATIONAL

At the Congregational church, Madison avenue and West Seventh street, tomorrow morning at 10.30 the minister, the Rev. Howard E. Clarke, will preach a Palm Sunday sermon on the topic, "The Misunderstood Christ—What It Means to Accept Jesus Christ."

At 7:45 o'clock Lenten vesper service the preacher will be the Rev. Ralph Hall Ferris of the First Congregational church of East Orange. Special music by Arthur Davey, soloist, and Miss E. Cashen, violin.

Holy Week services will be held beginning Monday evening, April 2; preacher, the Rev. Mr. Clarke.

Tuesday John W. Sproul, of New York; Wednesday the church unites with the Biederwolf service in the high school; Thursday, communion service; preacher, the Rev. H. E. Clarke; Good Friday, the Rev. C. W. Carroll, of Philadelphia.

All services will be held in the church at 8 o'clock with full choir.

On Easter Sunday morning the Rev. Mr. Clarke will preach. The music will consist of violin, harp, organ and choir. At the vesper service at 4 o'clock the Rev. Dr. J. T. Stocking of the Congregational church, of Upper Montclair, will be the preacher.

All not regularly worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend these services.

WILLIAM HARDWICK BURIED AT ERIE

The funeral of William Hardwick, president of the Erie, Pa., Engine and Union Iron Works, and former Mayor of Erie, father of Mrs. Albert Macdonald, of this city, who died Thursday, was held at his late residence in Erie this afternoon. Expressions of sympathy were received by the family from many prominent officials, including Supreme Court Justice Walling, Judge Pointer and Judge Whittlesey and many of the citizens of the city of Erie. Interment was made in Erie.

BRINGING BODY HERE FOR FUNERAL AND INTERMENT

Word has been received that the body of C. A. Steiner, who died at Banning, Cal., Thursday, March 22, is being sent to this city for funeral and interment.

Accompanying the body are Mrs. Steiner, who is a sister of Mrs. Albert Bolschweiler, United States Marshal for New Jersey, was married Thursday afternoon in Boston to Miss Gertrude Emanuel. The ceremony was performed by Mayor Curley. Peter S. Byrnes, of this city, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolschweiler will reside at the marshal's home in this city. The bridegroom was four times Mayor of this city, and when made marshal was serving as sheriff of Middlesex county.

MANY NEW CITIZENS AT COUNTY SEAT

Twenty-two applicants for citizenship papers were successful on Thursday in Naturalization Court in Elizabeth. Of forty-two applicants, eighteen cases were postponed, two applicants were refused, and twenty-two granted.

Comment was general yesterday on the ease with which applicants passed the examinations, Federal Examiner Gordon seeming to relax a bit in his requirements.

REV. J. ATWOOD STANSFIELD COMING TO ST. STEPHEN'S

The Rev. J. Atwood Stansfield, of New York, who conducted the successful mission in connection with St. Stephen's church recently, will conduct the Easter services in that church on Sunday, April 8, and will remain with that church for the next six months.

ENFORCED RETIREMENT OF GEN. BOYADJIFF

Special to Courier-News:

Berne, Mar. 31.—An inquiry into the loss of Monastir, which was demanded by General Mackensen, has resulted in the compulsory retirement of General Boyadjiff, who commanded the Bulgarian forces in Macedonia.

JOHN HAYS HAMMOND

Today is the birthday of John Hays Hammond, of New York, the famous mining engineer, with interests in Mexico. He is a noted after-dinner speaker.

JOHN C. CALHOUN

John Caldwell Calhoun, Vice President under John Quincy Adams, and under General Jackson, and strenuous defender of slavery, died sixty-seven years ago today.

WHEN TREASURY WAS BURNED

Eighty-four years ago today, March 31, 1833, the Treasury at Washington was burned.

Increase in Freight Rates

Special to the Courier-News:

Chicago, March 31.—The Illinois utilities commission has granted an advance of 5 per cent in interstate freight rates on live stock, high explosives and iron and steel articles. All class rate advances have been denied, however.

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CAPSTICK REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL

Congressman is Confined in Hospital at Morristown With Pneumonia

Congressman John H. Capstick, is in the Memorial Hospital at Morristown, in a critical condition, suffering from bronchial pneumonia. It was learned today.

He will not be able to go to Washington for the opening of Congress on Monday. His absence will give the Democrats a majority of one vote in the organization of the house. With Mr. Capstick absent the party line-up is: Republicans 213—Democrats 214. It seems to have been agreed, however, that the Democrats shall organize the House re-electing Speaker Clark, who it is understood will recognize the members of other parties in the committee appointments, thereby bringing about a coalition government of Congress.

John E. Nicol, of this city, secretary to Congressman Capstick, has just returned to Washington from Wilkes-Barre, Pa., where he attended the funeral of his brother Robert, who died following an operation. Mr. Nichol was not aware of the serious illness of Mr. Capstick until he reached Washington today.

N. P. H. S. NOTES

Baseball candidates attention: Capt. McDonough has issued a call for practice for every day next week at 2 p. m. No rest for the weary athletes, evidently.

Clifford C. Pelring has been chosen head-usher for the coming junior play, "The Elopement of Ellen." LeRoy Force was also named to serve as chairman of the music committee.

Halbert I. Hutchinson, '15, a sophomore in Swarthmore College, is home for the Easter vacation. "Hutch" is maintaining the standard of his alma mater and is doing good in the Pennsylvania institution.

The Boys' Athletic Association make an appeal to the generosity of the students and other loyal supporters to purchase tickets for the annual play which will be given by the association on the evening of April 13 in the Plainfield high school auditorium.

At the meeting of all the boys who intend to join a Boy Scout troop, if formed in this high school, which was held in the auditorium Wednesday afternoon, it was decided by those present to consider the idea further before any definite action is taken. Scoutmaster W. Duff of the Boy Scout headquarters was present and informed the boys of the plan of campaign. Alfred Willdtt was elected temporary scoutmaster of the troop when organized.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS

Ralph D. Matthews, of this city, is organizing a brass band among the boys of Cranford and Garwood.

Rev. H. St. G. Burrill, of the Church of Holy Cross, conducted services last night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Westfield.

Contractor Al. DeNise, of the borough, who was awarded this week the contract for building the new Grove street bridge over the Stonybrook, will begin work shortly. The contract price is $4,200.

AGED GLEN GARDNER WOMAN TAKES HIKE

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Glen Gardner, who was 93 years old last January, has been spending some time with her son, Jacob Smith, of New Hampton. Mrs. Smith's physical condition is remarkable considering her great age.

While at New Hampton Mrs. Smith called at the residence of Henry Pence, walking a distance of nearly a mile up a mountain road. This remarkable old lady, who delights to entertain and who still has a lively interest in the affairs of life, makes her home with her granddaughter, Mrs. Lemuel Lance, at Glen Gardner.

RECEPTION PLANNED FOR GRAND CHANCELLOR

Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., at its meeting last night received three applications and reinstated one member. Following the routine business the lodge planned for the coming of Grand Chancellor Vogelins and his staff, who will visit the local lodge on the evening of April 20th. It will be the occasion of a class initiation, and the Lodge of the Castle, of Somerville, will be present and confer the third rank.

DONATIONS FOR PLANT GUILD

Anyone desiring to make donations to the Plant, Flower and Fruit Guild of flowers, fruits, vegetables, tea, sugar, soap, cocoa, rice and fresh eggs and anything else suitable for the sick and shut-ins may send them Monday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, and Tuesday morning from 9 to 10.30 to the rooms of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, 10 Madison avenue, Babcock building.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PRESBYTERIAL SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the Women's Presbyterian Society for Home Missions of the Presbytery of Elizabeth was held Thursday in the old and historic church at Springfield. The following ladies from this city were present: Mrs. H. H. Condict, Mrs. Anna Doolittle, Mrs. H. G. Halloway, Mrs. W. A. Holliday, Mrs. E. G. Read and Mrs. John S. Zelie.

The auditorium of the edifice in which the first session of the meeting was opened was decorated with the Stars and Stripes, flag mottoes, palms and other flowers and plants. Pinned over an American flag which was placed across the front of the auditorium near the pulpit was a silk banner bearing the inscription, "God Bless Our Church," which banner was displayed by all of the women who attended.

The following officers were re-elected:

President, Mrs. Augustus S. Crane, North avenue, Elizabeth; vice-presidents, Mrs. William L. Steams, Westfield; Mrs. Adrian Lyon, Perth Amboy; Miss Anna Gerber, Elizabeth; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. H. Gulick, Elizabeth; recording secretary, Mrs. E. L. Bradshow, Cranford; secretary for Freedmen, Mrs. Adrian Lyon, of Perth Amboy; secretary for Literature, Miss Catherine Reeve, Basking Ridge; secretary for Young People's Work, Mrs. Ralph A. Peters, Roselle; secretary for Westminster Guilds, Mrs. F. F. Mooney, Rahway; secretary for Mission Study and Education, Miss Harriet Halloway, Plainfield; treasurer, Mrs. Jennie B. Coleman, Elizabeth.

TOMORROW WILL BE APRIL FOOLS' DAY

Tomorrow will be April Fools' Day and the unwary public is advised against kicking old hats that lie around lest they should conceal bricks, and not to turn around in haste if suddenly hailed by a small boy, and not to look down for the handkerchief that did not drop and to remember that on All Fools' Day one can get stung in Plainfield here, they say, there are no mosquitoes.

LOCAL YOUNG MEN TO DEBATE AT RIDGEFIELD PARK

In Ridgefield Park tomorrow afternoon, James Smith, of St. Peter's College, and "Joe" Gallagher, of this city, representing the Union County Federation of Holy Name Societies, will debate with the Bergen County Holy Name Federation. This debate will be the last one to be held under the auspices of the Inter-County Debating League.

The local young men have the negative side of the question, "Resolved, That the United States should maintain a large army and navy." Despite this fact, the local debaters claim that they are not pacifists, being staunch supporters of adequate "Preparedness."

ARRESTED LOOKING FOR PRESIDENT WILSON

Special to Courier-News:

Washington, March 31.—Edward Holt, of Belleville, Ill., was arrested at the Capitol today. He was found, wandering around the rotunda and looking in the corridors for President Wilson. He was taken to a local police station.

TROOPER WEDDED TODAY

Summit, March 31.—In the belief that the First Squadron Cavalry, N. G. N. J., may be called out next week, the marriage of Clinton S. Van Cise, a member of that organization, and Miss Millicent Hunt Whitlock, daughter of Mrs. Arthur Pegram Whitlock, of Summit avenue, took place today at noon in the Central Presbyterian church. The ceremony was performed by the rev. Minot C. Morgan.

MASS MEETING AT WESTFIELD

Arrangements have been made to hold a mass meeting in Hughes Hall, Rahway avenue, Westfield, Thursday night, at 8.30 o'clock, in the interest of and for the betterment of the colored citizens in this vicinity. James Lee, president of the organization and R. B. Thompson the secretary.

HELPS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

VIRGINIA CARTER LEE

In connection with this department Miss Lee will gladly answer any inquiry relative to domestic science, a stamped envelope being necessary for a personal reply. Address care of Courier-News.

Some very crude ideas have existed, and still receive some credence, in certain quarters, relative to the process of "hardening the constitution," as it is called. Unfortunately, many persons are not cognizant to the fact that the constitution is never "hardened" by undue exposure to the summer sun, the winter's wind, or the indulgence in strains or over-exertion.

Ill-informed mothers sometimes dip their infants into cold water with this same fallacious idea of manufacturing "hardness" to order. It is a constantly weakening, enervating process, and when the child succumbs to some acute malady, for want of stamina to stand it, and is said to have been taken away under the "mysterious dispensation of Providence" theory, it ought to be known through the land that undue exposure does not toughen and that nine times out of ten it materially lowers the vitality.

The best way to harden the constitution is to take the best possible care of it. Study its needs and see that proper food is provided, regular hours set apart for the feeding, immaculate cleanliness maintained in regard to the person and the surroundings, the rooms for living and sleeping purposes well-ventilated and plenty of sun and fresh air obtained on pleasant days.

Attention to these important details will do more to develop a robust constitution than anything else and it should always be remembered that the exposure idea doesn't show the human body the consideration and courtesy we show a hat or a garment, which are never made better, and frequently ruined, by being left out for hours on a damp, raw day, with a strong wind blowing.

Good care, however, of the body does not mean coddling or overswathing, which is quite as bad as undue exposure. It means the happy medium in this as in all things, and if little children play outdoors on a damp, chilly day, be sure that they are constantly exercising and that their feet are well protected against wet and dampness.

Weak children are greatly strengthened by both sun and oil baths and it would be well if every dwelling were so constructed that one room could be set apart for "sun baths"—a room on the sunniest side of the house, having a broad side of glass and so arranged that a uniform temperature could be maintained.

In this room, very young children will derive much benefit from playing in the sunlight. Like little plants, they need plenty of sun to grow and develop. Care, however, should be observed if the eyes are weak and the sun very strong, and if this is the case, it will be better to supply smoked spectacles to protect the eyes, rather than forego the daily sun bath.

Oil baths, if they are given properly, will convey considerable nourishment through the absorption of the oil and the "sun bath room" is just the place to give them. Sweet oil is best to use for this purpose and after the bath has been given by gentle rubbing with the lubricant, all superfluous oil should be wiped gently off.

When salt baths are given, and these occasionally are very bracing, the sea salt should be used in the proportion of one heaping teaspoonful to every three quarts of water. Hot salt water baths should never be given unless under a doctor's orders, as they are apt to be very weakening. A little above tepid heat is best and they should be followed by a brisk, yet gentle, rubbing.

Of course, a bath of any kind should never be given directly after the child has been fed, but after the bath a little warm milk (if it does not conflict with the regular feeding) will be found to act as a gentle stimulant and prevent even the possibility of taking cold.

Let nothing said in this article be construed to mean that the little ones should be deprived of outdoor air and exercise, even in the cooler seasons, but simply a plea for protected exposure—an exposure stopping short of allowing a child to actually suffer from the elements.

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HOW FRED FOUGHT THE FIRE

Fred and his mother lived in a small house just on the edge of the great Edmonds estate. The father, who died six months before Fred became a newsboy, left the little home only half paid for, and now there was not enough money on hand to finish the purchase.

Mrs. Gordon had taken in sewing and Fred had sold papers to try to raise the amount, but now it was almost the middle of May and they still lacked several hundred dollars of the sum needed.

"I am going down town to sell papers this evening," said Fred as he finished his supper. "Maybe there will be an extra out and I can earn perhaps a dollar more than usual."

So he ran down the lane as fast as his legs would carry him. Mrs. Gordon sat by the window looking out across the handsome park and at the big stone house hidden in oaks in the distance. As she sat with tears in her eyes, Mr. Edmonds' car drew up before her door.

"I have called, madam," said Mr. Edmonds, "to tell you that if the last payment is not made on this property by May 15 I will have to claim it."

"But, Mr. Edmonds," exclaimed the widow, "we have worked so hard and so long to raise the money. Can you not wait at least two months longer? Think how faithfully my husband served you for years."

"That is true," returned the rich merchant. "But I paid him. I want this land to build on and you will be glad to get it. Be ready to move by the middle of May if the money is not ready," and his car rolled away up the handsome driveway.

Fred was away till late. The news of war had caused many extra papers to be sold, and when he did get home he was glad to find a hot lunch and his mother waiting for him. The night was a dark one, for the moon did not rise till about 2 o'clock. But suddenly the boy noticed a glare shining in the kitchen window. He opened the door.

"Look, mother," he exclaimed. "Mr. Edmonds' stables are on fire. The blaze is right in the loft wing, where he has Duroc's stall. I will go down and see what I can do." And without waiting to say another word he grabbed his coat and dashed toward the burning buildings.

Now, the stables on the Edmonds estate were some distance from the house, but near Mrs. Gordon's cottage. Besides, a grove of trees stood between them and the mansion, so a blaze might not be seen by the servants at the big house. Fred knew he must act at once, for in this stable was the beautiful Duroc, Mr. Edmonds' favorite horse and an animal of which Fred himself was very fond.

By the time the breathless boy reached the stable the left above the stall was a sheet of flame. He tore open the door and seized a hose, quickly turning on the water. With a swish, swish a shot into the blazing hay, but it only seemed to make the flames leap higher. Duroc was kicking in his stall, as the cinders fell on his glossy back. So Fred dragged the hose out and tried to throw on enough water to put out the red tongues of fire which darted out of the great loft of hay. But it was useless. Higher and higher they leaped, the hay burned up, and down the blazing timbers began to tumble into the stable around the stalls.

Throwing down the hose, the lad seized Duroc's halter and tried to lead the horse out, but the maddened animal refused to go. He fought and struggled, but not an inch would he budge. Then Fred remembered something that horses would not leave a burning building unless they were blindfolded. It was but the work of a moment to jerk off his jacket and wrap it about the animal's head, and as he did so the flames darted up to the stall and scorched his back. Fred shut his eyes, gathered up the rope to the halter, struck the horse with his hand and started out of the flaming doorway. Duroc quietly followed. Out of the flames and smoke they came and right into a crowd of people who were rushing to the rescue. And foremost among the men Fred recognized Mr. Edmonds himself.

"Here is Duroc! I saved him!" cried Fred as he fell unconscious on the ground. Duroc, when he opened his eyes he was not lying on the earth

outside the stables, but on a bed in a beautiful room and his mother was bending over him, while Mr. Edmonds stood walking at the footboard.

"I guess you're all right now, my boy," said Mr. Edmonds. "And I have some news to tell you. I need a housekeeper for this place right now, so you and your mother will make this your home while you attend college in the city. After that it may be you can help me a bit in the management of my business as my confidential clerk."

So, happy, Fred turned over for a nap and slept soundly, while his mother sat by the bed dreaming about her boy's rosy future.

Monday's story—"The Poor Little Princess."

HEALTH NOTES

Plenty of water taken both externally and internally is good for the complexion. A glass of hot water taken before breakfast is good for the digestion. Fruits and green vegetables are also excellent.

Trouble brings on heart conditions and lung difficulties, it is said, because there is then a lack of iron and oxygen into the lungs and the breathing is never deep enough. Therefore, to make it a habit to breathe deeply, whether one feels like it or not, is one of the best remedies for the difficulty in hand, whatever it may be. Again, not only must plans be made for inventories, but a hope must be held out, which will give one a goal to work for. No one man or woman can live without the aim in life. The joys or favors in hand must be remembered, to be sure, but there must also be found the thing ahead in view, or there is a retarded state of mind which is unhealthy.

The unpleasant taste of castor oil can be avoided by putting orange juice in the bottom of the glass, then very gently pouring the oil down the side of the glass and adding orange juice on top.

When the eyes begin to settle back in the head it is due to a wasting away of the fatty cushion back of the eyes. Massage will not help this condition. You must build up the general health. Eat nutritious food, drink milk or cream between meals, take a brisk walk every morning and sleep in a well-ventilated room.

A camphorated bath is refreshing and leaves a pleasant color on the skin. Pour slowly into a basin of water, enough cream to make the water look milky and sponge the body with it. Tincture or benzoin, one-half ounce; tincture of camphor, one ounce; cologne, two ounces. Shake well and it is ready for use. The cleansing bath with soap and water should, of course, be taken first.

IS YOUR BABY UP TO NORMAL?

Mothers always like to know whether their children compare favorably with others in their development and to have some standard by which to measure growth. Some of these rules are simple and easily remembered.

The average weight of girl babies at birth is 7 pounds, that of boys 7½. Healthy babies usually double their weight by the sixth month and treble it by the end of the first year. Therefore if the baby weighs 21 pounds at one year of age it is up to normal.

The first tooth is usually cut from the sixth to the eighth month. The full set of 20 milk teeth should be in place when the baby is two years old. The "sixth year molar," as it is called, is the first of the permanent teeth to appear, but as it does not replace one of the first teeth mothers allow it to decay because they believe it is to be a temporary tooth.

The baby begins to laugh aloud in the third to the fifth month and speaks a few words by the end of the first year. He usually frames short sentences by the time he is two years old.

Baby should sit up unsupported a little while in the seventh or eighth month, stand at 10 or 11 months and walk alone by the 15th or 16th. The soft spot on the top of the head should be entirely closed by the end of the second year.—Written for the United Press by Mrs. Max West, of the Federal Children's Bureau.

FASHION NOTES

The demand for dainty underwear keeps pace with the universal tendency towards sumptuousness in outer apparel, and the lingerie of today is wonderfully beautiful. Perhaps the most noticeable tendency at the present time is the liking for colored underwear, for white, perhaps because of its paleness, has almost vanished like a wraith before the lovely flesh tints that are now the choice of fashionable women.

NEW SCHEDULE OF VACATIONS FOR BAMBERGER EMPLOYES

A new vacation schedule, "in recognition and reward for employes' services," has been announced by L. Bamberger & Co. It is based upon length of service.

During the first year, the company states, employes will be given one days vacation for every two months of employment prior to July 1. Those who have been on the pay roll one year will get a week's vacation in summer, and those who have been employed two years will receive two weeks' vacation in summer.

To those who have seen five years' service or more two weeks in summer and three days in winter will be granted. Ten-year employes will get two weeks in summer and one week in winter.

Fifteen years' service or more also will bring two weeks in summer and one in winter. On the completion of fifteen years, however, employes will receive $100. This continues in force, a gift plan of several years' standing. Twenty-year employes are to get two weeks in summer and two in winter.

It is the belief of firm members, states the announcement, that "health is a vital essential to efficiency," and that "change and rest are important factors in the general well-being of members of the 'store family.'"

UNUSUAL ATTRACTIONS AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE

Tuesday and Wednesday at Proctor's Theatre

The program at Proctor's on Monday consists of Virginia Pearson, the talented emotional star in "Sister Against Sister," portraying two sisters of widely varying temperament. Mrs. Vernon Castle also appears on Monday in "Patria," and a "Lonesome Luke" Comedy and a special scenic production are offered.

Tuesday and Wednesday the famous Selznick production "Panthea" appears, starring Norma Talmadge, and in addition the management includes the regular program releases. "Panthea" is a seven-part picturization of Menckton Hoffe's famous novel and recently appeared at the renowned Rialto Theatre, N. Y., for an entire week at prices ranging from 25c to 75c. The added attractions include the following: On Tuesday only, the five-part comedy drama, "Back of the Man," starring Dorothy Dalton, and Mrs. Vernon Castle in "Patria." The added feature Wednesday is a five-part William A. Brady play entitled "A Square Deal," starring Carlyle Blackwell.

On Thursday, Constance Talmadge is starred in a five-part Triangle play entitled "Betsy's Burglar."

Bargain prices prevail at Proctor's these two days. Patrons are urged to come early in order to secure choice seats for this wonderful collection of entertaining productions.

NOVELTY SHOW MONDAY AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

Jean Bedini's Big Novelty Show, "Puss-Puss," claimed to be the liveliest production in burlesque, will play the Plainfield Theatre Monday matinee and night, April 2.

In the big production will be Minni (Buddie) Harrison, the girl with the melodious voice and a clever ingenue, Pam (Smiles) Lawrence, the little soubrette who scored a hit last year with this same show; Harry Jackson, a Hebrew comedian, who will be remembered from last season as Kabibble Potash, a designer of ladies' suits; Charlie Mac, as Cuti, a Hokem of the movies and English eccentric comedian, who formerly played with Charlie Chaplin, when he was last in vaudeville.

The beautiful "Kitten Chorus" that was the talk of the country last year is repeating it this season.

Bedini always has a surprise in the way of features; this year it will be a double header in the "Ignatz Pluto Troupe," and a travesty on the New York latest success, "Very Good Eddie."

Pam Lawrence, with "Puss-Puss," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday, matinee and night

DAUGHTER OF THE GODS AT PLAINFIELD THEATRE

At the Plainfield Theatre tonight

"A Daughter of the Gods," hailed as the last word in magnificent moving picture sensations, closes its engagement tonight at the Plainfield Theatre. Some of the sea pictures in which Miss Kellermann figures, with 200 mermaids, for beauty of composition, lighting and general artistry, have never been equalled either on the screen or the painted canvas.

Some idea of the magnitude of the undertaking may be gained from the knowledge that 20,000 persons, 5,000 horses, a fleet of steamships and an entire island were needed to properly stage this titan of classics.

No area in the United States proved large enough, or suitable, for the purpose of proper production so Mr. Fox leased from the British Government an entire island at Kingston, Jamaica, in order that no detail might be left out of this perfect film.

NEWARK AMUSEMENT

Broad Street Theatre

"Pollyanna"—the glad play—will be seen at the Broad street Theatre, Newark, N. J., for one week only, beginning Monday, April 2, with usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

In the world of letters "Pollyanna" quickly found popular favor, and as a play it has been speeding under the same lucky star. "Gladness" is the logic quality of the story of book and stage. In brief, "Pollyanna" is one of those rare plays that serve the world by putting glow into living instead of gloom. Her unfailing "gladness," under any and all circumstances, puts light and laughter into the hearts of all around her, and sponges out the lines of yesterday. The witching "Pollyanna" is personified by Patricia Collinge, and her quaint ways friends who serve this purpose of the story bring into review the honored names of the theatre.

Joseph Jefferson, Selma Herald Yorke, Nanette Comstock, Rose Weathersby, Maud Monford, Mary Barfoot, Maud Granger, Stephen Derr and Henry Duffey are of these. It has been proclaimed that one out of every ten readers in the country here read "Pollyanna" with this as a basis of figuring; the play, with its advantage of flesh and blood, ought to find a higher percentage within the field of the theatre.

NEW YORK AMUSEMENT

At the Columbia

A new two-act burlesque called "The Aviator" will be presented by the Big Century Maids at the Columbia Theatre the week beginning Monday afternoon, April 2. "The piece is said to be a humorous satire of the efforts of an inventor to make aviation supplant all other forms of transit. Many laughable amusing scenes and situations are said to have been developed upon this idea and in which the comedians of the organization and the large chorus of girls are provided with the best of material that is intended to keep the spectators agreeably entertained. One of the special features of the entertainment, although a distinct departure from the gayeties of burlesque, is described as thrilling in its details and in the manner of its presentation. It is a pantomime drama called "The Mysteries of Paris" in which Miss Jessie Reynolds and Miss Eva Burke will appear supported by some of the principals in the cast and a number of the chorus. During the action of the playlet, the French pantomimists will introduce a sensational dance called "La Valse Rouge" which they are said to have performed with success in whole year at one of the leading cafes in Paris.

WOMEN EDUCATORS FOR WAR

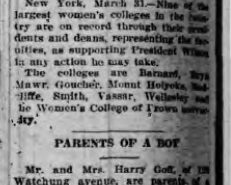
Nine Colleges Vote Support of President in Present Crisis.

New York, March 31.—Nine of the largest women's colleges in the country are on record through their presidents and deans, representing the faculties, as supporting President Wilson in any action he may take.

The colleges are Barnard, Bryn Mawr, Goucher, Mount Holyoke, Radcliffe, Smith, Vassar, Wellesley and the Women's College of Brown university.

PARENTS OF A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goff, of 138 Watchung avenue, are parents of a boy, born to them Thursday.



Nobody looking out of the windows these days; everybody's looking in at Hearn's windows.

Mothers, fathers, daughters, sons, girls, boys and babies; aunts and uncles, cousins, grandmothers, great-fathers—it doesn't make any difference who it is, Hearn's window is something that fascinates them all.

Mother sees that stunning Easter Suit. Father takes an unusual interest in Easter styles when he sees the shirts catch his eye. Daughter sees an adorable Taffeta Frock for herself just exactly like the one at which she's looking. Grandmother knows that Elmy, dedicate while Georgette Blouse, like the pretty colored one at the side would set off her snowy hair to its very best advantage. Grandfather hopes that surely someone will give him one of those handsome silk umbrellas for Easter. The girls want new white Dresses, the boys want new Suits, new Shoes, new Hats, new Shoes. And the whole family unanimously agrees that they should have all the pretty, perfectly sweet, cute things they can see.

There's one way to satisfy that eye peep in enough—that is unless you are tall enough to see over other folks' heads—that's where the Easter hill are.

But then, nobody stays outside Hearn's windows. They push open the swinging doors and go right in to Hearn's. Inside they know there will be enormous assortments, marvelous varieties, enormous stocks from which to choose. And every style is correct, attractive, as good value, as up-to-the-minute in fashion and as reasonable in price as that displayed outside.

Hearn's on the main floor—Easter gifts galore—Jewelry, Handkerchiefs, Bags, Easter Stockings, Easter Gloves, Easter Veils, Easter Ribbons, Easter Collars and Cuffs, Corsets, Easter Neckwear, Easter Silks, Easter Dress Goods.

Then comes the second floor—Easter Coats, Easter Suits, Easter Blouses, Easter Skirts, Easter Lingerie of Dainty Underwear. A great big department for the girls and then one for mother. Remember next week is Vacation Week so she can go herself to Hearn's to pick out the Easter Suit or Coat that first coat like the little girl above, or that Evening Dress or Dressy Real Silk Dress.

A great big department for the babies, everything in it a fascinator. For instance, the Bonnet pictured in medium weight Caps and Hoods for Easter Sunday. A great big Department.

Then the third floor. There you can buy surplus Army goods for women, because that's where all the irresistible millinery is sold.

On the other side of the building are tables and tables heaped high with spring clothes for the boys and young men. Not one style at one of the famously low prices, but a dozen different models. An equally great display of girls' clothes for the same at styles for your selection.

The boys have vacation, too, next week and how much more satisfactory will be your purchase if you bring him along.

Ever so many other departments where there are things worth your while, but for the Easter bride-to-be, Hearn's have made special preparations in Silverware, Cutlery and Linen Cabinets, Art Novelties, Silks, Dress Goods, Wash Goods and beautiful Shoes.

So don't stay outside, but play "follow the leader" and go into Hearn's. You won't be disappointed.

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A Page for the Home Dressmaker

From China Come Colorful Suggestions that are Used with Rare Effect

By May Manton

WITHOUT doubt one of the all-important features to be noted in the newest models is the tendency toward Oriental effects, notably Chinese, although the Turkish influence also is apparent. As usually is the case the reason for the influence easily can be traced. This time it seems due to the fact that, while the Atlantic Ocean has proven a difficult highway, ships can come across the Pacific with ease and safety, and we are receiving materials and suggestions from China while it is difficult to get them from France. In many instances, the Chinese effects are good for there is an infinite variety of design to be obtained from the Chinese source. The colors are exceedingly rich and beautiful, and the designers of the better sort handle them with great success. One of the notable plays of the season shows the leading woman with gowns giving very marked evidence of the Chinese influence both in the coloring and in treatment. On the stage, the somewhat extreme Chinese effect is good, but for everyday use it certainly is to be looked upon askance and accepted with reserve. The Chinese embroideries are beautiful. Nothing could be lovelier than some of the flower motifs that are familiar and there are wonderful conventional designs that can be used with great success, while the possibilities of Chinese coloring scarcely can be too earnestly extolled. Again, the simplicity of the Chinese sleeves is lovely and the kimono model is apparent in a great many costumes. Women of fashion are utilizing genuine Mandarin coats for evening wraps and Mandarin models are employed for the making of lesser materials for those whose purses are of smaller size. What we know as the Turkish skirt or the full skirt that is turned up underneath and caught to a lining to give a hint of the Turkish trousers or the Souave effect, is much shown and especially liked. Frequently one sees a Turkish skirt combined with a blouse, giving evidence of the Chinese suggestion in the sleeves and in the general form. Evidently the designers are seeking suggestion and inspiration from all the sources open to them. It is the part of the buyer to discriminate, to use the good and forswear the extreme.

The Turkish effects are, as a matter of course, largely confined to evening and to dinner costumes. A very beautiful gown seen today is of silver gauze over a callot blue silk. The skirt is simple and full, gathered at the belt, turned under and caught to a foundation. There is absolutely no trimming, for the designer knows well that trimming would spoil the wonderful material and color effect. The bodice is one of the very new ones closed at the back. There, it forms a V and is simply full. At the front it is laid in tucks across the center that provide fullness and is draped into short sleeves to be most charming. A novel feature is the collar-like band of white satin which stands away a little from the neck at the front. There is a straight band or belt of the gauze with a flat bow of the pump sort, making a finish at the waist line. A dinner gown is of the soft beautiful satin that is so much liked in a very wonderful shade of red that matches the American Beauty Rose. Again, the skirt is perfectly plain but very full and turned under in Turkish style. The bodice is of embroidered crêpe in exactly matching color with a half low, round neck and long close fitting sleeves of the kimono sort. The neck and sleeve edges are finished in the simplest possible manner, and beneath the bodice is to be seen a foundation or lining of the satin that is simply straight under the arm. The girdle in this instance is of velvet ribbon two inches in width, passed flat around the waist, finished again with a flat bow, but falling in loops over the skirt at the left side and with one end caught up to the shoulder. These costumes do not show exaggeratedly short length, but there is something of a tendency to make the Turkish skirt very short, so short in fact that it fails to be beautiful. At a notable dance of the week was seen such a costume in cerise with silk stockings and slippers to match, but the expanse between the edge of the skirt and the top of the slippers was altogether too exaggerated to be really attractive or really beautiful. Frills of lace attached under the skirts and falling to give something of the pabastelle suggestion are to be noted in many of these extremely short skirts, but so far as the writer's observation goes, the best style calls for moderate length here as it does elsewhere. The skirts are worn by the smartest women and put forth by designers of the greatest repute are not the skirts that cause a sense of shock or suggest criticism as to the display of hosiery.

Chinese coloring is always rich and you can use it in bits with wonderful success. If you have the artists eye for color you can make combinations that are a real delight. A costume completed this week is made of one of the lovely rangee-like silks in an exquisite shade of lavender or wisteria color, and accompanying it is a stock collar and four-in-hand scarf of Chinese yellow crêpe. Until you have seen that combination you would scarcely realize how lovely it is, but, as a matter of course, both colors must be well chosen. The danger in all sash fashions lies in the fact that so many women are color blind or approximately color blind. They do not differentiate shades, and if they see a perfect costume of this sort they will copy it with variations of color that absolutely spoil the effect. It is not any lavender and any yellow that can be put together, it is only the correct shades that will produce the result. A second handsome costume that gives evidence of the Chinese inspiration is of oyster white silk with a plain plaited skirt and a loose showing embroidery in discs approximately two inches in diameter in distinctly Chinese style and coloring. The design is not woven. It is embroidered onto the material for that special costume, and, as a matter of course, that treatment means distinction. The Chinese embroidery does not cover the entire disc, but shows an irregular border, so to speak, of wonderfully combined colors that are really superb.

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Chemise Gowns and Russian Blouses Make a Feature of the Coming Season

By May Manton

COSTUMES of silk or of jersey made in simple styles and designed for morning wear, and costumes of dainty lingerie materials of Georgette crêpe and of fine net for the afternoon, make the salient features of warm weather styles. We shall be rich in materials, we are colorful in the extreme when we go forth to watch the game of golf or perhaps participate therein, but we shall be daintily womanlike and cool in effect when we array ourselves for the afternoon visit, for the piazza tea or for any similar function of social life. On the street, we are to wear a great deal of beige and of tan and of grey and of other soft tones relieved perhaps but bright color, but, nevertheless, charmingly restful and pleasant to look upon. For the lingerie gowns of the afternoon, filet lace makes the favorite trimming and there are also wonderful embroidered trimmings that are very fascinating, and if you are so minded you can embroider the gown itself to get a really French effect and produce for a little money what would cost a fabulous sum if you buy it after it is passed from the designer to the agent and from the agent to the wholesaler and from the wholesaler to the retailer. When all these profits are paid, it is very nearly worth its weight in gold, albeit that weight is not extreme. Net is really wonderful for Summer gowns. It washes as perfectly as a pocket handkerchief, it is durable and it is the daintiest possible fabric. Organdie, however, is a close rival. Organdie gowns also are embroidered and sometimes trimmed with the filet lace. Organdie is essentially a dainty material, but if you are of an economical mind and desirous of obtaining a gown that will really see service, be careful that you purchase a good sort. To the untrained eye and to the casual observer, organdie may be all alike, but the fine French sorts, for which the big prices are charged, are given that peculiar crispness that remains after laundering by a treatment of the threads before the weaving is done. The cheapest sorts are treated after the weaving and after the first washing, are apt to lose the essential crispness. Fine cotton voiles are being used, too, and let it be whispered that both voiles and organdie and also handkerchief lawn will be worn in colors as well as in white, and not infrequently, in the two combined. If you want to get the bright bit of color that owes its influence to a great many different causes you can wear a girdle or a necktie or you can tuck a brilliant flower in the girdle of quieter tone.

With the Summer gowns hats are to be large and simply trimmed, and one of the very pretty fancies of the season is for the hat and parasol to match, that is to say, with the hat made with the brim of fine straw and the crown covered with material to match the parasol. Also, you may like to add a bag, for the wrist bag is a very important little accessory just now and if you have one for every costume you will have none too many to please La Mode.

What we know as the chemise gowns or those that are literally in one piece from shoulder to lower edge and held by girdles are greatly liked, and they are used for lingerie and fine materials as well as for soft silk. There is a very pretty example in the illustration to the left. The plaits give extremely soft and becoming lines and since soft materials are the universal ones they do not give any sense of flare while at the same time they provide comfortable width. The bell-shaped sleeves and the round neck with the draped collar are important features for they are conspicuous in many of the newest models and many of the best ones.

What is known as the tunic blouse or the over long blouse that is worn with a belt makes another favorite. It is very charming of Georgette crêpe over silk or for the crêpe de chine gown, and you can, of course, use such a one as is shown here for cotton voile or for net. Net embroidred and worn over a full skirt of the same material would make a very dainty and charming costume. You do not need to make very elaborate embroidery.

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especially pretty for the linen or lingerie costume and if you like you can make a bag to match, using a panel design for each side. The little bag is in what is known as a modified saddle bag form and the design can be utilized for beads or for French knots or for running stitch combined with belts. It is absolutely simple and at the same time most effective. Beads would be pretty on satin, but on linen material you could use a highly mercerized thread to get a good effect. Every smart costume calls for a sash or a girdle, and with the simple ones neck girdles will be much worn.

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